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## Getting down the road

Truckers and other travelers had a tough time getting down the road through Salado lately, especially when the Texas Department of Transportation shut down main lanes of I-35 in both directions from 7 p.m. Sept. 24 to 7 a.m. Sept. 25 in order to place bridge decking for the FM 2484 overpass of I-35. Traffic backed up on I-35 northbound all the way south of the rest areas during the closing this week. Saladoans can expect more of these in coming months as James Construction anticipates beginning demolition of the Thomas Arnold bridge in October or November. It will take James Construction three to five months to replace the Thomas Arnold bridge. The northbound access road is closed south of Thomas Arnold, which can result in traffic being diverted onto Main Street when there are accidents and other unexpected delays and/or closings. (PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

## Stakeholders continue opposition to listing, critical habitat areas

A Bell County stakeholders group continued its opposition to the proposed listing of the Salado salamander as endangered and submitted more data the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) to defend that position last week.

In August, FWS listed the Austin Blind Salamander as Endangered and the Jollyville Salamander as Threatened but postponed the decision on listing either the Georgetown Salamander or Salado Salamander as Endangered for another six months, until February 2014. The FWS also reopened a period for public comment for 30 days.

The Bell County stakeholder group of Bell County government, Clearwater Underground Water Conservation District, Village of Salado, Salado Water Supply Corporation and Jarrell-Schwertner Water Supply Corporation added to the earlier public comments that it has made in opposition to the proposed listing.

Not only does the stakeholder group op-

pose the listing, but it opposes the proposed areas for Critical Habitat for the Salado Salamander, if it is to be listed, calling the proposed Critical Habitat areas "arbitrary."

"All of the Bell County stakeholders are of the position that the integrity of the (Clearwater) District's spring flow monitoring system is critically important to achieving the Desired Future Condition ("DFC") that assures maintenance of the flow of the Salado Springs during drought conditions or other stresses on the Edwards Aquifer," attorney Michael A. Gershon stated in a letter to FWS. "The District is bound by state statute to regulate all groundwater withdrawals and to protect the DFCs of the Edwards Aquifer and its spring flow in Bell County."

"The proposed critical habitat appears to be arbitrarily drawn as a 300-meter radius around certain spring orifices, with no explanation as to the significance of the area and how the Salado Salamander is adversely affected in

this area. Assuming that the Salado Salamander is listed... a more defensible critical habitat must be delineated.

Studies have been commissioned by the stakeholders on the flow path, recharge, and hydrogeologic characteristics of the Edwards Aquifer and Salado Spring system that are currently being conducted by experts from both Baylor and Texas A&M Universities.

"Based on studies conducted to date, the stakeholders continue to be of the position that the Salado Salamander does not merit listing and that designation of critical habitat is unnecessary to protect the survivability of the Salado Salamander. Rather, the existing regulatory framework required by state law and implemented by the District is protective of continuous spring flow relied upon by the Salado Salamander and the additional data received from these studies will further support the existing efforts to protect the species."

## For Village, sales tax payments continue skid

Sales tax rebates to the Village of Salado continued a downward trend in September as the Village received \$27,875.10, which is almost 12 percent less than the amount paid in September 2012.

In September 2012, the Village received \$31,512.10. This is the third straight month that the sales tax rebate check to the Village has been lower than last year's payment.

For the calendar year, the Village is down by 4 percent compared to payments made through September 2012.

So far in 2013, the Village has received \$281,147.95. Last year, that amount was \$293,900.69 through September.

This decline bucks the trend across the state and the county, as well as the

upward trend for the Salado Public Library District, which levies a half-cent sales tax within its 100-mile boundaries.

The Library District is up 23 percent for the year, having been paid \$290,646.91 in the first nine months compared to the \$236,295.42 paid through September 2012. The September payment was 4 percent more than September 2012: \$30,363.88 compared to \$29,335.22 in September 2012.

Bell County is about 5 percent ahead in September. The monthly check was \$1.26 million compared to \$1.20 million in September 2012. For the year, Bell County is 4 percent above last year: \$11.94 million through September 2013 compared to \$11.46 million through September 2012.



## Rock, Paper, Scissors

Austin artist Warren Cullar has placed this sculpture "Rock, Paper, Scissors" in front of Family Dentistry, at the corner of Main St. and Thomas Arnold Rd., the dental practice for more than 30 years of Dr. Douglas B. Willingham. Cullar will also place a sculpture in the Salado Sculpture Garden. The placement of sculptures in both the Sculpture Garden and in prominent places in Salado is a project of the Public Arts League of Salado (PALS). New sculptures in the Garden will be highlighted in late October. The works by Cullar will be available for purchase. Cullar (wearing the hat) is shown with PALS board members Johnnie and Jill Shipman (left) and Dr. Willingham (right). (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

## As students work on projects, Boosters work on funds

Remember the old Dunkin' Donuts commercial? "Time to make the donuts..."

For a lot of Salado students, life becomes kind of like that. "Time to feed the animals."

For students in 4-H, FFA and FCCLA, the months leading up to the Bell County Youth Fair and Livestock Show are busy ones, getting projects ready for the show in hopes of making the auction at the end of the show in February.

After the countless hours the students put in, the Salado Youth Fair Boosters want to make sure that they don't let them down.

That's why they hold their annual Reverse Raf-

file and Dinner, which will be Oct. 5 at Tenroc Ranch. Tickets for the event are available.

The Reverse Raffle is the only fundraiser that the Youth Fair Boosters holds. It allows the group to purchase and add-on to the purchase of projects by Salado students that make the auction at the end of the weeklong Bell County Youth Fair and Livestock Show in February. Funds are used to pay point money to Salado students who participate in the Bell County Youth Fair. Every Salado participant in the Youth Fair will get a check for participating in addition to point money earned. For many of the students, funds generated by the sale of their

projects are used to help pay for college or trade school after graduation. Students spend hours and months preparing for the Bell County Show and Salado traditionally has a large portion of the 150 or so projects in the auction. Unlike some of the larger communities in Bell County, Salado does not have the large number of corporate sponsors to buy those projects.

So the Youth Fair Boosters step in to either purchase these projects outright or add-on to the purchase price paid for by local businesses such as First State Bank.

All proceeds from the Reverse Raffle support Salado FFA, 4-H and FCCLA participants who

show a project at the Youth Fair. Each participant who shows receive funds.

Tickets for the Reverse Raffle are \$150 and only 250 will be sold. The tickets will admit two to the dinner and raffle. A ribeye steak dinner will precede the auction.

Three top prizes will be drawn during the Reverse Raffle. Top prize is a Polaris Ranger 500 Crew valued at \$9,500, second prize is a barbecue trailer from Kempner equipment valued at \$3,800, and third is a \$250 VISA gift card.

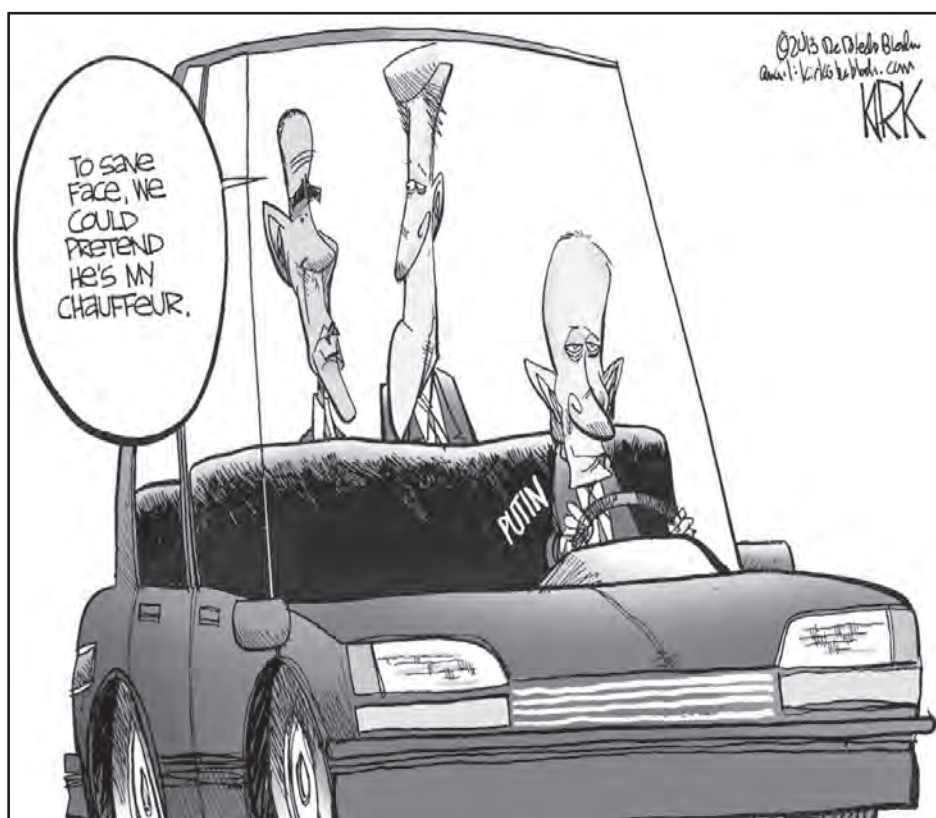
For tickets or more information about the Reverse Raffle, contact Jenny Medlin (254) 718-8197, Misti Killingsworth at (512) 560-0524 or Stephanie Hood at (254) 624-



Salado FFA member Allen Sirois welds the shank of the heel band of a spur he has designed specifically for the auction held during the Salado Youth Fair Boosters Reverse Raffle event. A pair of his spurs earned Grand Champion in last year's Bell County Youth Fair.

# FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas



## The Dangers of Russian Exceptionalism

In his instantly notorious New York Times op-ed, Vladimir Putin was much too modest. At the end, he argued no country is truly exceptional. He, of all people, shouldn't be so dismissive. Russian exceptionalism is one of the profoundest forces in world history.

Without it, not nearly as many people would have been sunk in tyranny for centuries, casually sacrificed to the whims of their rulers, and immiserated. It has been the basis for the absolute power of czars and of Soviet dictators, and its spirit lives on in the amoral, lawless rule of Russia's top opinion writer.

If you want to understand the essence of American exceptionalism, you can quote Patrick Henry or the Declaration of Independence. If you want a taste of the Russian version, you can do worse than the anecdote about Czar Nicholas II -- fated to suffer an ugly end at the hands of the communists -- who was asked by a Western diplomat about regaining public confidence. The czar wanted to know whether he was supposed to regain the confidence of the people, or the other way around?

Throughout its history, Russia has labored under what the historian David Satter calls "the quasi-

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deification of the Russian state," its special mission overawing picayune considerations of individual liberty or dignity.

Given its geographic vulnerability, with Mongol or Turkish invaders perpetually threatening, the Russian state required a vast military establishment and universal conscription. "Under these conditions," historian Richard Pipes writes, "there could be no society independent of the state. ... The entire Russian nation was enserfed: there was room here neither for a privileged aristocracy, nor for a class of self-governing burghers, nor yet for a rural yeomanry."

In the West, private property constituted a check on the power of government absolutism. In Russia, the monarch owned the entire realm up until the late 18th century, so there was no need to convene a parliament to exact taxes -- and no leverage for the kind of revolt against the crown that forged the Magna Carta in England.

People did gain political and civil rights in the early 20th century. Almost immediately they were

snuffed out again in a violent revolution. It brought to power a mass-murdering dictatorship that sought the utter destruction of every hint of life independent of the state.

Vladimir Putin may scorn American exceptionalism, but we have a deep-rooted inheritance of liberty. As James Bennett and Michael Lotus demonstrate in their new book, "America 3.0," American exceptionalism is a centuries-old phenomenon growing out of organic English roots: the nuclear family, common law, representative government, constitutional limits on the state, and private ownership of land.

It makes for a political culture hostile to autocracy and therefore deeply at odds with Russian exceptionalism. "Speaking of Russia," the 19th-century Russian philosopher Pyotr Chaadaev wrote, "people always imagine that they are speaking of a country that is like the others. In fact, it is not so at all. Russia is a whole separate world, submissive to the will, caprice, fantasy of one man -- no matter whether he be called Peter or Ivan."

Or, he must imagine and hope, Vladimir.

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## Operation Secret Loopholes

By Jo Comerford

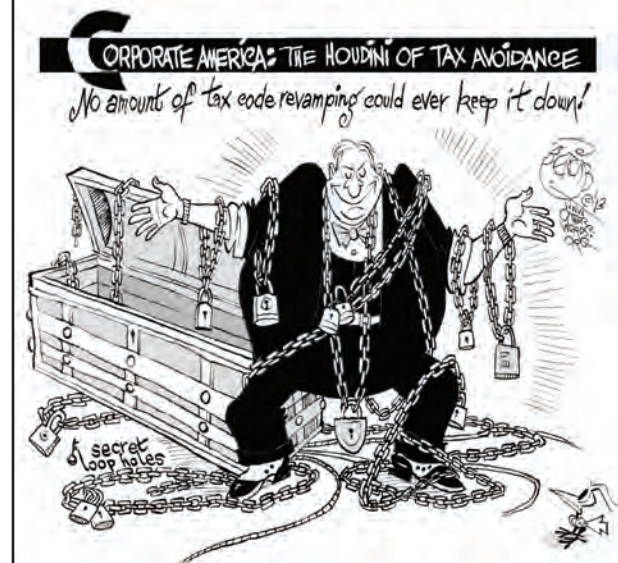
The federal budget expresses our nation's values and priorities in numbers. It's a blueprint for how our elected officials plan to make money and how they plan to spend it.

What happens in Washington, D.C. has a profound local impact. About 80 percent of all federal tax revenue comes from the paychecks of regular Americans, and every single person and every community in the nation is affected by federal spending priorities.

That means rewriting the tax code should be done in the open. A rewrite of the complex and arcane U.S. Tax Code -- all 18 pounds of it in its paperback form -- has begun in the Senate. More than \$1 trillion per year in tax breaks, which are also called loopholes or tax expenditures, are on the table.

Senators Max Baucus and Orrin Hatch, the Committee's Democratic chairman and top-ranking Republican, are leading on this overhaul. The pair has proposed a "blank slate" tax reform initiative. That means starting from square one -- a tax code with no loopholes. Baucus and Hatch asked their colleagues to make a case for specific tax breaks and offer some justification for why a particular loophole belongs in the U.S. tax code.

When their Senate colleagues bristled at the thought of having to "go



public" in support of specific tax give-backs, Baucus and Hatch promised them 50 years of secrecy. If this cloak holds, taxpayers won't know which reforms their representatives fought for until 2063.

And all this secrecy will shield the big bucks on the table. Bottom line: When the government issues a tax break, it chooses to forgo the associated revenue. Less money coming in means less money to spend on the federal programs we care about, or to close annual deficits.

A new report from my organization, the National Priorities Project, found that the top 10 tax breaks in 2013 will total more than \$900 billion. While current loopholes benefit the majority of Americans, wealthy taxpayers fare the best by far. Seventeen percent of individual tax savings are on their way to the top one percent of U.S. households.

Corporate tax breaks are expected to reach \$100

billion this year, or more than all federal spending on education. The largest of these loopholes allows multinational corporations to avoid paying taxes on their off-shore profits. That loophole will cost the U.S. Treasury \$42 billion this year, an amount that's two-and-a-half times more than the cost of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, the federal welfare program.

Taxes and spending are sure to dominate the debate this fall. We're sure to hear soon about which breaks made it into the proposed new plan. We can bet large corporations haven't been shy about making their demands known. Neither should you. Speak up. This is the perfect opportunity to make your voice heard.

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## Abusing cuddly animals to defend tar sands oil

Both the old and new media agree on is this: If you need a story that's guaranteed to be popular, go with animals. Cute kittens, puppies, porpoises, penguins, and polar bears are all a good bet.

Now, corporate shills are tapping this animal ploy to push some of their ugliest profiteering schemes. Including the Keystone XL pipeline. A cabal of TransCanada Corporation and oil giants, such as ExxonMobil, wants to shove this massively polluting, ozone-depleting, wildlife-threatening pipeline from Alberta, Canada, right through the center of America, carrying tar sands oil all the way to the Gulf Coast.

It's not exactly a popular idea, and it was made less popular by a couple of recent, very nasty spills of toxic tar from existing pipelines -- one in Michigan and the other in Arkansas. So, cue the animals!

Larry Kudlow, a shameless, corporate-hugging host of a TV show on CNBC, proclaimed in August that -- by gollies -- the Keystone pipeline would be terrific for wildlife. Why? Because,



**Jim Hightower**

explained this noted expert on beastly habits, the loveable bears, deer, and such would "like to snuggle under the pipeline [for] warmth."

Rayola Dougher, an economist at the American Petroleum Institute -- Big Oil's chief lobbying group -- immediately agreed with Kudlow. She piped in that "animals like the Alaskan crude oil pipeline quite a bit."

How darling! And how wrong.

What we have here are

a couple of sycophants mouthing a right-wing myth that's been promoted on the political circuit for a while. Actual animal experts, however, note that Canadian caribou are now listed as "threatened," largely because of the tar sands rush.

Independent scientists studying the Keystone project say it will wreak havoc on animals all along its nature-destroying path. Even the Interior Department is calling on the government to pay more attention to the pipeline's potential damage to wildlife and water quality.

How cute is that?

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## Lampasas watershed riparian workshop set Sept. 26

The Lampasas River Watershed Partnership will host a one-day "Proper Functioning Condition Riparian" workshop 8 a.m.-3 p.m., Sept. 26 at the Briggs Community Center, 215 Loop 308 in Briggs.

The Lampasas River watershed encompasses parts of Mills, Hamilton, Lampasas, Coryell, Burnet, Bell and Williamson counties, according to Prcin.

"The workshop will focus on assessing riparian and wetland conditions, and will offer three continuing education units – one each in the laws and regulations, integrated pest management, and general categories -- on for holders of Texas Department of Agriculture private pesticide applicator licenses," she said.

Prcin said the course will be conducted by U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service personnel. There is no charge for the public to attend the workshop, which will consist of classroom and field instruction along a tributary of South Rocky Creek on the Keilsel Ranch.

After lunch, which will be provided, the workshop will move to a walk along the nearby the creek, she said.

"Be prepared for the possibility of chiggers and/or ticks," said Ricky Linex, conservation service wildlife biologist and one of the course instructors. "Wear long pants, sturdy shoes, sunscreen and a hat. We will be walking adjacent to and in the creek with some rough ground to cross. A walking stick will come in handy for navigating the terrain."

Participants will learn the basic interaction of hydrology, erosion and vegetation for Central Texas creeks and rivers, Prcin said.

"Among topics to be covered are channels, floodplains, water table, vegetation, base flow, flood flow, sediment and how these things in combination are what make up the riparian area," she said.

Those wishing to attend should contact Prcin at 254-774-6008 or lprcin@brc.tamus.edu. The workshop's full agenda and a map to the site are available at <http://www.lampasasriver.org>.



Salado Public Library had a good crowd at their Death by Chocolate Contest on Saturday Sept. 21. Chef Cindy Apichino judged the 16 Youth and Adult entries at 1 p.m., followed by an estimated 150 hungry chocolate lovers who came from 2-4 p.m. to sample and vote on their favorite chocolate goodies. Winners were announced as follows: Chef's pick: Adults: Robert Marc Via and Buck Buckley. Youth: Lori Ann Turk and McKenzie Newell. People's Choice: Adults: Alicia Block and Tara Luckhart; Youth: Sophie Bourget and Rowan Via. Display Awards: Adults: Buck Buckley and Robert Marc Via; Youth: Lori Ann Turk and Emily Jackson.

## GOP women learn about separation of church, state

Separation of church and state will be the topic discussed at the Salado Area Republican Women's meeting Sept. 26.

The speakers will be the honorable Jack Jones, Judge of the 146th District Court, and Dr. Scott Mescher, Senior Associate Pastor of First Baptist Church in Salado. The meeting will be held at the Salado Civic Center at 6:30 p.m. Dessert and coffee will be served.

Judge Jones is a Temple native who graduated from Temple High School. He received his undergraduate business degree and JD degree from Baylor. He has been active in the Temple community serving on the Temple College Board of Trustees and as a deacon at the Temple Bible Church. Additionally, he serves in the Rotary and was a member of the charter class of Leadership Temple. Jones was in private practice until he was elected to the 146th District Court in the 2012 election.

Dr. Scott Mescher received his Christian Apologetics degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. He went to undergraduate school at Oklahoma Baptist University and received his Masters of Divinity with biblical Languages from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Mescher has taught recently at the seminary in Mexico City and formed a missionary partnership with a church in Quertaro, Mexico.

There will be a \$5 cover charge and reservations are requested for refreshments and seating. As always, guests are welcome. Reservations may be made to Bobi Anderson at [bobi\\_anderson@embarqmail.com](mailto:bobi_anderson@embarqmail.com) or at 254 947-3315.



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## Fire Chief Berrier speaks about fire prevention at ABWA meeting Oct. 3

Shane Berrier, Salado Fire Chief, will speak to the women of the Chisholm Trail Chapter of American Business Women Thursday, Oct. 3. Berrier has lived in Salado for 30 years and owns Southwest Hydromulch, a company he started eight years ago. The focus of his talk will be fire prevention in the home, highlighting October as Fire Prevention Month.

The fellowship starts at 6 p.m. with the light meal and meeting beginning at 6:30 p.m. The meeting is held at



Fire Chief Shane Berrier at recent SVFD Fish Fry

the Presbyterian Church and as always guests are invited.

## Freemasons recognized with long-term service pins on Sept. 28

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 will celebrate 290 years of Freemasonry when it gathers to present service pins of 65 years, 60 years and 50 years at 11 a.m. Sept. 28 at the Lodge Hall, 95 South Church St.

The ceremony is open and friends and family of the recipients are invited to attend the special presentations which will be made by Thomas R. Dees, Jr., District Deputy Grand Master for District 48 on behalf of the Grand Lodge

of Texas Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons.

Ralph Powell will be presented with a 65-year pin. He was raised as a Master Mason on March 20, 1948 at Blazing Star #413 in Marble Falls. He affiliated with Salado Lodge in 1992 and received his 50 year and 60 year pins in Salado.

Robert Dewhurst will receive his 60 year service pin. Dewhurst was raised as a Master Master on May 15, 1953 in California. He associated with Salado Lodge in 2000. He has served as Chaplain for the Lodge for several years and was Junior Warden in 2004-05. He was awarded the Golden Trowel by the Salado Lodge in 2010. The Golden Trowel recognizes the work of brothers who day in and day out do the "little things" for Masonry and for his lodge and those things without expectation of reward or recognition.

Billy Leonard will return to Salado from Tyler to receive his 50-year service award. Leonard was raised as a Master Mason on May 9, 1964 at Knob Creek Lodge 401 in Temple. He is an Endowed Member of Salado

Masonic Lodge, of which he became affiliated in 1982. He is a Past Master of Salado Lodge #296 and was District Deputy Grand Master of District 48 in 1992-93.

J. Brooks Bradley will also receive his 50 year pin. He was raised as a Master Mason in East Dallas Lodge #1200 on Sept. 21, 1961. He affiliated with Salado Lodge #296 in 2011.

Following the ceremony, those attending are invited to gather at Johnny's Steaks & Bar-Be-Que for a Dutch treat lunch with friends and family of the Salado Lodge.

Brothers were planning to travel to Austin following lunch for one more special presentation, a 65-year pin to William W. Scales, who was raised as a Master Master on March 8 1947 at Jackson Lodge #464 in Indiana. He affiliated with Salado Lodge #296 in 1993 and received his 50 and 60-year service pins here. However, due to health reasons for Brother Scales, the ceremony at his residence in Austin has been postponed until a later date.

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## Sons of the Republic of Texas Robertson Chapter 22 reactivated

The Sons of the Republic of Texas met for dinner Sept. 20 in the Historic Stagecoach Inn. Then the Sons of the Republic of Texas had their quarterly with President General David Hanover presiding in the Sterling C. Robertson room on Sept. 21.

Over 30 members were on hand to discuss items on the SRT agenda.

Larnc Barker, who is Chairman of the Education Committee, addressed his report to keep promoting Texas History and said he was glad to see teachers implementing questions in their curriculum about

Texas History.

At the SRT quarterly meeting, The Sterling C. Robertson Chapter #22 in Salado was reactivated and Larnc Barker is now the President of the Salado local chapter.

A male, who is a direct lineal descendant of a resident of the Republic of Texas prior to February 19, 1846, is eligible for membership upon submission of the appropriate SRT membership application, payment of the required fee and approval of the Historian General, Secretary General and President General.

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Maurine Nathanson, Literacy Chair for the Salado Area Republican Women, informed 100 third graders at Salado Intermediate School how to use their personal dictionary each received. The dictionary project is part of the Republican Women's Caring for America campaign.

### Fourth Friday Gospel singing held Sept. 27

Cedar Valley Baptist Church Fourth Friday Gospel Singing will be 7-10 p.m. Sept. 27 at the church, located at 12237 FM 2843, about eight miles west of I-35. A pot luck meal follows the end of the singing service in the Church Fellowship Hall.

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## Obituaries



### WILHELMENIA FRIEDRICH

Wilhelmenia Friedrich, 94, of Bartlett passed away on Sunday, September 22, 2013 at a care facility in Bartlett.

A visitation will be held Thursday, September 26, 2013 from 5-7 at Heartfield Funeral Home. Service will be held 1 p.m. September 27, at the Heartfield Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at the North Belton Cemetery.

Wilhelmenia was born November 22, 1918 to William J. and Lizzie J. (Kolls) Carsten in Belton, TX. Wilhelmenia married Egon Friedrich on December 21, 1939 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Bartlett. She was a homemaker and enjoyed quilting and needlework. She was a lifelong resident of central Texas.

Wilhelmenia was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, and a sister Josephine Cunningham.

She is survived by her son William (Susan) Friedrich of Austin and grandson John Friedrich of College Station.



### BETTIE SUE SUTTON PINKHAM

Bettie Sue Sutton Pinkham of Lyman, South Carolina passed away Wednesday, September 19, 2013 at the age of 71 after a lengthy illness. She was born July 20, 1942 to Claude and Lesta Cockrell Sutton of Salado, Texas.

Pinkham grew up in Salado and attended school at the Old Red Schoolhouse. She attended Draughton Business School in Austin, Texas. She was a descendant of the Anderson Sutton family who settled in Bell County before the Civil War.

She married William Maxwell (Bill) Pinkham on May 2, 1963. She and Bill were in the trucking business for 40 years.

She was a member of the Masonic Order of the

Eastern Stars of Boiling Springs, South Carolina.

Pinkham loved to be in the outdoors, deer hunting, fishing and camping with her husband and son. Fried catfish was her specialty. Her grandchildren were her pride and joy. She loved her adopted state of South Carolina, but missed bluebonnets and Texas family. Until her illness, she always kept in touch with her family in Texas with cards and letters.

Survivors include a son, Billy Lee Pinkham and wife Pam of Cross Anchor, South Carolina; a beloved granddaughter: Mandy Garvin of Joanna, South Carolina; and a beloved grandson: Cky Barrios of Orlando, Fl. Three great grandchildren: Hunter, Natalie and Alyssa Clevenger of Joanna, SC; a brother, Elwood Sutton and wife Beverly; sister: Linda Nell Moore and husband Monroe; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Bill Pinkham in 2007, and brother, D.L. Sutton in 2004. A private celebration of her life will be held at a later date.

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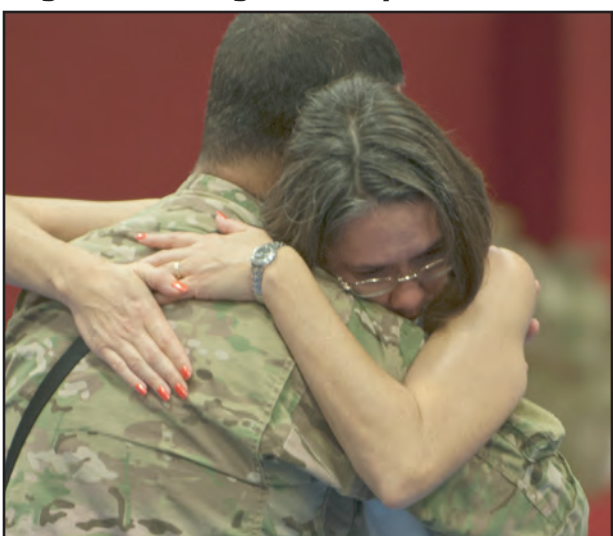
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# 'Blue Watch' families bid farewell to deploying Soldiers of 163rd MI



(PHOTO BY ARMY STAFF SGT. GREGORY SANDERS, 504TH BFSB PUBLIC AFFAIRS) A couple share an embrace following a final call to 163rd MI Bn. Soldiers deploying to Afghanistan.

BY STAFF SGT. GREGORY SANDERS  
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FORT HOOD, Texas – Family and friends bid farewell to nearly 125 Soldiers assigned to 163rd Military Intelligence Battalion, 504th Battlefield Surveillance Brigade, during a ceremony at West Fort Hood Gym Sept. 19, marking the start of a scheduled nine month de-

ployment to Afghanistan. "Our task will be at times dangerous; we will be asked to frequently and constantly adjust to an ever changing operational environment as we prepare to conclude the 12 year old mission in Afghanistan," remarked Lt. Col. Mark Johnson, commander, 163rd MI Bn. "I will say it again; there is no better trained and ready military



(PHOTO BY STAFF SGT. GREGORY SANDERS, 504TH BFSB PUBLIC AFFAIRS) Soldiers and Families gathered at the West Fort Hood Gym in the early hours of Thursday morning, Sept. 19, as they said goodbye to nearly 125 'Blue Watch' troops on their way to Afghanistan. A nap is time well spent for this Soldier and his daughter.

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intelligence battalion in the Army today to deploy and conduct operations in support of Regional Command East."

The 163rd trained just over a year for this particular mission, honing skills from the individual and small team levels, up to company-sized elements, in order to minimize the danger the commander mentions.

"The Soldiers are excited and eager to get started. They have trained for the last 13 months and the time has come," Johnson said of his troops.

Soldiers like Sgt. Kayla Orona-Cortes display that eagerness, albeit peppered with a bit of nerves.

Having deployed once before to Afghanistan, Sgt. Orona-Cortes, a human intelligence collector, said she is "a little anxious," and "ready to get going" on completing the mission of assisting the Afghan National Army establish

some sort of anonymity, as well as witnessing what has been done since her last deployment.

"I think it's pretty exciting to see the progress and see how it's gone. I think it will be really good for them to finally take over for themselves."

Previous deployment experience of loved ones helps some Families gain perspective and understanding. The Therfall Family, more aware of what their son faces this time around, travelled from Dallas to see Sgt. James Therfall off on his second deployment.

"Last time I didn't know what to expect and he was in a worse place then," said Leigh Ann Threlfall, Mother of Sgt. Threlfall, the battalion operations NCO. "It's actually easier this time."

Comparing this deployment to his last, Sgt. Threlfall said "I don't see it being any different; I am just doing a different job this time."

His wife Jennifer, however, isn't convinced this deployment is business as usual. The two weren't married during Threlfall's first deployment to Iraq, so this is a unique process.

"I have never gone through this before," Jennifer said, adding that she feels "mixed emotions" and even "scared".

The battalion commander recognized the importance of Families and the support they provide.

"To the Families... Thank you for your support and everything you have done and all the support you have provided us," said Johnson. "I am sure you will continue to provide us support while we are down range. Time will go by quickly. You will see us soon."

163rd MI Bn. Will deploy to support RC-East, while their sister battalion, 303rd MI Bn, also of the 504th BFSB, will support RC-South. Combined, the two battalions will deploy nearly 300 Soldiers.



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Meagan Hill goes up to block a shot during the home match against Lexington on Sept. 20. (Photo by Ron LeGuin)

## Lady Eagles drop 2 district matches

Salado Lady Eagles lost two district games last week, falling in a highly-contested five-set match to Florence and losing in four to Lexington on Sept. 20. The girls will host Cameron Sept. 27. The girls traveled to Rogers on Sept. 24, but the game was after press time.

take the match.

Salado had 28 kills at the net with a 59.6 percent age on 47 attempts.

Taylor Atwood led the team with 10 kills on 14 attempts. Cheyenne Vaca had 9 kills on 13 attempts and Sydney Wright had 5 kills on 6 attempts. Also earning kills were Jaylee Sebek, 2 kills and Meagan Hill and Mallory Schattle, 1 kill each.

At the service line, Taylor Valeriano, Tori Laughland and Hill all had one serving ace. Hill and Schattle led the scoring with 6 service points each, followed by Atwood and Laughland, 4 service

points each, Valeriano, 3 service points and Hicks and Vaca, 1 service point each.

Atwood blocked 2 shots and Vaca blocked 1. Hill had 27 assists.

**S1 S2 S3 S4 S5**  
**SHS 21 17 25 9**  
**FHS 25 25 24 21 15**

Florence Lady Buffs edged Salado in five sets after the Lady Eagles came back from a two-set deficit to win the third and fourth sets on the road Sept. 17 in a district match.

Vaca and Atwood had 11 kills for the Lady Eagles. Hicks followed with

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Fifth through ninth graders whose families have an income of \$100,000 or less and participate in TTPF may apply for the matching scholarships and tuition grants through Dec. 31, 2013.

Families can also enroll in TTPF during this time if they have not already done so. Families participating in TTPF purchase prepaid "tuition units" that can later be used toward undergraduate tuition and required fees at Texas public colleges and universities. Match the Promise will award tuition units to approved recipients, supplementing what a participant contributes to their account during the current TTPF sales period (Sept. 1, 2013 – Aug. 31, 2014).

There are two levels

of Match the Promise scholarships: a matching scholarship of tuition units worth up to \$1,000 and a one-time grant of tuition units worth \$2,000 at today's prices. The five applicants who score the highest will be approved for the one-time grant. A minimum of \$100 must be contributed to an approved recipient's TTPF account to receive a matching scholarship or grant.

"In the first award year, 52 Texas students received scholarships through Match the Promise," Combs said. "This year, our goal remains the same: fund as many scholarships as possible through this unique program."

Students must write a career essay and submit a copy of their report card for the entire 2012-2013 school year with the scholarship application.

For more information about eligibility requirements, the application process and selection criteria, visit [www.matchthepromise.org](http://www.matchthepromise.org) or call 1-800-531-5441, ext. 3-7570.

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Rachel Evans placed first in Extemporaneous Speaking at Pflugerville. Courtney Evans made the semifinal round of Novice Extemporaneous Speaking.

**Rachel Evans qualifies for TFA state contest**

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team competed in the 4th Annual Pflugerville High School TFA Qualifier on September 20-21. Twenty-six schools competed in meet.

Thirty-three students competed in Domestic Extemporaneous Speaking. Rachel Evans placed first. With her second place at Hendrickson High School, Rachel is now qualified for the TFA State Meet to

be held at Cypress Creek High School in Houston on March 6-8.

Freshman Courtney Evans reached the semifinal round of Novice Extemporaneous Speaking out of 43 contestants.

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team will compete next at the Anderson Trojan Classic TFA Meet in Austin on September 27-28. The team is coached by Tim Cook.

**Strike fast, first to stop the spread of influenza this season**

Influenza (flu) season is approaching and it's almost time for annual vaccinations once again.

Influenza, better known as the flu, is a contagious respiratory illness that can lead to mild to serious illness, hospitalization, and even death.

The Flu season typically peaks in the months of January and February; however the United States has seen flu outbreaks as early as October, Cpt. Jennifer Istre, an Army Public Health nurse said.

"The U.S. Department of Health & Human Services reports that approximately 5 – 20 percent of U.S. residents will get the flu each year. Based on the 2010 Census, there are approximately 400,000 individuals who live in the Bell, Coryell, and Lampasas counties combined. That means statistically, our area could see between 20,000 – 80,000 cases of actual flu illness in our population. That's a lot of flu potentially being passed around!"

The Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) website recently released information on three easy steps that can help stop influenza from spreading.

**Step one:** take time to get the flu vaccine, the CDC website says.

According to Istre, it is the best protection against getting the virus which also stops it from spreading

as quickly.

"Although there are many different flu viruses, this year's flu vaccine will protect against three to four common flu virus strains," she said. "Everyone 6 months and older are highly encouraged to get their flu vaccine."

According to the CDC, young children, pregnant women, individuals with chronic illnesses, and people over 65 years of age are considered high risk for serious flu complications and vaccination can decrease their risk of severe flu illness.

**Step two:** take everyday preventive actions to stop the spread of germs, the CDC states.

Following every-day 'healthy' self care practices like washing your hands regularly, covering your nose and mouth with a tissue when you sneeze or cough, getting adequate sleep, eating nutritious meals, and keeping yourself healthy overall, is a good way to avoid contracting the flu, Istre said.

"You should avoid close contact with sick people and stay at home if you feel sick with flu-like symptoms for at least 24 hours after your fever is gone," she said. "Also make sure you clean and disinfect surfaces that may be contaminated. The flu virus can live on surfaces up to 8 hours and be transferred to others easily."

Istre advises that par-

ents should keep a close eye on children and have them cough into their sleeves if they don't have a tissue, and teach them not to place their fingers in their mouths.

"Remember, the flu virus has to first enter our nose or mouths to make us sick. The flu virus is easily spread to others within a six feet distance by coughing, sneezing, or talking," she said. "When healthy adults are infected with the virus they can infect others a day before they develop symptoms and up to a week after they are sick."

**Step three** according to the CDC is to take flu antiviral drugs if your doctor prescribes them. Medication will help make the illness milder, shorten the time someone is sick, and help prevent serious flu complications. Follow all instructions given by your doctor if prescribed antiviral medications. The majority of people who get the flu may start feeling better after a couple of days but may not make a full recovery for two weeks, their website states.

"The flu is a virus and not a bacterium so an antibiotic will not help when an individual has contracted the flu. Antiviral medications are available only by prescription and have been shown to work best when they are started within the first two days of getting sick," Istre said.

Common signs and symptoms of the flu include: fever, chills, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, muscle or body aches, headaches, and fatigue.

"This flu season be proactive and take charge of your family's health this year. You can reduce your chances of getting the flu and spreading it. If you suspect you have the flu make an appointment with your doctor as soon as possible, she said. "The best action you can take prior to contracting the flu is to follow step 1 of the CDC's "Take 3" and take time to get your vaccination."

The Flumist and pediatric influenza injectable has started arriving at Fort Hood. However, adult injectable influenza vaccine is not scheduled to arrive at Fort Hood until late October.

Only certain individuals are eligible to receive the Flumist vaccine. It is reserved for individuals 2 – 49 years-old, who are not pregnant and do not have any chronic illness or weakened immune systems. Patients should contact their clinics about eligibility for Flumist.

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<b>K-8 Breakfast</b>	Scrambled Eggs   Sausage Apricots   Apple Juice	Breakfast Burrito   Apple Mandarin Orange Slices   Orange Juice	Waffle Stick Fruit Cocktail   Apple Juice	Sausage Patty   Gravy Banana   Pears   Orange Juice	Maple Pancakes   Sausage Applesauce   Fruit Juice
Additional Selections: Trix   Cinnamon Toast Crunch   Wheat Toast   Jelly   Fat Free Chocolate Milk   1% Milk					
<b>K-8 Lunch</b>	Beef Taco   Corn Bread Mini Corn Dogs Lettuce & Tomato   FF Ranch Mixed Vegetable Ranch Style Beans   Applesauce	Cheeseburger BBQ Rib Sandwich Ranch Style Beans Fruit Cocktail	Pepperoni Pizza   Marinara Cheesy Hot Dog Sweet Potato Fries Salad Cup   FF Ranch Peas   Pears	Information not provided	Information not provided
Additional Selections: Fresh Fruit   Chef Salad (Tues. - Thurs)   Graham Cracker   Baked Chips & Burger Salad (Fri)   Fat Free Chocolate Milk   1% Milk					
<b>SHS Breakfast</b>	Scrambled Eggs   Sausage Banana   Apricots   Apple	Breakfast Burrito   Apple   Orange Juice English Muffin   Mandarin Orange Slices	Waffle Stick   Orange Fruit Cocktail   Apple Juice	Sausage Patty   Gravy Banana   Pears   Orange Juice	Maple Pancakes   Sausage Peaches   Fruit Juice
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<b>SHS Lunch</b>	Beef & Cheese Burrito Chicken Taco   Lettuce & Tomato Cheese Sauce   Cornbread Ranch Style Beans Mixed Vegetables   Applesauce	Cheeseburger BBQ Rib Sandwich Pork & Beans Fruit Cocktail	Pepperoni Pizza   Marinara Cheesy Hot Dog Sweet Potato Fries Salad Cup   FF Ranch Peas   Graham Crackers   Pears	Information not provided	Information not provided
Additional Selections: Fresh Fruit   Chef Salad with Graham Cracker (Tues. - Thurs)   Baked Chips & Burger Salad (Fri)   Fat Free Chocolate Milk   1% Milk					



## Eagles to tangle with #2 Yoe

Salado Eagles host the #2 Cameron Yoe in the first week of District 13AA-DI football Sept. 27 with kick off at 7:30 p.m.

Salado is winless in pre-district, 0-3, while the Yoe are 3-0 so far, bringing their win streak to 18.

Two weeks ago, the Yoe easily handled the Rockdale Tigers in their annual Battle for the Bell, winning on the road 51-33. The Yoe held Rockdale to 216 yards rushing and 145 yards passing. In their contest the first week of the season, Salado allowed 475 total yards offense by Rockdale, 282 on the ground and 193 in the air.

In the second week of play, Cameron throttled 14AA-II Lexington 47-0. The Yoe began the season with a 37-34 win over Waco Connally.

Cameron returns six starters on defense and six starters on offense from last year's 15-0 state champions, including the state's defensive

District 13-2ADI Team	Record, District	Pts For	Pts Against
McGregor Bulldogs	3-0, 0-0	116	54
Cameron Yoe	3-0, 0-0	135	67
Academy Bumblebees	2-1, 0-0	98	78
Lago Vista Vikings	2-1, 0-0	96	73
Troy Trojans	2-1, 0-0	126	109
Florence Buffaloes	1-2, 0-0	31	104
Marlin Bulldogs	1-2, 0-0	56	111
Salado Eagles	0-3, 0-0	116	179

Offense	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg.
Troy	988	362	1,350	450.0
Salado	251	1,068	1,319	439.7
Academy	808	402	1,210	403.3
McGregor	408	769	1,177	392.3
Cameron	552	611	1,163	387.7
Lago Vista	746	197	943	314.3
Marlin	673	138	811	270.3
Florence	398	286	684	228.0

Defense Allowed	Rush Allowed	Pass Allowed	Total Per Game	
McGregor	412	304	716	238.7
Lago Vista	264	495	759	253.0
Marlin	680	254	934	311.3
Cameron	737	256	993	331.0
Academy	913	219	1,132	377.3
Troy	733	567	1,300	433.3
Florence 751	708	1,459	486.3	
Salado	1,240	445	1,685	561.7

District Rushing Leader	Carr-Yds	Avg.	TD	Lng
1. Traion Smith, CHS	51-495	9.71	6	50

District Passing Leader	Att-Comp	Yards	TD-Int	Lng
1. McLane Carter, SHS	125-75	1,068	12-2	69

District Receiving Leader	Rec-Yds.-Avg.	TD	Lng
1. Kase Spears, SHS	20-350-17.50	4	55

player of the year, Somari Wright, who has 39 tackles through the first three games this year. All state quarterback Jason Kopriva has thrown for 618 yards on 41-of-58 passing so far this year. Last year, he

threw for 3,216 yards and 39 TDs. Salado has struggled most with the run and will have to find an answer to sophomore Taion Smith who has 495 yards in three games.

## Volleyball

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9 kills. Also scoring kills for Salado were Schattle, 4, Hill, 3, Sebek, 2, and Wright, 1.

Hicks led the girls in serving with 4 aces, followed by Vaca, 3 aces, Hill, 2 aces and Atwood and Laughland, 1 ace. Hicks and Laughland had 19 service points each. Vaca and Hill had 17 service points each. Wright had 9 and Valeriano had 5.

Sebek blocked 4 shots and Atwood and Schattle had a block each. Hill had 36 assists.

For the Florence Lady Buffs, Rebecca Horton led the attack at the net with 21 kills, followed by Shali Simpson, 13 kills. Also recording kills were Hannah Hurley, 7, Brooklyne Owns, 5, Jenny Roche, 4, Peyton Thomas, 3 and Mackenzie Futrell, 1 kill.

Florence scored 26 aces, with Clarissa Carranco scoring 9 of them. Also scoring aces were Owens, 6, Horton, 5, Roche, 3, Simpson, 2 and Futrell, 1. Harlie Byrne blocked 4 shots and Thomas blocked 1 shot.

### JV GIRLS

Salado JV girls beat Lexington Sept. 20 in a home match in two sets, 25-12 and 25-11.

Salado JV girls volleyball lost in straight sets to Florence Sept. 17, falling 15-25 and 14-25.

### FRESHMEN GIRLS

Salado freshmen cruised past the Lexing-

ton girls in a home match Sept. 20, winning 25-4 and 25-7.

Sara Kelarek rattled off 16 straight service points in the first set.

Tristian Hawes scored five service points as the girls easily won.

In the second set, Caroline Birnbaum scored seven service points to finish the set. Jordan Vick also scored seven service points.

The Freshmen girls also swept the Florence girls on the road Sept. 20, winning 25-14 and 25-15.

Kelarek scored the first eight service points and finished the first set with seven more service points.

Birnbaum scored seven service points and Kelarek scored three service points to lead the ninth grade

Lady Eagles. Torey Dekay served two aces for the final points in the second set for Salado.

### JUNIOR HIGH VOLLEYBALL

Seventh grade B beat Jarrell 25-12, 25-8 on Sept. 23. Players of the game are Rebecca Dockray and Angelia Del Rio.

Eighth B grade lost to Jarrell 16-25, 13-25. Player of the game was Haley Van de Plas.

Seventh grade A beat Jarrell 25-21, 26-24. Players of the game are Haley Taber and Taryn Westbrook.

Eighth grade A lost to Jarrell 9-25, 11-25. Players of the game were Danielle McDaniel and Katie Robinson.

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## Salado Eagles Varsity Football

Date	Opponent	Place	Kickoff
Aug. 30	Rockdale	Rockdale	21-47 L
Sept. 6	Lorena	Lorena	67-75 L
Sept. 13	China Spring ***	Salado	28-57 L
Sept. 20	Open		
Sept. 27	*Cameron	Salado	7:30 pm
Oct. 4	*Marlin	Marlin	7:30 pm
Oct. 11	*Florence +	Salado	7:30 pm
Oct. 18	*Troy #	Salado	7:30 pm
Oct. 25	*Academy	Academy	7:30 pm
Nov. 1	*Lago Vista **	Salado	7:30 pm
Nov. 8	*McGregor	McGregor	7:30 pm

\* District game + Homecoming  
\*\* Senior night # JH recognition

## Lady Eagles Varsity Volleyball

Date	Opponent/Site	9th	JV	Varsity
Aug. 16	at Killeen Ellison			0-3 L
Aug. 20	Killeen Ellison			0-3 L
Aug. 22,24	Gatesville Tourney			
	vs. Round Rock Christian			0-2 L
	vs. Jarrell			2-1 W
	vs. Florence			2-1 W
Aug. 23	at Belton			0-3 L
Aug. 29, 31	Robinson Varsity Tourn			
	vs. Robinson			1-2 L
	vs. Athens			2-0 W
	vs. Robinson			1-2 L
	vs. Waco			2-1 W
Aug. 30	Brentwood			0-3 L
Sept. 3	Temple			3-1 W
Sept. 5,7	Robinson 9th/JV Tourn			
Sept. 6	at Lorena			0-3 L
Sept. 10	Taylor	2-0W		0-3 L
Sept. 13	Academy	2-0 W	3-0 W	3-0 W
Sept. 17	at Florence	2-0 W	0-2 L	2-3
LSept. 20	Lexington	2-0 W	2-0 W	1-3 L
Sept. 24	at Rogers	6:00	6:00	7:00
Sept. 27	Cameron	4:30	4:30	5:30
Oct. 1	Rosebud-Lott	6:00	6:00	7:00
Oct. 4	at Jarrell	4:30	4:30	5:30
Oct. 8	at Academy	6:00	6:00	7:00
Oct. 11	Florence	4:30	4:30	5:30
Oct. 15	Lexington	5:00	6:00	7:00
Oct. 19	Rogers	1:00	2:00	3:00
Oct. 22	at Cameron	6:00	6:00	7:00
Oct. 25	at Rosebud-Lott	4:30	4:30	5:30
Oct. 29	Jarrell	6:00	6:00	7:00

## Freshman & JV Football

Date	Opponent	Location	9th	JV
Aug. 29	Rockdale	Salado	0-38	14-16
Sept. 5	Lorena	Salado	0-44	0-38
Sept. 12	China Spring	China Spring		0-58
Sept. 19	Open			
Sept. 26	*Cameron	Cameron	5:00/6:30	
Oct. 3	*Marlin	Salado	6:30	
Oct. 10	*Florence	Florence	6:30	
Oct. 17	*Troy	Troy	5:00/6:30	
Oct. 24	*Academy	Salado	5:00/6:30	
Oct. 31	*Lago Vista	Lago Vista	5:00/6:30	
Nov. 7	*McGregor	Salado	5:00/6:30	

## Junior High Football

Date	Opponent	Location	7B	7A	8A
Sept. 12	China Spring	Salado			0-32
Sept. 19	Open				
Sept. 26	*Cameron	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Oct. 3	*Marlin	Marlin		5:00	6:30
Oct. 10	*Florence	Salado		5:00	6:30
Oct. 17	*Troy	Salado	4:30	5:30	6:30
Oct. 24	*Academy	Academy	4:30	5:30	6:30
Oct. 31	*Lago Vista	Salado	4:30	5:30	6:30
Nov. 7	*McGregor	McGregor	5:00	6:00	7:00

## Salado Eagles Cross Country

Aug. 29	Belton	Girls 1st place, Boys 2nd place
Sept. 6	Midway	Girls 2nd place, Boys 4th place
Sept. 14	Tenroc Invitational	Girls 1st place, Boys 1st place
Sept. 21	Crawford Meet	Rained Out
Sept. 28	Temple Invitational	Lions Park
Oct. 5	Round Rock McNeil	Old Settlers Park
Oct. 12	Georgetown	San Gabriel Park
Oct. 21	District Cross Country Meet	Cameron HS
Nov. 2	Regional Meet	Humble
Nov. 9	State Meet Round Rock	Old Settlers Park

## Junior High Volleyball Schedule

Date	Opponent	7B	8B	7A	8A
Sept. 5	CCJHS	4:30	4:30	5:30	5:30
	SC Lee	6:30	6:30	7:30	7:30
Sept. 14	Waco Robinson Junior High Tournament				
Sept. 16	Rosebud-Lott	2-0W	2-0W	2-0W	0-2L
Sept. 23	AT Jarrell	2-0W	0-2L	2-0W	0-2L
Sept. 30	Academy	Games start at 5 p.m.			
Oct. 7	AT Florence	Games start at 5 p.m.			
Oct. 14	Lexington	Games start at 5 p.m.			
Oct. 21	AT Rogers	Games start at 5 p.m.			
Oct. 28	Cameron	Games start at 5 p.m.			

Games played in this order: 7B, 8B, 7A, 8A

## Junior High Cross Country

Sept. 14	Tenroc Invitational	Boys, 3rd, Girls 8th
Sept. 21	Crawford	Rained out
Sept. 28	Temple Invitational	Lion's Park
Oct. 12	Georgetown	San Gabriel Park
Oct. 21	District Meet	Cameron



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## All sold out Booths full for Ladies Auxiliary Christmas in October event

Christmas in October is just around the corner and chairperson Tommye Prater says this year has all the makings of a hit.

The event will be held in the Conference Center of the historic Stagecoach Inn Oct. 11-12, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days.

"We have all our booth spaces rented including the expanded area around the pool," Prater said. "This annual event is always popular with local citizens and visitors alike. It gives local artisans and shop keepers an opportunity to display their new wares and gives the shopper a head start on Christmas shopping."

On display will be a wide array of treasures including Christmas decorations, jewelry, clothing, gifts, specialty foods and home decor items.

Throughout the late morning and early afternoon, fashions by Salado boutiques will be featured as models stroll through the area so that all can get a close look at the beautiful fall fashions. The Community Chorus will perform Saturday morning at 10 a.m.

The Ladies Auxiliary's famous Bake Sale will be



in the lobby of the Stagecoach Inn and will include homemade baked items such as pies, cakes, cookies, fudge and brownies.

Fresh pecans will be for sale as well. Bakers are requested to drop off their donated items 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Oct. 10 and 11 and 9 a.m.-noon Oct. 12.

The Village trolley will be available to transport visitors from several parking areas near the Stagecoach Inn. Signs will be posted along Main Street

for parking and trolley stops.

Christmas in October is the annual fundraiser of the Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies' Auxiliary. Money earned is given back to such organizations as the Fire Department, the Humane Society, the Salado Family Relief Fund, the Community Chorus, and to the school in the form of scholarships for students attending college or technical school.

## Star Party Gazers will watch skies over Stillhouse on Sept. 28

The Central Texas Astronomical Society (CTAS) will hold free public star parties 7-10 p.m. Sept. 28 Sat Overlook Park outside Belton, and at the Hubbard City Lakes Park in Hubbard.


This is an excellent opportunity for the entire family to come out and enjoy an evening under the stars. CTAS members will provide telescopes to view the visible planets and a selection of star clusters, nebulas, and galaxies. Guests are welcome to bring their own telescopes or binoculars. A small flashlight and a lawn chair are optional, but recommended.

The constellation Perseus (the Hero) resides in the northern sky, just below Andromeda and Cassiopeia. Mirfak is the brightest star in Perseus, as bright as the stars in the Big Dipper. In second place is Algol, an eclipsing variable star that varies in magnitude on a three-day cycle. Algol is actually two stars in a close orbit around each other. The Perseus Double Cluster, made up of the two star clusters NGC869 and NGC884, are viewable with binoculars. Charles Messier apparently thought nobody would mistake these objects for comets, as they do not appear in his catalog.

Colorful Saturn is on display right after sunset, between Venus and Mercury. This is our last chance to view Saturn this year, as it passes behind the Sun in October and will reappear in the morning sky in November. To the southeast, the planet Neptune is swimming through the constellation Aquarius, the Water-bearer. Blue-green Uranus reaches opposition and peak visibility this month and is viewable all night.

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Salado Masonic Lodge #296 practice, 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge 90 N. Church St.

**MONDAYS**  
Children's Story Time at the Salado Public Library, 11-11:45 a.m.

**MONDAYS**  
Village Quilters and Knitters, 1:30 p.m. at Village Art Building.

**FIRST MONDAY**  
Salado Athletic Booster Club meeting, 7 p.m. in the Salado High School Library.

**SECOND MONDAY**  
Salado FFA chapter meeting, 6:30 p.m. in the ag shop classroom at Salado High School.

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

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

**TUESDAYS**  
Salado Rotary Club luncheon meeting, 11:30 a.m. at Johnny's Steaks & Bar-Be-Que meeting hall.

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

**TUESDAYS**  
Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside The Shoppes on Main, 22 N Main join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 10 - Noon. saladoyarn@gmail.com

**TUESDAYS**  
Prix Fixe menu at The Range. Two courses and adult beverage for \$14.95. Terrific for Date Night! Offerings change weekly. Find The Range on Facebook to see this week's menu or call 254-947-3828.

**THIRD TUESDAY**  
Salado 4-H club meeting, 6:30 p.m. at Salado High School Library.

**TUESDAY AND THURSDAY**  
Trudy's Closet, 1-3 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church

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

**THURSDAYS**  
Martinis and Manicures at The Lounge at The Range. \$25 for 2 ladies night adult beverages, a manicure and a selection of appetizers. Call 254-947-3828 to book your appointment. Space is limited.

**SECOND THURSDAY**  
Sip and Knit, 5 p.m. at Salado Wine Seller, informal gathering of

needle artists for fellowship and wine. Bring a project to work on.

**FIRST SATURDAY**  
Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside The Shoppes on Main, 22 N Main join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 10 - Noon. saladoyarn@gmail.com

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

**SATURDAYS**  
Recycling program, 9 a.m.-noon at 113 Salado Plaza Drive behind Salado Creekside. Glass is accepted. Electronics recycling will be accepted on the Saturdays of Feb. 23, 30, March 7 and March 14. Visit www.keepsaladobeautiful.com to find out how you can volunteer.

**SATURDAYS**  
Live music at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range Restaurant on Main St., beginning at 7 p.m. Artists change weekly.

**SATURDAYS**  
Jazz on the Creek, 9-11 p.m. at Alexander's Distillery at Inn on the Creek.

**SUNDAYS**  
New open discussion Al-Anon Meeting in Salado, 6 p.m. Salado at United Methodist Church in the Youth Activities Building in the back.

**SEPTEMBER 26**  
Salado Area Republican Women, 6:30 p.m. at the Salado Civic Center. Topic: the separation of church and state with speakers Judge Jack Jones and Dr. Scott Mescher. Guests are welcome, \$5 cover. Reservations requested bobi\_anderson@embarqmail.com or at 254-947-3315 no later than Sept. 23.

**SEPTEMBER 27**  
Salado Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament.

**SEPTEMBER 28**  
Angelic Herbs 17th Anniversary Celebration, 9 - 11 a.m., 3 North Main. A gathering of "The Front Porch Pickers," all "pickers" in the area invited to join in. Bring a lawn chair and join CJ for Coffee, Kolaches and down home country and gospel music.

**SEPTEMBER 28**  
Jazz on the Creek with Kat Kaliski and Adam Lozoya, 9-11 p.m. at Alexander's Distillery at Inn on the Creek.

**SEPTEMBER 28**  
Cassandra Taylor at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range restaurant, 7-10 p.m.

**SEPTEMBER 27**  
Fifth Quarter at the First Baptist Church, following the Salado Eagles home game, about 10 p.m.

**SEPTEMBER 30**  
Salado High School Open House, 5:30 - 7 p.m.

**OCTOBER 1 - 31**  
Zombie Month at Salado Public Library. Come to the library during the month of October and create your best Zombie face. We will hang your picture on our Zombie wall and vote on the best Zombie Face. Winners will be announced October 31st. Win Gruesome Prizes: Zombie themed books, Zombie candy, and the Grand Prize - the newly released "World War Z" DVD.

**OCTOBER 1**  
Zoning Board of Adjustment Meeting, 2 p.m., Municipal Building. Variance request for LaPaloma Subdivision off FM2484.

**OCTOBER 1**  
Salado Junior High School Open House, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

**OCTOBER 2**  
Adult Craft Time, 10 - noon, Salado Public Library Meeting Room, Watercolors with Joan Hoffman, beginner class, materials provided, registration required.

**OCTOBER 3, 10 AND 17**  
Mango Madness - Spanish, Thursdays 10 - 11:30 a.m., Salado Public Library Meeting Room, Elaine Eddings will teach you how to use the free language learning resource MANGO on the Salado Public Library website. Adults only, pre-registration required.

**OCTOBER 3**  
Salado Aldermen meeting, 6 p.m., Municipal building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting is open to the public.

**OCTOBER 3**  
Chisholm Trail American Business Woman's Association meeting, 6:15 p.m. at First Prebysterian Church Salado.

**OCTOBER 4**  
Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.

**OCTOBER 5**  
Rajun Owen Memorial Team Roping at Wildfire Ranch Arena. All proceeds go towards a scholarship fund. Silent and Live auction at noon. Entries limited to 150 teams per roping. May enter two times in each roping. To enter, call Brit Owen at 254-947-5125 or email RajunOwenRoping@yahoo.com. Roping



Salado FFA student Tanner Montgomery inspects his weld as he works on the frame for a swing. The star accented swing will be auctioned off during the Oct. 5 Salado Youth Fair Boosters Reverse Raffle event. Items made by Salado FFA, 4-H and FCCLA students will be for sale, as well as donated items. Ace Hardware of Salado has donated a Yeti Cooler and Solona Ranch has donated a Hog Hunt. Tickets for the event are available at the Salado Village Voice offices and from the ag department at Salado High School.

begins at 9 a.m. with a #12 no cap, followed by a #9 capped at a #5.

**OCTOBER 5**  
Salado Youth Fair Boosters Reverse Raffle at Tenroc Ranch, 6 p.m., all proceeds go to support Salado FFA, FCCLA and 4-H youth projects. Ticket includes steak dinner for two, drinks, a chance to win prizes and bid on live and silent auction items. (512) 560-0524 or (254) 624-1008. Tickets available at Salado Village Voice office in Salado Plaza.

**OCTOBER 5**  
The Judith Miller Band at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range restaurant, 7-10 p.m.

**OCTOBER 5-6**  
A Christmas Carol & Fright Trail Auditions

**OCTOBER 8**  
Thomas Arnold Elementary School Open House, 5 - 6:30 p.m.

**OCTOBER 8**  
The Salado Volunteer Fire Department and the Citizens Emergency Response Team will meet for training 6:30 p.m. at the fire house station 1 in Salado. SEE CALENDAR, PAGE 3B

## Mills appointed to Administrative Board of the Institute of Outdoor Drama

The Institute of Outdoor Drama has appointed Jackie Mills as a new member of the Administrative Board. She, along with the other members of the board, will be tasked with advising the Director on achieving the goals of the Institute, as well as meeting periodically to discuss important happenings in the Institute. She is highly qualified and brings extensive experience to the Board. Her term will run until July 2015.

Jackie Mills, born in San Antonio, has worked in outdoor drama for decades, and received numerous accolades for her work. Her famous outdoor drama, Salado Legends, has been performed for twenty years in Salado, Texas, and was inducted into the Library of Congress in 2000.

A committed community leader, she has served on several boards, and Salado Legends has offered over \$100,000 in scholarship money for students in the show. Last year, she was honored with the Mark R. Sumner Award from the Institute of Outdoor Drama, presented annually to people who have made a tremendous impact on outdoor drama.

The Institute of Outdoor Drama was founded in 1963 and is located at East Carolina University in the College of Fine Arts and Communication. Since its inception, the Institute's scope has grown to include a wide variety of theatrical organizations around the world who perform in outdoor settings including Shakespeare festivals, historical dramas, religious dramas, renaissance festivals, dramatic and musical theatre. These organizations are united by their dedication to producing outstanding theatre in outdoor settings and their unique roles in providing exceptional entertainment and tourism attractions for their region.

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# Calendar

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## OCTOBER 8

**Neighborhood Night Out, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Mill Creek Clubhouse Grounds.** Bring a covered dish. Program will include a discussion of the golf course and protective covenants.

## OCTOBER 9

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

## OCTOBER 10

**Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary meeting, Robertson room of Stagecoach Inn.** Social hour begins at 9:30 a.m.

## OCTOBER 10

**Texas Naturalist Program, 2 - 3:30 p.m., Salado Public Library Meeting Room.** Let's talk about water! Two members of the Texas Stream Team will present a program on water including water testing in Salado Creek.

## OCTOBER 10

**Sip n Knit at Salado Wine Seller on Main Street, 5 - 7 p.m. bring your current project and have a glass of wine with fellow needle artists.**

## OCTOBER 11

**Blood Drive at Salado Scott & White Clinic on FM2484, 8-11 a.m. Call Katy Moore at 947-7500 to select a time.**

## OCTOBER 11

**Salado High School Homecoming.** Queen and King will be crowned before the game at approximately 6:30 p.m. Kickoff will be 7:30 p.m.

## OCTOBER 11

**Fifth Quarter at the 3C Cowboy Fellowship,** following the Salado Eagles home game, about 10 p.m.

## OCTOBER 11-12

**Christmas in October at the Stagecoach Inn.**

## OCTOBER 12

**Smokin Sneakers half marathon, 8 a.m., Salado's Pace Park.** Sponsored by Salado Volunteer Fire Department. More information to come.

## OCTOBER 14

**Salado ISD school holiday.**

## OCTOBER 14

**Salado ISD Board of Trustees meeting, 6 p.m. at the Salado Civic Center.** Meeting is open to the public.

## OCTOBER 14

**Salado Masonic Lodge stated meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Lodge Hall, S. Church St.**

## OCTOBER 17

**Salado Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting, 8:30 a.m. in the Salado Visitor's Center.**

## OCTOBER 17

**Salado Aldermen meeting, 6 p.m., Municipal building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.** Meeting is open to the public.

## OCTOBER 18

**Fifth Quarter at the Salado Church of Christ,** following the Salado Eagles home game, about 10 p.m.

## OCTOBER 19

**Annual Cattleman's Ball at Tenroc Ranch.** Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Benefits Salado Education Foundation. Live and Silent Auction by Bill Hall Live music by Freddie Fuller & the Bell Jam Band. Steak Dinner by Johnny's Steaks and Bar-Be-Que \$75 per person BYOB. Tickets at: Century 21-Bill Bartlett, First Community Title Salado, Johnny's Steaks and Bar-Be-Que, SISD Administration Office.

info: Michael Apodaca at 947-5697.

## OCTOBER 23

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

## OCTOBER 25

**James Bond Theme Night 6:30 p.m. at The Range at the Barton House.** Black tie - Dinner, gaming and entertainment. Reservation required, purchase tickets at [www.therangerestaurant.com](http://www.therangerestaurant.com).

## OCTOBER 25

**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.

## OCTOBER 26-27

**Fright Trail at Tablerock.**

## OCTOBER 27

**Chapel Music Series Event at The Chapel at Caliber Oak.** Details to follow, [www.CaliberOak.com](http://www.CaliberOak.com).

## OCTOBER 20

**Fall Festival, 11 a.m. at St. Stephen Catholic Church.** BBQ dinner, carnival and live auction.

## October 31

**Halloween Party, 3 - 5 p.m., Salado Public Library.** Wear your costume and enjoy the games and treats. Winners of the most gruesomely awesome Zombie contest will be announced.

## NOVEMBER 1

**Fifth Quarter at the St. Stephen Catholic Church,** following the Salado Eagles home game, about 10 p.m.

## NOVEMBER 2

**Salado United Methodist Church Garden Guild 18th annual luncheon and style show, 12:30 p.m. at the church, 650 Royal Street, Salado.** Fashions presented by hometown merchants, Christy's, Magnolias of Salado, and Sofie's, will be modeled by Salado ladies. Included will be beautiful styles for every body size and food guaranteed to make you crave seconds. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased by calling the Church office at 254-947-5482. Funds raised will be used for Church and Community needs.

## NOVEMBER 4

**Salado Historical Society Fall Chili Supper, 6 p.m. Salado Church of Christ Activity Center.** Bring salads, cornbread or dessert. Public welcome.

## NOVEMBER 8-9

**Third Annual Scotch Tasting and Scottish inspired menu at The Range Restaurant at the Barton House.** More details to come.

## NOVEMBER 8-10

**52nd Annual Gathering of the Scottish Clans and Highland Games on the grounds of the Salado Civic Center.**

## NOVEMBER 11

**Salado ISD school holiday.**

## NOVEMBER 15

**Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.**

## NOVEMBER 23

**Salado Family Relief Empty Bowl Project, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Salado Civic Center.** Hand-crafted bowl with soup \$15, soup only \$10. To go orders available. Proceeds fund Salado Family Relief Funds Christmas Project.

## NOVEMBER 27 - 29

**Salado ISD Thanksgiving holiday.**



Jazz on the Creek will feature Kat Kaliski and Adam Lozoya on Sept. 28.

## DECEMBER 5

**Christmas Stroll Parade, 5 p.m., Main Street.**

## DECEMBER 6-7

**A Christmas Carol at Tablerock.**

## DECEMBER 6-8

**Annual Christmas Stroll**

## DECEMBER 7

**Recital featuring Carol Meyer Willingham and Jason Francis with proceeds to benefit Historic Salado College Park, 7 - 10 p.m. at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Douglas B. Willingham.** Wine and hors d'oeuvres reception featuring the Karen Rigo combo. Reservations required 947-9248.

## DECEMBER 13-14

**A Christmas Carol at Tablerock.**

## DECEMBER 13-15

**Salado Christmas Stroll.**

## DECEMBER 15

**Chapel Music Series Event at The Chapel at Caliber Oak.** Details to follow, [www.CaliberOak.com](http://www.CaliberOak.com)

## DECEMBER 23 - JAN 3

**Salado ISD winter break.**

## JANUARY 17

**Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.**

## FEBRUARY 15

**The 20th Annual Baylor Women's Scholarship Brunch, 9 a.m. at The Venue by Inn on the Creek.** Speaker will be Alice Starr, wife of Baylor University President Kenneth Starr.

## FEBRUARY 15

**Baylor Women's Reunion, The Venue by Inn on the Creek, dinner at The Stagecoach Inn, Salado.**

## FEBRUARY 17

**Salado ISD school holiday.**

## FEBRUARY 21

**Antique Auction to benefit the programs of the Salado Ladies Auxiliary, 7 - 9 p.m. at Stagecoach Inn Conference Center.**

## FEBRUARY 22-23

**Antique show hosted by the Salado Ladies Auxiliary, Sat 9-4 p.m. Sun 12-4 p.m., Salado Intermediate School.**

## FEBRUARY 23

**Chapel Music Series Event at The Chapel at Caliber Oak.** Details to follow, [www.CaliberOak.com](http://www.CaliberOak.com)

## FEBRUARY 28

**Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.**

## MARCH 10 - 17

**Salado ISD spring break.**

## APRIL 6

**Chapel Music Series Event at The Chapel at Caliber Oak.** Details to follow, [www.CaliberOak.com](http://www.CaliberOak.com)

## APRIL 17 - 18

**Salado ISD Easter break and end of grading period - noon release on Thursday.**

## MAY 15

**ABWA Style Show, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at The Venue.** For more information contact: Barclay McCort at [barclaymccort@gmail.com](mailto:barclaymccort@gmail.com) or 947-3617.

## MAY 26

**Salado ISD school holiday.**

## JUNE 5

**Salado ISD last day of classes - noon release. Bad weather make up days will be held June 6 and 9 if needed.**

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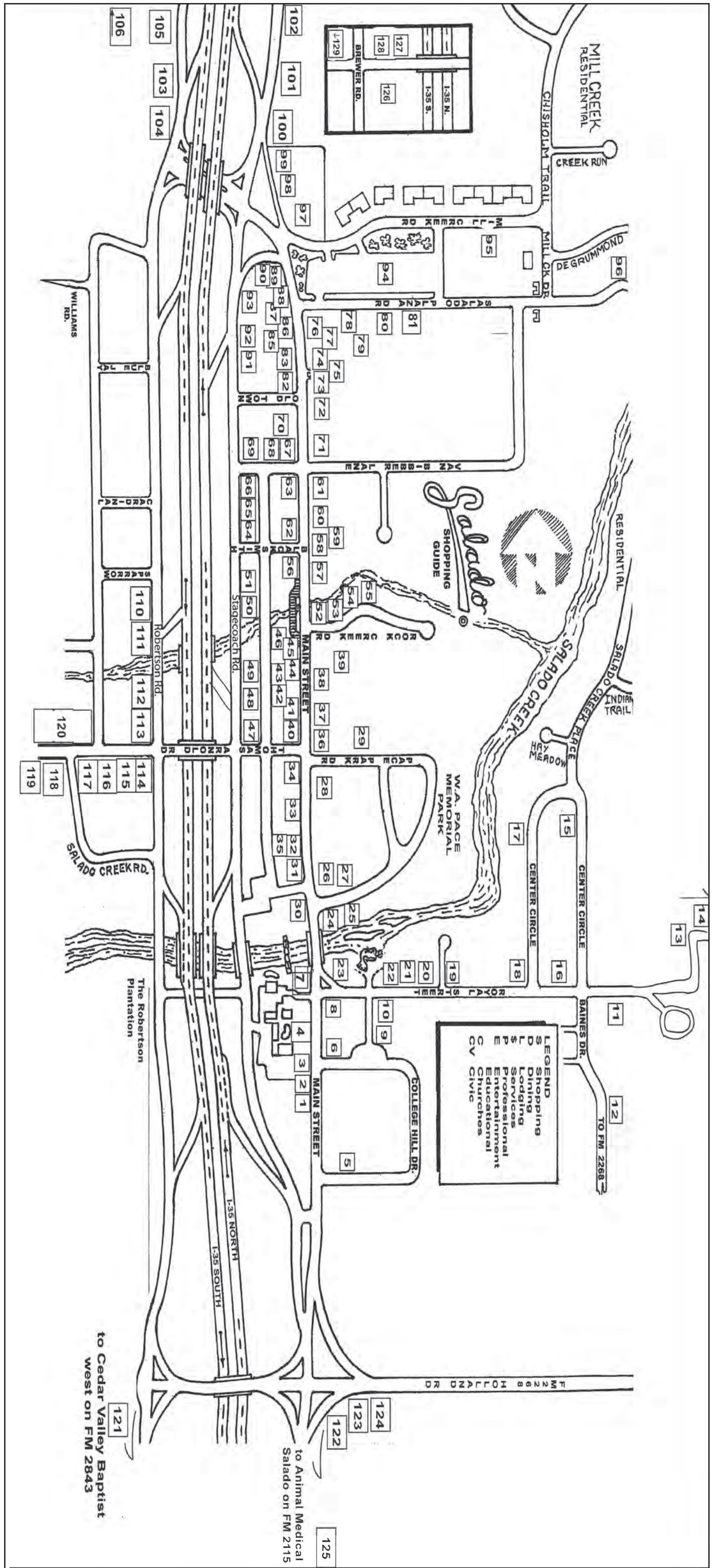
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21. Davis Art 254-421-1500 S
24. YOuphoria Day Spa & Salon 947-3772 \$
26. CREEKSIDE CENTER  
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 Susan Marie's 947-5239 S
30. First Baptist Church 947-5465 C
32. THE VERANDA  
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33. First State Bank 947-5852 \$
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 Linda Rountree Pritchard-Egg 947-4263 P
39. The Range at Barton House & The Lounge at the Range 947-3828 D
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54. Charlotte's of Salado 947-0240 S
56. The Pizza Place 947-0022 D
57. THE COLONY  
 Griffith Fine Art 947-3177 S
61. SALADO CIVIC SQUARE  
 McCains Bakery and Cafe 947-DELI D
63. CORONET CORNER  
 Salado Creek Winery 947-9000 S  
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64. The Village of Salado 947-5060 CV
69. Salado Creek Antiques 947-1800 S
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**NORTH**  
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♦4  
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**WEST**  
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♥AK 5 3  
♦K Q 8 6  
♣9 6 3

**EAST**  
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♥1 8 4  
♦5 2  
♣10 8 2

**SOUTH**  
♠Q 10 7 4 2  
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♣J 4

The bidding:  
East South West North  
Pass 2 ♠ Dble Pass  
Pass 3 ♦ Dble  
Opening lead — king of hearts.

# Famous hand

## Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

When this writer first began attending national bridge tournaments back in the 1960s, virtually all the players were from one of the American Contract Bridge League's four member countries -- the U.S., Canada, Mexico and Bermuda.

Today, all that has changed. National tournaments now attract scores of the world's top players from Europe, South America and the Far East -- including mainland China. The result has been that many of the ACBL's most prestigious titles lately have been captured by visiting internationalists either independently or in concert with North American players.

One of these successes was a victory in the 2001 Spingold Teams. Americans Ralph Katz and George Jacobs teamed up with four of the 2000 Olympiad champions, Giorgio Duboin, Alfredo Versace, Lorenzo Lauria and Norberto Bocchi of Italy, and scored a 48-IMP victory in the final over an upstart team captained by Mike Moss.

Today's deal from the final shows the Italians in action. Bocchi's opening two-spade bid showed spades and an unspecified second suit. West doubled for takeout, and when East left the double in for penalties, Bocchi retreated to his other suit.

West doubled this for penalties, and Duboin now made an excellent decision to leave his partner in diamonds despite holding a significantly better spade, as East was already known to be well-heelled in spades.

Three diamonds proved impossible to beat. Bocchi ruffed the heart lead and conceded a spade to West's ace, and West could score only his K-Q of diamonds from that point on. So the contract was made with an overtrick for a score of +570. At the other table, the American North played in four hearts, down three, for -150.

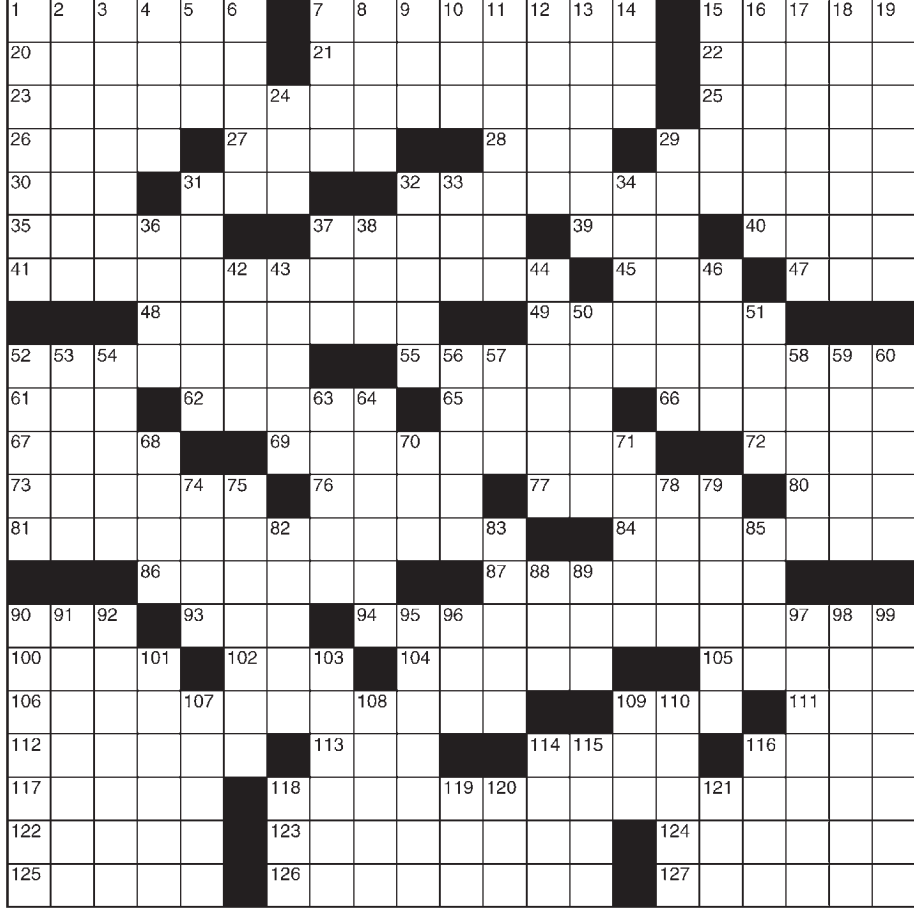
The two results combined gave the eventual victors a 12-IMP gain on the deal.

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# Super Crossword

## NETTLE DETECTOR

- ACROSS**
- 1 Evil spirits
  - 7 Avoidance of reality
  - 15 Words before "war" or "God"
  - 20 Leaning type
  - 21 Personal magnetism
  - 22 Benton of "Hee Haw"
  - 23 Solitary ivory-painted finger part?
  - 25 Spring (from)
  - 26 Twice penta-
  - 27 12:00 in the daytime
  - 28 Place for a headphone
  - 29 Words after many book titles
  - 30 Singer DiFranco
  - 31 Poisonous evergreen
  - 32 What a woodpecker is?
  - 35 Bellybutton type
  - 37 China's Zhou
  - 39 Pigs' place
  - 40 Be thrifty
  - 41 Armstrong and Diamond riding bikes?
  - 45 Ending for form
  - 47 Took charge
  - 48 Haifa native
  - 49 Abrupt increase
  - 52 Putting chips in up front
  - 55 Cathedral next to the University of Oklahoma?
  - 61 Brit's lav
  - 62 Novelist Charles
  - 65 Weapon fill
  - 66 State in southwest India
  - 67 Gaunt
  - 69 Albacore got ready to pray?
  - 72 CVI halved
  - 73 Bassett of "Malcolm X"
  - 76 Official plural of a popular Toyota hybrid model
  - 77 Flutie and Henning
  - 80 Sketch show since '75
  - 81 Library patron creating less clutter?
  - 84 Warms up, as leftovers
  - 86 Relative of Ltd.
  - 87 Not shown on TV, e.g.
  - 90 Sore
  - 93 Tow-offering org.
  - 94 Seamster imitated a horse?
  - 100 Bullfight bravos
  - 102 Joanne of "Wagon Master"
  - 104 Court staff member
  - 105 British singer Lewis
  - 106 Skills needed for a business workplace?
  - 109 Actress Longoria
  - 111 Sneaking
  - 112 Old town shouters
  - 113 —-mo
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ANSWER  
Weekly SUDOKU



Super Crossword

## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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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BY Cindy Brook

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## Earthy mushrooms bring magic to the fall table

### MUSHROOM AND BRIE PHYLLO BITES

A hidden sliver of Brie bakes up creamy and rich under a spoonful of savory herbed mushrooms in these flaky pastry bites. These easy and impressive hors d'oeuvres promise to be the center of attention at your next cocktail party.



3 tablespoons melted unsalted butter  
1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil  
2 teaspoons fresh thyme leaves  
3 shallots, minced  
1 1/4 pound assorted mushrooms, such as cremini, porcini or shiitake  
3/4 teaspoon fine sea salt  
6 sheets (18x13 inches each) from a package of frozen phyllo dough, thawed  
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper  
8 ounces Brie cheese, cut into 30 even pieces

ring frequently, until mushrooms are very tender and have released their liquid, about 10 minutes. Stir in thyme. Set aside to cool.

Preheat the oven to 400°F. Line a large baking sheet with parchment paper.

Lay 2 phyllo sheets on a work surface with long side facing you. (Keep remaining phyllo covered with plastic wrap or a damp kitchen towel to prevent it from drying out while you work.) Brush sheets lightly with butter. With a sharp knife, cut each piece of phyllo in half lengthwise, then across 4 times to make 10 rectangles, each about 6 1/2 inches long and 3 3/4 inches wide. Place a piece of Brie toward one end of each piece and top with 1 tablespoon mushroom mixture. Fold long ends of phyllo in to cover sides of filling, and then roll cheese up in phyllo as if you were rolling a mini burrito. Place seam-side down on a baking sheet. Repeat with

remaining phyllo, mushroom mixture and Brie, making 30 bites. Brush bites with remaining butter and bake until phyllo is browned and very crisp, about 25-30 minutes. Serve warm.

Note: These hors d'oeuvres can be made up to 1 month in advance. Form as directed, but instead of baking them, place prepared baking sheet in the freezer. When frozen through, 1 to 2 hours, transfer the bites to freezer-safe resealable plastic bags, remove excess air and seal. Bake them straight from frozen on a parchment-lined sheet as directed, adding about 5 minutes to the baking time.

*Serving size: 3 pastry bites, 170 calories (110 from fat), 12g total fat, 7g saturated fat, 30mg cholesterol, 380mg sodium, 10g carbohydrate (1g dietary fiber, 2g sugar), 7g protein*

### SMOKY MUSHROOM GRATIN

Roasting mushrooms to concentrate their flavor and then adding a few flame-cooked ones gives this vegetarian gratin wonderfully deep flavor. This is a good recipe to use for distinctively shaped and flavored mushrooms like chanterelles or oyster mushrooms as they will retain many of their unique characteristics, but any variety will work excellently.



2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley  
1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil, plus more for the baking dish  
1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper  
3/4 teaspoon fine sea salt, divided  
2 pounds assorted mushrooms such as cremini, oyster, chanterelle or white button  
1 cup half-and-half  
1/4 teaspoon grated nutmeg  
4 ounces shredded Gruyère cheese, divided  
1/3 cup whole wheat bread crumbs

Halve or thickly slice mushrooms that are larger than about 1 1/2 inches across; leave the rest whole. Set 6 whole mushrooms aside. Place remaining mushrooms on a large rimmed baking sheet and toss with oil and 1/2 teaspoon of the salt. Roast until very soft and browned, about 35 minutes.

Meanwhile, skewer reserved mushrooms on 2 metal skewers. Hold the ends of the skewers with oven mitts and place mushrooms over an open flame (such as a gas burner or outdoor grill on high setting) and cook, turning frequently, until charred all over, 3 to 4 minutes. Remove mushrooms from the skewer and place on a cutting board. When cool enough to handle, coarsely chop.

Oil a 1 1/2-quart gratin dish or 8-inch-square baking dish. In a large bowl, stir together half-and-half, half of the cheese, pepper, nutmeg and remaining 1/4 teaspoon salt. Stir in roasted mushrooms and charred mushrooms. Pour mixture into a gratin dish and press down gently with the back of a spoon to level. Sprinkle with remaining cheese, parsley and bread crumbs. Lower the oven temperature to 350°F; bake gratin until top is well-browned and edges are bubbling, about 40 minutes. Cool 10 minutes before serving.

*210 calories (120 from fat), 14g total fat, 7g saturated fat, 35mg cholesterol, 380mg sodium, 11g carbohydrate (2g dietary fiber, 3g sugar), 12g protein*

### EASY MUSHROOM BROTH

This deeply flavorful broth is excellent in soups, stews and sauces. It's an excellent way to use up mushroom trimmings and stems; think ahead and store these scraps in a bag in your freezer rather than tossing them out.



3 sprigs thyme or 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme  
1 large yellow onion, halved  
1 pound mushrooms and/or mushroom trimmings (such as stems)  
1/2 teaspoon black peppercorns  
1 celery stalk, quartered  
1 bay leaf  
1 carrot, quartered, or 1 cup carrot trimmings (such as ends and peels)  
4 parsley stems  
4 garlic cloves  
1 tablespoon reduced-sodium tamari

Place a grill pan or small cast-iron skillet over high heat. When very hot, place onion halves cut-sides down on the pan and cook until bottoms are charred, about 3 minutes. Transfer to a large pot. Add mushrooms, celery, carrot, garlic, bay leaf, thyme, parsley, peppercorns, tamari and 11 cups water. Bring just to a simmer over medium heat. Lower heat and cook at a bare simmer 1 1/4 hours.

Strain broth through a fine-mesh sieve, pressing down firmly on solids to

extract as much liquid as possible (the mushrooms will absorb a lot!). Discard solids. Use broth immediately or cool to room temperature; transfer to airtight containers and refrigerate up to 5 days or freeze up to 6 months.

*Serving size: about 1 cup, 5 calories (0 from fat), 0g total fat, 0mg cholesterol, 120mg sodium, 1g carbohydrate (0g dietary fiber, 0g sugar), 1g protein*

**Recipes, photos courtesy of Whole Foods Markets, Inc.**  
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**Sept. 16**  
 2:38-2:44 a.m., 213 Mill Creek (ACE). Suspicious Vehicle, observed vehicle parked in front of business that was not there on last pass. Occupied by 1. Made contact with subject who stated he was waiting to give a friend a ride home and that this was their meeting point. Subject was identified and the LP and DL information are on file. Clear.  
 8:12-8:26 a.m., 2900 Block Chisholm Trail.

Trapped Animal, notified of a trapped Armadillo. The animal was re-homed in the county...Clear.  
 8:43-9:21 p.m., NB I-35 Exit 286. Crash, dispatched to one motorcycle crash at above location. Arrived on scene to find DPS on scene. Troopers took the report. Remained on scene as traffic control. Clear.  
**Sept. 17**  
 11:48 a.m.- 12:06 p.m. 200 Block Mill Creek. Medical, assisted FD with a medical call. Clear.  
 3:04-3:13 p.m., 800

Block Santa Maria. Harassment, caller stated that ex-landlord was calling and texting her trying to collect back-rent. Advised the ex-landlord of the proper channels to take in order to attempt collection and she agreed to stop all communications with the caller. Clear.  
**Sept. 20**  
 8:35-9:10 a.m., 700 Block College Hill. BMV, unknown subject entered vehicle and removed items. 4:00-4:50 p.m., Van Bibber. Traffic Hazard, a large

oak tree fell over the road way. SVFD was called to assist. The tree was cut up and removed from the roadway. Cleared.  
 8:55-9:30 p.m., 940 N. Robertson (Bush's). Duty upon striking fixture. A U-Haul truck driving through the drive through hit the overhead awning causing damage. The U-Haul truck then left South Bound on I-35 with identifying. Report.  
**Sept. 21**  
 12:30-12:41 a.m., 1100 Block Mill Creek. Dead Deer, notified of a dead deer int he caller's front yard. Retrieved the deer and discarded it. Clear.  
 8:40-9:05 p.m., 300 Block Salado Creek Rd. Civil Issue, complainant wishes to report a light from Johnny's is shining in her backyard. Spoke to owner's, who had light shining to dark corner of parking lot for safety/security purposes. The light was re-angled to shine further in the parking lot and away from the backyard by owner's choice. Clear.  
 11:50 p.m.- 12:04 a.m., 1420 N. Robertson (Robertson's Hams). Transient, monitored on radio that Belton P.D. is giving a courtesy ride for a transient to Robertson's Hams. Met Belton P.D. at above location. Courtesy ride given for subject to Flying J in Jarrell. Clear.  
**Sept. 22**  
 1:26-1:35 p.m., 1112 N. Robertson (Sonic). Suspicious Vehicle, observed vehicle parked behind Sonic. Operator found asleep in front seat. Contact was made and driver stated she'd come to the restaurant to eat and then to sleep. Operator left property on request. WALP and TXDL on file if needed. Clear.  
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# EPA suggests steps to ensure septic systems function

During the first-ever SepticSmart Week, September 23-27, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is encouraging homeowners to take action to ensure their septic systems are functioning properly. Nearly one quarter of all American households—more than 26 million homes—depend on septic systems to treat their wastewater. Because Salado does not have a

sewer system, residential and commercial properties rely on septic systems.

Failure to maintain and service a home's septic system can lead to system back-ups and overflows, which can result in costly repairs, polluted local waterways and risks to public health and the environment. Many septic system failures occur during the winter holiday season, so EPA is encouraging home-

owners to get their septic systems inspected and serviced now before licensed inspectors' schedules fill up around the holidays.

Homeowners can do their part by following these SepticSmart tips:

- Homeowners should have their system inspected every three years by a licensed contractor and have their tank pumped when necessary, generally every three to five years.

- Avoid pouring fats, grease, and solids down the drain, which can clog a system's pipes and drainfield.

- Ask guests to put only things in the drain or toilet that belong there. Coffee grounds, dental floss, disposable diapers and wipes, feminine hygiene products, cigarette butts and cat litter can all clog and potentially damage septic systems.

- Be water efficient and spread out water use. Consider fixing plumbing leaks and installing faucet aerators and water-efficient products that bear the EPA WaterSense label, and spread out laundry and dishwasher loads throughout the day. Too much water at once can overload a system if it hasn't been pumped recently. Remind guests not to park or drive on a system's drainfield,

where the vehicle's weight could damage buried pipes or disrupt underground flow.

More information on EPA's SepticSmart Awareness Week: <http://water.epa.gov/infrastructure/septic/septic-smart-week-2013.cfm>

How to find WaterSense-products in your area: <http://www.epa.gov/watersense/products/index.html>

## Salado Volunteer Fire Department report week of Sept. 16-22

**Sept. 16**  
8:28-8:55 p.m., Exit, 286 NB I-35. Single MC accident, transported to Scott & White. 4 units, 7 personnel.

**Sept. 17**  
8:59-9:20 p.m., 100 Block Tommy Loop Lot. Old cat bite became infected, transported to Scott &

White. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

**Sept. 19**  
1:34-2:10 p.m., 2100 Block Bluff Circle. Patient passed out, no transport. 2 units, 2 personnel.

**Sept. 20**  
1:39-2:14 p.m., Royal Street. Unconscious patient, Scott & White transported. 1 unit, 3 personnel.

10:33-11:46 a.m., Belton. House Fire, support. 1 unit, 1 personnel.

12:41-12:58 p.m., 16000 Block I-35 Service Rd. MVA, no transport. 2 units, 6 personnel.

1:22-1:35 p.m., 280 NB. MVC, 18 wheeler jack knifed, patient refused transport. 3 units, 5 person-

nel.

1:43-1:56 p.m., 279 NB. Unfounded, no vehicle turnover found. 4 units, 6 personnel.

3:50-4:40 p.m., N. Main at Van Bibber. Large tree across roadway, assisted in removing from roadway. 2 units, 4 personnel.

4:54-5:45 p.m., 278

SB. 279 Exit SB. MVC, no injuries. Cleared roadway. 2 units, 6 personnel.

7:17-7:30 p.m., 1300 Block Elm Grove Spur. Overdose, Scott & White transported. 1 unit, 3 personnel.

**Sept. 21**  
12:09-1:15 a.m., 3400 Block W. Amity. Patient

had taken pills, Scott & White transported. 2 units, 2 personnel.

2:41-3:52 p.m., 2268 Service Rd. Patient overheated, no transport. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

10:58-11:37 p.m., 7500 Block N. Lakeview Dr. Patient with chest pain. Scott & White transported.

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Move in ready home in Mill Creek Springs. 4 bedrooms plus a den or office space lots of room to entertain both inside and out. Large treed lot with great covered patio space for you to enjoy after cooling off in the pool. \$264,900



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