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Snow drifts around the old red barn behind The Halley House on Salado's Main Street on Feb. 23. Central Texas was blanketed with a few inches of snow early this week, resulting in the Salado schools letting out at 1 p.m. Schools were scheduled to open two hours late on Feb. 24 to give the roads a chance to thaw out. The snow fell throughout the day Feb. 23 but the winter storm was expected to clear out in the late evening with warmer temperatures and the sun returning later in the week. Highs this weekend are expected to be in the mid-50s and lows in the upper 30s with a chance of scattered showers. (Photo By Marillyn Fleischer)

## Gov. Perry stumps in Salado

By Tim Fleischer Editor-in-Chief

Don't spend more money than you make.

Don't over-regulate or over-litigate business to the point that it cannot compete.

Educate children so that they can be productive members of society.

And, lastly, "get the government out of the way of the free market."

Those are the four simple principles that have guided a life of public service and government for 10-year Texas Governor Rick Perry.

Gov. Perry stopped in Salado for a visit with friendly Republicans at the Stagecoach Inn on Feb. 20. He earlier met with Republicans in Waco and afterward met with the Grand Old Party faithful in Georgetown in an effort to rally support in his re-election bid against two

opponents in the March 2 primary. The winner of the Republican primary, which pits Perry against U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison and former Wharton County Republican chairwoman Debra Medina.

Gov. Perry defended his decisions to reject federal stimulus money for both unemployment and public schools, two separate but equally controversial decisions.

"Doing what is right is not always what is popular," Gov. Perry said.

He explained to the group that he rejected the \$550 million in stimulus funds directed at unemployed Texans because of the strings attached to the federal dollars. Texas would get relief for two years, he said, but the expansion of the program on a longer-term basis would cost Texas businesses more than \$75 million per year in additional unemploy-



Texas Governor Rick Perry visits with Bell County Commissioner Tim Brown during Perry's Feb. 20 stop in Salado. Both Republicans are seeking re-election, although Brown's re-election is assured as he has no primary nor Democrat opponent this year. Gov. Perry faces two challengers from within the Republican Party: Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and former Wharton County Republican chairwoman Debra Medina. The winner of the March 2 Republican primary will face the Democrat nominee in November. (Photo By TIM FLEISCHER)

ment taxes.

The strings attached to the \$1.3 billion in additional federal funding for education had even more "strings" attached to it that led to the governor rejecting those stimulus dollars.

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## Early voting heavy; Primary day March 2

The last day of early voting in the Primary Elections is Feb. 26 with the polls open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Saladoans can vote at any of the early voting locations in Bell County, but are encouraged to vote at the Salado Civic Center, 601 N. Main St.

In Bell County, 4,842 have cast ballots in early voting through Feb. 22 with Republicans outnumbering Democrats by more than three to one. Countywide 3,767 Republicans have voted early while

The last day of early 1,075 Democrats have votting in the Primary Elec-ed early.

In Salado, 284 voters have cast ballots in the Republican party primary while 53 have voted in the Democrat primary as of press time Feb. 23.

On March 2, the primary voting will be held 7 a.m.-7 p.m. at the Salado Church of Christ Activity Center on Church Street.

A listing of both primary candidates and ballot propositions can be found on page 8A of this issue of *Salado Village Voice*.

## **Chamber Awards Banquet March 8**

Tickets for the Annual Salado Chamber of Commerce Banquet are now available and can be purchased at the Chamber Office, 881 N. Main St. or online at salado.com.

Tickets are \$35 per person for the catered dinner. Deadline for reservations and payment is March 1. No tickets will be sold at the door.

The banquet will be held March 8 at Tenroc Ranch, 5471 Thomas Arnold Road with a social hour at 6 p.m. and the dinner at 7 p.m.

The Chamber Banquet will be a time for citizens and businesses to celebrate the successes of the Chamber and to recognize outstanding members of the community.

The Business of the Year, Citizen of the Year and Hall of Fame award will all be presented during the Banquet.

past. They could be alive or deceased. Have they contributed to making Salado what it is today?

The deadline for nomi-

The deadline for nominations has been extended to end-of-business on March 1.

Chamber members and community members are encouraged to write a nomination letter for any one of these awards.

The Business of the Year

must be a current Chamber member. Their nomination essay should include the contributions made by that business in the past year to the Chamber of Commerce, as well as to the overall business climate in Salado. What sets them apart from all the rest of the Salado businesses either in service to their clients or service to the community.

The Citizen of the Year: What person has made a difference in the community by their personal contributions? This could be a singular person or a couple.

Hall of Fame Award: What person or couple significantly contributed to the development of the Salado community in the past. They could be alive or deceased. Have they contributed to making Salado what it is today?

The deadline for nominations is March 1. Nominations may be E-mailed to saladochamber@vvm. com, mailed to the Salado Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 849, Salado, TX 76571 or delivered in person to the Chamber of Commerce office at 881 N. Main Street.

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## **Potluck Dinner March 1**

Salado Historical Society Pot Luck dinner and General Membership meeting, 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center. Come find out more about what the Salado Historical Society does to promote and preserve history in the Village of Salado. The Historical Society will provide meat for the Pot Luck Dinner. Please bring a salad, casserole or side dish to share with friends.

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## An Open Exchange of Ideas



Case reopened

Climate alarmists conjured a world where nothing was certain but death, taxes and catastrophic global warming. They used this presumed scientific certainty as a bludgeon against the skeptics they deemed "deniers," a word meant to have the noxious whiff of Holocaust denial.

All in the cause of hustling the world into a grand carbon-rationing scheme. Any questions about the evidence for the cataclysmic projections, any concerns about the costs and benefits were trumped by that fearsome scientific "consensus," which had "settled" the important ques-

A funny thing happened to this "consensus" on the way to its inevitable triumph, though. Its propagators have been forced to admit fallibility. For the cause of genuine science, this is a small step forward; for the cause of climate alarmism, it's a giant leap backward. The rush to "save the planet" cannot accommodate any doubt, or it loses the panicked momentum necessary for a retooling of modern economic life.

Phil Jones is the director of the Climate Research Unit at the University of East Anglia, a key "consensus" institution that has recently been caught up in an e-mail scandal revealing a mind-set of global-warming advocacy rather than dispassionate inquiry. Asked by the BBC what it means when scientists say "the debate on climate change is over," the keeper of the flame sounded chastened. "I don't believe the vast majority of climate scientists think this," Jones said. "This is not my view. There is still much that needs to be undertaken to reduce uncertainties, not just for the future, but for the ... past as well."

Jones discussed the highly contentious "medieval warming period." If global temperatures were warmer than

## Rich Lowry



thousand years before Henry Ford's assembly lines began spitting out automobiles -it suggests that natural factors have a large hand in climate change, a concession that climate alarmists are loath to make. Jones said we don't know if the warming in this period was global in extent, since paleoclimatic records are sketchy. If it was, and if temperatures were higher than now, "then obviously the late 20th century warmth would not be unprecedented."

Jones also noted that there hasn't been statistically significant warming since 1995, although the cooling since 2002 hasn't been statistically significant either. All of this is like a cardinal of the Catholic Church saying the evidence for apostolic succession is still open to debate.

The other main organ of the climate "consensus" is the U.N.'s Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. It won the Nobel Peace Prize for its 2007 report, which turns out to have been so riddled with errors it could have been researched on Wikipedia. It said Himalayan glaciers would melt by 2035, warned that global warming could reduce crop yields in Africa by 50 percent by 2020, and linked warming to the increased economic cost of natural disasters -- all nonsense.

In The Boston Globe, MIT climate scientist Kerry Emanuel marshals a new argument for fighting warming: "We do not have the luxury of waiting for scientific certainty, which will never come." Really? That's not what we were told even a few months ago -- before climate-alarmism acknowledged doubt.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National today back in 800-1300 A.D. -- about a Review. (c) 2010 by King Features Synd., Inc.

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## "Mad as Hell" voters might produce needed "Term Limits" and halt partisanship idiocy

Historically, our nation's people have united in desperate times, without prodding from elected officials or nagging sociological scolds. Two of the more memorable events include: December 7, 1941 bombing of Pearl Harbor; and the terrorist attacks on New York's World Trade Center and Pentagon, on September 11, 2001.

Fact is - we may be on the verge of coming together once again, as our United States "Seal" so nobly proclaims: "E Pluribus Unum" which translates "Out of many - one."

Words that properly describe our nation and its goals. What's remarkable is that despite our political, social, and economic polarization, coupled to the ongoing fiscal recession-depression, there's a strong feeling abroad-in-theland, that Americans are coalescing in anger towards politics in general and Congressional officialdom in particu-

#### \* \* \* \* THE GOOD AND THE BAD

The feeling of public rage, fury, indignation is growing and that's both good and bad: Bad because of the "do-nothingism" that's prevalent in Washington, as our elected gadflies perpetually fail to provide for the common good, while clinging firmly to a pair of all-purpose partisan shibboleths - i.e. (a) keep the lobby handouts coming and (b) getting reelected.

What's potentially good and positive about all this bubbling discontent is that for the first time, in a long time, we find a near-unified citizenry, angry enough to demand that our wayward (and hopefully uneasy) elected sycophants, give us the right to amend our Constitution, so as to provide for "Initiative and Referendum."

After all - the Constitution is not the exclusive property of Congress or the President - it belongs to all of us.

#### \* \* \* **TERM LIMITS - NOW!**

"Initiative and Referendum" are somewhat obscure words to most of us - so why demand they be given to voters? What's the purpose? **Answer:** "I and R" would give us a way to get "term limits" before Congress with enough pressure to have it pass overwhelmingly.

Those twin rights are actually the best (and perhaps only) way to eliminate perennial politicians, who produce nothing but large federal retirement annuities, after years of stalemating partisanship.

#### "MAD AS HELL"

\* \* \*

Why not just "ask" elected officials to place term limits on themselves? Sorry, but that's plain hooey - they'd sooner refuse payola from the lobby (bribes, junkets, gifts and cash).

Only an uprising will force their hand and as noted at the outset-this may just be the opportune time - because most of us have the same feelings today, that Paddy Chayevsky had in the 1976 movie Network: "I'm mad as hell, and I'm not going to take it any more." \* \* \*

TIME TO "ASK AND TELL"

After the March 2 primary (and

## Off the Record





runoffs) when ballots are set for November's general election - let's ask all candidates running for Congress (Republicans and Democrats) if they would vote to give citizens an opportunity to vote on a constitutional amendment granting the rights of "Initiative and Referendum."

We could also toss in "term limits" just for fun!

This might not work - since we are dealing with politicians who can sweettalk a five year old out of his ice cream and candy, however printing their answers in the newspapers would be instructive: As this column intends doing in subsequent issues of the Salado Village Voice. \* \* \* \*

And while we're at it - in this "utopian" search for better governance at the congressional level - lets tie a required "Flat Tax" to our "Term Limits" demand and get the job done right, once and for

Hopefully readers will not feel this is a "mission impossible" task. Bear in mind - if we don't look to the sky as a goal - we'll never get off the ground!

#### MILLION DOLLAR GAFFE

Republican National Committee Chairman Michael Steele played right into the hands of the "enemy" (bad old liberal Democrats) last week when he proclaimed that Obama (GOPers won't use the title "President") should not allow former President Bush's tax cuts (for wealthy Americans) to expire.

Here's the Top-GOP's rationale: "Trust me, after taxes, a million dollars is not a lot of money!"

Over at National Democratic Party headquarters, (after a stunned: "He said what?") the happy opposition cranked up their message machines and launched: "Here in America where the average household makes \$52,000.00 a year - that's crazy talk." Followed by: "It's outrageous - but sadly, not surprising."

Demo bloggers also went ballistic, and from their varied reactions, we've cobbled a composite retaliatory riposte: "Let's just say that the tax on a million bucks does return to 45 percent, (from today's top 35 percent) and see exactly what's left.

Avoiding the normal high powered tax-lawyering, the "poor" jillionaire would have a scant \$550,000 left to spend. Question: On what planet is that NOT a lot of money?"

GOP-TOPPER Steele might try his hand at listening to average Main Streeters (for a change) who remain worried about the seemingly endless depression: Especially after helping bail out the "too big to fail" banks, who are now flush with billions in profits and millions in bonuses.

That is - if the Grand Old Party leadership really gives a damn about what "other folks" think: specifically minorities; the working-middle class; and those legitimately on welfare - including food stamps for kids and aiding the poverty-stricken.

No wonder most Americans are "Mad as Hell" as noted in today's "Off The Record" introduction.

That's -30-

## Mapping out the Mission

For more than two centuries, Americans displayed a love of politics -- and debate. Often the debates boiled down to a fundamental question: What's the proper role of government in a free society?

Conservatives believe the answer is a limited government that encourages free enterprise, individual freedom, traditional American values and a strong national defense. Polls show most Americans agree. But turning these ideals into a functioning government is tougher. We need to explain our core beliefs in clear language.

Some 50 years ago, leading conservatives did just that. They gathered in Connecticut to sign the Sharon Statement explaining our principles. It helped pave the way for the Reagan Revolution and victory in the Cold War. But it's time to update the Sharon Statement. Not because the principles have changed, but because the threats to those principles have.

That's where the Mount

#### **Heritage Forum**

#### by Edwin Feulner

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self-government.

"These principles define us as a country and inspire us as a people. They are responsible for a prosperous, just nation unlike any other in the world. They are our highest achievements, serving not only as powerful beacons to all those who strive for freedom and seek self-government, but as warnings to tyrants and

despots everywhere.

"Every one of these founding ideas is under sustained attack. In recent decades, America's principles have been undermined and redefined in our culture, our universities and our politics. The selfevident truths of 1776 have been supplanted by the notion that no such truths exist. The federal government today ignores the limits of the Constitution, which is increasingly dismissed as obsolete and irrelevant.

"Some insist that America must change, cast off the old and put on the new. But where would this lead -- forward or backward, up or down? Isn't this idea of change an empty promise or even a dangerous deception?

"The change that we urgently need, a change consistent with the Ameri-Heritage Continued on Page 9A



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## FORUM

## An Open Exchange of Ideas

### Dealing With a President who is in denial

By Congressman John Carter

There is no point, and great danger, in attempt-

ing to talk with President Obama about healthcare reform until he first agrees that the House and Senate

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healthcare bills are dead.

Republicans have not killed his bills. The American people have rejected them, from their knowledge of the details of the Democrats' plans. Democrats and the President can't seem to fathom that the voters of this country are pretty darn smart and very interested in anybody's plans that include controlling their healthcare and 18 percent of the national economy from Washington. Average voters across the country have actually bothered to read extensively about these proposals, and have reached their own informed conclusions.

This fact is indeed a big pill to swallow for those who believe average Americans spend all their time bitterly clinging to their guns and Bibles.

Rejection of these proposals by the public is the driver behind the Tea Party phenomenon across the country, the massive Republican election wins in Virginia, New Jersey, and Massachusetts, and the national polls showing Obama's popularity in the tank and the pending Democrat loss of the House and Senate in November.

Mr. Obama is in denial of these facts. He has convinced himself that the public has simply been misled, that they really would like his plan if they only knew more about it, and that all

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this rejection is due to just clever and underhanded political maneuvering by Republicans.

Obama has so basked in the adoration and praise of the left and the national media since taking office last year that he believes he simply cannot be wrong on any policy he espouses.

So rather than engage in true open and honest discussion on healthcare reform with Republicans next Thursday, the President has chosen to meet again in the shadows with the left wing of his party to repackage the same failed legislation, and attempt to win over public opinion by better "messaging".

He has accordingly announced that when Republican House leaders meet with him to discuss healthcare reform, they will be discussing his House and Senate bills, and they should be prepared to agree to "some things they don't like".

Then if Republican leaders do the right thing and tell the President again that these bills are repugnant to the voters, the Obama media machine will launch their PR campaign that while the President tried to "reach out", Republicans chose to remain the "party of no", and that the Democrats will now be justified in violating historic Senate procedure to jam their bill down the people's throats without having to gain the necessary 60 votes.

There is no point in House Republican Leadership wasting the people's time by allowing this President in denial to continue his political tantrum.

Unless the President agrees in advance to wipe the slate clean and bury the rotting corpse of Democrat healthcare reform, we will really have nothing to talk about.

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## Lady Eagles win own tournament to start softball season in Top 10

After an early loss to Hyde Park, the #10-ranked Salado Lady Eagles softball team went on a tear through the remaining teams of the Salado softball tournament to win the championship Feb. 20. The girls start district March 2 against Lexington.

Lady Eagles Hyde Park

Hyde Park scored three runs in the final inning to pull out a victory in the first day of the Salado tour-

Salado collected five hits in the game. Megan Mattson scored the first run for Salado after reaching on a single. She advanced on Kori Norman's single. Lorna Pavne drove in Mattson on a sacrifice and Jordan Svadlenak singled to score Norman. In the third inning.

The girls scored two more runs in the sixth inning. Annie Danner walked with two outs. Camryn Bintz reached on a single and both girls scored on a single by Mattson before the third out left her strandLady Eagles Connally

Salado scored four runs in the sixth inning en route to a 7-2 win over Connally in the first day of the tour-

The girls collected seven hits in the game, led by Kaitlyn Mosely who was two-of-three with a double and triple. Mosely drove in

Kori Norman had two singles and drove in three

Rachael Piatt also drove in a run on a sixth-inning single.

Lady Eagles Troy

Salado beat Troy 10-6 on the second day of the tournament, collecting 11

The girls scored five runs in the second inning with Piatt. Mattson and Norman collecting hits. Norman drove in three runs with a bases loaded double.

With one out in the sixth Bintz started the scoring by reaching on a single and scoring on a double by Kristen Dunnahoo. Dunnahoo scored on Mosely's

single. Svadlenak doubled and Pavne singled, scoring on a double by Piatt.

Lady Eagles Bremond

Salado collected five hits and five runs in their second-day win over Bremond Feb. 20.

The girls scored two runs in the second inning when Bintz drove in Piatt and Isabel Berumen who both reached on walks.

Payne scored in the third inning after reaching first on a fielder's choice and advancing on a passed ball. She scored on an error by the catcher.

She scored again in the final inning after reaching on an error. Piatt hit a single and scored on a sacrifice by Berumen.

Lady Eagles Holland 13

Salado lost on the second day of the tournament to the Holland Lady Hornets 7-13. Holland collected six hits in the win, while Salado had three hits.

Bintz was two-of-three with two singles, scoring three runs for Salado. She scored in the first inning after stealing two bases and crossing home on a passed ball. Dunnahoo reached first, stole second and was driven by Mosely's dou-

Bintz drove in two runs in the final inning: Payne, who had reached on a double and Piatt who reached base on an error.

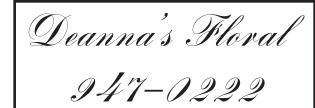
Lady Eagles Rosebud-Lott

Salado trounced Rosebud-Lott on the second day of the tournament 8-2, scoring three runs in the first and four runs in the

Bintz started things off with a lead-off homerun. Norman reached on a oneout walk and advanced on a single by Mosely. Both girls scored on a double by Svadlenak.

Svadlenak reached base in the fourth inning on a walk and scored on a single by Piatt.

Mosely singled to start out the sixth inning, followed by a single by Svadlenak and a double by Jenna Franz. Bintz singled to drive in Franz and Piatt who had reached base on an error.



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## Lady Eagles cagers' return to Drum nixed by Nixon-Smiley

Salado Lady Eagles saw their hopes of a return to the Drum in Austin dashed in the bi-district round of the girls basketball playoffs Feb. 19, losing to Nixon-Smiley 42-39 in Bastrop.

The girls jumped out to a big 22-13 lead in the first quarter, but scored just two points in the second quarter to hold on to a slim 24-23 halftime lead.

The Lady Eagles were

outscored 10-7 in the third quarter, giving Nixon-Smiley a slim 33-31 lead going in to the fourth. Nixon-Smiley held on for the

Billi Pipes led the Lady Eagles with 19 points, 11 of them in the first quarter.

Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were Carling Urben, 9 points; Hadley Joiner, 7 points; Clark and Kirstie McGillcik 2 points each.



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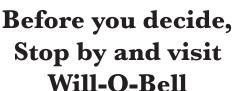


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"strings" included national standards and national tests. "They told us that, 'Here is the money now but there will be national standards and national tests... even though we don't know what those standards or tests might be now, your state will be accountable to them at a later time.'" The federal dollars also decrease the incentive of competition between the states. "You know, people vote with their feet," Gov. Perry said adding that Texas was the top destination for relocation in the United States for the fourth year in a row. The state is also the top exporter for the eighth year in a row and has most Fortune 500 Companies operating here than in any of the other states in the country.

"People see the overtaxation, the over-regulation and the over-litigation happening in the other states around the country and make the decision to move their homes and their businesses here," Gov. Perry said.

Government initiatives offered to lucrative businesses don't hurt either. Gov. Perry told the group about the growing film industry thanks to the business climate in Texas.

"The best thing we never did in Texas was to pass a personal income tax," Gov. Perry said of earlier attempts for the additional tax when the state legislature faced a \$10 billion deficit

"Instead, we prioritized our spending. We cut the budget while at the same time increasing funding to public education by \$1.2 billion," Gov. Perry said.

Gov. Perry spoke about improving public education. "We have a high dropout rate in Texas," he said, adding that he wanted to implement a new approach to keeping teenagers in school. Gov. Perry spoke about creating a virtual high school.

"And for those teenagers who want the privilege of a driver's license, they must be enrolled in either a brick-and-mortar high school or a virtual high school. Driving is a privilege, not a right."

Gov. Perry said he is committed to public schools and wants to double the number of what he calls STEM teacher (science, technology, engineering and mathematics).

"As you can attest Morris, these fields are crucial," he said, pointing out Morris Foster. Gov. Perry in his opening remarks to the group pointed to the success of Morris Foster, who was born in Salado and attended Salado schools before graduating from Texas A&M University.

"You are one of hundreds and thousands of stories of success due to the hard work and sacrifice your parents made for you," Gov. Perry said of Foster, who retired as president of Exxon-Mobil and purchased the Stagecoach Inn where his father worked during his child-hood

"We are much alike in that we both came from small Texas towns from parents who worked hard and made sure that we had the opportunity to get a college education," Gov. Perry said.

Gov. Perry added that he would work as governor to see that young children like the one who came with his father to see the governor speak "would have that same opportunity," even though the boy was donned in the burnt orange of the University of Texas.

Gov. Perry, a graduate of Texas A&M University with a degree in animal science, teased the boy that, "We'll have to work on that!"





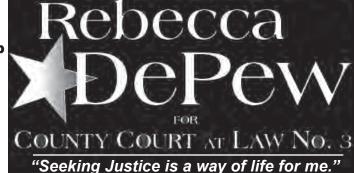


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#### **Lastovica shows Breed Champion**

Stephanie Lastovica, a sophomore at Salado High School, captured the Breed Champion award with her 1,335 lb. steer "Dooney" at the Junior Market Steer Show of the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodea Feb. 17.

Her Grand Champion Limousin Dooney was sold for \$8,000 at the S.A.L.E. Youth Auction. She also received a \$10,000 scholarship, making her total earnings \$18,000. Her entry was one of 14 breed champions chosen from the 1,443 entries at this year's competition.

Other winnings for this

steer include: Grand Champion Steer, Texas Limousin Association State Show; Grand Champion Limousin Steer, Belt Buckle Bonanza; Grand Champion Limousin Steer, Heart of Texas Fair and Rodeo; and Overall Grand Champion Steer at the Prosper FFA Spring Futurity. Although he was entered to show at the 2010 Bell County Youth Fair, Stephanie chose to pull him in order to compete for the Limousin Breed Championship at San Antonio.

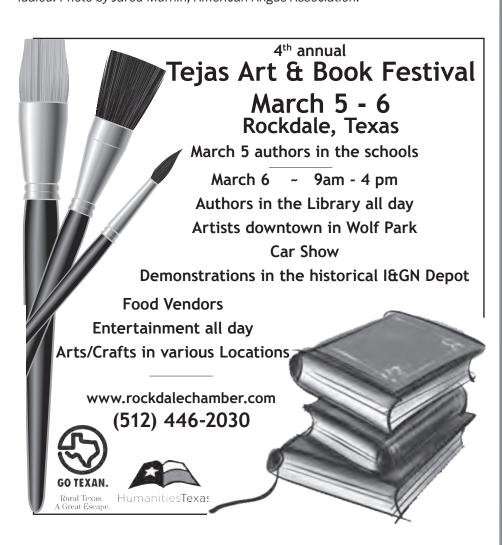
She is the daughter of Steven and Sandra Lastovica. A Varsity Cheerleader,

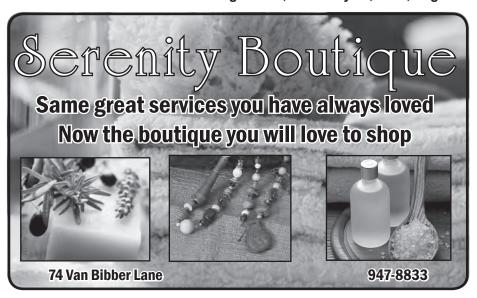
she is active in many school activities, serving on the Superintendent's Advisory Council, Student Council, Salado FFA Historian, Salado 4-H County Council Representative, Fashion Club Reporter, a Temple Wildflower Belle Sophomore Candidate, and a past officer for the Texas Junior Angus Association. She and her family are active members of St. Stephen Catholic Church in Salado.

In the future, she would like to attend Texas A&M University and get her teaching certificate.



Members were elected to serve as advisors for the Texas Junior Angus Association and are pictured at the 2010 Texas Junior Angus Association Annual Banquet, February 23 in Fort Worth, Texas. Pictured from left are Steven and Sandra Lastovica, of Salado; Andrew and Tanya Holloway of Stamford and Ann and Kyle Williams of Idalou. Photo by Jared Murnin, American Angus Association.





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Jim Sharp

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5 Bill Moody

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 9 Blake Bailey

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County Commissioner, Precinct 4 Ernest L. Wilkerson

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Ballot Proposition #2: Every government body in Texas should be required to limit any annual increase in its budget and spending to the combined increase of population and inflation unless it first gets voter approval to exceed the allowed annual growth or in the case of an official emergency. YES or NO

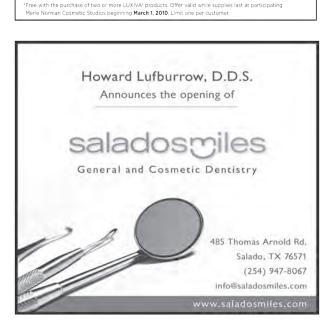
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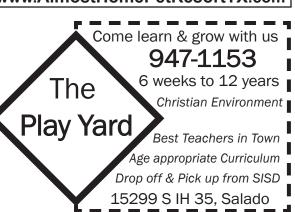
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## **Obituaries**



#### Vera Leigh Clinard

Services for Vera Leigh Clinard 75 of Temple and formerly of Salado will be at Harper-Talasek Funeral Home in Temple February 26 with Paul Sanders officiating. Visitation will be held at 1:30 pm with Memorial Services beginning at 2:30 pm. She passed away February 23, 2010.

Vera was born in Troy Texas to Jim and Florence Redden. She graduated from Troy high school and attended Mary Hardin-Baylor. She was a homemaker and retired bank bookkeeper.

Survivors include three daughters, Cynthia Mahan of Austin TX/Angel Fire NM, Jessica York of Salado, Melissa Rosenau of North Richland Hills, three sons Kevin Bittner of Flower Mound, Jeffrey Bittner of Crockett and Michael Tierney of Belton and three step-sons Paul Clinard of Temple, Randy Clinard of Austin and Kenneth Clinard of Houston.

She is also survived by two sisters Daisy Coupland of Edinburg and Raedean Popelka of Coppell; Three brothers, JR (Buddy) Redden of Midland, Delane Redden of Belton, Wayne Redden of Shreveport. and two step-sisters Laverne (Patsy) Ellis Ethridge of Odessa and Shirley Ellis Lundgren of Austin.

Also, 26 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a son Vincent Paul Sheehan in 1975 and her husband Bill Clinard in 1996.

Vera donated her body to the Texas A&M University Willed Body Program.

Memorials may be made to: Camp John Marc 2824 Swiss Avenue Dallas, TX 75204

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#### ALICE EVELYN FRITZ

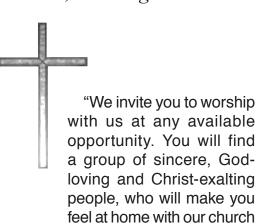
Services were held for Alice Evelyn Fritz, 92, of Quitman who passed away Feb. 16, at a Quitman care center. Funeral services were held Feb. 20 at the Heartfield Funeral Home Chapel in Belton with Rev. Billy Joe Fritz officiated. Burial followed at McDowell Cemetery.

Evelyn was born September 15, 1917 in Leroy, Texas to James F. and Linda Link (Walker) Casey. She attended high school in Temple. In 1935 she married George D. Fritz in Salado. Evelyn was a member of ALANON since 1956, and started the ALANON group in Temple in 1960. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Temple since it's opening in 1957.

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## **Obituaries**

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Evelyn was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

Survivors include four sons, Bobby G. Fritz of Troy, L. Dean and Mary Fritz of Roswell, New Mexico, Gerald Ray and gayle Fritz of Temple, and Billy Joe and Janic Fritz of Winnsboro; one daughter, Dee Anna and NOlan Compton of Soldotna, Alaska; one brother, Oran B. Casey and wife Nora of Mt. View, Oklahoma; one sister, Francis Tippit of Shenandoah, Texas; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made of the Texas Baptist Home for Children at 629 Farley St, Waxahachie, Tx 75165.

Heartfield Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

#### DONALD G. HUGHES



Services for Donald G. Hughes, 63 of Harker Heights wee held Saturday, February 20, 2010 at Broecker Funeral Home, Salado, TX. with Jerry Hughes officiating.

Burial will be at Texas State Veteran Cemetery at a later date. Mr. Hughes died February 15, 2010 at a local hospital.

He was born January 18, 1947 in Temple, TX. to Marion Duty and David Hughes.

Don graduated San Jacinto College with an Associates Degree in Business Management. He joined the Army in 1964 and served in Munich, Germany and the Viet Nam Conflict. He was honorably discharged in 1972.

He was self employed most of his life as a mechanic. Don married Joane Carol Davis on January 7, 1997. He is preceded in death by his parents, brother Ronnie David Hughes and infant daughter, Doniella.

He is survived by his wife, his sister, Marvella Ochs of Tennessee; sons: Robert Hughes of Arizona and William Hughes of Salado, TX; stepsons: Allan Merrick of Pasadena, TX and Brian Merrick of Arizona. Daughters: Ronnie Gail Ross of Killeen, Sue Hughes of Arizona and stepdaughters: Kim Gidley of Morgan's Point and Sabine Maigatter of Arizona; 13 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Donald Hughes Memorial Fund, S2, Texas Partners Federal

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Arrangements are being handled by Broecker Funeral Home of Salado.

#### M. KATHLEEN RANSON

M. Kathleen Ranson, 94, a retired college professor, died January 21, 2010 at the William R. Courtney Texas State Veterans' Home in Temple.

A native of Farmville, Virginia, she was born August 3, 1915, a daughter of the late Lee Edward and Nannie Bowman Ranson. She received her Bachelor's degree from Longwood University in Virginia; her M.Ed degree from Vanderbilt in Tennessee and her Doctorate degree from the University of Missouri.

She published numerous articles, served on national boards, received multiple awards and traveled the world. She taught thousands of students and established scholarships at three different universities in support of educational enhancements for children and their teachers. She was a stellar student/athlete in high school and college, excelling in softball, tennis, basketball, field hockey and swimming.

Ms. Ranson took a hiatus from her personal educational pursuits to serve her country after the bombing of Pearl Harbor. She served as Lieutenant in the U.S. Navy at the

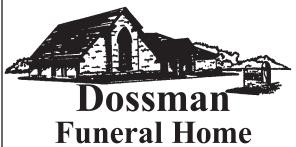
end of World War II.

She was preceded in death by all six of her brothers and sisters, including Louise Ranson Butler (wife of William Butler) of Salado, TX and is survived by her nephew, Donny Sequin and his daughter, Natalie Sequin, also of Salado, TX.

A private graveside service with military honors was held at the Texas State Veterans' Cemetery in Killeen.

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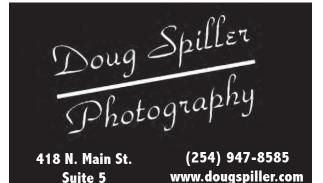
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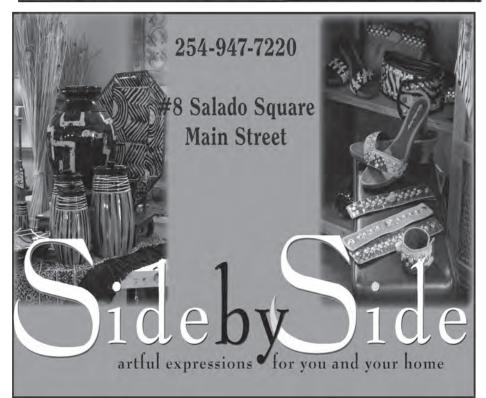
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### Salado Design showcase this weekend

Enjoy meals and snacks, home tours, seminars and hours of learning and camaraderie during the Salado Design Stars Showcase Feb. 26-28.

Following are the events planned during the Showcase weekend:

Feb. 26

Welcome dinner, 7 p.m., at Stonecreek Settlements with home tour of an exceptional example of restoration and the innovative mixing of old and new.

Feb. 27

Breakfast at Charlotte's of Salado, 8:30 a.m..

Studio and bed and breakfast tour at The Baines House, 10:30 a.m.

Lunch at Inn on the Creek, 12:30 p.m. Tour the "multifunctional" of Will Lowery and Chris Spradley, the owners of Inn on the Creek.

Glass design workshop at Coyote Glass, 2 p.m.

Afternoon Tea and Tour of Home, 4 p.m. Red Barn Hideaway.

Candlelight Tour begins at 6:30 p.m. Candlelight tour of various "sip and



Stonecreek Settlement (room interior shown above) will host the welcome dinner on Feb. 27.

see" locations and after hours shopping. Dine in a casual progressive manner on light finger foods, wines, and dessert choices at participating Merchant and Gallery locations.

Feb. 28 events

Breakfast/brunch at The Baines House, 9:30 a.m. Review of the weekend plus options for a more extensive hands-on class time at Coyote Glass or Baines House until noon.

Tickets include six meals and snacks: Dinner on Feb. 26 and 27, Breakfast on Feb. 27 and 28, Lunch and Tea on Feb. 27. Supplies and seminar

information are included with the ticket price. Tours will go behind the scenes and seams of four private homes with Salado style. Learn in seminar sessions at every stop.

Tickets are \$100 per person for the weekend.

Tickets are only \$50 per person when you stay at one of the hosting bed and breakfast inns. Make your reservations with those inns individually: Baines House, 254-947-5260; Inn on the Creek, 254-947-5554, Stonecreek Settlement, 254-947-9099 and Red Barn Hideaway, 254-913-7583.



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Sats thru March 13

Yoga for Life Workshop series on Saturdays, 12:15-2:15 p.m. at Salado Fitness and Tanning Center. The theme for the series is **Uncovering Your Heart's** Desire. Contact Yoga instructor Tiffany Schreiner at tiffyoranch@gmail.com.

#### FEBRUARY 24

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

#### February 24-26

**Abstract Acrylic Design** workshop with Sharon McGlasson at Salado Village Artists building, Main and Van Bibber, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Cost \$160 non members. Point of contact is Joan Hoffman at 947-0073.

FEBRUARY 26

Fourth Friday Gospel singing at Cedar Valley **Baptist Church, eight miles** west of Salado on FM 2843, starts at 7 p.m.

#### February 26-28

Salado Design Stars **Showcase.** Learn side-byside with Salado's creative masters. Hands-on sessions with working artists/designers/owners provide invaluable combination of information and actual "doing" opportunities. Explore Hill Country comfort. Learn designer techniques. Adapt the latest trends. Try easy secrets. Get quick results. For more information, contact Salado Tourism at 254-947-8634 or E-mail dcharbonneau@saladotx.gov.

#### FEBRUARY 27

Salado Recycles Day, 9 a.m.-noon, Village of Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.

#### February 27

Salado Creek Outfitters Trade In/Trade Up of Baseball Equipment, Salado Ballpark, Parents can bring used/outgrown equipment to the ballpark and trade it for the size they need. For more information, call 254-947-8239.

#### March 1

Salado Historical Society Pot Luck dinner and General Membership meeting, 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center. Come find out more about what the Salado Historical Society does to promote and preserve history in the Village of Salado.

#### March 2

The Village of Salado will hold a training session at 4 p.m. for anyone interested in the duties and responsibilities of the position of Alderman or Mayor. Election Day is May 8. First day to file an application for a place on the ballot is Feb. 6. Last day to file is March 8 by 5 p.m.. For more information, please contact the Village office at 254-947-5060.

#### March 2

Primary voting, 7 a.m.-7 p.m. at Salado Church of **Christ Activities Center,** 

225 North Church St.

#### March 2

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m. Satecoach Inn.

#### March 2

Sensing Oak in Wines, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wine tasting class at Salado Wine Seller that will familiarize you with oak in wine and how it influences the wine. \$25 per person, 841 N. Main Street, 947-8011.

#### March 4

Salado Church of **Christ and Mike McLain** of Rembrandt Financial Group LLC will present a seminar for seniors, 4-6 p.m. Salado Church of Christ Activity Center.

#### March 4

Salado American Business Woman's Association **meeting**, 6 p.m., McCain's Deli and Bakery, corner of Main Street and Van Bibber.

#### March 4

Village of Salado Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m. Village Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting is open to the Public.

#### March 6

Jammin' on the Lawn, 4-7 p.m. Enjoy a glass of Texas wine and music by The Leisure Seekers. 841 N. Main Street, 254-947-

March 6-8 **Auditions for Neil**  Park" and Michael Russell's "Countergirls" will be held concurrently at Salado Silver Spur Theater, 108 Royal St. Times are 2-6 p.m. March 5 and 7 and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. March 6. Appointments are encouraged, but not required, and can be made by calling 254-947-3456 or by e-mailing info@saladosilver-

#### spur.com. March 8

Salado Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet and Awards Program, 6 p.m. Tenroc Ranch. More details to be announced.

#### March 9

Salado Businesses Mean Business meeting, 8:30 a.m., Robertson room at the Stagecoach Inn. This meeting, sponsored by the Salado Chamber of Commerce, is open to ANY and **EVERY Salado business.** Come get involved in promoting Salado businesses and ideas.

#### March 9

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m. Satecoach Inn.

#### March 9

**Community Emergency** Response Team of Salado (CERTS) meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. All interested community members and volunteers are invited to at-

#### March 9

Sensing Fruit Flavors, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wine tasting class at Salado Wine Seller that will familiarize you with fruit aromas, flavors and descriptors in wine. \$25 per person, 841 N. Main Street, 947-8011

#### March 10

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

#### March 11

Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary, 9:30 a.m. social time, Salado Civic Center. "Mini Antiques Road Show" with Donna Gantenbein of Salado Creek Antiques.

#### March 12

**Brown Bag Noon Book** Review, Salado Public Library.

## StoneCreek Settlement



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Salado Community **Chorus performing Music** to Lunch By Noon-1 p.m. on the front porch of the Salado Visitors Center, 881 N. Main St. Concert is free. Bring a lawn chair. Concert will be canceled if weather is bad.

#### March 13

Salado Recycles Day, 9 a.m.-noon, Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.

#### March 15

The 14th Annual Denver Mills Golf Tournament To Benefit Tablerock. \$75 entry fee, shotgun start at 1 p.m. call Denver Mills 947-9205.

#### March 16

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m. Satecoach Inn.

#### March 18

Salado Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors Meeting, 8:30 a.m., Salado Visitor's Center.

#### March 18

Village of Salado Board of Aldermen, 6 p.m. Village Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting is open to the Public.

#### March 19

Free Computer Class, "Email II & Beginning **Internet: Advanced Email Techniques and Internet** Search Engines Explained" taught by Jeanie Lively, 1-2:30 p.m., come early, class size limited, Salado Public Library.

#### March 19

**Richard Paul Thomas** performing Music to Lunch By Noon-1 p.m. on the front porch of the Salado Visitors Center, 881 N. Main St. Concert is free. Bring a lawn chair. Concert will be canceled if weather is bad.

#### March 22

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

#### March 23

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m. Satecoach Inn.

#### March 24

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

#### March 26-28

**Texas Packard Meet at** Salado. This meet has been featured in the national Packard Club magazine as well as in Hemming's Classic Car magazine and Old Car's Weekly. For information and to register, visit www.texaspackardmeet.

#### March 27

**Smokin Spokes Bicycle** Race, Salado Fire Department, 254-947-8961.

#### March 27

**Annual Readers and** Writers Roundtable featuring four local authors and their books, 1:30 p.m. at Central Texas Area Museum, \$5 per person, \$ 2.50 for children and students with valid Id

#### March 27-28

10th Annual Wildflower SEE CALENDAR, PAGE 3B



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Art Show. Salado Civic Center grounds. Artists and artisans from Texas and throughout the Southwest feature oil, acrylics, watercolors, pastels and mixed media including woodworking, sculpture, jewelry, glassworks, metal work and handmade clothing. Salado Chamber of Commerce, www.salado.com or call 947-5040.

#### March 27-28

**Rogue Art and Texas** Wine Fest, Noon- 4 p.m., Salado Wine Seller will host 25 Texas wineries Texas wine tastings, music, art and food. 841 N. Main Street. 254/947-8011. www. saladowine.com.

#### March 28

**3C Cowboy Fellowship Playday.** Church starts at 10 a.m., Potlock after church and playday at 12:30 p.m. Many events in several age groups. For details, visit www.3ccowboyfellowship. org or call 254-947-7211, 254-291-7888 or 254-624-3825.

#### March 29

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 stated meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Lodge, 90 N. Church St.

#### March 29

The Central Texas Master Singers will be performing at Salado United Methodist Church, 7:30-9 **p.m.** The Central Texas Master Singers presents "HYMN Resurrected!" A Holy Week Celebration. Anthems of praise, worship and rememberance sure to inspire and revive! This is a non-ticketed event open to all! For more information go to www.centraltexasmastersingers.com or call 254.258.6844.

#### March 30

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m. Satecoach Inn.

#### APRIL 1

Death By Chocolate, 3-5 p.m. at Salado Public Library, sponsored by Frieds of the Salado Pubic Library. All ages are invited to enter this contest with a dish that include chocolate with enough samples for judging. The public will sample these chocolate entries 3-5 p.m. and vote on their favorite

#### APRIL 2

Mark Huber performing Music to Lunch By **Noon-1 p.m.** on the front porch of the Salado Visitors Center, 881 N. Main St. Concert is free. Bring a lawn chair. Concert will be canceled if weather is bad.

#### APRIL 3

Keep Salado Beautiful Trash Off. Gather your friends, family, church groups, special interest club or civic organization for a day of Salado Beautification. 9 a.m.-12 noon, Litter Cleanup and branch/leaf pick-up. 12-1 p.n. Compimentary lunch. If you are interested, please RSVP to dcharbonneau@saladotx.goc or call 254-947-8634.

#### APRIL 10

Village-wide Garage Sale, sponsored by The **Public Arts League of** 

Salado (PALS). PALS will accept all items that are in good condition except clothing and bedding. Donated items will be accepted during the month of March and April 9. More information to be announced,

#### APRIL 10

First in a four part workshop series on genealogy given by members and friends of The Betty Martin Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Session One: Beginner's Overview with emphasis on how to get started, family charts and tips. Space is limited. Call 254-947-9191 to register.

#### **APRIL** 14-16

Salado Village Artists workshop with Angie Brown (in either watercolor or oil): Planning composition and Florals. Her work is available in Griffith Gallery. Point of contact is Joan Hoffman at 947-0073 afternoon/eve-

#### APRIL 16

Joy Ensemble performing Music to Lunch By Noon-1 p.m. on the front porch of the Salado Visitors Center, 881 N. Main St. Concert is free. Bring a lawn chair. Concert will be canceled if weather is bad.

#### APRIL 16

Salado Masonic Lodge Annual Fish Fry, 5-7 p.m. at the Salado Intermediate School Cafeteria. Proceeds this year will benefit the Salado Schools Band program as they raise funds for their trip to Disney. Tickets are \$6 per person. Tickets will be available soon at Salado Village Voice or First State Bank-Salado. Call 254-947-5321 for information.

#### APRIL 17

Second in a four part workshop series on genealogy given by members and friends of The Betty Martin Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Session Two: Using a computer for research and organizing your data. Space is limited. Call 254-947-9191 to register.

#### **APRIL 17-18**

First Annual Renewable Energy Stampede and Green Living Fair, Salado Civic Center. Learn solutions to global warming and how you can make a difference. Solar, Wind, Geothermal, Water Use & Reuse, Energy Conservation, Rainwater Harvesting, Green & Sustainable Building, Organic Growing, Alternative Transportation, Straw Bale Construction, Exhibits, Free Guest Speakers, Natural Food and Family Activities. For more information, call 877-376-8638 or the Salado Tourism office at 254-947-8634.

#### APRIL 23

Harmony performing Music to Lunch By Noon-1 p.m. on the front porch

of the Salado Visitors Center, 881 N. Main St. Concert is free. Bring a lawn chair. Concert will be canceled if weather is bad.

#### APRIL 24

Third in a four part workshop series on genealogy given by members and friends of The Betty martin Chapter Daughters of the **American Revolution, 10:30** a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Session Three: How to get the most of your local libraries, interlibrary loans and newspaper archives. Space is limited. Call 254-947-9191 to register.

#### APRIL 24

Divine Desserts 2010, is an event to benefit the Children's Advocacy Center of Central Texas. This event will be held at Tenroc Ranch in Salado. All proceeds go directly to the Children's Advocacy Center of Central Texas; a non-profit corporation offering specialized services to the unfortunate victims of child abuse. Contact Michelle Farrell or Jan McLaughlin at 254-939-2946 for tickets or additional information.

#### April 30-May 1

The 13th Annual Gospel Festival Jim Woodul - 254-634-4658, Friday 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. \$5 adults \$3 child

#### May 1

Last in a four part workshop series on genealogy given by members and friends of The Betty martin **Chapter Daughters of the** American Revolution, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Session Four: How do I preserve and share those precious historical photos, Bibles and other documents? Space is limited. Call 254-947-9191 to register.

#### May 6

Chisholm Trail ABWA Style Show, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Sirena Room of Tenroc Ranch, doors open at 10:30

a.m. Call 947-8610 for more information.

Texas MG Register in Salado. Weekend long gathering of car collectors. Events will be at Stagecoach Inn and Pace Park. 35th Anniversary of the Texas MG Register... 35 years of British cars gathering in Salado every more information, visit the TX MG Register website at www.tmgr.org, or contact TMGR President Russell Read at 972-291-4543. As they say in the MG club... "safety fast!"

#### May 8

Salado local elections, 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Elections for Salado ISD Board of Trustof Aldermen and Salado Public Library District Board of Directors.

#### May 8

Fine Art Gallery Trail 5-9 p.m. For info call 254-947-3930 or visit salado.com.

**Aware Central Texas** is hosting a fundraising **Dinner Theater at the Mill Creek Conference Center** in Salado, 6 p.m. Aware is dedicated to the prevention of neglect and abuse of our children. Tickets are on sale for \$100 a piece or a table of eight for \$800. Come enjoy singer/songwriter Ramon Carver who will delight attendees with his music. Then the Salado Living Room Theater will present a light hearted drama for your entertainment. Call or come by Aware Central Texas for further information. 254-939-7582, 202 E. First Street,

#### June 7- July 16

**Legends** by scene 7-9:30

#### **JUNE 12**

#### May 7-9

Mother's Day weekend. For

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#### May 13

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Rehearsals for Salado

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#### JULY 3

**Annual Fourth of July** Picnic, 6 p.m. Pace Park, sponsored by Salado Historical Society. Pot luck picnic. Historical Society will provide iced tea and fried chicken. Bring a salad, side dish or dessert to join your friends in the Salado community in celebrating our Independence.

3799 or 254-947-5783.

#### JULY 18, 24, 31,

#### August 7

Salado Legends Dinner optional (need reservations) 7:15 p.m. \$8; Show 8:15 - \$17 Adult, \$5 child call 254-947-9205. Texas' favorite outdoor musical drama with cast & crew of over 100! Where history, legend and memories meet to weave the legends of the Tonkawa Indians, the dreams of Spanish explorers and the hopes of the Scottish settlers into a panoramic tale.

#### August 7-8

44th Annual Salado Art Fair - Salado Chamber of **Commerce** 254-947-5040 salado.com. Over 100 artists and crafters from Texas and throughout the Southwest feature oil, acrylics, watercolors, pastels and mixed media including woodworking, sculpture, jewelry, glassworks, metal work and handmade clothing.

#### September 24-26

Annual Salado Chocolate and Wine Weekend. Visit saladochocolatefestival.com for details

#### October 2

Fine Art Gallery Night. 5-9 p.m. For information call 254-947-3930 or visit salado.

#### **O**CTOBER **8-9**

Christmas in October. Christmas shopping, bake sale, style show, vintage car show and raffle. Admission is free. Sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary For information call 254-947-5040 or visit salado.com.

#### **OCTOBER 9-10**

**Auditions for A Christ**mas Carol and Fright Trail. **3 p.m. either day.** Harry Sweet 624-8822 Jackie Mills 947-9205.

#### OCTOBER 16

**Salado Education** Foundation Cattlemen's Ball Fundraiser, 6:30 p.m. Tenroc Ranch.

#### **OCTOBER 22-24**

Salado Heritage Weekend. Visit saladoheritageday. org for details.

#### **OCTOBER 30-31**

**Fright Trail along** Tablerock's 1/2 mile walking trail. Open 7:30 p.m. close at the witching hour of 10 p.m. call Jackie Mills 947-9205 \$5 adults \$3 children.

#### **November 12-14**

49th Annual Central Texas Area Museum Gathering of the Scottish Clans. 254-947-5292 or visit ctamsalado.org

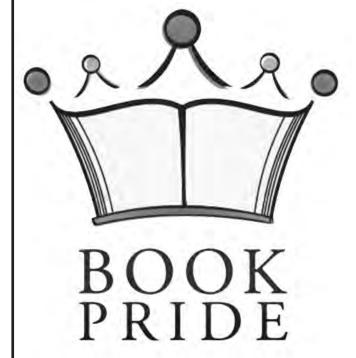
#### DECEMBER 2

Salado Annual Christmas Parade, Royal Street and Main Street, 5 p.m. 254-947-5040 for information.

#### **DECEMBER 3-4, 10-11**

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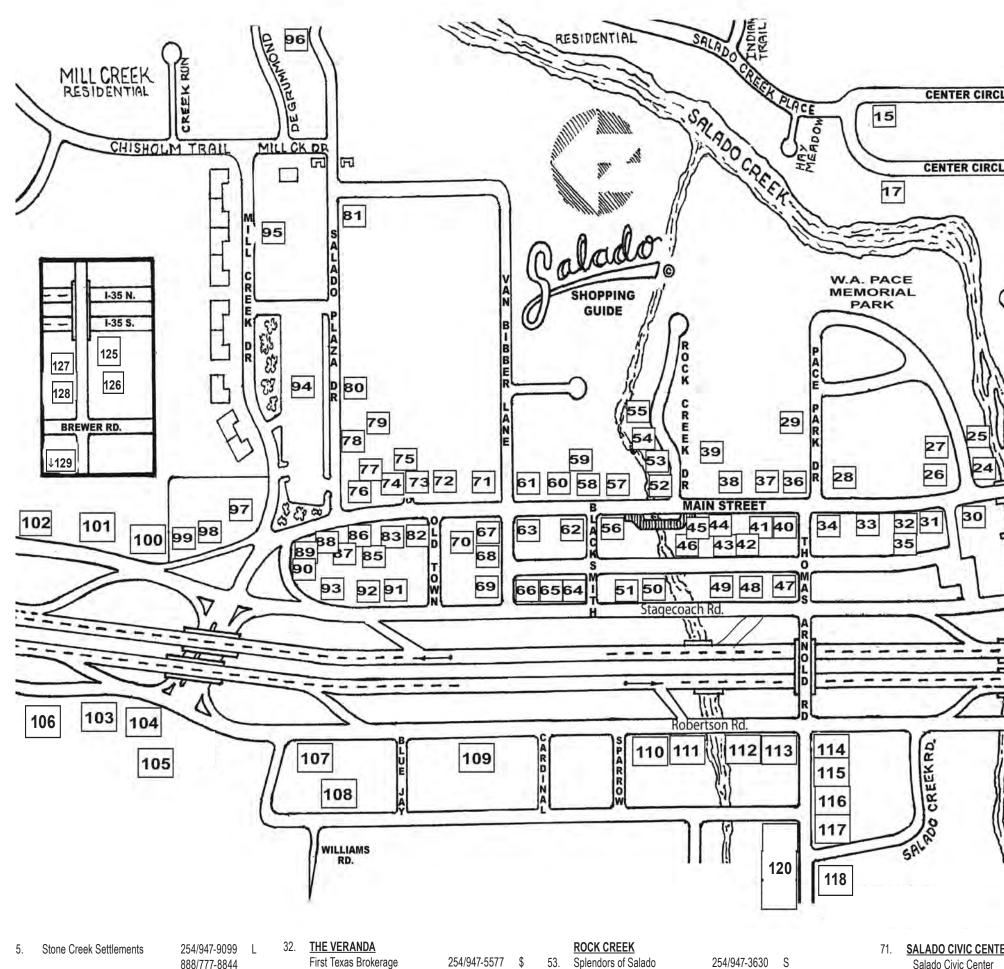
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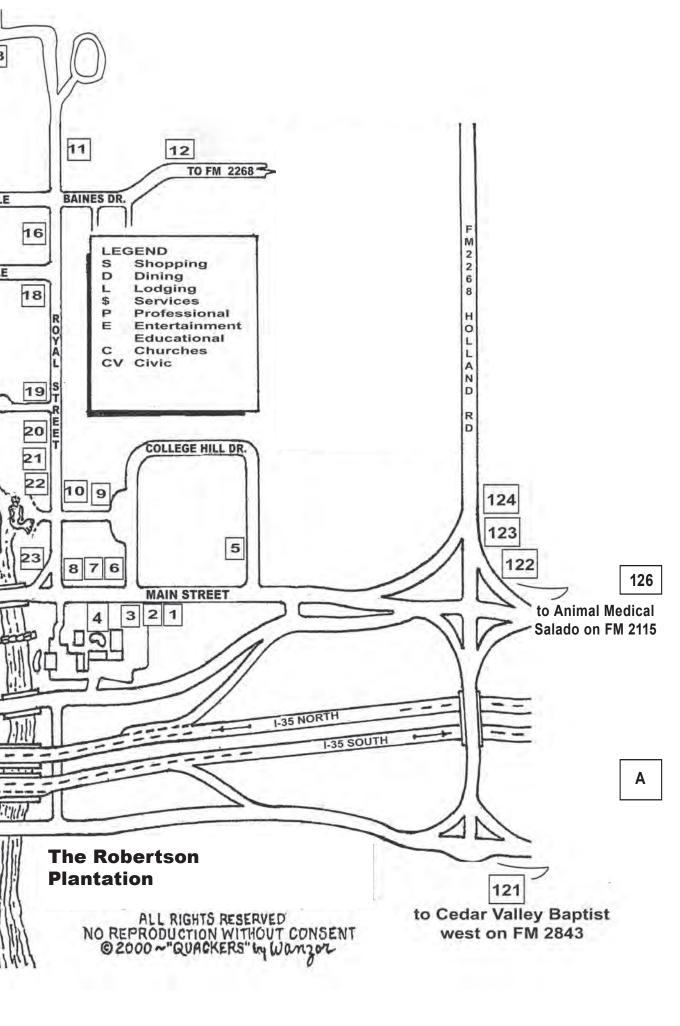


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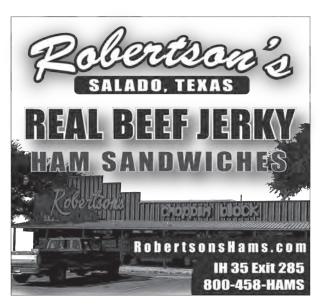
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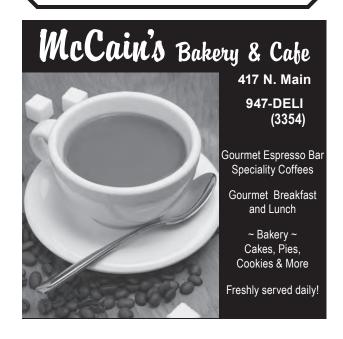


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West

By Steve Becker

Many deals offer declarer

a choice of several lines of

play. While it may not always

be clear which approach is the

best of the lot, it shouldn't be

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having overcalled in spades. At some tables, declarer won the first trick and immediately tried a club finesse. East won and returned a spade, and it was then just a matter of time before West gained the lead with the ace of hearts to cash his spades and set the contract.

Other declarers decided that since at least one heart trick would be needed to score nine tricks, hearts should be attacked before clubs. This would force West to take the ace of hearts -- possibly his only entry -- before his spades became established.

So these declarers won the first spade, crossed to dummy with a diamond, led the ten of hearts and let it ride. West took the ace and returned a spade, but South was now in full control. Even though the club finesse lost, East was out of spades and had to return another suit. A repeat of the heart finesse then brought declarer to nine tricks in the form of two spades, two hearts, two diamonds and three clubs.

Yet another variation was found at other tables. These declarers ducked the first spade lead entirely, won the spade continuation and then tried the club finesse. East won but could not return a spade, so declarer had time to finesse East for the queen of hearts. West won the heart with the ace, but since South still had a spade stopper, these declarers also finished with nine tricks

The relative merits of the second and third lines of play may be debatable, but one thing is certain: Those who chose the first line, making no effort whatsoever to defuse the threat of West's spades, clearly adopted the worst approach.

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## Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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#### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: \* \* \*

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Solution time: 25 mins. Answers — King Crossword —

Okay Salado, from now until April 1, it's all about chocolate! Did you know that April is National Chocolate Eaters Month... and also National Smith Month? It makes complete sense to me. Who doesn't like chocolate? Not many people since 7 billion pounds of chocolate are eaten every year in this country. And don't blame the children: 65 percent of that is eaten by those of us over 18. There are few foods people feel such passion about (well, maybe except for chips and hot sauce). And so that all of us can indulge in this delicious, delectable and healthy---- yes, I said healthy treat, the library and the Friends will sponsor a "Death by Chocolate" contest on April 1 at the library. This event will also let us celebrate our seventh anniversary in this beautiful building.

The contest is free and open to everyone. The public will be able to judge the entries as well as professional chefs. Entry forms are at the library and the deadline is March 29. Each person will display their own entry and will need to prepare sufficient samples

**Check It Out** 

News & Notes from Salado Public Library

to have available for the public and the judges. The chocolate entries will be on exhibit at 1 p.m. April 1 in the library for sampling and judging!

And now for some "hot" books for cold nights.

"Flawless" by Scott Selby and Greg Campbell: This is a fascinating chronicle of the \$108 million theft at the Antwerp Diamond Center on Feb 15, 2003. This real-life "Ocean's Eleven" is a combination of diamond history, journalistic reportage, and riveting true crime story.

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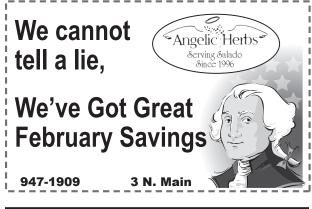
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## **Auditions set at Silver Spur**

### Two plays will be part of 2010 season

The footlights in Salado are beckoning to Central Texas performers for two great stage comedies. On March 5-7, the Salado Silver Spur Theater will be casting actors and actresses for Neil Simon's romantic comedy "Barefoot In the Park," and for the Texas stage premier of Michael Russell's "Countergirls."

Auditions for both plays will be held concurrently 2-6 p.m. March 5 and 7 and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. March 6 at the Salado Silver Spur Theater. The theater is located at 108 Royal St., in historic downtown Salado. Appointments are encouraged, but not required, and can be made by calling 254-947-3456 or by e-mailing info@saladosilverspur.com.

"We are pleased to add these two great stage comedies to our 2010 season line-up, one a perennial favorite, and the other an exciting new work that's destined to become a favorite," said Executive Director Grainger Esch, co-founder of the six-year-old entertainment venue. Full details at: http://www.saladosilverspur.com/

"We are looking for adult actors and actresses of many diverse types for these roles, with good verbal and physical comedy skills," said Esch, who will be directing "Barefoot In the Park." He will be joined by Silver Spur staffer Tony Blackman, who will be directing "Countergirls". "Countergirls" focuses on the employees at the Collierville, Tennessee F.W. Woolworth's

lunch counter," said Blackman. "Set in the 1990's, we learn about the lives and dreams of five unlikely friends who can't help but make you laugh." Also present, to read cue lines for the auditioning performers, will be members of the Spuradical Players, the Silver Spur's in-house comedy/variety ensemble.

"All performers are paid for their performances," Esch emphasized. "In some cases, we also provide a gas stipend for rehearsals to out-of-town talent." Shows are staged only on Friday evenings, Saturday afternoons and Saturday evenings. Rehearsals for "Countergirls" will begin March 22, with performances from April 30 through May 22. Rehearsals for "Barefoot In the Park" will begin in late July, with performances from Aug. 27-Sept. 18.

Here is a breakdown of the roles:

"Countergirls"

Lib Stalsworth - early 40's-Manager of the lunch counter at the Clarksville, Tennessee F.W. Woolworth. She had a hit as a young country singer but chose to have a family instead of a singing career. She is the glue that holds so many lives together during the course of the play. She has faith in everyone, though at times her own patience is tried. Country singer is a plus. Prepare a few bars of a classic country song (think Tammy Wynette or Loretta Lynn)

Betty Ruth Williams late 30's-a waitress at the lunch counter and Lib's best friend from high school. She recently returned from Texas and is in the throes of a divorce.

Lynette Henderson - 60's - a 25 year veteran of the lunch counter. She's the crusty career waitress whose biggest fear is growing old and losing her independence-and her job.

Janita Womsley - late teens/early 20's - part-time waitress and candy counter clerk. She is a Pentecostal preacher's daughter who has "star" ambitions, a voice to rival that of any country music queen, and a salty tongue that belies her sweetness and innocence. She would like nothing better than to be the next Dolly Parton or Tammy Wynette. Country singer a plus.

Donnie Ray Nicely late 20's/early 30's. Donnie Ray is the orphan son of another of Lib's friends, and the janitor and general caretaker of the lunch counter. He's a little slow but has a heart of gold. He often communicates with phrases he's read or heard on the radio or television. "Barefoot In the Park"

Corie Bratter – Young newlywed, free-spirited, impulsive

Paul Bratter – Young newlywed lawyer, practical, conservative

Ethel Banks – Corie's mother, mid-fifties, lives alone in New Jersey, practical, more like her son-in-law than her daughter

Victor Velasco – Charming, eccentric, middle-aged neighbor

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Auditioning actors will cold-read from scripts, but may also bring prepared monologues. Headshots and resumes are preferred, but a snapshot can be provided with a Spur audition form. Photos and resumes may also be e-mailed to info@saladosilverspur.com

## Village-wide garage sale benefits PALS

The Public Arts League of Salado (PALS) has scheduled a Village wide Garage Sale for April 10. Proceeds from the sale will be used to support PALS' scholarship program as well as aiding in its continuing effort to identify and bring to Salado notable works of public art. This is the first of continuing annual sales and PALS is seeking the support of the entire community to-

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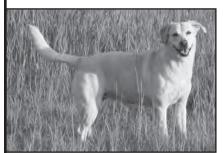
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The Village of Salado government has received a variance request from the leaser at 110 N. Stagecoach Rd. The leaser has asked to not be required to install a water fountain at this establishment as required by I.P.C.

The variance request will be considered by the Zoning Board of Adjustment at a hearing on

Friday, March 12, 2010 at 8:30AM

at the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. The Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing on this issue on Thursday, March 18, 2010.

This is your opportunity to voice any concerns you might have as a neighbor to this property.



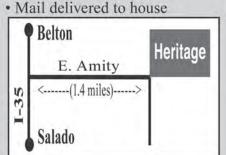


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Dear EarthTalk: Some time ago there were issues with Native American tribes storing nuclear waste on their land, something that was both unhealthy to the communities and caused considerable controversy among tribal leaders. Where is this issue today? -- M. Spenser, via e-mail

Native tribes across the American West have been and continue to be subjected to significant amounts of radioactive and otherwise hazardous waste as a result of living near nuclear test sites, uranium mines, power plants and toxic waste dumps.

And in some cases tribes are actually hosting hazardous waste on their sovereign reservationswhich are not subject to the same environmental and health standards as U.S. land—in order to generate revenues. Native American advocates argue that siting such waste on or near reservations is an "environmental justice" problem, given that twice as many Native families live below the poverty line than other sectors of U.S. society and often have few if any options for generating income.

"In the quest to dispose of nuclear waste, the government and private companies have disregarded and broken treaties, blurred the definition of Native American sovereignty, and directly engaged in a form of economic racism akin to bribery,"

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says Bayley Lopez of the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation. He cites example after example of the government and private companies taking advantage of the "overwhelming poverty on native reservations by offering them millions of dollars to host nuclear waste storage sites."

The issue came to a head—and Native advocates hope a turning point—in 2007 when public pressure forced the Skull Valley band of Utah's Goshute tribe to forego plans to offer their land, which is already tucked between a military test site, a chemical weapons depot and a toxic magnesium production facility, for storing spent nuclear fuel above ground. The facility would have been a key link in the chain of getting nuclear waste to Yucca Mountain, the U.S. government's proposed permanent storage facil-

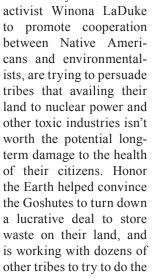
In February 2009, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) announced intentions to scale back efforts to make Yucca Mountain the nation's sole repository of radioactive nuclear waste and to look into alternative long-term strategies for dealing with its spent nuclear fuel.

The National Congress of American Indians, in representing the various tribes around the region, no doubt breathed a sigh of relief.

The issue essentially goes much deeper: As long as we continue to make use of nuclear energy and many in Congress are looking to expand its role to get away from fossil fuels—the waste and spent nuclear fuel will keep coming and need to be stored somewhere. Groups like Honor the Earth,

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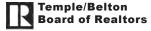
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AUSTIN – (November 19, 2009) – The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) today approved by resolution a loan in the amount of \$23,200,000 under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF)-Disadvantaged Communities Program or through an alternative source of funding, to the Central Texas Water Supply Corporation (Bell, Burnet, Coryell, Falls, Milam and Williamson Counties) to finance water system improvements.

This project has been approved for funding under ARRA through the DWSRF or an alternative source of funding under the standard State Revolving Funds. Financing will be offered with the same favorable terms and conditions as are available under ARRA.

With these funds, the Central Texas Water Supply Corporation (Corporation) proposes to complete the following projects: construction of a three million-gallons-per-day surface water treatment plant with a 300,000 gallon equalization water storage tank; two four-million-gallonsper-day raw water pumps; raw water intake screens; an electrical building; construction of a one million gallon treated water clearwell water storage tank; construction of a three-pump high service pump station; construction of a 600,000 gallon elevated storage tank; and the purchase and installation of automated leak detection equipment.

The Corporation is located approximately 70 miles north of Austin. The Corporation serves a population of approximately 28,224. Its water system has 16 wholesale customers, and they anticipate adding two additional customers.

The TWDB is the state agency charged with collecting and disseminating water-related data, assisting with regional planning and preparing the State Water Plan for the development of the state's water resources. TWDB administers cost-effective financial programs for the construction of water supply, wastewater treatment, flood control, and agricultural water conservation projects.

On February 17, 2009 President Obama signed the ARRA, which included funds for water and wastewater infrastructure financing to be administered through existing Clean Water State Revolving Funds (CWSRF) and Drinking Water State Revolving Funds (DWSRF). The intent of the ARRA is to provide funds to projects that are ready to proceed by Feb. 17, 2010.

Some of the key requirements of ARRA are:

- At least 50 percent of the funds must be used to provide additional subsidies to eligible recipients in the form of grants, loan forgiveness, or negative interest rates
- At least 20 percent of the funds must be used to fund Green Reserve projects
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For ARRA, projects submitted for consideration on the CWSRF and DWSRF Intended Use Plans (IUP) were prioritized based on their readiness to proceed to construction with additional emphasis on disadvantaged communities and Green Reserve projects. The Board approved the IUPs for CWSRF on June 18, 2009 and for DWSRF on July 16, 2009.

All funded projects must have executed construction contracts or be under construction by Feb. 17, 2010.

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94 acres, excellent development potential fronting FM 2268 \$5,900 per acre.

#### Over 100 Acres

176 acres. 5,000 ft. plus of creek frontage 2 miles west of Salado.

540 Acres with three miles of Little River frontage, live water bek, large lake, large century Live trees, large pecan trees, rolling topography, on Sullivan Road.

600 Acres: Beautiful Rolling Hill country Topography, fully game proof fenced, pecan grove, tanks, live water creek, Large live oaks, smooth bottom field land with Hill country hills surrounding, OUTSTANDING home sites EXCELLENT hunting. 718-2000

#### Commercial

106 North Main Street Salado, Excellent Retail within the walk area of downtown Salado, \$399,500.