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## A Look Back at 2017 in Salado

What a ride 2017 has been for Salado. From the second petition for disannexation to the completion of work on I-35 to the reopening of Stagecoach Inn restaurant to the facilities study laying the groundwork for a May bond election for Salado schools, 2017 has been marked by many highs.

It started with good news when Lilian Halabi won the Jan. 24 episode of Cake Wars. Halabi owns Lily's Cakes in Harker Heights. She and husband Sam also own La Rio Mansion in Belton, a large event venue and the Inn at Salado on Main St. Salado. She and assistant Samantha Adkins went to Los Angeles over the summer in 2016 for the competition that required Halabi to bake a Monopoly-themed cake in a four-hour period. The episode was taped over the summer and Halabi and her family, including husband Sam, son Amir, 18 and daughters Sarah, 15 and Zeina, 10, and employees had to be mum about it until it aired on Jan. 24.

Barrow Brewing Co. was named the 2016 Business of the Year during the annual Salado Chamber of Commerce awards banquet on Jan. 26. During the banquet, Kaye and Frank Coachman were named Citizen of the Year, Jane Wilmer had her name added to the Salado Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame and the Ambassador of the Year was Marjorie Hairston.

At the same time, a petition calling for the disannexation of a large portion of Salado was circulating, this time with a metes and bounds description. The petition met the February deadline to call for a May election on the matter. The election was called after a group that calls itself FED UP gathered 77 signatures on a petition calling for the disannexation of an area of Salado and presented it to Mayor Skip Blancett Feb. 9.

At the same time that voters were discussing whether or not to disannex, they were voting to elect three aldermen from a field of seven candidates (only one of whom lived outside the disannexation area).

Also during the weeks leading up to the May elec-

tion, the Village of Salado was without a city manager of any sort, as well as a police chief. The interim city manager David Miller left employment for another position. In February, mayor Skip Blancett announced that the Village would contract with Raymond Dale Brown to begin duties as interim city manager on Feb. 19. However, the Village opted not to bring in another interim as it was in the process of narrowing its candidates for the permanent position to begin work shortly. Having an interim for just a few weeks made little sense to the board of aldermen at that time.

Police chief Jack Hensley resigned his position as did police officer Sid Post in February.

With the filing date for the May election coming in February, Salado ISD and the Salado Public Library Board both canceled their election. Salado ISD canceled its May election as only three people applied to run for the board and were automatically elected to the board: incumbent Kim Bird, Troy Smith and Nate Self. The Salado Public Library Board of Directors canceled its election as only three people filed for election to the board: Patricia Rehm, Soo Kim-Delio and Bobbette Bell.

Candidates for the board of aldermen were David T. Williams (incumbent), Linda Reynolds, Michael McDougal (incumbent), Andy Jackson, Fred Brown (incumbent), Christopher Tramel and Judy Fields. Jackson, McDougal and Brown won election to the board.

Aldermen voted on March 23 to hire Don Ferguson for Village Administrator. Ferguson was the City Administrator at the Village of Wimberley for the past 10 years, leaving there in a February agreement with the Wimberley city council.

As the city administrator in Wimberley, Ferguson coordinated the design and development of the \$3 million Blue Hole Regional Park project that was awarded the 2012 Municipal Excellence Award for Public Works for cities under 25,000 population by the Texas Municipal

League (TML). He was city administrator in Rollingwood in 2004-07 and was the assistant city manager in New Braunfels from 1996 to 2004. Prior to working in city administration, Ferguson was a news reporter and news director in radio for almost two decades.

At the same time, aldermen hired former Salado mayor Rick Ashe as the Chief of Police for the Village of Salado.

Ashe has 36 years experience as a police officer, first in the U.S. Army, where he served in Germany 1981-1984. He was a police officer with the City of Woodway 1987-1990 serving as a patrol officer. Since 1990, he was employed by the Temple Police Department. Ashe retired from the Temple PD in April and began his new duties as the Chief of Police in Salado in May.

Ashe was named the Outstanding Peace Officer in Bell County in 1996. He was also named the Outstanding Police Officer in Temple in 1996. He was named a Master Peace Officer in 2005 and has numerous awards and commendations from the Temple Police Department. He was the President of the Texas Municipal Police Association in 1998.

Ashe was one of the first elected aldermen for the Village of Salado, serving from his election in 2000 until he ran for and was elected Mayor of Salado in 2004. He served as Mayor of Salado until 2008 and served on the Central Texas Council of Government executive board 2006-08.

Voters overwhelmingly rejected disannexation and returned two of three incumbents to the Village of Salado Board of Aldermen in a local race in which 44 percent of all registered voters cast ballots. Saladoans turned down the disannexation proposition 707 against to 116 for. In early voting, 595 cast ballots with 517 voting against and 75 voting for.

Andy Jackson led the field of seven candidates with 511 votes, followed by McDougal, 442, and Brown, 379. Also running for the board of aldermen were Williams,

219, Reynolds, 209, Fields, 190 and Tramel, 170.

Mayor Skip Blancett terminated Salado Chamber of Commerce and Tourism Bureau executive director Mary Poché's employment on May 9. Erin Klingmann was named the Interim Executive Director. Klingmann became the Executive Director before her resignation in the late Fall. The Village is currently in the process of hiring a new Executive Director. Just before the termination of Poché, the Tourism office relocated to south Main Street, where it is housed at the Salado Museum, along with the Salado Chamber of Commerce. The Village and Salado Chamber of Commerce terminated their contract for services this fall. The Chamber announced the hire of Ashley Bray this fall.

Village secretary Judy King resigned her position with the Village of Salado with her last day on the job being June 9. Cara McPartland is the new Village secretary.

Kicking off the beginning of summer, the Village of Salado held a ribbon cutting to officially mark the end of construction on I-35 through the Village. The end of work comes two years beyond the contracted deadline with James Construction for the project. Work began in 2012 and was scheduled to complete in Spring 2015.

The completion of work on I-35 coincided with the re-opening of the historic Stagecoach Inn restaurant in June. The restaurant and motel had been closed for almost

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### Mermaid Madness

Mermaids of all sizes and ages converged on Salado for the first annual Sirena Festival and Mermaid Parade on Oct. 7. The festival and parade celebrate The Legend of Sirena. Hundreds lined Main Street from Pace Park to Royal for the Mermaid Parade, which included performers from Circus Picnic. Families are looking forward to next year's event.



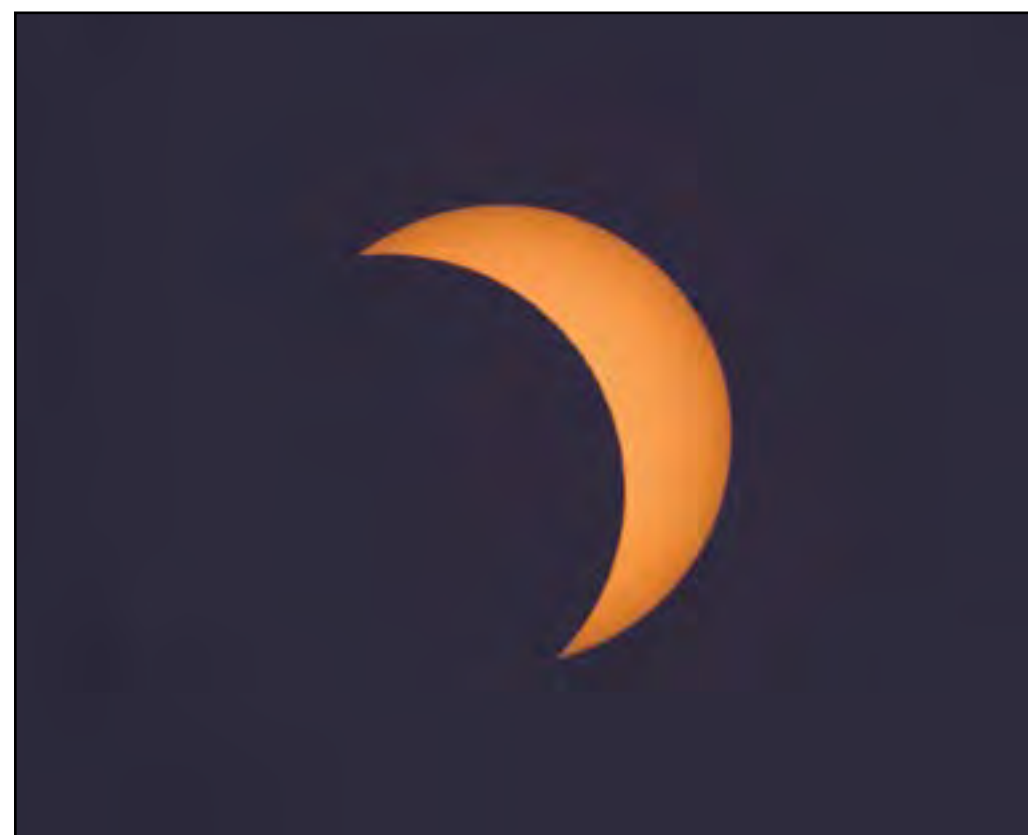
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Lilian Halabi is all smiles during her presentation on the Monopoly-themed Cake Wars episode which aired in January.

Cutter Hudgens and Jamie Rich were crowned Homecoming King and Queen on Sept. 22. (PHOTO BY RON LEQUIN)



Donald P. Ferguson  
COURTESY WIMBERLEY VIEW



Jeffrey McClure, who has been photographing the night sky for several years now, captured this image during the solar eclipse on Aug. 21. Salado and Texas were in the path of a partial eclipse, which is shown above at its fullest occultation. Salado will be in the path of a total solar eclipse in 2024. (PHOTOS BY JEFFREY W. McCLURE)



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## New tax law could boost economy in the short term

The Markets

It looks like we will never find out what would happen if the new tax bill failed to become law, but we do know what happened on the day it did; the S&P 500 (SPX) dropped about one and a quarter points, and the Dow Jones Industrial Average (the Dow) dropped 28 points. For the week, apparently despite the new tax law, the SPX was up 0.28 percent to close at 2683.34 and the Dow was up 0.42 percent. With one week left in the year, the SPX is up 19.85 percent for the year and 3.11 percent for the trailing month. If history is any guide will be up more in the week to come. The final week of the year has an excellent upside history.

The passage of the tax bill did have a relatively significant effect on bond yields, with the U.S. 10-year treasury note yield rising from just above 2.35 percent on Monday to just under 2.5 percent by the close on Friday. Also on Friday, the price of bitcoin dropped about 25 percent in a single 24-hour period and was down more than 30 percent for the week. Gold rose 1.67 percent for the week on buying out of Spain following the Catalan (Spain) election of a majority independence legislature, signaling a possible breakup of the Spanish nation.

The Economy

The Commerce Department reported that orders for durable goods, items expected to last three or more years, rose 1.3 percent in November and is up 5.4 percent for the trailing 12 months. Digging deeper, new orders for nondefense capital goods, a benchmark measure of busi-

### Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure



ness long-term investment, was up 5.1 percent year-to-date. That increase confirms the analysis we made last week that manufacturing and other long-lead-time areas of the economy were anticipating an increase in contracts for 2018.

Separately, but confirming the overall direction of the economy, the rate of US home construction rose 3.4 percent from last November, according to the Census Bureau. Within that number, the single-family home starts rose 12 percent since this time last year. Since single-family homes constitute the largest economic multiplier in our economy, that too bodes well for the US economy in 2018.

The 800-pound gorilla in the (economic) room was the tax bill passed by Congress and signed into law on Friday by President Trump. Although it was touted as a tax simplification bill, from our reading it maintained at least as much complexity as its predecessor. What it did do was to lower taxes for just about every American. For business owners, it lowered taxes a lot! Corporate rates dropped to a maximum 21 percent, although a tax will now be levied on overseas earnings, diminishing the potential corporate earnings boost for 2018.

The elimination of any additional cost for bringing money home for American-based multinational

companies has a high potential. The Wall Street Journal did a survey to get a feel for how corporations would use the money. The list of uses included share buy-backs, mergers and acquisitions, debt reduction, and very importantly, investment in more automatization (robots). Just possibility, that last item may be the biggest effect.

Shorter-term, the new tax law has the potential to create a substantial boost for the stock market. Share buy-backs decrease the number of shares outstanding while at the same time increasing earnings per share. Lower corporate rates add to those earnings. The last time we had a tax break that encouraged corporations to bring overseas money back to the US was in 1994, and may have been a major cause of the runaway bull market that started that year and ran until 2000.

Our advice is to remember that the tax cuts for individuals are temporary and will generally convert to a tax increase by 2027. The boost to the market and economy from the corporate money returning home will also be temporary, so recognize this as a short-term windfall that could well result in a market rise that may not be sustainable. We suggest that at least some of the windfall be used to ensure that you have a good savings position and are prepared for the downturn that will come later.

## Give Trump Credit Where It's Due

Rich Lowry



Republicans have tried, on and off, to open the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge for oil drilling since the 1980s. The effort has always engendered intense opposition and always been abandoned. A provision for drilling in ANWR is included in the Republican tax bill almost as an afterthought.

Republicans took a constitutional fight against Obamacare's individual mandate to the Supreme Court in 2012, and lost. They targeted it in their Obamacare repeal-and-replace bill earlier this year, and lost. They tried again with a last-ditch "skinny repeal" bill, and lost yet again. Repeal of the individual mandate also is included in the Republican tax bill.

As the year ends, President Donald Trump is compiling a solid record of accomplishment. Much of it is unilateral, dependent on extensive executive actions rolling back President Barack Obama's regulations, impressive judicial appointments and the successful fight against ISIS overseas. The tax bill is the significant legislative achievement that heretofore had been missing.

For much of the year, Trump's presidency had seemed to be sound and fury signifying not much besides the welcome ascension of Neil Gorsuch to the Supreme Court; now, it is sound and

fury signifying a discernible shift of American government to the right. It's hard to see how a conventional Republican president would have done much better, except if he had managed to get Obamacare repealed.

The tax cut is big -- \$1.5 trillion over 10 years, and even more if you account for the budgetary gimmicks -- and has changes that conservative economists have sought for decades, particularly the lower corporate rate (from 35 to 21 percent), the move to a territorial tax system (companies would only be taxed on their earnings in the U.S.), and the business expensing (companies can write off the full cost of new buildings and equipment).

The administration's deregulatory apparatus has been in full gear. The Environmental Protection Agency is unspooling the Waters of the United States and the Clean Power Plan, major Obama-era regulations. The Federal Communications Commission reversed net neutrality. The Education Department rescinded an Obama administration Title IX letter that pushed colleges into abandoning due process in sexual-assault cases.

Obama administration rulings that occasioned fierce debates during his time in office have fallen by the wayside with barely a whimper. Obama blocked the Keystone pipeline. Trump greenlighted it without a fuss. Obama imposed a Health and Human Services mandate that feminists portrayed as the only obstacle between women and a "Handmaid's Tale" future. Trump reversed it, and contraception is still widely and easily available in America.

Three acts stand out -- pulling out of the Paris accords, decertifying the Iran deal and declaring Jerusalem the capital of Israel. All three demonstrated an imperviousness to polite opinion that is one of Trump's signature qualities.

The president also began the process of ending DACA, the Obama amnesty for so-called DREAMers, and has re-established a baseline of immigration enforcement that has had an instant impact on illegal border crossings.

None of this is to deny Trump's failings. His toxic persona could drive a Democratic wave in the 2018 midterms. Whatever next year brings, though, Republicans aren't leaving this one empty-handed.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review. (c) 2017 by King Features Synd., Inc.

## Transfer students & Salado ISD

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



lose would be greater than the amount of transfer fees we would collect. When we made that change four years ago, there were 350 districts in Texas that were Chapter 41 and only twelve of those 350 districts charged a transfer fee.

Fact #6 - Transfer students have to re-apply every year. The three criteria that determine whether or not they are allowed to return the next school year are their behavior, attendance, and academics.

Fact #7 - Transfer students do not pay property taxes to our district. However, indirectly they do pay property taxes to our district. Families that own a home in another school district pay property taxes to that district. If they enroll their student in our school district instead of the one they live in, the state funding is reduced for that district and the state funding is increased for our school district. Thus, indirectly (through the state), they do pay property taxes to our district. The same concept applies to people that live in our school district, but rent a house or apartment. They do not property pay taxes directly to our school district, but indirectly (through their landlord) they do pay taxes to our school district.

Fact #8 - The majority of our enrollment growth has been from resident students that live in our school district. Of the additional 506 students our district has grown over the past five years, 410 of them (81 percent) are resident students and 96 of them (19 percent) are transfer students. Out of all 81 school districts in the Waco region (from Salado up to Hillsboro), our enrollment has increased the highest percentage (38 percent) in the last five years. The next four districts with the highest percentage increases are Academy 33 percent, Belton 17 percent, Midway 10 percent, and Killeen 6 percent. Only counting our

additional 410 resident students, our enrollment has still increased over 30 percent and we would have the second highest percentage increase out of all 81 school districts.

Fact #9 - As a result of no longer accepting new transfer students this past year (other than the few exceptions listed above), our number of transfer students lowered from 254 last year to 237 this year. Even though we have 17 less transfer students this year, we have 117 more resident students, for a net increase of 100 students this year. Templeton Demographics, a company that does enrollment projections for many districts across the state, including Belton, Academy, Jarrell, and Troy, projects our enrollment to continue to increase by over 100 resident students each year for at least the next ten years.

Fact #10 - The earliest possible time that we could open a new school would be August 2020. At that time the enrollment of only our resident students is projected to be 1,941, which is 87 students above our current enrollment of 1,854, including transfer students. Thus, our need for additional classrooms is based on our rapid increase in resident student enrollment and would exist regardless of whether or not we have transfer students enrolled in our school district.

In summary, our school board unanimously approved a change in school board policy on November 28, 2016 to discontinue accepting new transfer students, other than the few exceptions listed above. As a result of this policy change, our transfer student enrollment has declined and will continue to decline. Our resident student enrollment is increasing rapidly and we have a committee of parents, school district employees, and community members working on a long range facilities plan to provide classrooms and extra-curricular facilities to accommodate all of these students.

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Salado celebrated the end of I-35 construction with a May 11 ribbon cutting at the Stagecoach Mural at the Salado Plaza overpass. Representatives from TXDOT and James Construction were present along with Congressman John Carter, Salado Mayor Skip Blawie, mural artist Michael Ford and Salado Chamber of Commerce and Tourism Bureau Chairman Dave Swarthout. (PHOTOS BY TIM FLEISCHER)

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two years with renovation work delayed by the further delays of I-35 construction. In mid-June Stagecoach Inn unofficially opened by playing host to a banquet for 100 people gathered here for the 150th anniversary of the Salado Masonic Lodge. Grand Master Gerry Kirby came to Salado to honor the local lodge with a Sesquicentennial certificate from the Grand Lodge of Texas AF A&M.

The Strawberry Kiss and Hush Puppies are back!

Work has begun on the renovation of the motel rooms. In the first phase of renovations, 40 rooms are expected to open in 2018.

Shortly after TxDOT finished work on I-35, it held the first public meeting in August for an improvement project for Main Street Salado.

The improvements would extend from Salado Plaza Drive to College Hill Drive.

This project would consist of constructing sidewalks, providing pavement striping for bicycles, installing lighting and replacing the culvert at Campbell Branch Creek.

The proposed improvements would also address parking, drainage and driveway access to adjacent properties. No new right of way would be required for this project.

In other infrastructure news for Salado, the Village got all of its permits for the construction of the sewer system and awarded bids for the collection system and wastewater plant construction this fall. Construction is slated to start in early January.

Salado could have an Airpark complete with privately-owned hangers and living quarters, if a proposal comes to fruition.

The Village is currently studying the feasibility of a proposal which would ultimately bring the acreage of the Airpark into the Village limits and ownership of the runways, taxi ways and flight operations building to the



Dr. Michael Novotny signed the paperwork to finalize the purchase of just over 50 acres of property for the Salado ISD during the Christmas holiday.

Village.

Salado ISD has laid the groundwork for a major bond election in 2018. A facilities long range planning committee has met throughout the fall to make recommendations to the Board of Trustees in late January. The committee learned that the maximum amount the dis-

trict could call for a bond election is \$48 million. The committee has looked at estimates of 12 different projects including construction of new campuses and improvements of existing. This year, the district purchased just over 50 acres adjacent to its William Rd. high school campus.

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## 3 Kings 3 Miler to be held Jan. 6

The 4th Annual 3 Kings 3 Miler will be held 8 a.m. Jan. 6 beginning at the St. Joseph's Episcopal Church on N. Main St. Salado. Registration is \$30 for adults and \$20 for kids. Salado ISD students. The officially timed and measured 5k will begin at St. Joseph's on Main Street. The course goes south on Main St. and loops through Pace Park, goes east on Royal to Center Circle and back up Main St. to the church. Race Day, the cost is \$35. Register to race or donate to the cause at <https://runsignup.com/race/tx/salado/3kings3miler>. Twenty-five percent of the net proceeds from this year's race will help fund Salado Family Relief and the remainder will help St. Joseph's outreach ministry to Salado and the surrounding area.

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Saturday, Jan. 6 from 9:30 a.m. to noon  
Sunday, Jan. 7, both services 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.

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## New Year renewal event held Jan. 5-7 at Christ Episcopal

Christ Episcopal Church in Temple presents Jesus Wants You. The New Year renewal event is designed to go from survival to revival. Rev. Canon Douglas Rengar will be the featured speaker. He is the former interim Anglican observer to the United Nations. The event is scheduled for 7- 8:30 p.m., reception to follow Jan. 5. The event continues 9:30 a.m. Jan. 6 and two services 8:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Jan. 7. Christ Episcopal Church is located at 300 N. Main St., Temple, TX 76501. For more information you may call 254-773-1657.

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## Bradley receives Master of Public Administration

The University of Texas at Tyler held fall 2017 commencement ceremonies Dec. 15 - 16. College of Arts and Sciences included 191 candidates. Among those receiving a Master of Public Administration was Salado resident Olga Ramirez Bradley. Commencement speakers and the ceremonies during which they spoke were: John E. Soules, Sr., chairman of the board at John Soules Foods - Colleges of Nursing and Health Sciences and Arts and Sciences James I. Perkins, president and chairman of Citizens 1st Bank - Colleges of Business and Technology, Education and Psychology and Engineering All ceremonies were held in the R. Don Cowan Fine and Performing Arts Center.

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# Community Life

## New Year Services set for Salado Churches

Salado churches announce the following New Year's Schedules.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SALADO

First Baptist Church of Salado will have a will have one Connect Worship service at 10:30 a.m. Dec. 31.

The church is located at 210 South Main St.

### SALADO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

This year, Salado United Methodist Church will have two services on New Year's Eve with a 9 a.m. services in the Worship Center and an 11:15 a.m. service in the Historic Chapel.

### SALADO CHURCH OF CHRIST

Salado Church of Christ, located at 217 Stagecoach Rd, will have its regular worship service at 10 a.m. Dec. 31.

### ST. STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Stephen Catholic Church, 601 FM 2268, will have Mass at the following times during the New Year's holiday:

Dec. 31 (New Year's Eve): 9 a.m. Mass; 11 a.m. Spanish Mass; 7 p.m. Vigil Bilingual.  
Jan. 1 (New Year's Day):

### A&M Singing Cadets perform Jan. 12 at First Baptist Church

Texas A&M University Singing Cadets will perform in concert 7 p.m. January 12, at First Baptist Church of Salado, 210 Main Street.

The A&M Singing Cadets were established as an all-male chorus in 1893. The group was originally known as the Texas A&M Glee Club, but were renamed the Singing Cadets in 1940. Texas A&M was originally an all-male, military institution. Therefore, at one time, all of the members of The Singing Cadets were members of the Corps of Cadets. However, Corps of Cadets membership is no longer a requirement for membership in the Singing Cadets.

David L. Kipp, the current director of the Singing Cadets, started his tenure in 1995. Kipp is the 13th director of the 60 member men's choral group. Under his lead, the Singing Cadets are staying true to their crisp military style and diverse selection of music. A Singing Cadets concert will include a wide variety of music. With traditional school songs as the bookends for the show, the program consists of religious, patriotic, Broadway, popular, and novelty numbers. The Singing Cadets use their love of singing to enthusiastically spread the name of their beloved university.

9 a.m. Mass; 11 a.m. Mass.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SALADO

Presbyterian Church of Salado will have its regular service at 10 a.m. Dec. 31 with Adult Sunday School at 9 a.m.

The church is located at 100 Salado Plaza Dr., just off of N. Main St.

### ST. JOSEPH'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Joseph's Episcopal Church at 881 N. Main St. will have regular services on Dec. 31. Holy Eucharist at 9 a.m. and at 11 a.m.

### GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

Grace Baptist Church at 5798 FM 2484 will have worship at 10:30 a.m. Dec. 31.

### CEDAR VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

Cedar Valley Baptist Church at 2237 FM 2843 will have the following services.

Fourth Friday is canceled.

New Year's Watch Night gospel singing will begin at 7 p.m. Dec. 31 and continue through midnight. Pot luck will be at 10 p.m. The Latimers from Burleson, Texas will be special guest singers. After the break and potluck, ring in the New Year with more singing and fellowship! Sunday church service will be at 11 a.m. on Dec. 31.

### 3C COWBOY FELLOWSHIP

3C Cowboy Fellowship at Gooseneck Rd. will have its regular Sunday service at 10 a.m. Dec. 31.

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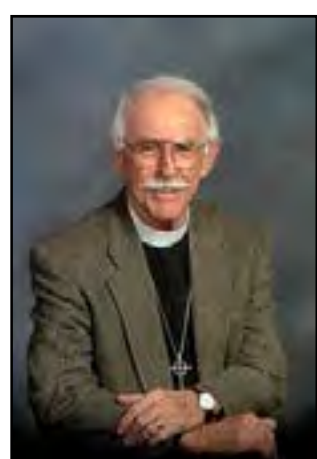
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**Rev. Don Edward Legge**  
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The Rev. Don Edward Legge passed away peacefully in his home on December 14, 2017, in Georgetown, Texas.

Don was born in Paducah, Texas in the summer of 1931 to Margaret and Eudell Legge. His young parents welcomed into their modest home Margaret's widowed mother, Julia Moore, and her two young children, Jeanette and Betty Jo, who became his older "sisters."

Don graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in San Antonio, TX. He graduated from the University of Texas in Austin with a Bachelor of Architecture degree. He participated in Student Government, was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, and other honorary organizations.

After serving in the US Army, he returned to Austin and established a small general architectural practice. He was the Executive Director of the Texas Society of Architects for a time and returned to private practice in 1972.

In his youthful years, he was increasingly burdened by chronic alcoholism until, crushed by its devastation, in an "Event of Grace," he was brought to the healing fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous on December 18, 1971. There he found sobriety, transformation and health, and in which company he has lived ever since, as they say, "happy, joyous and free," blessed with a myriad of friends whose love was his wealth.


Eventually becoming an Episcopalian, he left his professional practice and served for ten years as a hospital chaplain. Called to ordained ministry late in life, he became a Priest of the Church and the Vicar of All Saints' Episcopal Church in Cameron, TX, where "Father Don" served until his retirement in 2007. Don also served as President of The Recovery Ministries of the Episcopal Church, was a founder of the Diocese of Texas "Little Church Club," and served as Chaplin to Retired Priests in the Austin area.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret Peery, his children Emily Legge and Adam Legge, grandchildren Joe Gelino and wife Tiffany, Jamie Black and husband Mike, great-granddaughter Jordan Gelino, and step-daughter Meegan Peery.

A Memorial Celebration will be held at 1:00 pm on Friday, January 5, 2018, at All Saints' Episcopal Church, Cameron, TX. A family Memorial Gathering will be arranged at a later date in Salt Lake City, UT. In lieu of flowers, donations are suggested for Down Home Ranch in Elgin, TX or Christian Farms-Treehouse in Temple, TX.

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# LoneStar eBikes and Salado combine to give 14 Bikes to local children

LoneStar eBikes celebrated Christmas in Salado by connecting bicycles with children that need them.

The Bikes for Kids program was started soon after LoneStar eBikes opened six months ago; however, as bikes started to be given to children in Bell County, word started to spread.

Salado and the surrounding communities have donated over 25 bikes, 15 helmets, 12 locks, parts and cash to help get bikes to kids that will use them.

Jay Ford, owner of LoneStar eBikes, started "Bikes for Kids" because when he was a child, and his family did not have much money; people from his small city brought him some used toys that he played with for years.

LoneStar eBikes received help from Light House Ministries foster care program in Salado to get bikes to children who wanted them for Christmas.

"We have been giving bikes to kids for the past four months as we find children that need them, but we wanted to do something special for Christmas. Salado has been generous all along and we want them to know what a difference they have made, by sharing this story." Jay Ford mentions.

LoneStar eBikes opened in Salado in July 2017, and quickly realized that when customers bought an eBike they had no need for their regular bicycles. Customers donated their old bikes in order for LoneStar eBikes to fix them up and find good homes for them.

Residents of Salado heard about the opportunity to donate bikes and responded by donating even more bikes, helmets, locks, parts and



money.

"People have been coming by almost every day with bikes and donations. We even had neighbors placing orders with Amazon to make sure we had locks and helmets for every bike." said Mary Ford, COO of LoneStar eBikes. "We even had people making sure they got the right size and color of helmets to match the child and bike. Salado and the surrounding communities have been extremely giving and loving to provide so much for the children that need bikes."

LoneStar eBikes provided parts, labor and tools to repair, clean and tune-up these bikes for kids; however, others donated their time and energy to help get bikes ready in time for Christmas.

"There is no way I could have prepped all of these bikes that are needed while also doing my other work. William Johnson and Johnny Strack donated dozens of hours of their time without pay to make sure the bikes were safe and ready before they were to be picked up," said Dan Martinez, VP of Technology for LoneStar eBikes.

Strack has worked very hard and independently while he is looking for a new job;

Johnson has been working after school at LoneStar eBikes as an intern to get experience and to help the other kids in community enjoy cycling like he does, according to Martinez. "William repairs bikes on his own at his home, and many of the bikes and parts donated were from his personal collection of over 30 bikes," Martinez said.

Nancy Martinez, the LoneStar eBikes Customer Service Manager, also rolled up her sleeves to clean and repair bikes to help them be ready in time.

About LoneStar eBikes

LoneStar eBikes rents eBikes to Salado visitors and shoppers to make the travels around the village fun, convenient, healthy, and green. LoneStar also provides a variety of Tours to make exploring Salado easier and exhilarating. Tours include History, Art, Food/Beer/Wine, Shopping, Gardens, Night, and an Off-road Adventure to Dana Peak.

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# Salado Schools & Sports

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Covering Salado students from Thomas Arnold to SHS

December 21, 2017



Salado freshman Jaci McGregor (2044) broke the Salado High School cross country record when she placed seventh in the UIL State Meet on Nov. 4 at the Old Settlers Park in Round Rock. She ran the two-mile course in 11:53, six seconds ahead of the school record mark of 11:59 by Lauren Mewhinney in 2001.



Nathaniel Sunshine, Marc Olivares and Ben Sunshine watch Regional Robotics competition. The Salado Eaglebots earned a berth in the World Championship in 2017.

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## Eagles soar in '17

Salado students had a great deal of success in 2017, including a deep playoff run for the first time in a decade by the Salado Eagles football team and a freshman runner breaking the school record in cross country at the State Meet late in the year.

Here are some of the highlights of 2017, beginning with the winter sports and spring competitions of the 2016-17 school year.

### Basketball

The Salado Lady Eagles were the fourth place team in District 19-4A, losing to

Navasota in the first round of the playoffs (59-29).

The boys basketball team did not make the playoffs out of district 19-4A in the 2016-17 season.

### Girls Soccer

The Salado Lady Eagles were Co-District Champions in 2017 with an 11-1 district record. They finished district ranked #9 in state by the Texas Girls Coaches Association. The girls' soccer season came to an end April 4 in a 3-0 Regional Quarterfinal loss to Boerne. The loss dropped Salado's record to 18-5-1.

### Boys Soccer

Salado Eagles were the champions of District 25-4A Soccer and shut out LaGrange in the first round of the playoffs.

The Eagles were shocked in the second round by the Canyon Lake Hawks, who handed Salado only their second loss of the season, scoring the game winning goal 50 seconds into the stoppage time of the second half. The Hawks also made a save in the closing seconds of stoppage play to secure the 2-1 win over Salado.

### Track

Salado Varsity lady Eagles placed fourth in the District 19-4A Track Meet on April 11 while the Eagles placed fifth in the meet.

Girls qualifying for the Area Meet were Sarah Kelarek, Brianna Washington, Lorna Fleet, the 4X100 Meter Relay of Kelarek, Regina Deen, Kaia Philemon and Elizabeth Ford, the 4X400 meter Relay team of Washington, Macy Thrasher, Deen and Taylor Rich, Brittney Vrooman and Piper Randolph.

Boys qualifying for Area were Holden Ford, Cutter Hudgens, the 800 Meter Relay team of Jake Elliott, Ford, Justin Learn and Wade Woods, and the 1600 Meter Relay of Elliott, Chase Harwell, Learn and Woods.

Qualifying for the Regional Meet were these girls: Washington, Randolph, Deen, Philemon, Kelarek, Rich, Thrasher, Fleet, Randolph, Vrooman.

Two boys qualified for the Regional Track Meet: Hudgens and Ford.

### Golf

Salado Eagles golf added another District championship to the trophy case, led by Caleb Schwertner who

shot a 158 over two days. The Lady Eagles placed second in District with a team total of 721. Both teams qualified for Regionals. The Lady Eagles qualified for the State Golf Tournament by placing second in the Regional Tournament behind district foe Lampasas. Jamie Rich led the girls with a two-day total of 178. The varsity boys placed sixth in the Regional Golf Tournament

### Baseball

Salado Eagles fell to the state-ranked Robinson Rockets in the 4A Regional Quarter Finals of the baseball playoffs.

The Eagles placed second in district behind state-ranked Liberty Hill. Salado beat Caldwell and then Athens in the playoffs before falling to the Rockets.

Robinson Rockets, one of the top teams in state, held the Salado Eagles to just two runs in their two-game sweep last week in the 4A Regional Quarter Finals of the baseball playoffs.

Sophomore Tate Harvey was named to the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association All State 4A Team as a second team outfielder. Team mate Drew Dobbins was named to the third team as a pitcher.

Harvey and Dobbins led Salado to the Region Quarterfinals, where the Eagles lost to State Runners-Up Robinson Rockets.

### Tennis

Shane Roche and Eli Pitman placed second in the District Tennis Meet Junior Varsity Boys Doubles division.

### UIL Academic

Salado won the District UIL Academic Contest in March, scoring 445 points. Lampasas and Liberty Hill tied for second with 385 points. Leading the Academic Squad were the first place Spelling Team and the first place Number Sense team.

The Academic Squad also won the Regional Championship.

Salado scored 120 points at the State Meet for third place overall behind perennial powerhouse Argyle (270 points) and Stephenville (156 points). The Spelling team won State with a score of 94.

Salado's One Act Play qualified for the State Meet, where Payton Blisard earned Honorable Mention for his

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**Salado Varsity Lady Eagles soccer**  
 Salado Lady Eagles soccer were District Co-Champions. (Front row, from left) #17 Olivia Sula, #12 Grace Graham, #20 Brileigh Cole, #10 Annie Ewton, #9 Kristin Crouch; (middle row, from left) #6 Candace Brown, #3 Rylie Stewart, #15 Madison Spradlin, #2 Hannah Reavis and #18 Rebecca Gonzales; (back row, from left) #7 Tyler Pierce, #00 Danielle McDaniel, #13 Reagan Morreale.  
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Salado Lady Eagles golfers competed in the UIL State Tournament in May, placing behind Lampasas Lady Bulldogs to qualify for the state tournament. Jamie Rich led the girls with a two-day total of 178. COURTESY PHOTO

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West Orange Stark's Jason Ross #28 knocked the ball loose from Cade Depoy in the end zone. PHOTO BY RON LEQUIN



Salado FFA students competed in the area round of CDE competition. Front l to r: Allison Brinkman, Aspen Robert, Paige Aydele, Kylee Hubbs, Courtney Evans. Second row: Erin Faske, Maddison Brinkman, Kaydee Free, Clayton Kunz, Chase Kunz. Third row: Owen Dabney, Kenneth Schuab, Kenzie Pardon, Carson King. Back row: Christopher Hill, Anthony Bruce, Kylar Combs, Bailee Barrett, Tommie Knox. COURTESY PHOTO

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role as Hugo DePew in the play St. Hugo of Central Park. Third in Area. Nursery/Landscape team: Third in District, Fourth in Area.

**FFA Competition**  
 In FFA competition, Salado had several teams qualify for State Competition: Farm Business Management, District Champions, Second in Area; Livestock Evaluation Team: Second in District, Fourth in Area; Meats Evaluation Team, First in District.

**Film**  
 Salado won the state championship in Division 1 Narrative with the film The Red Rose of Texas. The film was produced by Kaydee Free, Kelsey Marquis and Jason Armitage. Dollhouse, produced by Kelsey Marquis and Rayne Polkowski, placed fourth. There were 141 films entered in the category.

In Digital Animation, Jacob Reeder's Death of Gun Metal Tom placed second. This is Reeder's second appearance at the state festival. Reeder placed second in 2016.

Sixty-three films were entered in Division 1 Documentary. Salado placed fourth with the film Every Day. The

film was produced by Katie McFarland, Rachel Moore and Scarlett Rubio.

**Football**  
 What a ride the Salado Eagles gave football fans in 2017!

With a trio of running backs all rushing for more than 1,000 yards in the regular season and the best defense in the district, Salado bulldozed their way to a 12-2 record on the year.

Salado won the district championship outright, despite an overtime loss to the Fairfield Eagles at home in a game where a malfunctioning 25-second clock haunted the Eagles. With a 9-1 record (outscored opponents 365-139), the Eagles heading into the playoffs.

**Cross Country**  
 Salado freshman Jaci McGregor broke the Salado school record at the State Meet where she placed seventh with a time of 11:33.

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**Eagles defeat Leander to go 1-0 in District play**

Salado Eagles Basketball team defeated Leander Glenn in a conference game Dec. 19. **Salado Eagles 68 Leander Glenn 57**  
 The Eagles trailed Glenn 16-17 in the first and scored 23 points in the second to take a 39-30 halftime lead. Salado added 12 points in the third to hold a 51-43 lead going into the fourth. The Eagles scored 17 points in the fourth to se-

cure the win 68-57. Anthony Young and Jeremy Jarvis led the Eagles in scoring, each with 16 points. Also scoring for Salado were: Shane Roche, 7 points; Zach Shaver, 6 points; Jake Pittman, 5 points; W.p. Roche, 4 points; Eli Pittman and Willy Whigham, 3 points each; Cade Scallin, Reece Brown, Sammy Brown and Peyton Miller, 2 points each.

**Lady Eagles lose to Leander**

Salado Lady Eagles Basketball team dropped a game to Leander Glenn Dec. 19. **Lady Eagles 40 Leander Glenn 48**  
 Salado trailed 6-8 in the first and scored 12 points in the second to enter the half behind 18-23. The Lady Eagles matched Leander Glenn 11-11 in scoring in the third to make the score 29-34. Salado's 11 fourth quarter points

were not enough to catch up to Leander Glenn for a 40-48 loss. Kaia Philen led the Lady Eagles in scoring with 16 points. Followed by Kayla Manning with 11 points. Also scoring for Salado were: Lexi Lima, 5 points; Amanda Cantu, Katelyn Seymour, Danielle McDaniel and Jasey Goings, 2 points each.

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Holden Ford and Cutter Hudgens placed fourth and third respectively in the 110 Meter Hurdles at the Area track meet April 19 to qualify for Regional Track Meet.

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## Review

In the bi-district round, Salado trounced the Columbus Cardinals 42-14. Salado blew past Liberty 63-14 in the Area round. The Eagles broke the Bellville curse with a 13-10 overtime win.

The Eagles faced back-to-back state champions West Orange Stark in the Region finals, the first trip for the Eagles this deep in the playoffs since the 2007 season under Jeff Cheatham.

In a heart-breaking loss, Salado had three touchdowns called back by the men in stripes. The first was

an offensive touchdown on a fourth down attempt in which Salado was called for an illegal formation.

The other two were fumbles that were called back afterwards on what can only be described as questionable calls by the same referee who made the earlier call. The final call resulted in a penalty against Salado for unsportsmanlike conduct, giving Stark a first down at the Eagles three yard line with less than three minutes left in the game. Stark converted the opportunity into a touchdown

for a 14-0 win. The Mustangs beat Wimberley in the State Semi-final 30-21 but lost to Texarkana Pleasant Grove 41-21 in the State Final.

### Band

The following Salado High School band members were named to the All-Region Band earlier in December: Rachel Moore, 10th Chair Symphonic, Trumpet; Natalie McBryde, Third Chair Concert, Trombone; Savannah Reeder, 13th Chair Concert, Clarinet; Erin McBryde, 10th Chair Symphon-



## Spelling takes 1st in State

The Salado High Spelling Team won first in State in the 4A Division last week. Katie Kendall won first place individually with a score of 94, followed by teammate Kayla Manning in second with a score of 93. Cassidy Brown placed seventh with a score of 86. Salado's score (273) was the highest team score in Spelling of any division in the state. Shown above are team members (from left) Matthew Stahnke, Kayla Manning, sponsor Kyra Mann, Katie Kendall and Cassidy Brown. COURTESY PHOTO

## Top 2 SISD graduates named for 2017

About 130 Salado High School seniors graduated 7 p.m. May 26 at the University of Mary Hardin Baylor Mayborn Campus Center.

Kristin Crouch and Olivia Sula graduated at the top of the Class of 2017.

Crouch was the Valedictorian for 2017 with a final grade of 110.15.

Olivia Sula was the Salutatorian with a final grade of 108.82.



Valedictorian Kristin Crouch

Just days before graduating as the Valedictorian for Salado High School, Kristin Crouch wrapped up her career as a student athlete tearing off at the UIL State Golf

Tournament.

Crouch graduates with a 110.159961 grade.

She is the daughter of Karen and Robert Crouch and the younger sister of Kathryn Crouch. She has attended Salado schools for 10 years.

High School hasn't just been hitting the books for Crouch, who took Honors course in Advanced Placement English 3 and 4, AP Statistics, AP Calculus, AP Physics, AP Biology, AP World History, AP United States History, AP American Politics and Government and AP Macroeconomics. She will already have course credits from the AP tests when she begins her college career at Texas A&M University. She will study Business Management and plans on owning and operating a large staffing agency.

Crouch was a member and President of Mu Alpha Theta (2017). She was also a three-year member of National Honor Society and a graduate of the Salado Youth Leadership. She was named an AP

Scholar with Honors Award in 2016.



Salutatorian Olivia Sula

Olivia Suzanne Sula graduates as the Salutatorian with a grade of 108.82.

She is the daughter of Robert and Audra Sula. She is the older sister of Lauren Sula, 13 yrs old, 7th grade and Lindsay Sula, 9 yrs old, 4th grade.

Active in sports and school organizations, Sula was a Varsity Soccer player and Cross Country runner. She was also involved in AS-TRA, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, Salado Youth Leadership, VASE Art Competition, Spanish Club

and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. While in High School, Sula took extensive honors courses, including Pre-Advanced Placement Biology I and Algebra II and Advanced Placement Calculus, AP Statistics, AP English 3 and 4, AP World History, AP US History, AP Government and Politics, AP Physics and AP Biology 2.

Sula will attend Abilene Christian University, where she will major in Biology for pre-med. Olivia says that she plans on attending medical school to become a sports medicine physician.



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Kaden Smien tangles with an Academy defender during the Eagles' 3-0 win over the Bees. Smien scored one of the three goals in the match. PHOTO BY RON LEQUIN

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### Salado Eagles Baseball Schedules

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	VARSITY	JV	FRESH
Feb. 6	Manor Scrimmage	Here	6 p.m.	7 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 9	Johnson City Scrimmage	Here	6 p.m.		
Feb. 10	Jarrell	There		Noon	10 a.m.
Feb. 12	China Spring Scrimmage	There	7 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Feb. 16	Ellison Scrimmage	Salado	7 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Feb. 19	Robinson	Here			6:30 p.m.
Feb. 22-24	Waco ISD Tournament	Waco	TBA		
Feb. 23-25	Harker Heights Tournament	Heights			TBA
Feb. 27	Del Valle	There	6 p.m.	7 p.m.	5 p.m.
Mar. 1-3	West Tournament	West	TBA		
Mar. 2-3	Salado JV Tournament	Salado		TBA	
Mar. 5	Gateway Prep	There			6 p.m.
Mar. 6	Copperas Cove	Here	7 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	
Mar. 9-11	Franklin Tournament	Franklin	TBA		
Mar. 9-11	Copperas Cove Tournament	Cove			TBA
Mar. 13	Leander Glenn*	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Mar. 15	Temple	Here			4:30 p.m.
Mar. 16	Burnet*	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Mar. 20	Liberty Hill*	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Mar. 23	Taylor*	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Mar. 24	Hyde Park*	There	1:30 p.m.	11:30 a.m.	
Mar. 26	Waco High	There		6 p.m.	
Mar. 27	Lampasas Double Header	There			5 & 7 p.m.
Mar. 29	Gateway Prep	Here			6 p.m.
Mar. 30	Llano*	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 3	Lampasas	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 5	Liberty Hill	Here			TBA
Apr. 6	Leander Glenn*	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 9	Temple	There			5:30 p.m.
Apr. 10	Burnet*	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 13	Liberty Hill*	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 16	Liberty Hill	There			TBA
Apr. 17	Taylor*	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 24	Llano*	There	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	
Apr. 27	Lampasas	Here	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	

Varsity Coach Kreece Cooper, JV Coach Troy Ramsey, Freshman Coach Clint Brown

### Lady Eagles Softball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	JV GIRLS	VARSITY
Jan. 29	Scrimmage - Harker Heights	Away	4:30 p.m.	6 p.m.
Feb. 3	Four Way Scrimmage: Florence, Rogers, China Spring	Here		9 a.m.
Feb. 6	Scrimmage	Reicher		5 p.m.
Feb. 10	Three-Way Scrimmage: Anderson, Westwood	Westwood		TBA
Feb. 15-18	Brock Tournament	Brock		TBA
Feb. 15-18	Killeen JV Tournament	Killeen	TBA	
Feb. 23-25	Academy Tournament	Academy		TBA
Mar. 1-3	Franklin Tournament	Franklin		TBA
Mar. 1-3	Taylor JV Tournament	Taylor	TBA	
Mar. 6	Llano*	Llano	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 8 & 10	Troy JV Tournament	Troy	TBA	
Mar. 9	Lampasas*	Home	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 13	Leander Glenn*	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 16	Burnet*	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 20	Liberty Hill*	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 23	Taylor*	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Mar. 29	Llano*	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Apr. 3	Lampasas*	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Apr. 6	Leander Glenn*	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Apr. 10	Burnet*	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Apr. 13	Liberty Hill*	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Apr. 17	Taylor*	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.

\* District Game. Head Coach is Ashton Cooper.

### Salado Eagles Golf Schedule

DATE	TOURNAMENT	COURSE	TEAM
Jan. 26-27	Hill Country Shootout	Delaware Springs	VB
Jan. 29	Lampasas Invitational	Hancock Park	JVB
Feb. 2-3	4A State PReview	Apple Rock	VB
Feb. 7	Taylor Duck Invitational	Mustang Creek	JVB
Feb. 15	Llano Yellow Jacket Invitational	Llano River	JVB
Feb. 20	Hutto Spring Invitational	Star Ranch	VB
March 7	Salado Eagle Invitational	Mill Creek	JVB
March 9-10	San Angelo Boys Class	Bentwood & San Angelo CC	VB
March 22	Collin Clark Memorial	Delaware Springs	V/JVB
March 29-30	Huntsville Invitational	Raven Nest	VB
April 5	District Day 1	Delaware Springs	V/JVB
April 9	District Day 2	Hancock Park	V/JVB
April 23-26	Regional Tournament	Raven Nest	Quals.
May 14-15	State Tournament	Apple Rock	Quals.

### Lady Eagles Golf Schedule

DATE	TOURNAMENT	COURSE	TEAM
Feb. 1	Lampasas Invitational	Hancock Park	JVG
Feb. 2-3	4A State Preview	Slick Rock	VG
Feb. 5	Taylor Duck Invitational	Mustang Creek	JVG
Feb. 13	Llano Yellow Jacket Invitational	Llano River	V/JVG
Feb. 23-24	4A REgional Preview	Raven Nest	VG
March 5	Salado Eagle Invitational	Mill Creek	V/JVG
March 19	Collin Clark Memorial	Delaware Springs	V/JVG
April 5	District Day 1	Delaware Springs	V/JVG
April 9	Disitric Day 2	Hancock Park	V/JVG
April 23-26	Regional Tournament	Raven Nest	Quals.
May 21-22	State Tournament	Slick Rock	Quals.

### Lady Eagles Basketball

Date	Opponent	Site	9th	JV	Varsity
Nov. 10	Bruceville-Eddy	Away			67-26 W
Nov. 14	McGregor	Away		5:30 PM	58-34 W
Nov. 16	Cameron Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA	
Nov. 17	Gatesville	Away		5:00 PM	26-60 L
Nov. 20	La Vernia	Home		1:00 PM	57-61 L
Nov. 21	Academy	Home		1:00 PM	38-74 L
Nov. 28	Holland	Away		5:15 PM	65-59 W
Nov. 30	Coach Smith Tournament Salado	Home			2 W, 3 L
Nov. 30	Gatesville Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA	
Dec. 5	Crawford	Away			6:15 PM
Dec. 7	Jarrell Tournament	Away		TBA	TBA
Dec.12	Llano*	Away	5:00 PM	5:00 PM	40-38 W
Dec. 15	Lampasas*	Home	5:00 PM	5:00 PM	57-50 W
Dec. 19	Leander Glenn*	Away	5:00 PM	5:00 PM	40-48 L
Dec. 27	Thorndale Tournament	Away			TBA
Jan. 2	Burnet*	Home	7:30 PM	5:00 PM	6:15 PM
Jan. 5	Liberty Hill*	Away	7:30 PM	5:00 PM	6:15 PM
Jan. 9	Taylor*	Home	7:30 PM	5:00 PM	6:15 PM
Jan. 16	Llano*	Home	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM
Jan. 19	Lampasas*	Away	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM
Jan. 23	Leander Glenn*	Home	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM
Jan. 26	Burnet*	Away	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM
Jan. 30	Liberty Hill*	Home	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM
Feb. 2	Taylor*	Away	6:15 PM	5:00 PM	7:30 PM

\* District Game  
Head Coach is Diane Konarik

### Salado Eagles Basketball

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	JV WHITE	JV RED	VARSITY
Nov. 7	Hutto Scrimmage	Away			TBA
Nov. 14	Cameron Scrimmage	Away	TBA	TBA	TBA
Nov. 18	Gatesville	Away		10 a.m.	74-68 W
Nov. 20	Rosebud-Lott	Away	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	43-35 W
Nov. 21	Snook	Home	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	59-60 L
Nov. 28	Rogers (Jr. High Night)	Home	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	66-33 W
Nov. 30 - Dec. 2	Coach Smith Tournament	Home			3 W, 2 L
Dec. 2	Jarrell JV Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA	
Dec. 7-9	Jarrell Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA	TBA
Dec. 12	Academy	Away	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	56-73 L
Dec. 16	Weatherford	AT&T			53-63 L
Dec. 19	*Leander Glenn	Away	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	68-57 W
Dec. 28-29	Calallen Tournament	Away			TBA
Jan. 2	*Burnet	Home	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 5	*Liberty Hill	Away	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 9	*Taylor	Home	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Jan. 12	*Pflugerville Weiss	Home			5 p.m.
Jan. 16	*Llano	Home	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 19	*Lampasas	Away	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 23	*Leander Glenn	Home	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 26	*Burnet	Away	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 30	*Liberty Hill	Home	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Feb. 2	*Taylor	Away	7:30 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Feb. 6	BYE				
Feb. 9	*Llano	Away	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Feb. 13	**Lampasas	Home	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.

\* District Game  
Head Coach is Kenny Mann

### Boys Soccer

Date	Opponent	Site	JV	Varsity
Dec. 29	Salado Scrimmage Tournament	Home	TBA	TBA
Jan. 1	Shoemaker Scrimmage Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA
Jan. 4	Georgetown Tournament	Away		TBA
Jan. 8	Waco	Home	5:30 PM	
Jan. 9	Manor	Away	5:30 PM	7:00 PM
Jan. 11	Boerne Tournament	Away		TBA
Jan. 11	Killeen ISD Tournament	Away	TBA	
Jan. 16	Lampasas	Home	5:00 PM	6:30 PM
Jan. 18	Wimberley Tournament	Away		TBA
Jan. 22	Liberty Hill	Home	7:00 PM	
Jan. 23	Wimberley	Away		7:00 PM
Jan. 25	JV Salado Classic Tournament	Home	TBA	
Feb. 2	Liberty Hill	Away	4:00 PM	7:00 PM
Feb. 9	Jarrell	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
Feb. 13	Florence	Away	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
Feb. 16	Cameron	Away	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
Feb. 20	Academy	Away	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
Feb. 23	Waco	Away	4:00 PM	6:30 PM
Feb. 27	Jarrell	Away	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
March 2	Florence	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
March 6	Cameron	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
March 9	Academy	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM

\* District Game  
Head Coach is Jared Cruddas

### Girls Soccer

Date	Opponent	Site	JV	Varsity
Dec. 28	Salado Scrimmage Tournament	Home	TBA	
Dec. 30	Brownwood Scrimmage Tournament	Away		TBA
Jan. 2	Copperas Cove Scrimmage Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA
Jan. 5	Centex Tournament (Killeen)	Away		TBA
Jan. 9	Marble Falls	Home		7:00 PM
Jan. 9	Ellison	Home	5:00 PM	
Jan. 11	Boerne Tournament	Away		TBA
Jan. 15	Killeen	Away	5:30 PM	
Jan. 18	Salado Eagle Classic Tournament	Home		TBA
Jan. 22	Liberty Hill	Home	5:00 PM	
Jan. 23	Wimberley	Away		5:00 PM
Jan. 25	Salado JV Tournament	Home	TBA	
Feb. 2	Liberty Hill	Away	4:00 PM	5:30 PM
Feb. 6	Gateway Prep*	Home		7:00 PM
Feb. 6	Taylor	Home	5:00 PM	
Feb. 9	Jarrell*	Home		5:00 PM
Feb. 13	Florence*	Away	4:00 PM	5:30 PM
Feb. 16	Cameron*	Away	4:00 PM	5:30 PM
Feb. 19	Lampasas	Away	4:00 PM	
Feb. 20	Academy*	Away		5:00 PM
Feb. 23	Gateway Prep*	Away		6:00 PM
Feb. 27	Jarrell*	Away		7:00 PM
March 2	Florence*	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
March 6	Cameron*	Home	4:00 PM	7:30 PM
March 9	Academy*	Home		7:00 PM
March 19	Princeton	Away		4:30 PM
March 23	Midlothian Heritage	Away		4:00 PM

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## Celebrating 2017 Ribbon Cuttings in Salado



Salado Chamber of Commerce welcomed Lone Star eBikes to Salado with a ribbon cutting July 13 at the Stageshop on Main Street across from the Civic Center. Owners Jay and Mary Ford are shown above cutting the ribbon on the new business. For more information, visit [lonestarebikes.com](http://lonestarebikes.com). PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER



The Painted Bunting on Main owned by Judy and Mark Sears received their official greeting and ribbon cutting from Chamber representatives Oct. 17. at 831 N. Main St. in the log cabin. For more information, visit [TPBonMain.com](http://TPBonMain.com) PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER



Salado Chamber of Commerce welcomed Sage Hill Market to Salado with a ribbon cutting Nov. 4 at 680 N. Main St. Cutting the ribbon are Susan Barnett, Christy Stonestreet, Julia Broadway and Gene Broadway, owners. PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER



Ribbon cutting and Grand Opening for First EyeCare Salado was held Oct. 20 at 418 N. Main. Dr.'s Sarah Forrest, O.D. and Thomas A. Lucas, Jr., O.D. are shown cutting the ribbon. For more information, visit [FirstEyeCareSalado.com](http://FirstEyeCareSalado.com). PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN



### Happy New Year

Sunday, December 31, 2017

**FIRST COURSE SELECTIONS**  
 Citrus-Ginger Flaked Salmon on Cool Cucumber,  
 Garlic Aioli and Black-Eyed Pea Texas Caviar with Tortilla Chips

**SECOND COURSE SELECTIONS**  
 Mixed Green Salad with Spiced Pears and Pecan Crusted Goat Cheese  
 in a Champagne Vinaigrette

or

Puree of Butternut Squash Soup with Candied Pecans and Cinnamon Oil

**ENTREE COURSE SELECTIONS**  
 Crispy Crab Cakes, Herb Scented Basmati Rice, Braised Greens  
 and Lemon Butter Sauce

or

Marinated Pork Loin over Sweet Potato Puree,  
 Fresh Vegetables with Caramelized Apples & Sage

or

Surf & Turf: Petit Filet Of Beef With Butter Poached Lobster Tail, Dauphinoise Potatoes,  
 Vegetable Potage, Lemon Butter and Brandy Peppercorn Sauces *(add \$6 for this entree)*

or

Three Cheese Tortellini with Sun Dried Tomato Cream Sauce,  
 Garlic Toast, Basil, Parmesan

**DESSERT SELECTIONS**  
 Bananas Foster over Vanilla Ice Cream

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Warm Pear and Sun Dried Cranberry Crisp, Vanilla Bean Ice Cream

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# Village of Salado Calendar of Events

**THRU JAN 5**

Salado ISD winter break.

**DECEMBER 28**

Free Pelvic Health Screening, 2 - 5 p.m. at Integrity Rehab, 213 Mill Creek Dr., #195

**DECEMBER 28**

Henco en Queso food truck, 4 - 9 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

**DECEMBER 29**

Check Point Germany, food truck, 4 - 9 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

**DECEMBER 31**

Potluck Lunch following the 10 a.m. services at Heritage Country Church. Bring a side dish to share

**DECEMBER 31**

New Year's Eve Connect Worship service, 10:30 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Salado

**DECEMBER 31**

New Years Service, 10:30 a.m. at Grace Baptist Church

**DECEMBER 31**

New Year's Eve Services, 9 a.m. Mass, 11 a.m. Spanish Mass, 7 p.m. Vigil Bilingual at St. Stephen Catholic Church

**DECEMBER 31**

New Years at Alexanders, seatings at 5 and 7:30 p.m., reservation required for the special New Years Eve menu. info: inncreek.com

**DECEMBER 31**

New Years Eve Private Party, 6:30 p.m. - 1 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. tickets: SOLD OUT

**DECEMBER 31**

New Year's Watch Night gospel singing, 7 p.m. - midnight followed by a potluck dinner at Cedar Valley Baptist Church

**JANUARY 1**

New Year's Day Services, 9 a.m. Mass, 11 a.m. Mass at St. Stephen Catholic Church

**JAN 1 - FEB 23**

Ballot by mail applications accepted for Bell County

**JANUARY 1**

Salado Public Library will be closed

**JANUARY 1**

Salado Masonic Lodge Stated meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Salado Masonic Lodge. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

**JANUARY 3**

Adult Crafts, 2 - 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Register at (254) 947-9191

**JANUARY 4**

Salado Writers organizational meeting, 7 p.m. at Salado Public Library. info: 947-9191

**JANUARY 5**

Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting, 6 - 7 p.m. at Salado Montessori, 10880 FM 1670 Salado info: (817) 690-3744

**JANUARY 6**

3 Kings 3 Miler at St. Joseph's Episcopal Church. Registration info: runsignup.com/Race/TX/Salado/3Kings3Miler

**JANUARY 8**

First Day of School at Salado Montessori info: (817) 690-3744

**JANUARY 8**

Coloring with Karen Class, Come and Go 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at Stamp Salado



Central Texas Poetry and Prose Readings return to Tablerock 7 p.m. on Feb. 1. There is still time to submit your work, due Jan. 31. For guidelines contact tablerock1@aol.com. The annual event is hosted by Thom, the World Poet.

**JANUARY 8**

SISD Long Range Facilities Planning Committee meeting, 6 - 8 p.m. at Salado Civic Center. Open to the public

**JANUARY 10**

Tablerock's Young Writers Poetry Contest submissions guidelines: Tablerock1@aol.com

**JANUARY 13 - 14**

Salado Market Days, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall

**JANUARY 13**

Asanas & Ales, 10 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

**JANUARY 15**

No Classes Salado ISD

**JANUARY 18**

Priest's Pint, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

**JANUARY 21**

Salado 4H Meeting, 4 p.m. at Salado High School Cafeteria

**JANUARY 22**

Library Board of Trustees Meeting, 5 - 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library

**JANUARY 22**

SISD Long Range Facilities Planning Committee meeting, 6 - 8 p.m. at Salado Civic Center. Open to the public

**JANUARY 25**

Free Pelvic Health Screening, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Integrity Rehab, 213 Mill Creek Dr., #195

**JANUARY 25**

Salado Chamber of Commerce Banquet, 7 p.m. at Tenroc

**JANUARY 26-27**

Blow Your Own Valentine Hearts and Flowers at Salado Glassworks. Book your times online at salado-glassworks.com

**JANUARY 27**

Asanas & Ales, 10 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

**JANUARY 29**

Salado Masonic Lodge Stated meeting, 7:30 p.m. at Salado Masonic Lodge. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

**JANUARY 31**

Deadline for submissions to the Central Texas Poetry and Prose Readings held Feb 1. guidelines: tablerock1@aol.com

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Volunteers Pat Scarborough in charge of food and Brenda Campell in charge of clothing cut the ribbon dedicating the Helping Hands Ministry Food and Clothing Bank to helping those in need. PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER



Salado Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for Breaking Records Media in Salado Plaza on Sept. 26. Owner Alexis Bloomer cuts the ribbon. For more info, visit [breakingrecordsmedia.com](http://breakingrecordsmedia.com). PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER



Salado Chamber of Commerce welcomed the Potato Wagon Food Truck, owned and operated by Forrest and Faith Mullins, with a ribbon cutting Sept. 15. For more info, call (254) 415-0982. PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER



Amy's Attic Self Storage located at 3524 FM 2484 ribbon cutting was held Sept. 19. Manager Lauren Gascon, Director of Operations Bob Vamvas and co-manager Ashley Little cut the ribbon. For more info, visit [amysatticss.com](http://amysatticss.com). PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER

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# Shopping Map of Salado

## Map Legend

- S Shopping**
- A Art and Galleries**
- L Lodging**
- D Dining and Drinks**
- V Venues & Sights**
- \$ Services**
- C Churches and Education**

## # Business Name Type

- 3 Wildfire Ranch Arena V
- 4 St. Stephen Catholic Church C
- 6 Salado College Park V
- 7 Raney & Associates \$
- 8 Stagecoach Inn D
- 9 Salado Museum V
- Salado Visitors Center \$
- Salado Chamber of Commerce \$
- Village of Salado Tourism Office \$
- 10 Sofi's S
- 14 Salado Glassworks A
- 17 Barrow Brewing Company D
- 20 Springhouse Emporium S
- 21 The Venue V
- 22 The Shed D
- 24 Tablerock C
- 26 Salado United Methodist Church V
- 29 Alexander's Distillery D
- 29 Inn on the Creek L
- 30 First Baptist Church C
- 32 First Texas Brokerage \$
- 33 First State Bank \$
- 34 First Community Title \$
- Farmer's Insurance \$
- Zbrank Agency \$
- 40 W.A. Pace Memorial Park V
- 46 The 1860s Shop S
- 48 The Inn at Salado L
- 49 Lively Coffeehouse & Bistro D
- 49 Magnolias S
- 55 Salado Family Dentistry \$
- 57 Mud Pies S
- 58 The Shoppes on Main #1 S
- 60 Salado Creek Jewelry S
- 62 The Pizza Place D
- 65 ERA Colonial Real Estate \$
- 73 Cornett Corner \$
- Crain Chiropractic & Wellness \$
- Investment Realty \$
- First Eye Care Salado S
- 75 Angelic Herbs S
- Bruce Bolick, CPA \$
- Lone Star EBikes S
- 76 Salado Civic Center \$
- 81 Salado Wine Seller and Salado Winery Co. D
- 82 St. Joseph's Episcopal Church C
- 85 Salado Post Office \$
- 86 Bill Bartlett – Century 21 \$
- 86 Subway D
- Old Fashioned Burgers D
- 87 The Personal Wealth Coach \$
- 89 Stamp Salado S
- 90 Presbyterian Church of Salado C
- 91 Troy Smith Financial Services \$
- 92 Salado Sculpture Garden A
- 96 Ace Pest Control \$
- Integrity Rehab \$
- Keith Ace Hardware \$
- Mill Creek Cleaners \$
- Salado's Hair Shop \$
- Salado Village Voice \$
- 97 Brookshire Brothers S
- 100 Salado Public Library C
- 101 Salado Cleaners \$
- 104 Hairitage Barber Shop \$
- 113 Salado Church of Christ C
- 118 Salado Market Days S
- 119 Salado Antique Mall S
- 126 Cowboy's Barbecue D
- 124 Salado Veterinary Hospital \$
- 130 Village Spirits S
- 132 Broecker Funeral Home \$
- 133 Johnny's Steaks and BBQ D
- 135 Embrace Smiles \$
- 136 Salado Schools & Stadium C
- 139 Cedar Valley Baptist Church C
- Not Shown on the Shopping Map**
- Animal Medical \$
- JD's Travel Center D
- The Play Yard Preschool \$
- Don Ringer \$
- Garlyn Shelton \$
- 3C Cowboy Fellowship C
- Grace Baptist Church C
- Mill Creek Country Club D/V



## Historical Markers in Salado

- 6. Salado Historic College Hill
- 8. Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn)
- 8. Main Street Bridge
- 16. Barber-Berry Mercantile
- 23. The Baines House
- 24. Historic Dipping Vats

- 25. The A.J. Rose Mansion
- 26. Old Methodist Chapel
- 27. Caskey-Hendricks House
- 28. Dr. McKie Place (Twelve Oaks)
- 29. Alexander's Distillery
- 30. First Baptist Church
- 31. The Tyler House

- 35. Salado Masonic Lodge #296
- 45. The Anderson House
- 46. Old Saloon
- 48. The Norton-Orgain House
- 50. The Barton House
- 51. The Levi Tenney House
- 55. The Armstrong Adams House

- 61. Historic Lenticular Bridge
- 49. The Vickrey House
- 76. Boles-Aiken & Denman Cabins
- 77. The Robert B. Halley House
- 79. The Reed Cabin
- 100. The Josiah Fowler House



### Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



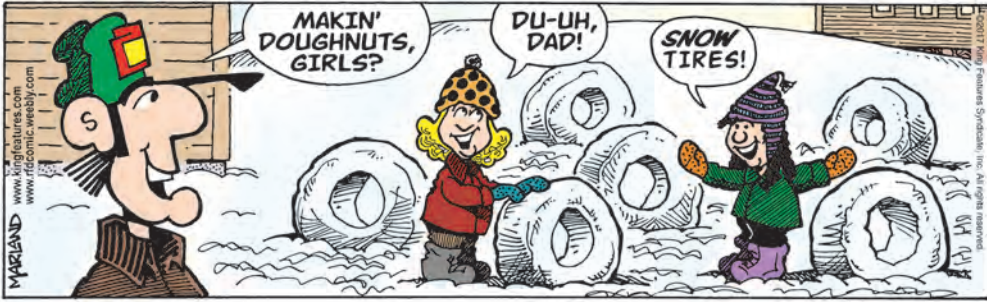
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by Gary Kopervas



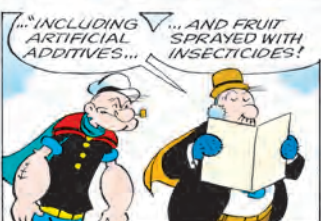
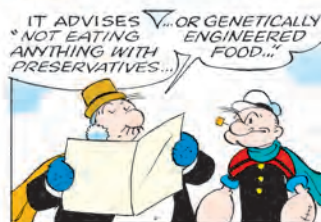
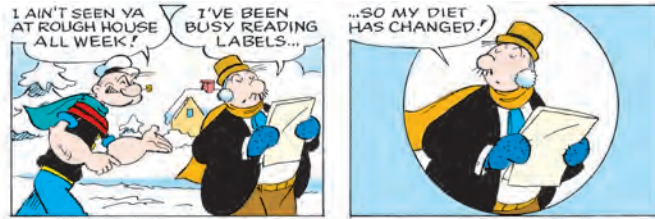
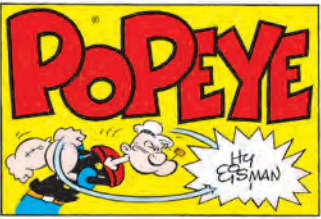
### R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



### The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



### TRIVIA TEST

- by Fifi Rodriguez
- SCIENCE: What does the term Mohorovicic Discontinuity refer to?
  - GEOGRAPHY: How many provinces does Canada have?
  - MOVIES: Which Disney movie featured the "Siamese Cat Song"?
  - TELEVISION: In "The Simpsons" animated series, what are the names of Ned Flanders' two kids?
  - HISTORY: What is the date on the tablet held by the Statue of Liberty?
  - FAMOUS QUOTATIONS:



- Which author penned the words, "I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year"?
- MUSIC: What alternative rock band's debut album was titled "Bleach"?
  - ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a baby whale called?
  - BIBLE: In what part of the Bible do the Beatitudes appear?
  - GENERAL KNOWL-

EDGE: In medieval times, what did a chandler do?

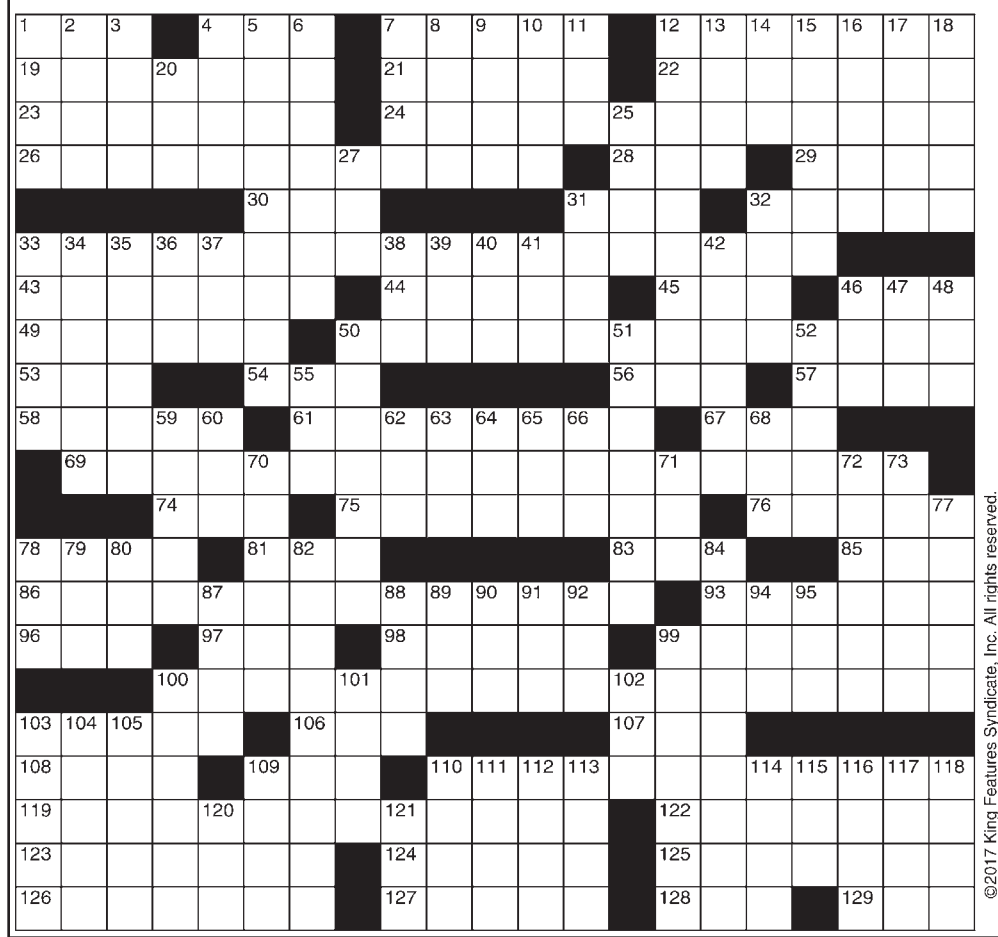
- Answers
- The boundary between the earth's crust and the mantle
  - 10 provinces
  - "Lady and the Tramp"
  - Rod and Todd
  - July 4, 1776
  - Charles Dickens
  - Nirvana
  - A calf
  - Gospel of Matthew
  - Makes or sells candles and soap

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## Super Crossword

### ONE-OFF SONGS OF THE SEASON

- ACROSS**
- 1 Wall St. whiz
  - 4 Capote, informally
  - 7 Milky gemstones
  - 12 "Avatar" actress Zoe
  - 19 1,760-yard footrace
  - 21 Juliet's lover
  - 22 Big name in hair care
  - 23 Puzzled
  - 24 Shy around all of humanity?
  - 26 Adorn big shopping centers?
  - 28 Letters on an ambulance
  - 29 Lavish attention (on)
  - 30 "Bali —"
  - 31 Prefix like "equi-"
  - 32 More recent
  - 33 Transport Kriss Kringle on a small, wheeled cart?
  - 43 Middle name of Mozart
  - 44 Yeats' "The Wild Swans at —"
  - 45 Teen's skin woe
  - 46 Brazil's Paulo
  - 49 Bulletproof vest material
  - 50 Fastener holding a sleigh tinkler in place?
  - 53 Foreman foe
  - 54 Moo —
  - 56 Address with dots in it
  - 57 Tomahawks
  - 58 Takes five
  - 61 Rides that aren't new
  - 67 Debt note
  - 69 Rogers or Acuff playing percussion as a child?
  - 74 Droid
  - 75 Fail accompli
  - 76 Blights
  - 78 Kin of karate
  - 81 Poker player Ungar
  - 83 Sow, e.g.
  - 85 See
  - 10-Down Reason you might give for not buying a china plate?
  - 93 Mother of Rajiv Gandhi
  - 96 Chatter
  - 97 Hurry
  - 98 False front
  - 99 With dignity
  - 100 Vacation in Italy's capital?
  - 103 In accordance with
  - 106 Profs' aides
  - 107 Gigi's "yes"
  - 108 Voting place
  - 109 Fancy carp
  - 110 Earliest tune that singer Billy ever wrote?
  - 119 Far off driving one's Ford pickup?
  - 122 Japanese massage
  - 123 Divided into new districts
  - 124 Hindu maxim collection
  - 125 "Bama rival
  - 126 Hypnotic states
  - 127 "Let's roll!"
  - 128 Purview of Gov. Cuomo
  - 129 Dipso
  - 7 Sea predator
  - 8 Billiards
  - 9 — nitrate (fuel additive)
  - 10 With "Dig in!"
  - 11 — Canals
  - 12 Gossipy chatterer
  - 13 Hopy brews
  - 14 Decree
  - 15 Cellphone components
  - 16 Cursor, often
  - 17 "Affliction" star
  - 18 Birch cousin
  - 20 Deer cousin
  - 25 Pianist John
  - 27 Prefixed life or land
  - 31 Big name in frozen drinks
  - 32 Part of NBA: Abbr.
  - 33 Capital of Senegal
  - 34 Brunch dish
  - 35 Luxuriant
  - 36 "Bad" cholesterol, for short
  - 37 Vocal vote
  - 38 Chem., e.g.
  - 39 Multitude
  - 40 Yule drink
  - 41 Not sound
  - 42 Actress Langtry
  - 46 Baseball's Red —
  - 47 Pro
  - 48 Go-aheads
  - 50 Rightful deserts
  - 51 They show certain transit routes
  - 52 Actress Dern
  - 55 Shanty
  - 59 Tim of football
  - 60 — Poke (candy)
  - 62 "Do Ya" gp.
  - 63 Lion lair
  - 64 B-to-F run
  - 65 Suffix with drunk
  - 66 Wish undone
  - 68 Sun or moon
  - 70 "Yes, that guy!"
  - 71 1,051, to Nero
  - 72 Iroquois tribe
  - 73 Per annum
  - 77 Doesn't exit
  - 78 Irish dance (up)
  - 79 Yankee land
  - 80 Small dollop
  - 82 Arboreal frogs
  - 84 In the way a lass would
  - 87 2011 Marvel Comics film
  - 88 Problems for vain sorts
  - 89 Snarling mutt
  - 90 Chart buster
  - 91 "Sorta" suffix
  - 92 —wee
  - 94 "— will not!"
  - 95 Clunker
  - 99 Adds abundantly
  - 100 Swear by
  - 101 C-worthy
  - 102 Pollio
  - 103 In two, say
  - 104 Scatterer of seeds
  - 105 City square
  - 109 Patella
  - 110 Certain bolt holder
  - 111 Allitides: Abbr.
  - 112 Architect Saarinen
  - 113 Drescher of "The Nanny"
  - 114 Lashes (up)
  - 115 Traffic clog
  - 116 Bedding of soul
  - 117 Canadian fuel brand
  - 118 Deep desire
  - 120 Company abbr.
  - 121 "— was saying ..."



## Famous hand

### Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

- East dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.
- NORTH**
- ♠ J 7 4
  - ♥ 8 4
  - ♦ A J 9 7 6
  - ♣ K J 7
- WEST**
- ♠ K Q 10 5 3
  - ♥ Q 10 7 6
  - ♦ Q 8 5
  - ♣ 2
- EAST**
- ♠ 9 6 2
  - ♥ 9 3
  - ♦ 10 4 3
  - ♣ 10 8 6 5 4

- SOUTH**
- ♠ A 8
  - ♥ A K J 5 2
  - ♦ K 2
  - ♣ A Q 9 3

- The bidding:
- | East | South | West | North |
|------|-------|------|-------|
| Pass | 2♣    | Pass | 2♦    |
| Pass | 2♥    | Pass | 3♦    |
| Pass | 3NT   | Pass | 4NT   |
| Pass | 6♣    | Pass | 6NT   |
- Opening lead — king of spades.

easily be made by taking a diamond finesse, giving declarer five diamond tricks, four clubs, two hearts and a spade. But an effective falsecard by Lall, East, steered declarer away from the winning path.

Bessis won Greenberg's king-of-spades lead with the ace and cashed three rounds of clubs, learning that West had started with only one club. Bessis then cashed the king

Answer

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	
56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	
74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	
92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	
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Weekly SUDOKU

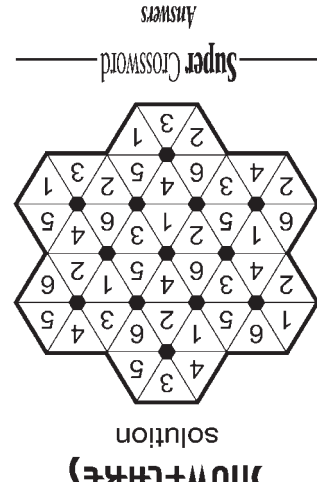
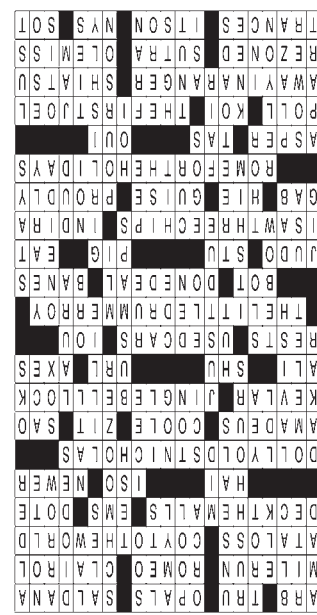
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of diamonds, on which Lall dropped the ten!

Assuming the ten was a doubleton or singleton, it seemed to declarer that even if he led a diamond to the jack and it won, he would have only three diamond tricks. This meant he would need at least three tricks from the heart suit, so he next led a diamond to the ace, catering to the possibility that East had started with the Q-10 doubleton. When the queen did not appear, he took the heart finesse and finished down two, -200.

At the other table, Grue and Kranyak stopped in four hearts, making exactly four for plus 620, to give the Americans a pickup of 13 IMPs. Of course, if Bessis had not been diverted from the winning line at the other table, the French would have gained 13 IMPs instead.

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	6			9				8
		5	2					3
4				6	9			
		3		1				6
	1		7					2
2			3		4			
5			1			7		
	3			8				2
		7			6			9

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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## SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

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

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ♦♦♦♦

- ♦ Easy
- ♦♦ Medium
- ♦♦♦ Difficult

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# The deerlike Pronghorn is not antelope

Simply taking a drive on back roads throughout this great state can open endless opportunities for viewing wildlife that normally would be overlooked. When driving in the grasslands of the Panhandle or the Trans-Pecos, I always invite the occasion of viewing a small, distinctively curious mammal that once had a significantly larger range. That mammal is the Pronghorn.



## Wild About Texas

Michael Price

Pronghorns (known erroneously by many as Antelope) are hooved mammals that have a deerlike appearance about them. The coloration is two-toned with a brown, tan, or fawnlike back,

neck and head interspaced with large patches of white on the belly, sides, and face. The tail and back end are also white. The chin, jaw and tip of the ears are black.

The Pronghorn is relatively small as adult males are typically just under 5 feet in total length (with a comparatively petite – 6 inch – tail) and a weight of just over 130 pounds. Females are somewhat smaller with a top weight of just under 90 pounds.

Male Pronghorn have horns that are spiked (hence the common name) and extend well past the tip of the ears. Females on the other hand have much shorter horns that are generally not “pronged”.

The Pronghorn (*Antilocapra americana*) is the only remaining species in a family known as Antilocapridae; this family was once distributed throughout North America and was comprised of roughly 12 species. Until the past several decades, Pronghorn could be spotted throughout the western ¼ of Texas on a fairly regular basis. At one point, its range in this state was anywhere



Pronghorn

westward from a line that extends from Dallas southward through Austin to the lower Rio Grande Valley. Presently, its range is much more fragmented, with isolated pockets dispersed throughout the Panhandle and Trans-Pecos eco-regions. It is estimated that its numbers in Texas have dwindled from hundreds of thousands in its heyday to roughly 12,000 today.

This species of mammal primarily lives in herds and is truly a denizen of the plains. It prefers to live in areas of open grassland which

enables it to utilize its keen sight and high-speed (up to 40 mph) to evade predators. Typically, areas of standing water are not common in these habitats, but the Pronghorn is so adapted to dwell in these areas that it can go long periods of time without drinking water. In fact, studies have shown that the Pronghorn has the ability to conserve and produce its own water.

The diet of the Pronghorn varies from season to season, but its favorites include flowers such as native daisies and other flowering plants, including varieties that are known to be poisonous to sheep and cattle. Juniper bark, broomweed and a few grass species are also consumed on a regular basis.

The breeding season generally lasts for approximately six weeks in the early fall with September being the month with the most active month. One energetic buck may entertain a harem upwards of a dozen does.

Gestation is usually around Seven months, and two small (six pound) young appear in May or June. The mothers will hide their helpless young, and return to them to nurse periodically throughout the day. At one week, the young will begin to walk on their own and nibble on vegetation and at one month, they will be able to graze independently. Sexual maturity is ordinarily reached at about one year in age.

Despite restocking programs instituted by the state, the population of the Pronghorn is steadily declining. Drought and competition with livestock appear to be the main culprits, as well as man's land use and fencing. This species is so peculiarly opposed to leaping over fences that even a three foot tall fence will often keep them contained. Many herds have been to the brink of starvation within a fenced area despite an abundance of food on the other side of the fence.

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Here the students work on independent living skills, vocational skills, and social skills. Students learn to cook, clean, budget and skills necessary to become independent as they transition into adulthood. Many volunteer in the community, are employed within their communities, or are seeking employment opportunities. Students also

gain awareness of their own communities and what recreational, vocational, and social opportunities are available.

The students have recently worked on giving back by Christmas Caroling at the Will-O-Bell Nursing Home in Bartlett as well as volunteering sorting toys at the Salvation Army in Temple. Students are always seeking opportunities to volunteer or employment options.

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## Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar Announces Tax Amnesty Program

(AUSTIN) — Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar today announced a temporary tax amnesty program giving certain delinquent taxpayers a chance to make their accounts compliant with state tax law without incurring penalties and interest on tax due.

The Texas Tax Amnesty Program will run from May 1 to June 29, 2018. The program applies to periods prior to Jan. 1, 2018, and only includes liabilities that have not been previously reported to the Comptroller.

Passed by the Texas Legislature in 2017, Senate Bill

1 requires the Comptroller of Public Accounts to establish a tax amnesty program to encourage voluntary reporting by: delinquent taxpayers who do not have a Texas Sales and Use Tax Permit, or are not registered for a tax or fee administered by the Comptroller's office; and taxpayers who have a permit, but may have underreported or owe additional taxes or fees.

"Our tax amnesty program is the perfect opportunity for taxpayers to get in compliance," Hegar said. "Maybe you forgot to get a sales tax permit or you in-

advertently underreported taxes owed. If you qualify, there are no excuses necessary. You can participate in the coming tax amnesty program and make things right with the state of Texas and with your fellow taxpayers."

The Texas Tax Amnesty Program does not apply to periods currently under audit review, IFTA taxes, PUC Gross Receipts assessments, Local Motor Vehicle Tax and Unclaimed Property payments.

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 <p><b>3110 Saint Luke</b> Absolute luxury without the hefty price-tag! Once you walk in, you will immediately notice the quality of work. No detail. Come see this newly constructed home for yourself! \$268,000</p>	 <p><b>2834 W. Amity</b> If you're looking for wide open spaces, you've got the perfect place. One 1.15 acres of peace and quiet. Surrounded by the Corps of Engineers <b>SOLD!</b> \$1,300,000</p>	 <p><b>1803 Kevin Trail</b> Custom home designed with noted Austin interior designer for spectacular views and ultimate luxury. Wake up to orange-pink sunrises in the master suite sitting area &amp; view of golf course &amp; horizon. \$649,900</p>	 <p><b>1299 Mackie Drive.</b> This prestigious yet comfortable home has so many unique features. Heated floor in master bath, sauna, safe room, and dumb-waiter. A must see! \$755,000</p>
 <p><b>8589 Mountain Dr.</b> Lake View, Lake View, Lake View! Texas hill country at it's best with this beautiful two story Austin stone home. Carefully planned to take advantage of the hills, valleys, and lake! Approx 11 Acres \$574,900</p>	 <p><b>4971 FM 2843</b> Amazing Hill Country estate located just west of Salado. Escape and enjoy your private 6+ acres. The home boasts an impressive great room with soaring ceilings, fireplace, and gorgeous kitchen. \$649,900</p>	 <p><b>1807 Indian Trail</b> Welcome to this one of a kind traditional home in the heart of Salado! Once you turn into this drive, notice the beautiful trees surrounding you! \$599,900</p>	 <p><b>1367 Indian Pass</b> Amazing Hill Country Estate located on two tree-covered acres. Stepping into this home, you are welcomed by the art gallery-style foyer leading into the afamily room. Amazing outdoor area including swimming pool. \$559,900</p>
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#### LOTS

**Mackie Dr Estate Lots**- Amazing lots on a private cul-de-sac. Large and perfect for custom homes with trees. Starting in the \$79,900 range. 5 Lots available.

**Mill Creek Meadows** -Brand new subdivision! Lots on the golf course and mature trees. Starting at \$59,900 with 48 lots available!

**Mystic River** - Lots overlooking Leon River. Starting in the \$129,000 for waterfront, or interior lots at \$49,900.

**1 Acre in Terra Bella** with beautiful trees and water views! \$100,000.

**220 Acres on Kuykendall**- \$5,454.55 per acre.

**20 acres Tracts Wallace Road** Priced at \$123,000 SOLD

**50 Acres FM 2268** with hilltop views and a stock tank. Priced at \$12,000 per acre.

#### ACREAGE

**63 Acres on George Wilson**- 63 acres with multiple tanks, gorgeous view, and over 3300 sq ft home. \$949,900

**10 Acres along 135 Frontage**. \$175,000 per acre. Sewage available!

**178 Acres across from the Vineyards of Florence**. \$10,650 per acre

**93 Acres on FM 2268**- Beautiful rock entrance already in place! Great development opportunity. \$11,183.30 per acre.

#### COMMERCIAL

**Royal Street** - Great business opportunity in the heart of Salado! \$750,000

**7.695 Investment Property** in Temple off South 31st Street. \$649,900

**Pace Park Building**- Great building overlooking Salado Creek \$325,000.

**318 N Main Salado** - 2456 sq ft. Great for office or retail fronting both Main St. and Church Street! \$449,900



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