



More students return, but short of budget

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

For the first day of school in Salado, 1,923 were enrolled, compared to 1,832 enrollment for the first-day enrollment in 2017.

The increase of 91 students over last year is almost three percent below what Salado ISD Trustees forecast for student enrollment growth in their 2018-19 budget adopted earlier this summer.

The 2018-19 adopted budget calls for 7.9 percent growth in overall enrollment, from 1,823 in the 2017-18 adopted budget to 1,964.

Salado enrollment grew just over 1 percent from the first day of enrollment in August 2017 to its end-of-year enrollment of 1,850 in June 2018.

If this trend holds for 2018-19, enrollment this year may increase to about 1,942 students, which is 22 students below the projected enrollment in the budget.

"The 7.9 percent increase is based on the enrollment projections from Templeton Demographics," SISD Su-

perintendent Michael Novotny said when the 2018-19 budget was proposed in June.

As part of a long range facilities plan, Templeton Demographics conducted projected enrollment for the SISD based upon the number of new and proposed subdivisions within the school district and growth trends in the area.

If enrollment remains at 1,923, the impact on state revenues could be substantial. The 2018-19 adopted budget calls for \$6,366,437 in state revenues. At an enrollment of 1,964, this is an average of \$3,241.57 in state funds per student enrolled.

Based upon an average funding of \$3,241.57 per student enrolled, if the current enrollments holds at 1,923 students, Salado could see state funding drop to \$6,237,860. If enrollment increases by 1 percent to 1,942 (a typical increase when students come back after Labor Day), the district could receive \$6,295,129 in state funding.

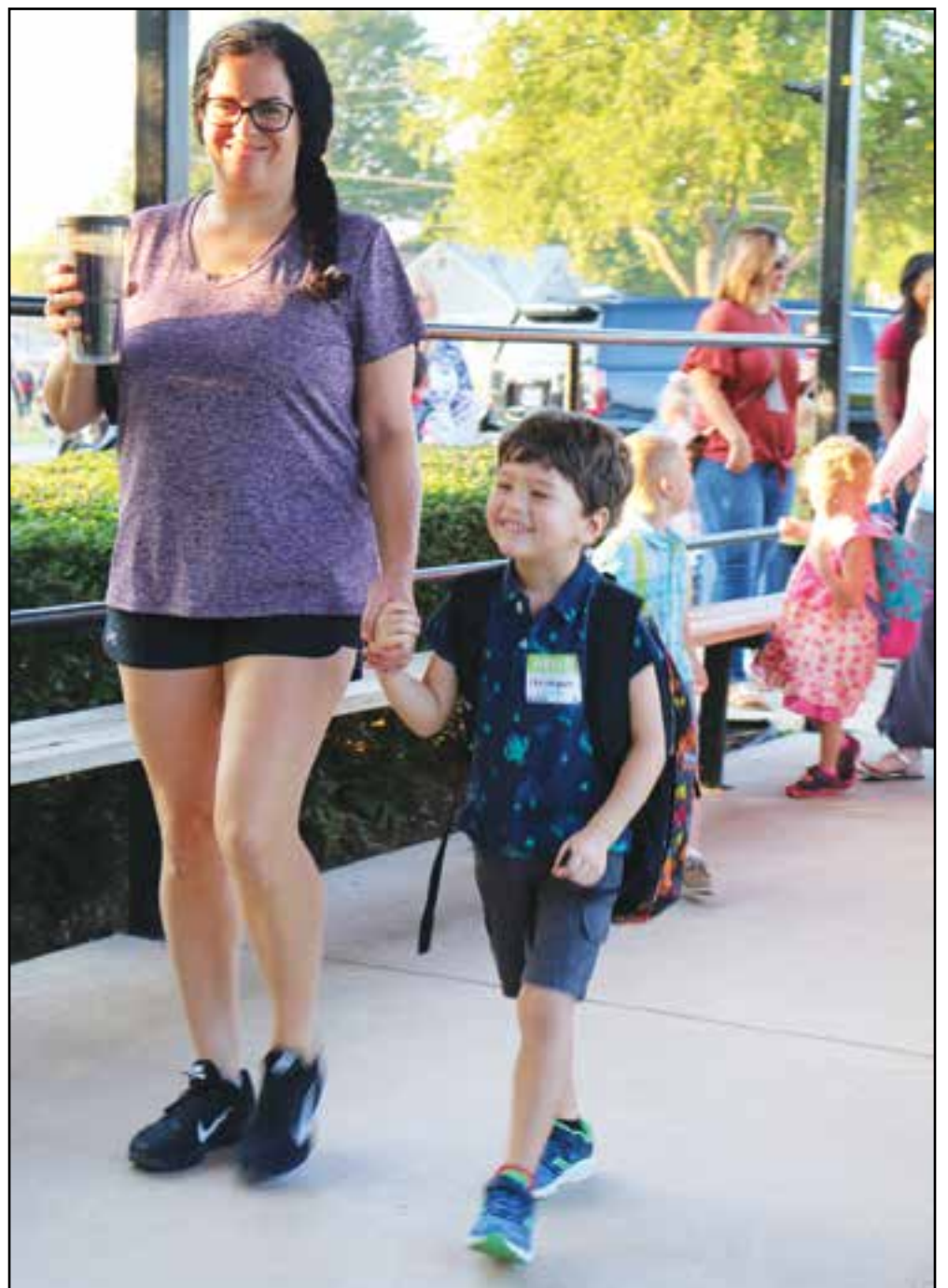
The state funding formula is based upon a far more complex funding formula

that takes into consideration the weighted average daily attendance (WADA). Students enrolled in special education and vocational education are given more weight in the formula than other students.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT COMPARISON

	2017	2018
SISD	1,832	1,923
By Campus		
TAE:	442	434
EE	5	2
PK 3	26	20
PK 4	23	34
K	105	118
1st	124	122
2nd	158	138
SIS:	567	438
(TAE #2)		
3rd	140	162
4th	122	142
5th	138	134
6th	167	
SJH:	262	475
6th		152
7th	140	173
8th	122	150
SHS:	561	576
9th	173	141
10th	145	166
11th	126	151
12th	117	117
18+		1



(PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Kids and moms -- especially moms -- were all smiles for the first day back at school on Aug. 27. For more back-to-school pictures, turn to page 3B this edition.

State rep calls for public hearing on proposed sewer plant

By TIM FLEISCHER
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State Rep. Scott Cospo has asked the Texas Commission for Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to hold a public hearing on the proposed 250,000 gallon per day wastewater treatment plant to be built by ML Dev, LP south of Salado.

The treatment plant will serve a future Mixed Use Development on 220 acres of property south of Salado near the intersection of Hackberry Road and I-35.

The proposed new Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. WQ0015664001

is for a wastewater treatment facility to be located 3,530 feet east and 2,330 feet north of the intersection of Hackberry Road and I-35.

In addition to the request for a public hearing on the proposed TPDES permit, Clearwater Underground Water Conservation District and a hydrogeologist who has worked in the Northern Segment of the Edwards Balcones Fault Zone aquifer for more than 25 years have both provided comments to TCEQ expressing concern about the discharge location and its potential impact on the Salado Salamander and the water quality of Salado Creek.

Joe Yelderman is a professor at Baylor University. He has been the lead hydrogeologist studying the Salado Creek on behalf of the Bell County Stakeholders Group, consisting of Bell County, Village of Salado, CUWCD and private land owners. The Stakeholders Group was formed when the Salado Salamander was proposed to be listed as Endangered.

It has gathered "boots on the ground" information about the ecology of Salado Creek watershed and the health of the Salado Salamander population and was a critical reason that the Salado Salamander was not list-

ed as Endangered and was identified as Threatened.

Yelderman, in addition to his 25 years studying the waters of the Edwards Balcones Fault Zone aquifer that feeds Salado Creek, has served for 15 years as the director for the Baylor Wastewater Research Program.

In his comments to TCEQ that were provided to *Salado Village Voice* this week, Yelderman stated, "I have grave concerns regarding the application for a permit to discharge wastewater in an unnamed tributary that drains into Salado Creek upstream of the Salado Spring complex and the Village of Salado (WQ permit applica-

tion #WQ0015664001)."

"The discharge location for the permit application WQ0015664001 potentially threatens a public water supply and a rare ecosystem that is home to a threatened salamander species, *Eurycea chisolmensis* (Salado Salamander)."

Citing several hydrologic studies of the surface water and groundwater in this area of the Edward aquifer, Yelderman describes how losing stream segments recharge the aquifer. "The receiving tributary for the proposed permit is a losing stream that crosses the Balcones Fault Zone and contains features in the stream

bed that recharge the Edwards Balcones Fault Zone aquifer upgradient from the public water supply for the Village of Salado and the spring complex," Dr. Yelderman states, adding that dye studies indicate that groundwater flow velocities are approximately 1.5 miles per day. Any contamination entering the aquifer "move rapidly through the aquifer to public water supply wells and the springs," he stated.

"The area south of Salado, Texas, along Interstate Highway 35 and west is a highly sensitive area of the Edwards aquifer," Dr. Yelderman stated. "The solution

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Patriot Day honors 1st responders

Mark your calendar for the Salado Patriot Day Celebration 6:30 p.m. Tues., Sept. 11 at the First Baptist Church.

The Salado Lions Club, Salado Rotary Club and Salado Masonic Lodge #296 are co-sponsoring the event to honor Salado's First Responders.

Among the First Responders to be honored are the Salado Volunteer Fire Department, Salado Police Department, Salado EMS services, Bell County Sheriff's Department and Bell County Precinct 2 Constable.

Guest speakers for the event will include U.S. Cong. John Carter and retired General Randy Anderson.

Salado High School Choir will perform during the event.

First Responders will be awarded with letters of commendation, a letter of proclamation and a special gift.

Rep. Carter wants to build a wall



(PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER)

U.S. Rep. John Carter spoke to the Salado Area Republican Women at their dinner on Aug. 23. It was his fourth speech of the day as he faces challenger MJ Hegar.

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

U.S. Rep. John Carter wants to build a wall, too.

But the wall that Rep. Carter wants to see built may be a lot closer than the one on the southern border of Texas.

Rep. Carter spoke to the Salado Area Republican Women Aug. 23, opening his remarks with a conversation he had with a reporter from the Austin American-Statesman. "Some of us call it the UN-American Statesman," he said with emphasis.

The reporter called for a quote about "building the wall."

"Which one?" I asked," Rep. Carter said and then went on to tell the audience that he proposes a wall "between Travis and Williamson Counties to keep you liberal out of here."

"Truth is, it is time to build that wall," he said. Rep. Carter told the audience that his Democrat op-

ponent MJ Hegar raised "\$1 million in 10 days from a video and none of it came from our district."

"That money came from California and New York and Massachusetts," he added.

He predicted that Hegar, with donations flowing from out of state, will raise \$3 million for the race to unseat him from District 31, a seat he has held since 2003 when the Congressional districts were realigned.

He said he hopes to raise \$1 million in the race. "We're going to work for it," he said. "We're going to go door-to-door. My daddy taught me how to work a long time ago. I will work until I drop for something good."

In his fourth public appearance that day, the work was taking its toll on Rep. Carter. His voice was weakened from the earlier speeches around the district.

He encouraged his fellow Republicans to read the paper on their tables about

Beto O'Rourke. "Read what they believe is going to be good for Texas. The liberal agenda is what they want for Texas and they are going to see if you can buy a Congressional District. They are trying to buy a Senate seat," he said.

The Democrats, he said, "are excited and motivated and coming after us. If we don't get ourselves and everyone we know out to vote, they might get it don't."

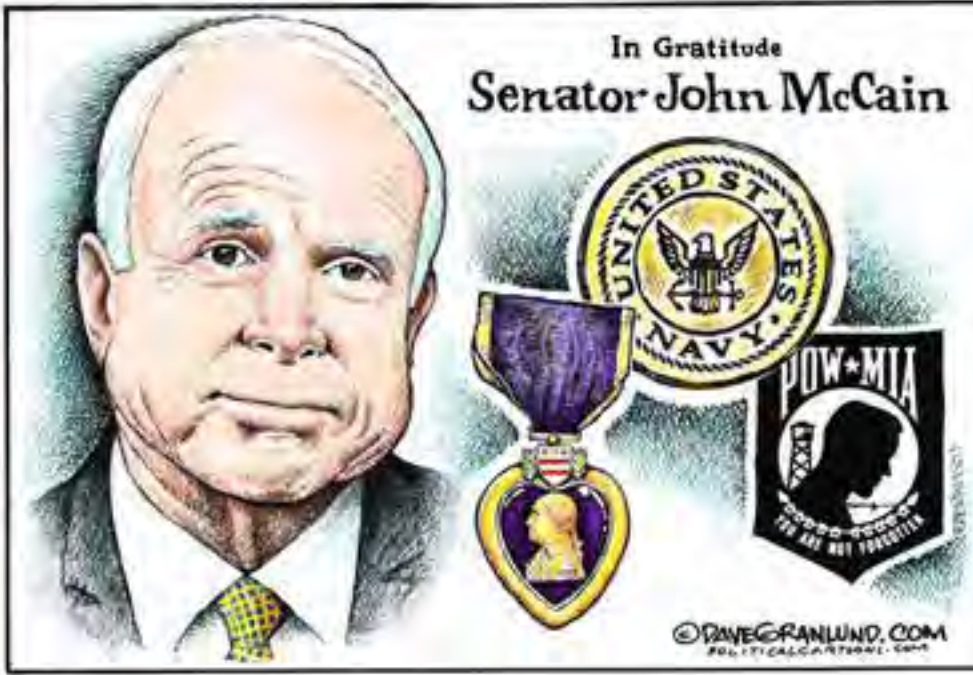
He warned that if the candidates at the top of the ballot lost, the "damage is going to be down ballot, too."

If Democrats are successful in 2018, then 2020 will be even worse. "Next time they are going after the State legislatures," he said.

The Democrats are looking to 2020 in order to re-district in 2022. "If we lose the majority, we won't get it back until 2032. We don't want to start over. We have got to take the fight to the Democrats now."

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S&P ends with record high

The Markets

Our beloved S&P 500 Stock Index (SPX) ended the week at a record high after breaking the record for bull market longevity on Wednesday. This prize bull has now gone 3,453 market sessions without a 20 percent closing decline from an earlier closing high, taking the trophy from the previous record holder that ended in 2000. The SPX closed at 2874.69, up 0.86 percent for the week, 7.52 percent year-to-date, and 17.67 percent from a year ago.

There are other, less precise measurements that suggest this bull still has a way to go before inevitably morphing into a bear. As reports of SPX member earnings for the second quarter begin to trail off, it is becoming clear that we will see the average earnings over 20 percent higher. As the market is not up as much, the average price-to-earnings (P/E) ratio has actually declined as earnings records were broken. Bull markets typically end with "irrational exuberance" as the market P/E ratio soars to absurd levels. Another bullish factor is the plethora of pessimistic news. Pundits warning of "apocalypse now" in the markets still outnumber those expressing optimism. As long as there are plenty of pessimists, there are still buyers and an abundance of money awaiting the "right time" to invest. In our experience, bull markets end when the last person waiting for the market to fall throws in the towel and buys stocks. That event does not appear to be close at hand.

The benchmark ten-year U.S. Treasury note yield ended the week at 2.816 percent, continuing its long,

Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure



slow decline that started when the U.S. declared a trade war on most of the rest of the world. The concern remains that with the 2-year Treasury yielding 2.633 percent the "spread" or difference between the yields is now down to 0.183 percent and we have come closer to the dreaded "inverted yield curve" which historically has been a reliable predictor of recessions inbound within 18-24 months.

Gold, demonstrating again that it is not the metal that our grandfathers thought it was, rose 1.72 percent on all the good news although it remains down almost 9 percent year-to-date. West Texas Intermediate crude oil rose over 5 percent to \$68.52 as the market assessed the shortages that will be created by reduced Iranian exports. That leaves it up almost 40 percent from this time last year and gasoline prices with it.

The Economy

The Federal Reserve minutes and Chairman Powell's comments at Jackson Hole this week strongly suggest that short-term rates will be up half a point by the end of this year. That would put the overnight interbank lending rate at about 2.5 percent and, barring a major reversal of longer-term Treasury rate trends, perilously close to a flat yield curve. U.S. interest rates may be suggesting trouble in 2020, but European rates are still acting like the trou-

ble is now. As an example, the German two-year note is still producing a negative yield at -0.6 percent and the European Central Bank announced its interbank rate will remain at -0.4 percent at least through next summer.

A lot of hope was generated when it was announced that China and the U.S. would hold talks this week on trade. Apparently, it has all come to nothing as both sides repeated their positions and insisted the other side back down. Here at home, average weekly pay for American workers rose 3.7 percent in the first quarter in a harbinger that more inflation and higher short-term interest rates are in the works. At the same time, U.S. non-defense capital goods orders rose 1.4 percent from June, a signal that manufacturing growth is still in place.

All the indicators we can see continue to point to an economy currently hyper-stimulated by the 2018 tax-cuts that is running well in excess of its longer-term capacity. In an increasing number of areas, weaknesses are beginning to show that suggest it will run out of capacity in late 2019 or 2020 then descend into a cyclical recession. It is still far too early to predict the severity of that slowdown but the forecasts for the rest of this year and into the next are for sunny weather with fair breezes.

Fleischer named to Media Roll of Honor

Tim Fleischer, Editor-In-Chief of the *Salado Village Voice* newspaper was named to the 2018 Media Honor Roll, a program sponsored by the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB), by our school district. The Media Honor Roll recognizes media representatives statewide for fair and balanced reporting of news about public schools. Media from newspapers, radio and television stations, and online publications across the state were honored by their local school districts.

Criteria for the district selection included the media representative's efforts to get to know the superintendent, board president, and the district's mission and goals; report school news in a fair, accurate, and balanced manner; give a high profile to positive news about schools; visit the schools; and maintain a policy of no surprises by sharing information with school officials.

Our school board unanimously approved the following resolution and also presented Tim with a certificate recognizing him for this achievement.

WHEREAS, in each community, the public schools are shaped by that community to provide the most appropriate and effective education for the schoolchildren who attend those schools; and

WHEREAS, public schools are dependent on the community's support in countless ways, including support in setting goals for

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



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the education of our children, in establishing successful volunteer and booster programs at the schools, for annual funding of operations, in periodic bond elections, in the election of qualified school board members; and

WHEREAS, much of the community's knowledge and opinions about the public schools rely on responsible reporting by local media representatives who decide which news to share with the community, how much attention will be focused on various issues, and what the tone of the reporting will be; therefore

NOW BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board

of Trustees of the Salado Independent School District places the name of Tim Fleischer on the statewide 2018 Media Honor Roll, calling attention to the ongoing responsible and exemplary nature of reporting on this community's public schools. We express our appreciation for your balanced and accurate approach to sharing with this community both the challenges facing our schools and the successes achieved by the teachers and students. Your work has aided this community in focusing on the goal of providing the best public schools we can for every child who attends them.

How to lose to Trump in one easy step

John Brennan may not know it, but he is acting in a drama scripted and produced by Donald J. Trump. As Eli Lake of Bloomberg perceptively observed, President Trump isn't trying to silence Brennan by revoking his security clearance, as the former CIA director's defenders insist, but elevate him as a foil.

Trump couldn't hope for a better poster boy for the so-called deep state than a former CIA director who immediately began to sound like a commentator for MSNBC upon leaving government -- and, indeed, signed up as a commentator for MSNBC.

It has been the usual practice of former top intelligence professionals to keep their political opinions, and especially their wild-eyed rants, to themselves. They understand that, having been entrusted with some of the most sensitive powers of the United States government, they should show forbearance and restraint lest they undermine the reputations of their institutions.

Brennan has had no such compunction. Granted, he's acted under provocation. Trump has goaded him on Twitter and launched extraordinary broadsides against the work of U.S. intelligence agencies. Trump often sounds like the guy popping off down at

Rich Lowry



the end of the bar, and he's transformed Brennan into the guy down at the other end of the bar.

Advantage: Trump. The president always benefits from the fact that his brand depends on violating norms, whereas if his opponents are baited into violating norms in return, they diminish themselves and their cause.

In a notorious tweet, Brennan accused the president of "nothing short of treason" for his craven performance at a joint press conference with Vladimir Putin in Helsinki.

This was the first time on record that a prominent elected official ever committed treason -- which usually involves giving away the nation's secrets or compromising intelligence assets -- at a public event extensively covered by the international media.

What did Brennan mean by his charge? He apparently doesn't know. Pressed by Rachel Maddow of MSNBC, Brennan explained, incoherently, that "I said it was nothing short of treasonous. I didn't mean that he committed treason." Oh. Asked point-blank if he

thinks that the president is serving the Russian government, he said that "I scratch my head a lot," not the usual standard for alleging that someone committed a capital offense.

Brennan's conceit has made him the ideal target for Trump, since even some of the former intelligence officials who oppose the revocation of his security clearance are uncomfortable with how he has conducted himself.

The president's adversaries may consider this unfair, but the institutions Trump targets are best-served by not responding in kind. If the president says that the press can't be trusted because it's so biased, the press should react by being less biased rather than more. If he says that he's being undone by a deep state conspiracy, former intelligence officials should be more restrained rather than less.

Brennan either doesn't understand this dynamic or doesn't care. He has threatened a lawsuit, and Trump has welcomed one. The president is happy for a war with the most unhinged representative of the intelligence community at hand, and John O. Brennan is playing his role flawlessly.

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Despite heat, Salado Legends has 934 attendees

To the Editor :

The 114 degree temperature the first week Salado Legends opened was frightening. The attendance for that first performance was down by 150. But the attendance for the next two performances more than made up for losses and we ended with 934 attendees. What was even better, was that 56% of the attendees signed up for a free night stay, graciously donated by the Inn at Salado. From the free night's stay at Inn at Salado form that the attendees filled out, we were able to see where the attendees called home and that forty-eight of them spent the nights at Salado hotels and B&B's. Inn at Salado has faithfully donated a night stay for the drawing for the past nineteen years so that we can check attendance. During intermission of the last performance a nine-year-old boy sitting on the front row drew the winning ticket. The winning filled out form belonged to a gentleman and his party from Moody, Texas who was present that last performance night.

For the third year, Mayor Skip Blancett - Salado's best advocate for Tourism,

Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

gave the opening address to welcome attendees from all over Texas. Skip had them laughing, crying, giving standing ovations and sending them home with tales to tell. Then the 108 members of the cast, crew and untold numbers of volunteers took over and proceeded to prove Skip correct. Yes, Salado is the place where history, legends and memories meet!

At intermission of the final show, scholarships were awarded to fourteen (14) college age actors and crew members of "Legends" in the amount of \$13,330.32. The monetary value of scholarships awarded from 1993 to date is \$184,709.32. We've come a long way since we could only afford one scholarship for \$250. Our worthy and grateful college age cast and crew kids wrote their Thank You notes at the cast party and they were mailed the next week. The Institute of Outdoor Theatre's Economic Impact formula used by

124 outdoor theaters was once again put to use by Tablerock. By combining Tablerock's annual budget, 934 Salado Legends at-

tendees for 2018, and Legend's ticket income, a total of \$259,028.00 is the Economic Income for the Salado area attributed to Salado Legends this year. Last year Legend's Economic Income was \$249,852.00. Onward and upward!

Best of all, we had fun! We welcomed back pre-

vious volunteers/cast and crew and enjoyed meeting newcomers to the stage. Volunteers we had not seen in several years showed up to help on performance nights. And once again, Salado turned out to see Legends and bring friends.

After the cast party you could hear all the goodbyes;

"See you at Fright Trail," or "See you at A Christmas Carol" or "I'm auditioning for the Shakespeare play next year." "What?"

"I'm getting out of this wool Civil War uniform and into a toga!"

Jackie Mills
Tablerock



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Project Backpack Fundraiser supports Salado Students for 2018 School Year. The tenth annual Project Backpack Fundraiser ended on August 12 in time to support the Salado Family Relief Back-to-School Program held on August 14-16.

Donations were collected from six area churches - First Baptist of Salado, Grace Baptist Salado, Open Road Biker Church, Presbyterian Church of Salado, Salado United Methodist Church, and St. Joseph Episcopal Church. Women's Ministry of St. Stephens Catholic Church and the Masons also made donations to the Back-to-School Program. Each church contributed approximately \$250 toward the purchase of backpacks and the additional monies totaling approximately \$4500 were applied toward the purchase of school supply kits/vouchers.

Salado Family Relief began the Back-to-School program in 2002. Every year since they have distributed school supplies to approximately 150 students. In 2009, Women's Ministry of Salado United Method-

ist purchased backpacks to give to students as part of this program.

The Project Backpack Fundraiser is a church-sponsored fundraiser that has continued annually since that time and has supplied backpacks and school supplies, off-setting the cost to Salado Family Relief Fund.

The primary fundraiser for SFR is the Empty Bowl Project which is scheduled

this year for November 10 at the Salado Intermediate School. Area restaurants supply a variety of soups and pottery bowls donated by Mud Pies and art students are offered for sale.

In addition to the Back-to-School program, SFR provides assistance to families in need of temporary help with rental or bill payments.

They also work with

individuals, churches, and community groups to provide Christmas presents to over 150 children in Salado. Board members serve on a volunteer basis, so all funds raised are used to provide services to individuals in the community.

Donations can be mailed to the Salado Family Relief Fund, P. O. Box 461, Salado, TX 76571.

Lastovica elected delegate to 135th American Angus Assoc. Convention

Steven Lastovica, Salado, Texas, has been elected as a delegate to the 135th Annual American Angus Association® Convention of Delegates, Nov. 5 at Columbus Convention Center in Columbus, Ohio, reports Allen Moczygamba, CEO of the American Angus Association.

Lastovica, a member of the American Angus Association with headquarters in Saint Joseph, Mo., is one of 329 Angus breeders who have been elected by fellow members in their state to serve as a representative at the annual meeting. Representing 44 states and the

District of Columbia, the delegates will participate in the business meeting and elect new officers and five directors to the American Angus Association board.

The annual meeting will take place in conjunction with the 2018 Angus Convention, Nov. 3-5, in Columbus, Ohio. The event is open to anyone in the cattle business and will feature high-profile keynote speakers; educational sessions, including thought leaders from every industry sector; the International Genomics Symposium, sponsored by Neogen GeneSeek operations; Angus University,

sponsored by Merck Animal Health; entertainment; evening galas; prize giveaways; and an expansive trade show. Visit www.angusconvention.com to learn more or to register. The early registration discount of \$175 ends Sept. 30.

The American Angus Association is the nation's largest beef breed organization, serving nearly 25,000 members across the United States, Canada and several other countries. For more information about Angus cattle and the 2018 convention, visit www.ANGUS.org.

ON THE SPRINGER MEMORIAL STAGE

Million Dollar Quartet playing in Georgetown, Aug. 31- Sept. 30

Georgetown's Historic Palace Theatre presents on The Springer Memorial Stage Aug. 31- Sept 30 MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET.

Inspired by the recording session that brought together Rock 'n' Roll Icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis, and Carl Perkins for the first and only time. Book by Colin Escott and Floyd Mutrux Original Concept and Direction by Floyd Mutrux

On December 4, 1956, four young musicians gathered at Sun Records in Memphis for what would be one of the greatest jam sessions ever. This thrilling musical brings you inside the recording studio with four major talents who came together as a red-hot rock 'n' roll band for one unforgettable night. MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET brings that legendary night to life, featuring a score of Rock 'n' Roll hits including "Blue Suede Shoes," "Fever," "That's All Right," "Sixteen Tons," "Great Balls of Fire," "Walk the Line," "Whole Lotta Shakin' Goin' On," "Who Do You Love?," "Folsom Prison Blues," "Hound Dog" and more.

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET is based upon a recording of the impromptu jam session involving Elvis Presley, Jerry Lee Lewis, Carl Perkins, and Johnny Cash made in 1956 at the Sun Record Studios in Memphis, Tennessee. An article about the session was published in the Memphis Press-Scimitar under the title "Million Dollar Quartet". The recording was first released in Europe in 1981 as "The Million Dollar Quartet" with

17 tracks. A few years later more tracks were discovered and released as "The Complete Million Dollar Session". In 1990, the recordings were released in the United States as "Elvis Presley - The Million Dollar Quartet". This session is considered a formative moment in Rock 'n' Roll.

Lannie Hilboldt is both Director and Music Director for The Palace production of MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET. Logan Theoni ('Brother Jay') is on upright Bass; and Harrell Williams ('Fluke') handles

Percussion. The quartet features Daniel Ponce as Elvis Presley; Nathan Daniel Ford as Johnny Cash; Austin Kimble as Jerry Lee Lewis; Chris Tondre as Carl Perkins; Rick Smith as Sam Phillips; and Emma Theoni as Dyanne.

Get tickets for MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET at www.georgetownpalace.com or by calling the Palace Office at 512-869-7469. On the Springer Memorial Stage at Georgetown's Historic Palace Theatre from Aug. 31 to Sept. 30.



Rose Annaleigh Baltrun was born to Jason and Jackie Baltrun of Lampasas on July 31, 2018. She was born at St. David's Hospital in Georgetown and weight 9 lbs., 2 oz and measured 19.5 inches in length.

Grandparents are Dr. Joseph and Cindy Baltrun of Salado, Joel and Leigh Ihrle, of China Springs and Stanley Drake of Lubbock.

Jackie Baltrun, formerly Drake, is a 2006 graduate of Salado High School.



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Obituaries



Lois Elizabeth Atchley

Elizabeth Atchley of Houston, passed away August 15, 2018 in Boerne.

Born May 5, 1932 in Wingate, TX to Burton Hubert and Bertha Pricilla Pritchard, she was the youngest child of ten. She was a graduate of North Texas University where she earned her degree in accounting and home-economics. After college, she became an educator.

She married Beck Atchley on August 25, 1956. They first resided in Houston where they raised two daughters. After 20+ years of teaching in the classroom, Elizabeth became Registrar at Westbury HS.

In 1987, they moved to Friendswood and divided their time between that residence and their beach house on Galveston Island.

She was involved in her church, Friendswood United Methodist and community. She volunteered for Meals on Wheels where she coordinated meal delivery for those in need in that community for ten years.

She is survived by daughters, Stacy Elizabeth Frazier and her husband Colin William Frazier of Salado, and Amy Rebecca Atchley and her husband James Elias Haslanger; a sister, Daphna P. Ritchey and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband: Harold Beck Atchley and brothers: Doyle Marion Pritchard, Burton Hubert Pritchard, Jr., Joseph Elzo Pritchard, John Henry Pritchard, Truett Warren Pritchard, Bruce Pritchard, and two infant boys who died at birth.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Elizabeth's memory may be made to Morningside Ministries "Menger Springs Covenant Fund" either online at www.mmliving.org/giving or by mail to 700 Babcock Road, San Antonio, TX 78201.



Keith Michael Markham
Services for Keith Michael Markham, 51, of Salado, TX were held 11 a.m., Tuesday August 28, 2018 at

St. Stephen Catholic Church with Mass concelebrated by Rev James Misko and Rev Jude Uche. A private graveside service followed a bereavement meal.

Keith died surrounded by loved ones on August 23, 2018 at Baylor Scott and White Hospital after a lengthy battle.

He was born on September 26, 1966 in Garland, TX to Brian and Reta Markham. Keith graduated from Lake Highland High school in 1984 and attended Texas Tech University where he formed life long friendships as a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. He transferred to Southern Methodist University where he earned a degree in Advertising. Keith began his career with Southwestern Bell Mobile, followed by Merritt Hawkins Physician Recruiting, before settling in his career with Realtime Staffing which eventually became a part of Manpower Group. Within the Manpower organization he completed his 20 plus years with Tapfin Solutions as Regional Vice-President of Operations seeing the company through a number of mergers and acquisitions, always willing to go the extra mile to ensure the well-being of its employees.

Keith married Caroline Cowan on June 12, 1993. He is survived by his five children, Cameron, Luke, Jake, Max, and Elizabeth all of Salado, Texas.

Survivors also include a sister, Shawn Delaney and husband, Neil of Dallas; brother, Brad Markham of Dallas; parents, Brian and Reta Markham. His mother and father-in-law, M.H. and Anne Cowan of Salado. His brothers and sisters-in-law, Terri and Chris Seaton of Salado, Michael and Angela Cowan of Belton, Cathy and Wayne Cleveland of Salado, Susan and Robert Phillips of Clifton, and Becky and David Gleberman of Richmond, Virginia along with 22 nieces and nephews and many loving aunts and uncles. He was preceded in death by nephew, Guy Delaney.

Markham was a member of St Stephen Catholic Church in Salado, TX. He served many years as a coach and board member for Salado Youth Baseball where he developed young athletes at his favorite sport. He was regularly seen at the

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schools having lunch with his children or cheering them on at Salado sporting events. Following in his footsteps, two sons currently attend Texas Tech and one is currently a member of Phi Delta Theta. Keith loved the outdoors and time relaxing with family.

A Rosary Service was held at St. Stephen Catho-

lic Church, Salado at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, August 27th.

Arrangements were handled by Broecker Funeral of Salado. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the John Paul II Medical Research Institute at www.JP2mri.org or the St Stephen Religious Education Department.

6th Annual Fun Run 1 raises funds for Body of Christ Community Clinic

The First United Methodist Church of Belton will hold its sixth annual Labors of Love 5K Fun Run and Walk, on Saturday September 1 at Confederate Park in Belton.

The event, formerly known as the 4-G 5k, will have registration beginning at 8:15 a.m. and run to 8:45 a.m. at Confederate Park with the race beginning at 9 a.m. on Sept. 1. The race is a fundraiser by the church for the benefit of the Body of Christ Community Clinic in Belton.

The cost is \$25 for adults, \$10 for children between the ages of 6 and 12, and free for children 5 and under.

The race will begin and end at Confederate Park. The course has runners and walkers going to the University of Mary Hardin Baylor and returning to Confederate Park. The 5K is

a chipped, timed race with awards for all age groups. After the early registration ends there will be a limited number of Tshirts available on a first come first serve basis.

Donna Dunn, Executive Director of the Body of Christ Community Clinic said, "Once again, we can't thank First Methodist of Belton enough. For the past six years they have put on this event just to help our clinic. Please help support this "labor of love" by the First United Methodist Church in Belton!"

Online registration is available at: www.runsignup.com/laborsoflove5K or you can sign up the morning of the event. For additional information contact the church by calling (254) 939-5703 or email First Methodist at ChurchMail@fumcmail.org.

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An Open Exchange of Ideas

Thoughts on the golf course

To the Editor:

How many times have you heard someone say he has a million-dollar business only to find out later they sold it for half that amount? Unfortunately, Mr. Ron Gravette and Mr. Billy Helm are struggling with the fact their golf course was appraised for just a little over \$2.5 mil.

Mr. Gravette says, "the investors have spent \$4.2 million" since they purchased the course five years ago. Mr. Gravette has said, "they will sell the course for \$3.3 million." He says the golf course isn't losing money it has a cash flow problem. Golf courses survive on immediate cash flow from green fees, pro shop purchases, and snack bars. Other than membership fees every bit of a golf course's cash flow is immediate.

The only logical conclusion to draw from Mr. Gravette's statement is the golf course membership isn't paying their dues.

The real question the community needs an answer too is how much Mr. Helm's construction company benefited from his reported \$200,000 initial investment he and his wife made with the initial group of investors to purchase the golf course for a reported \$1.8 million.

The importance to the question is what improvements were made to the playability of the golf course. What professionals were brought in regarding irrigation, installing a filtration system for the water and construction of the greens on the original nine. It appears Mr. Helm's company was the only one used for all the work done to the course in the last five years and none of the above were implemented.

Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

Several greens rebuilt by Mr. Helm's construction company on the original nine holes are already infected with fungus because the course lacks a filtration system. A problem identified by professionals during Don Mackie's ownership.

There is an old saying you can put lipstick on a pig and it's still a pig. The people I feel sorry for are the ones Mr. Helm and Mr. Gravette convinced to invest in the golf course but did nothing to make the improvements to make the golf course competitive in Central Texas.

Successful golf courses survive on the quality of play not their pro shop/snack bar, rock walls lining the creeks but water filtration systems to deal with the hybrid grasses golf courses demand today to insure quality greens and fairways.

Jim Ervi
Salado

From the Editor: In answer to the questions about the playability of Mill Creek and what has been done to improve that, I will say this:

- Nine holes which are the Classic holes of Mill Creek along the creek were brought back to life by the Mill Creek group. Maybe Ervi has forgotten that those holes were allowed to go fallow by the previous owner who said he would turn the course into a cow pasture in 2015.

- The pond at hole 18 no longer leaks untold amounts of precious water thanks to the Mill Creek group. The fountain there certainly contributes to the overall beauty of the course, even

for those of us who don't and can't play golf.

- Bridges across Salado Creek were completely rebuilt, which contributes a great deal to playability for the sheer fact that for years the phrase "you can't get there from here" was true of many of those Creek holes.

Word has apparently gotten out about the Creek holes reopening. This accomplishment cannot be understated and it shouldn't be belittled by those who have no skin in the game.

Anecdotally, each time I drive to and from home during daylight hours, I see golfers teeing off at the low water bridge at the creek, on the green at the old restaurant and on the fairways on the old #7 hole.

Regardless of whether the Village and the Mill Creek group come together, that is a welcome sight.

Last Saturday, I delivered some enchiladas to a friend on Bluff Circle. The parking lot at the Pro Shop was overflowing with vehicles. It wasn't people in the pool; Marilyn said she didn't see too many in the pool for the last Saturday before school.

No, it was golfers. Golfers who have come back to Mill Creek because of the efforts of Helm and the rest of the Mill Creek group.

Rather than belittling them, we should look back at just how bad things were and thank them for making what improvements they have to what has been a Jewel for Salado for many years.

Thanks guys, from a non-golfer!

Tim Fleischer
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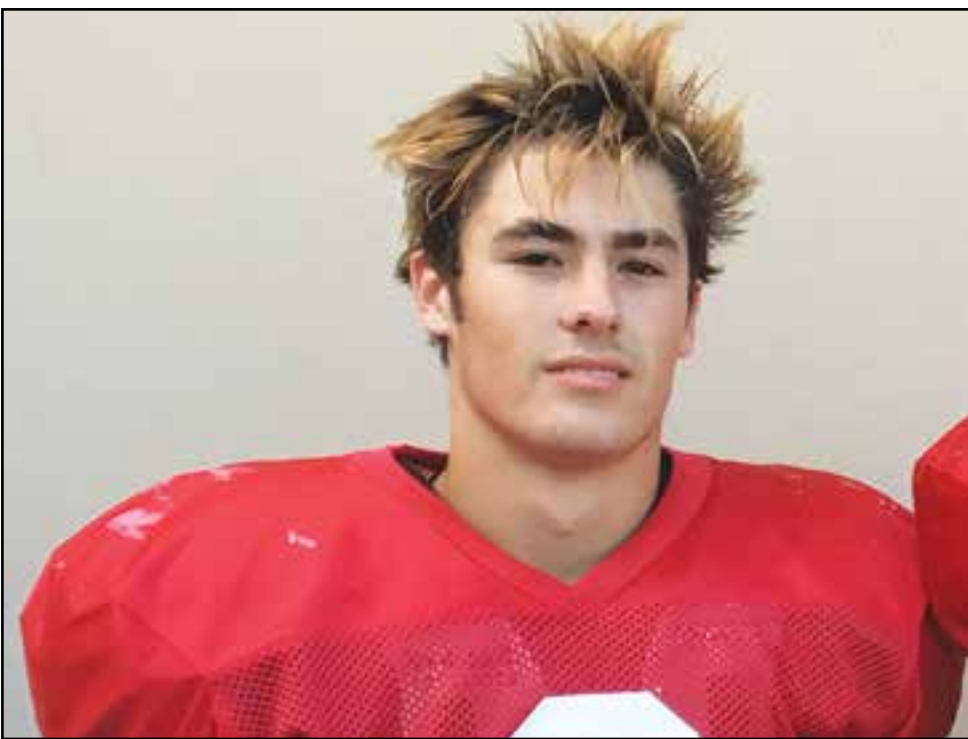
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Covering Salado students from Thomas Arnold to SHS

August 30, 2018



Tate Harvey, senior tailback and linebacker.

Eagles, Trojans continue season-opening rivalry

By LARNCE BARKER

Salado Eagles kickoff their 2018 season against the Troy Trojans at UMHB Crusader Stadium 7:30 p.m. Aug. 31.

The Troy Trojans come off a 3-7 record in 2017 and missed the playoffs for the first time after making back to back playoff runs. The Salado Eagles went 4 Rounds deep in the Texas 4A-DII playoffs in 2017. They were Region 3 Finalist and finished with a 12-2 season. The 2018 Eagles are hoping to make it 4 in a row to the Texas 4A-DII playoffs. This season Salado is predicted to finish 5th in District 8, this season according to Dave Campbell's Texas Football. Salado will

have all the same foes of last year with an addition to Madisonville. This 7 team District will be tough as we move into Region 2, 4A-DII and teams that make the playoffs will be favorable to go a few rounds deep.

This football season Salado Head Football Coach Alan Haire who was the 2017 District 9-4A Coach of the Year will be in his 3rd year at the helm will have 3 offensive starters and 4 Defensive starters returning with a good number of players that were reserve players last season who will assist on both sides of the football in District 8 4A-DII.

Rustin Hale OLB, Andrew Sniggs DE, Tommie Barker DE and Tate Harvey FS, who will move to line-

backer in 2018, will lead the Eagle defense. Kash Eddleman NT, Caleb Self SS, Konnor Baird FS, Hunter Bales LB, Kory Walker LB, Latrell Jenkins CB and Blake Madden DT will be players to watch on defense for 2018.

Offensive returners for the Eagles will be Bryce Wales OL, Trace Medlin OL, Wrook Brown QB, Connor Cook FB and Ashton Sniggs TE. Players to watch on Offense for the Eagles will be Reid Vincent RB, Hunter Turk RB, Ryan Staritt OL, Jo'Qwan Langston OL, Bryce Dobbins OL, Trace Medlin OL, Tyler Oglesby WR and Kolt Eddleman.

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Tommie Barker, senior Defensive End, Offensive Guard.

Saladoan Marie Grigsby named Region 13 Asst. Principal of Year

Marie Grigsby, Assistant Principal at Jarrell High School has been selected to represent the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals as a Region 13 Outstanding Assistant Principal of the Year. TASSP recognizes outstanding principals and assistant principals from the twenty region Education Service Centers in the state. School administrators are nominated and chosen by their peers within their regions. Nominations are based upon exemplary performance and outstanding leadership. As a Region 13 winner, Grigsby is eligible to compete for the state title of Texas Assistant Principal

of the Year.

Grigsby, a third year assistant principal, has been a member of the leadership team at Jarrell High School since 2016 and was a teacher and coach there for 10 years prior to moving into the administrative position.

She is a graduate of the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor with a BBA in Marketing. She attended Lamar University and was awarded a Master of Education in Educational Technology Leadership and Principal Certification.

Grigsby see herself as being a risk taker, visionary and leader of learners.

She was nominated for the award by Jarrell High



Marie Grigsby

School Principal Lindsie Almquist.

Grigsby is a 1996 graduate of Salado High School. She is the daughter of Bill Grigsby of Salado and the late Carolyn Grigsby Wallace.

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The Lady Eagle's Varsity Cross Country team start their race during the Belton Invitational. (l to r) Jaci McGregor, Catalina Langlitz, Samantha Vargas, Anna Lesley, Taylor Rich, Kimberly Kendall, Avery Fossum and Regina Deen. PHOTOS THIS PAGE BY LEE LOUGHEED

Cross Country at Belton invitational

Salado Eagle Cross Country teams competed in the Belton Invitational Aug. 24 at Wildflower Country Club.

Girls teams ran a two mile course while boys ran a three mile course with Varsity teams competing against 1A-4A schools and JV taking on all participating schools 1A-6A.



Top placing runners for Salado Cross Country were second place Jaci McGregor (above) with a time of 12:38 (two miles) and first place Hunter Haas (below) with 16:38 (three miles).

Varsity Girls

The Lady Eagles Varsity team ran a strong race but came up just short of the team championship. Outpacing them was the number one state ranked 2A team from San Saba High School. The varsity girls finished with 66 points to San Saba's 65.

Every member of the team ran a season personal record at the meet. Varsity times were: Jaci McGregor 2nd (12:38), Anna Lesley 4th (13:12), Catalina Langlitz 14th (13:58), Samantha Vargas 22nd (14:24), Avery Fossum 24th (14:29), Taylor Rich 29th (14:39), Kimberly Kendall 53rd (15:37) and Regina Deen 57th (15:57).



Varsity Boys

The Belton Invitational marks the Varsity Boys second cross country tournament win. Hunter Haas led the team, placing first overall in the 1A-4A Varsity Boys Division.

The boys finished as follows: Hunter Haas 1st (16:38.80), Logan Rickey, 2nd (17:12.75), Grant Sellers 14th (18:49.57), Trey Graham 28th (19:48.52) Horacio Huerta 35th (20:02.99) Isaac Huerta 56th (20:47.61), Dustin Wilson 71st (22:04.32).

Times for the JV team were: Avery Wright 48th (16:30), Lily Lougheed 59th (16:44), Emma Grant 66th (16:51.9), Makenzy Ferguson 67th (16:52.0), Grace Graham 68th (16:52.2), Lindsey Neas 91st (17:26), Charley Thomas 101st (17:33), Hannah Seymour (18:30), Rachael Jett (18:58).

JV Boys

Salado JV boys placed 6th over all against all participating 1A-6A schools. Individual times and placing was not available at press time.

JV Girls

JV Girls placed 5th overall against a tough field of over 230 girls from 1A-6A schools.

Salado High School Cross Country teams will compete Aug. 31 in the Pro-Fit Invitational at Wilson Park in Temple



Salado JV Cross Country runners (above, l to r) Lily Lougheed and Charley Thomas; and (below) Adon Giral



Varsity boys start their race. (l to r) Isaac Huerta, Trey Graham, Horacio Huerta, Chris Ortiz (rear), Hunter Haas, Dustin Wilson, Grant Sellers and Logan Rickey.

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Back to School August 27



Thomas Arnoled Elementary Principal Kati Mullins (Not pictured) greeted all students arriving for their first day of school. Some children were smiling and some were dubious of what the day would bring. Some were accompanied by smiling parents and some were independent spirits marching forward. Those riding the bus for the first time were learning the new routine for loading and unloading. PHOTOS BY ROYCE WIGGIN



USD Torero Dalton Hankamer named to the WCC Commissioner's Honor Roll

SAN DIEGO, CA (08/27/2018)-- Dalton Hankamer was one of 150 Torero student-athletes named to the West Coast Conference Commissioner's Honor Roll for the 2017-18 academic year.

Hankamer is a member of the Men's Golf team.

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Salado Varsity Eagles Football

Date	Time	Opponent	Place
Aug. 17	10 am	Palestine scrimmage	Waco ISD Stadium
Aug. 23	6:30 pm	Giddings scrimmage	Away
Aug. 31	7:30 pm	Troy	UMHB Stadium
Sept. 7	7:30 pm	Academy	Away
Sept. 13	5 pm	Austin Travis	Austin House Park
Sept. 21	7:30 pm	Taylor (Homecoming)	Home
Sept. 28	7:30 pm	Connally*	Home
Oct. 5	7:30 pm	Robinson*	Away
Oct. 19	7:30 pm	Lorena*	Home
Oct. 26	7:30 pm	Madisonville*	Away
Nov. 2	7:30 pm	Mexia*	Home
Nov. 9	7:30 pm	Fairfield*	Away

Salado Junior Varsity Football

Date	Time	Opponent	Place
Aug. 17	10:00 a.m.	Palestine scrimmage	Waco ISD Stadium
Aug. 23	6:30 p.m.	Giddings scrimmage	Away
Aug. 31	6:30 p.m.	Troy	Away
Sept. 6	6:30 p.m.	Academy	Home
Sept. 20	6:30 p.m.	Taylor	Away
Sept. 27	6:30 p.m.	Connally*	Away
Oct. 4	6:30 p.m.	Robinson*	Home
Oct. 18	6:30 p.m.	Lorena*	Away
Oct. 25	6:30 p.m.	Madisonville*	Home
Nov. 1	6:30 p.m.	Mexia*	Away
Nov. 8	6:30 p.m.	Fairfield*	Home

Salado Ninth Grade Eagles Football

Date	Time	Opponent	Place
Aug. 17	10:00 a.m.	Palestine scrimmage	Waco ISD Stadium
Aug. 23	5:00 p.m.	Giddings scrimmage	Away
Aug. 31	5:00 p.m.	Troy	Away
Sept. 6	5:00 p.m.	Academy	Home
Sept. 20	5:00 p.m.	Taylor	Away
Sept. 27	5:00 p.m.	Connally*	Away
Oct. 4	5:00 p.m.	Robinson*	Home
Oct. 18	5:00 p.m.	Lorena*	Away
Oct. 25	5:00 p.m.	Madisonville*	Home
Nov. 1	5:00 p.m.	Mexia*	Away
Nov. 8	5:00 p.m.	Fairfield*	Home

Salado Junior High Football

Date	8A	8B	7A	7B	Opponent	Place
Sept. 12	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Academy	Home
Sept. 20	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Taylor	Home
Sept. 27	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Connally	Home
Oct. 4	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Robinson	Away
Oct. 18	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Lorena	Home
Oct. 25	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Madisonville	Away
Nov. 1	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Mexia	Home
Nov. 8	7:30 pm	6:30 pm	5:15 pm	4:30 pm	Fairfield	Away

Salado High School Cross Country

Date	Event	Location
Aug. 17	Temple Invitational	Lions Park
Aug. 24	Belton Invitational	Wildflower Country Club
Aug. 31	Pro-Fit Invitational	James Wilson Park, Temple
Sept. 13	Gatesville Invitational	Gatesville High School, 205 S Lovers Ln, Gatesville
Sept. 20	Salado Invitational	Tenroc Ranch, 5471 Thomas Arnold Rd., Salado
Oct. 5	Lampasas Invitational	Lampasas ISD, 2716 US-281, Lampasas
Oct. 11	District Meet	Lampasas ISD, 2716 US-281, Lampasas
Oct. 22	Regional Meet:	Qualifiers: A & M Corpus Christi
Nov. 4	State Meet	Qualifiers: Old Settlers Park, 3300 E Palm Valley Blvd, Round Rock

Salado Lady Eagles Varsity Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Aug. 3	3-Way Scrimmage with Jarrell, Troy	Jarrell	8:00 a.m.
Aug. 4	3-way Scrimmage with Gateway, Cameron	Here	9:00 a.m.
Aug. 7	Troy	There	6:00 p.m.
Aug. 9-11	Fairfield Tournament	There	TBA
Aug. 14	Killeen Ellison	There	6:30 p.m.
Aug. 16-18	Gatesville Tournament	There	TBA
Aug. 17	Snook	Here	6:00 p.m.
Aug. 21	Mexia	There	6:30 p.m.
Aug. 24	Rogers	Here	6:30 p.m.
Aug. 23 & 25	Academy Tournament	There	TBA
Aug. 28	Jarrell	Here	6:00 p.m.
Aug. 31	Academy	There	4:30 p.m.
Sept. 4	Cedar Creek	Here	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 7	Llano	Here	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	Valley Mills	Here	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 14	Gatesville	There	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 18	Crawford	Here	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 21	*Lampasas	Here	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	*Georgetown Eastside	Here	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 28	*Liberty Hill	There	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	* Taylor (Jr High Night)	Here	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 5	*Burnet	There	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	*Lampasas	There	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 12	*Georgetown Eastside	There	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	*Liberty Hill	Here	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 19	*Taylor	Here	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	*Burnet	Here	6:00 p.m.

Salado Junior Varsity & 9th Grade Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Place	9th	JV
Aug. 3	3-Way Scrimmage	Jarrell	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
Aug. 4	3-way Scrimmage	Here	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Aug. 7	Troy	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 9-11	Fairfield Tournament	There	TBA	TBA
Aug. 14	Killeen Ellison	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 16-18	Gatesville Tournament	There	TBA	TBA
Aug. 21	Mexia	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 24	Rogers	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 28	Jarrell	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Aug. 31	Academy	There	5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 4	Cedar Creek	Here	5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 6 & 8	Salado 9th/JV Tournament	Here	TBA	TBA
Sept. 7	Llano	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 11	Valley Mills	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 14	Gatesville	There	4:30 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Sept. 18	Crawford	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 21	*Lampasas	Here	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Sept. 25	*Georgetown Eastside	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 28	*Liberty Hill	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 2	*Taylor (Jr high Night)	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 5	*Burnet	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	*Lampasas	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 12	*Georgetown Eastside	There	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 16	*Liberty Hill	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 19	*Taylor	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 23	*Burnet	Here	5:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Salado Junior High Volleyball

Date	8A	8B	7A	7B	Opponent	Place
Sept. 8	TBA	N/A	TBA	N/A	Robinson Tournament	Away
Sept. 10	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Burnet	Away
Sept. 17	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Lampasas	Home
Sept. 24	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Burnet	Home
Oct. 1	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Lampasas	Away
Oct. 5-6	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	Belton Tournament	Away
Oct. 11	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Llano	Away
Oct. 18	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Llano	Home
Oct. 22	5:30	4:30	4:30	5:30	Burnet	Away

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Salado Junior High School

Cross Country Meets

Date	Event	Location
Sept. 8	Llano	Llano High School 10 a.m.
Sept. 15	Rogers	Rogers High School 8 a.m.
Sept. 22	McGregor	Bluebonnet Park 8 a.m.
Sept. 29	Cameron	Cameron Jr. High 10:30 a.m.
Oct. 5	Lampasas	Lampasas High School 4 p.m.
Oct. 13	District	Llano HS 10 a.m.

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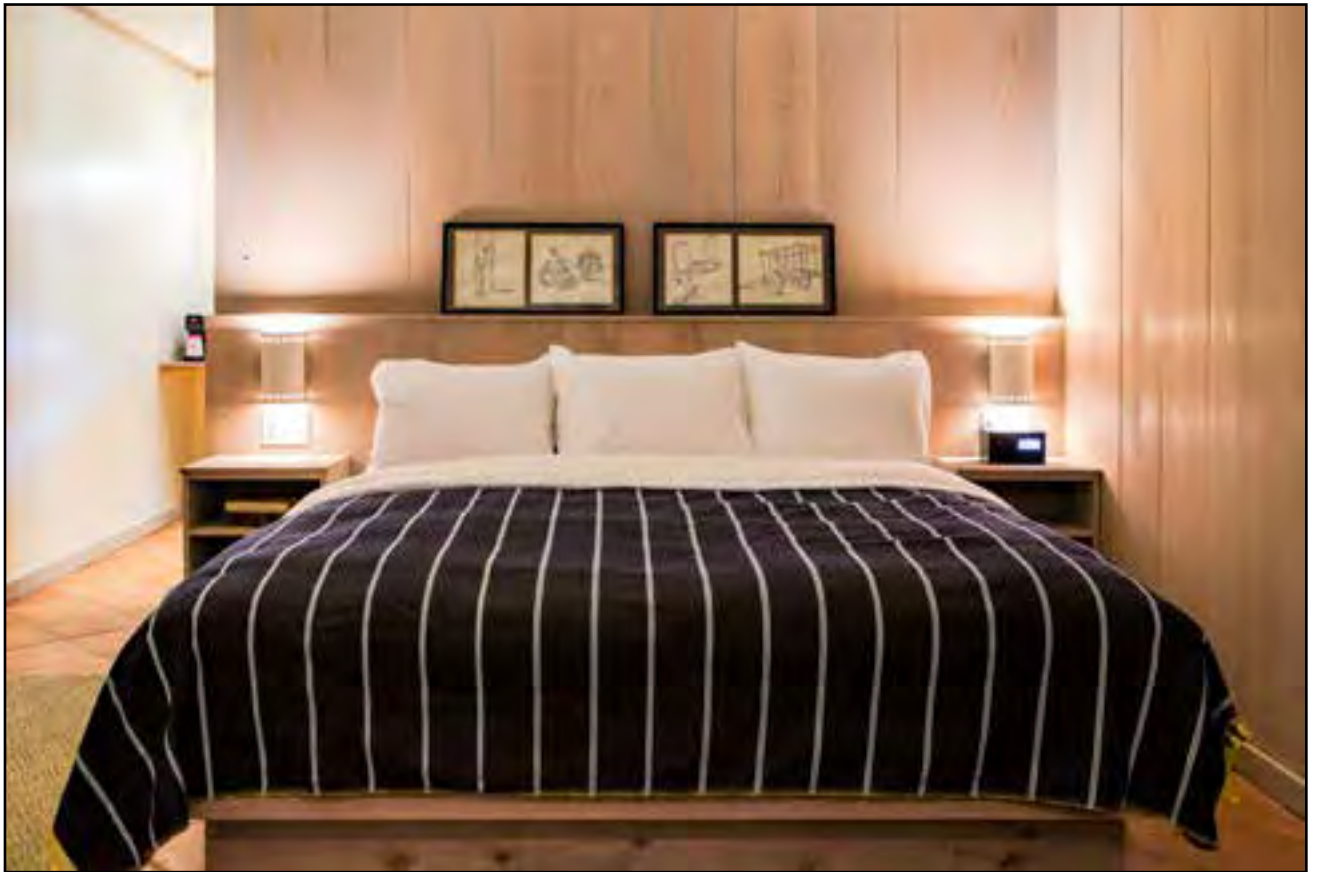
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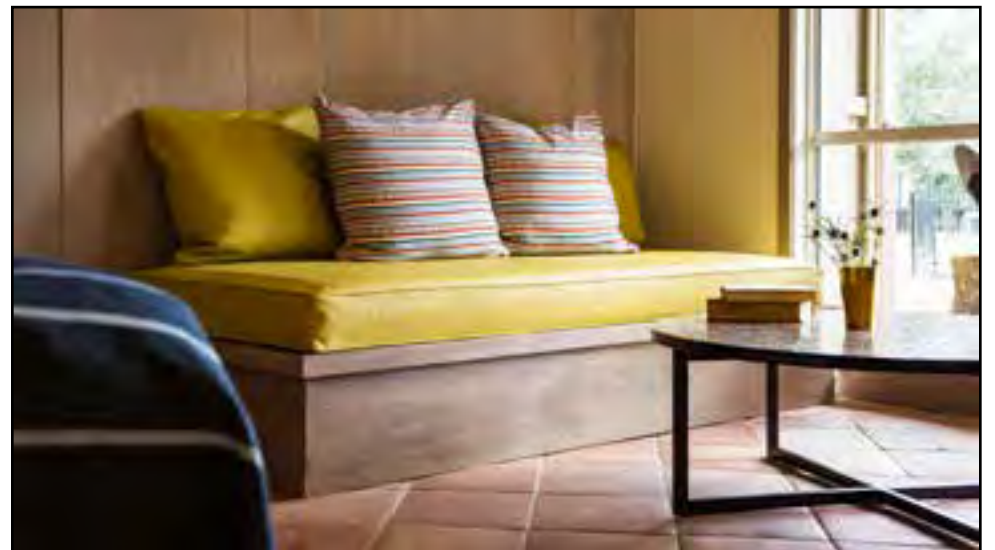
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Historic Stagecoach Inn completes two year, multi-phase renovation

Iconic Texas landmark Stagecoach Inn's reimagined guest rooms will reopen its doors Labor Day Weekend 2018 following a two-year, multi-phase renovation. After acquiring the property in 2015, developers Clark Lyda, Austin Pfiester and David Hays collaborated with Austin-based La Corsha Hospitality Group, led by Founder and President Jeff Trigger, to carefully renovate and restore the Inn's iconic restaurant by updating the building's system and repairing the 1860-era structure. In June 2017, the first phase was completed with the opening of the restaurant.

Nestled amongst just over six acres of ancient oak trees along the Southern bank of Salado Creek, the renovated Inn features 48 guest rooms with tasteful mid-century inspired interior design. Four of these



Stagecoach Inn rooms feature mid-century influenced interiors.

rooms are suites, featuring sweeping balconies and outdoor patios. Additionally, the property offers over 7,000 square feet of multi-purpose meeting and event space with more set to debut in 2019.

"We are excited to finally be able to share what we've been working on the past two years," says co-developer Clark Lyda. "Stagecoach Inn and its generations of guests hold a special place in our hearts and we hope the efforts to revitalize and honor this treasured landmark will be appreciated by all who walk through its doors."

Throughout the thoughtful renovation, the development team, La Corsha Hospitality Group and renowned Austin-based preservation architects Clayton & Little channeled the history and tradition of Stagecoach Inn's vibe, operations, architecture and interiors into a big city escape resort style property and restaurant, making it a perfect fit for visitors look-

ing to experience the charm of Salado once again.

The property's guest rooms and suites exude a comfortable yet chic, modern feel. The rooms feature hand-built custom beds, lighting and textiles, including Mexican tile, walk-in showers with custom-made mosaic tile inspired by mid-century baths, as well as spacious plant-lined private outdoor lounge areas. The design direction was inspired by mid-century architect Cliff May, whose laid-back style was perfectly suited for this motor court-style inn, which also includes a lush courtyard with a pool and full-service bar.

In addition to the full menu offerings at the pool bar, Stagecoach Inn restaurant will serve its Southern classics with a modern twist at breakfast, lunch and dinner seven days a week.

With a history stretching back more than 150 years, Stagecoach Inn combines authentic Texas comfort with unmatched South-

ern hospitality. Located along the historic Chisholm Trail, the Shady Villa Hotel opened in 1861 and is one of the oldest continuously operating hotels in Texas. Over the years, the Shady Villa hosted guests as distinctive and varied as Sam Houston, Sam Bass and Jesse James. The building was renamed Stagecoach Inn and re-purposed as a restaurant by Dion and Ruth Van Bibber in 1943. It quickly became a renowned highway stop for locals and travelers alike.

During opening week, Sunday, September 2 through Sunday, September 9, Stagecoach Inn will be offering active military a \$75 room rate. Throughout September and October, the property will also be offering 10 percent off the best available rate Sunday through Thursday. For more information and to make reservations, please visit stagecoachsalado.com/reservations or call 254.947.5111.

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Village of Salado Calendar of Events

AUGUST 30

Lego Club, 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Ages 5-12 explore creativity with LEGOs

AUGUST 30

The Run for Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 1 - 29

Library Card Sign-up Month at Salado Public Library. Sign up for a library card in September and be entered into a prize drawing

SEPTEMBER 1

Bikes & Brews, 7:30 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 3

Labor Day local closings: Salado ISD, Salado Public Library, Salado Village Voice, Village of Salado Municipal Offices

SEPTEMBER 3

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

SEPTEMBER 3

Coloring with Karen 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at Stamp Salado

SEPTEMBER 3

Salado Village Artists meet: Knitters 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists Building

SEPTEMBER 3

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

SEPTEMBER 3

Bikes & Brews, 7 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 4

Salado Village Artists meet 9 - 11 a.m. brush art crafting and needle work at Salado Village Artist building

SEPTEMBER 4

Sit and Knit 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 947-9191

SEPTEMBER 4

Salado Rotary Club 11:30 a.m. at Johnny's Steaks and Barbecue

SEPTEMBER 4

Salado Community Chorus practice 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center info: saladochorus.com

SEPTEMBER 4 - 8

Fall Garage Sale at Stamp Salado

SEPTEMBER 6

Mermaid Ambassador Lunch, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at Tenroc Ranch. Tickets: \$100 info: info@sirenafest.com

SEPTEMBER 6

Lego Club, 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Ages 5-12 explore creativity with LEGOs

SEPTEMBER 6

The Run for Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 6

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

SEPTEMBER 6

The Village of Salado will hold a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2019 Budget, 6:30 p.m. at the Village of Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach

SEPTEMBER 6

The Village of Salado will hold a public hearing on proposed tax rate of \$0.627600 per \$100 valuation, 6:30 p.m. at the Village of Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach

SEPTEMBER 7 - 9

Texas Fingerstyle Guitar Association weekend in Salado. See the music calendar of events for times and locations

SEPTEMBER 8

Salado Lions Club Garage Sale Fundraiser at Jack's Barn. info TBA . To donate: (254) 947-0995



Wayworn Traveler will host a benefit for lifelong Salado resident Cheryl Kuykendall 1 - 3 p.m. on Sept. 2 at Barrow Brewing Co. The event will feature music from Wayworn Traveler, a silent auction, homemade baked goods and a raffle. All proceeds will go to help with medical expenses.

SEPTEMBER 8

Bikes & Brews, 7:30 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 8 - 9

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

SEPTEMBER 8

Heart and Hands Ministries food and clothing pantry 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Plaza Shopping Center. Donation/volunteer info: 947-5465

SEPTEMBER 8

Asanas and Ales, 10 - 11 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Company

SEPTEMBER 8

Hang Out with Murphy, 10:30 a.m. at Salado Public Library. Murphy is a local, certified therapy dog trained for children to read to him

SEPTEMBER 8

Children's Story and Craft Time 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 947-9191

SEPTEMBER 10

Salado FFA Back to School Bash, info TBA

SEPTEMBER 10

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

SEPTEMBER 10

Salado Village Artists meet: Knitters, 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists Building

SEPTEMBER 10

Salado Chapter of Songsmith, 7-9 p.m. at Salado Public Library. Aspiring songwriters meet monthly for discussion and to share works in progress. info: suhefflin@gmail.com

SEPTEMBER 10

Bikes & Brews, 7 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 11

Salado Village Artists meet 9 - 11 a.m. brush art crafting and needle work at Salado Village Artist building

SEPTEMBER 11

Salado Ladies Auxiliary meeting 9:30 a.m. Social and 10 a.m. Meeting at Salado Church of Christ Activity Center

SEPTEMBER 11

Sit and Knit 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 947-9191

SEPTEMBER 11

Salado Rotary Club 11:30 a.m. at Johnny's Steaks and Barbecue

SEPTEMBER 11

Salado Community Chorus practice 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center info: saladochorus.com

SEPTEMBER 11

Patriots Day Celebration, 6:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Salado. Hosted by Salado Lions Club, Salado Rotary Club, and Salado Masonic Lodge to honor our first responders

SEPTEMBER 13

The Village of Salado will hold a second public hearing on proposed tax rate of \$0.627600 per \$100 valuation, 6:30 p.m. at the Village of Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach

SEPTEMBER 15

Bikes & Brews, 7:30 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SEPTEMBER 15

Children's Story and Craft Time 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 947-9191

SEPTEMBER 15

Salado Volunteer Fire Department Fish Fry, 5 - 8 p.m. at Salado Intermediate School.

SEPTEMBER 15

Bell County Star Party 8 - 11 p.m. at Overlook Park on Stillhouse Hollow Lake 3740 FM1670. Registration recommended at centexastronomy.org

SEPTEMBER 17

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

SEPTEMBER 17

Salado Village Artists meet: Knitters, 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists Building

SEPTEMBER 17

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

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FRIDAY
PONCÉ, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

SUNDAY
Benefit for Cheryl Kuykendall hosted by Wayworn Traveler, 1 - 3 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. Music, silent auction, bake sale and raffle to assist with medical needs.

SEPTEMBER 7 - 8
Texas Fingerstyle Guitar Association weekend events, 3 - 7 p.m. on Friday and 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. on Saturday at Salado Museum and College Park

SEPTEMBER 8
Stoney LaRue, 6 - 11 p.m. at Johnny's Outback Tickets \$15 in advance and \$20 at the gate johnnyssteaksandbbq.com

SEPTEMBER 8
Richard Smith, featured artist of the Texas Fingerstyle Guitar Association, 7 - 8 p.m. at the Meadows Room of the Salado Civic Center. Free

SEPTEMBER 9
Texas Fingerstyle Guitar Association weekend events, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. at Salado Civic Center Gazebo

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Library Hours
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Sat 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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Saturday Storytime

Sept. 8, 15 and 29 | 1 p.m.

Hang Out with Murphy

Sept. 8 | 10:30 a.m.
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National Voter Registration Day

Sept. 25
pick up a voter registration card

Mermaid Matinee

Sept. 29
Barbie: Mermadia at 1:30 p.m.
Little Mermaid at 3 p.m.

Storytime

Mondays | 11 a.m.

Sit and Knit

Tuesdays | 10 a.m. - noon

LEGO Club

Thursdays | 4 - 5 p.m.

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Fundraiser Sept. 2 for Kuykendall

Longtime Salado resident Cheryl Kuykendall is fighting cancer and many of her friends have come together to raise funds to help her during this time.

Brandy Stanford, Belia Rodriguez and Brenda Hodges led an effort recently to raise money for their friend and co-worker at Salado ISD. The cafeteria staff put together an enchilada fundraiser and took orders for pick up on Aug. 25. They took in more than 300 orders for the \$15 platter of enchiladas and teams were still rolling the enchiladas for orders at the time of pick up.

Wayworn Traveler will host a benefit for Cheryl 1-3 p.m. Sept. 2 at Barrow Brewing Co., 108 Royal St. There will be a silent auction of donated items during



Cheryl Kuykendall, longtime Salado resident, is battling cancer. A fundraiser for her is set for Sept. 2.

this time while Wayworn Traveler will be performing at Barrow.

If you would like to donate, please contact Angela Curlee Kay at (254) 760-6244, Julie Lutz at (254) 541-2063, Judy Houston at (254) 760-4638 or Kathy Wilhite at (254) 760-3143.



Salado Chamber of Commerce representatives, Salado Ambassadors, friends and family were on hand to celebrate the opening and ribbon-cutting ceremony held at Studio Samantha on August 24. Owner Samantha Carey is captured with scissors in-hand cutting the ribbon. The shop is full of uniquely designed gifts including art prints, bath and body products, jewelry, apparel, home and garden and novelty items. Studio Samantha is located at 102 North Main St. For more information visit www.studiosamantha.com PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER

Get tickets now to Mermaid Brunch

You still have time to get your tickets online for the Mermaid Ambassador Brunch, slated for 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Sept. 6 in the Sirena Room of Tenroc Ranch, to benefit an all-abilities playground through Variety Texas and Peaceable Kingdom Retreat for Children.

Tickets are \$105.05 online and can be purchased at eventbrite.com, using keywords Mermaid Brunch.

A limited number of spaces will be available, so purchase your tickets early.

The Mermaid Ambassador Brunch will highlight the upcoming Sirena Fest and Mermaid Parade which will be Oct. 6.

The newest addition to the Sirena Fest are Limited Edition Sirenafest Mermugs and a Glow Party with the crew at Salado Glassworks.

The Mermugs hold 16 ounces of your favorite beverage and are handblown in the Salado Glassworks studio.

Because of this, they must be pre-ordered by Sept. 15. You can order your mugs at <https://saladoglassworks.com/product/2018-sirenafest-mugs/>

The mugs can be picked up 6-9 p.m. Sept. 28 from the gallery in Peddler's Alley during the Royal Art Walk. "We'll be transforming the shop into the Evil Catfish lair," said gallery manager Jessica Mall. "Fire, black lights and glow sticks will be the only things illuminating the fun that night, so come prepared with all things that glow in the dark."

"Stop by to pick up your mugs," she adds, "BYOB

and witness glow party style glassblowing for the first time ever in the shop!"

The mermugs are \$45 each and will feature a mixture of hues. Each mug is its own creation so size, shape and colors will vary. A portion of the sales of the mermugs will be donated to Variety Texas for the placement of an all-abilities playground in Salado.

SIRENA SPONSORS

Local businesses and individuals are encouraged to become Sirena Sponsors with several levels available: Minnow, \$200, Horney Toad, \$300, Salamander, \$500, Catfish, \$1,000, Mermaid, \$2,000, Legends of Sirena, \$5,000. Details on each of the sponsorship levels can be found at sirenafest.com. Checks should be made payable to Variety, The Children's Charity of Texas, 555 N. Lamar Blvd., Suite K113, Austin, TX 78751. Note Sirena Fest Parade in the memo section of your payment.

Sirena, a Tonkawa maiden who was doomed (or tricked) the day she met a magical catfish, is a story that is dear to the residents and tourists who come to Salado. Troy Kelley's bronze sculpture of the Tonkawa mermaid and the catfish that tricked her are an icon and one of the most important landmarks in this Central Texas town. Jackie Mills, a local playwright, published the legend in a book, Sirena of Salado. She also incorporated it into the Legends of Salado play, performed every summer for over 25 years.

MERMAID PARADE

Sirena Fest kicks off with the Mermaid Parade. The Parade begins at 11 a.m. Oct. 6 in Pace Park and proceeds a half-mile to the festival grounds beside Salado Creek, near where the famous bronze sculpture of Sirena resides.

Sirena Fest will run 11:30 a.m.-5 p.m. and will include educational booths at merfolk themed arts extravaganza and live music. Other activities will include face painting, interactive arts activities, food trucks and performers from the best of Central Texas. Of course, there will be real live mermaids and merfolk.

The goals of Sirena Fest & Mermaid Parade are to highlight the legacy of Sirena in Salado, educate children on creek habitat and conservation, delight children of all ages with the magic, whimsy, and artistry that the Village of Salado has to offer, and finally to raise money for a local non-profit each year.

For 2018, Sirena Fest has officially partnered with www.varietytexas.org/vp-krc/. The primary project of focus is an All-abilities for Children playground.

This festival is aimed entirely at children and families, hoping to encourage children to think outside the box, dream wild imaginative dreams, and fulfill them.

Sirena Fest Board members are Tiffany Schreiner Humphrey, Berta Berumen Davis, Elise Lange, Amber Preston Dankert and Brooke May.

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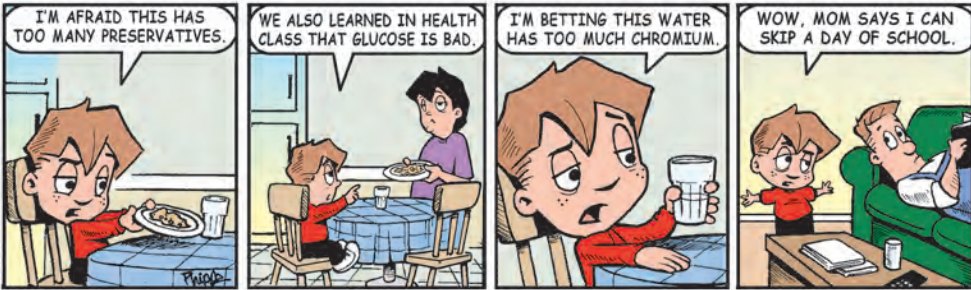
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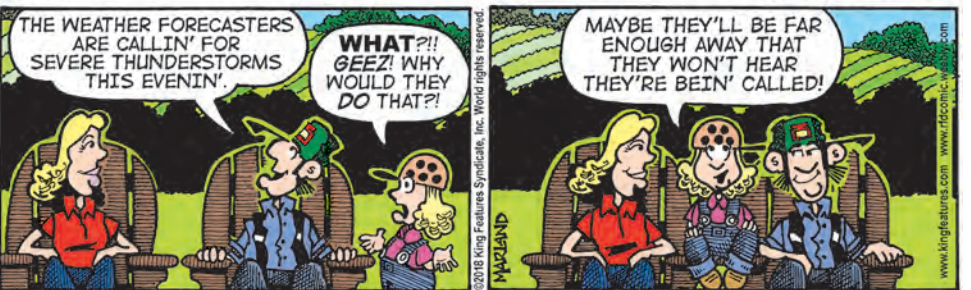
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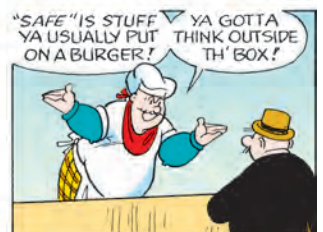
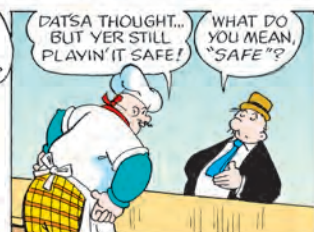
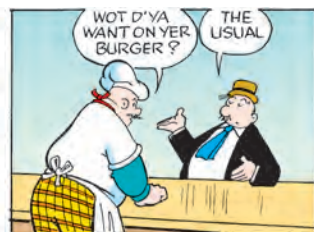
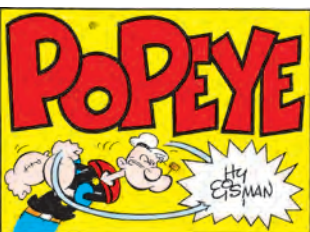
R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



1. ANATOMY: What is the normal human body temperature in Celsius?
2. LITERATURE: The monster Grendel appears in what literary work?
3. MATH: What is the least common multiple of 3 and 7?
4. TELEVISION: Who was the first guest of the television news show "Face the Nation" when it debuted in 1954?
5. FOOD & DRINK: What is "tafelwein" in German?
6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does the name of the martial art taekwondo mean in Korean?

Trivia test

7. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the first graduate of West Point to serve as president?
8. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Morocco?
9. EXPLORERS: Who was the first European explorer credited with discovering the Grand Canyon?
10. MOVIES: Who voiced the character of John Smith in Disney's animated "Pocahontas"?

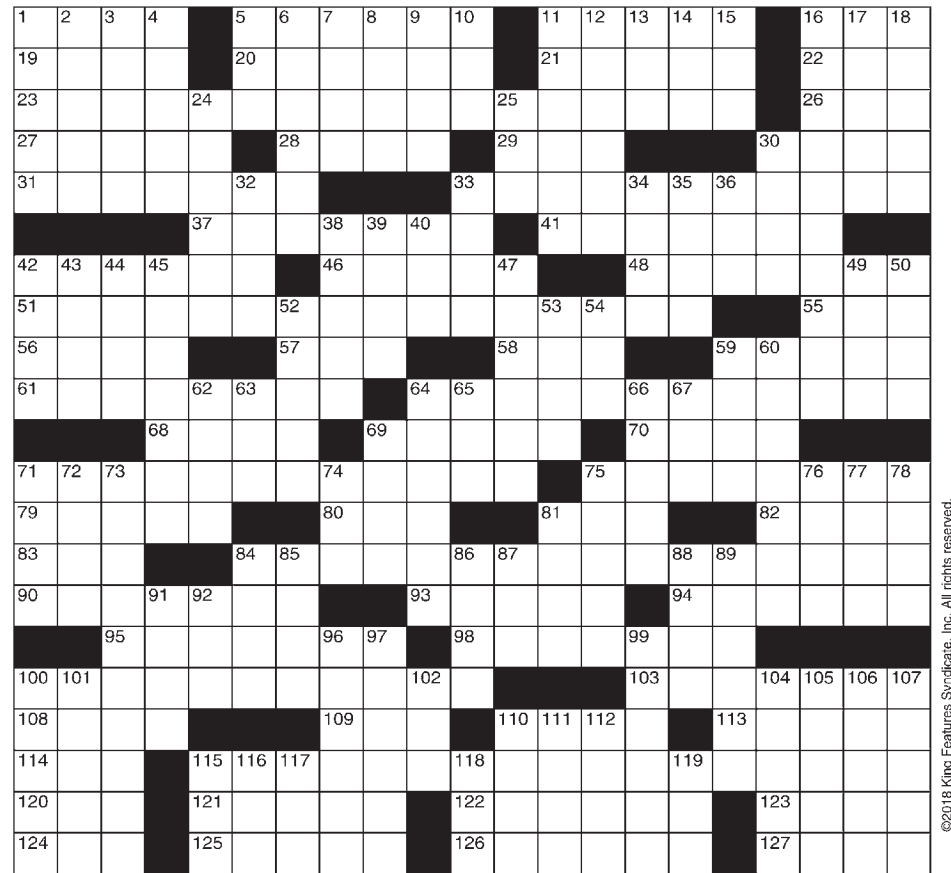
- Answers
1. 37 C
 2. "Beowulf"
 3. 21
 4. Sen. Joe McCarthy
 5. Table wine
 6. The Foot Fist Way
 7. Ulysses Grant
 8. Rabat
 9. Garcia Lopez de Cardenas
 10. Mel Gibson

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Super Crossword

GRAIN SUBSTITUTES

- ACROSS**
- 1 Back muscles, informally
 - 5 Future doc's program
 - 11 Edison rival Nikola
 - 16 Flat-fixing gp.
 - 19 "Out of Africa" writer Dinesen
 - 20 French playwright Jean
 - 21 Made from a certain wood
 - 22 Coffeehouse dispenser
 - 23 Cereal grain for a special event?
 - 26 Found groovy
 - 27 "Goodbye, mon ami"
 - 28 Forever, seemingly
 - 29 Canonized woman of Fr.
 - 30 Little tales
 - 31 Paid up
 - 33 Sleep with a cereal grain on one's blanket?
 - 37 Augustus' son-in-law
 - 41 Shoulder decoration
 - 42 Performing in a film
 - 46 "Unh-unh!"
 - 48 Fierce fire
 - 51 Easily seen cereal grain?
 - 55 Skill in darts
 - 56 Plaster the roof of
 - 57 See 85-Down
 - 58 -fi
 - 59 Pagan religion
 - 61 Car roller in winter
 - 64 Person threshing a cereal grain?
 - 68 "Good for life" pet food
 - 69 "Spanglish" actress
 - 70 Plenteous
 - 71 Using a cereal grain as fuel?
 - 75 Final chance to order a drink
 - 79 Newspaper sections
 - 80 Pro in first aid
 - 81 Body design, briefly
 - 82 Sills solo
 - 83 "— in Black"
 - 84 Have a boxing match in an arena covered with a cereal grain?
 - 90 Carroll of "All in the Family"
 - 93 Puzzle cube inventor
 - 94 Old TV dog
 - 95 — oxide (laughing gas)
 - 98 Word-for-word
 - 100 Response after being gifted with a cereal grain?
 - 103 Charms
 - 108 Roof feature
 - 109 — rule
 - 110 See 5-Down
 - 113 Wild fight
 - 114 Dream Team's land
 - 115 Useful material for processing a cereal grain?
 - 120 Rocker
 - 121 Pop/rock singer Mann
 - 122 Layered eye part
 - 123 DVR option
 - 124 Timeline segment
 - 125 Muscle woe
 - 126 Starts using
 - 127 Glimpsed
 - DOWN**
 - 1 Cash in Turkey
 - 2 Whisper for the audience
 - 3 Implied
 - 4 Clay target shooting
 - 5 With
 - 110-Across, NFL all-star game
 - 6 Like many gory films
 - 7 Comeback?
 - 8 Expression
 - 9 Right fielder Slaughter
 - 10 Final mo.
 - 11 On the nose
 - 12 Soften
 - 13 Do moguls
 - 14 Dream
 - 15 TV's Jillian
 - 16 Channel in a recording studio
 - 17 West Indies vacation isle
 - 18 Inner turmoil
 - 24 University in New Orleans
 - 25 Long-running CBS show
 - 30 Unshackled
 - 32 Like custard
 - 33 Nonclerical
 - 34 Toe feature
 - 35 Desert sight
 - 36 Polar drudge
 - 38 Combined
 - 39 Pan relatives
 - 40 Letter before omega
 - 42 Basic lesson
 - 43 French city
 - 44 Nirvana, e.g.
 - 45 It "blows no good"
 - 47 Ship again
 - 49 Friendly
 - 50 Epps of films
 - 52 Like Vikings
 - 53 Brazilian palm berry
 - 54 Short while
 - 59 Float easily
 - 60 Thick polar coverings
 - 62 New Mexico resort
 - 63 Unruly tyke
 - 64 Less dry
 - 65 Clod buster
 - 66 Great anger
 - 67 — and hers
 - 69 Gyro meat
 - 71 Singer Perry
 - 72 Gp. for Iran
 - 73 City near Lake Tahoe
 - 74 Eligible for Soc. Sec.
 - 75 Hanukkah pancake
 - 76 Olympic god
 - 77 Leslie Caron musical film
 - 78 Behind
 - 81 Razz
 - 84 Israeli dance
 - 85 With
 - 57-Across, easily attached patches
 - 86 Whopper
 - 87 Kimono sash
 - 88 Gusto
 - 89 Sub meat
 - 91 Evening, in some ads
 - 92 To the — degree
 - 96 Arbitrary decrees
 - 97 Methodology
 - 99 Softer
 - 100 Employ anew
 - 101 PLO's Arafat
 - 102 Clodhopper
 - 104 Goes soft
 - 105 Iran-Contra figure North
 - 106 Superman portrayer
 - 107 Determined to do
 - 110 Born and —
 - 111 Quarterback Graham
 - 112 Thrash
 - 115 Ford fluid
 - 116 Put tears in
 - 117 "— believer!"
 - 118 "— pro nobis"
 - 119 Pas' mates



A false sense of security

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Assume you're in four hearts and West leads a spade. There seems to be nothing to the play, so let's say you win with the ace, ruff a spade in dummy and cash the A-K of trumps. West shows out on the second trump, and you suddenly realize you're in serious trouble.

You continue with the queen of trumps and then, trying to make the best of a bad situation, play the A-K-Q of clubs. Unfortunately, East ruffs the third club, cashes the king of spades and continues with a spade, and you subsequently lose two diamond tricks to go down one.

Sometime later, it dawns

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
 ♠ 7
 ♥ 5 4 2
 ♦ Q 8 6 5
 ♣ A K Q J 4

WEST
 ♠ Q J 9 5 3
 ♥ 10
 ♦ A 9 4 3
 ♣ 9 8 6

EAST
 ♠ K 10 6 2
 ♥ J 9 8 7
 ♦ K 10 7
 ♣ 10 3

SOUTH
 ♠ A 8 4
 ♥ A K Q 6 3
 ♦ J 2
 ♣ 7 5 2

The bidding: South West North East

1♥ Pass 2♣ Pass
 2♥ Pass 4♥

Opening lead — queen of spades.

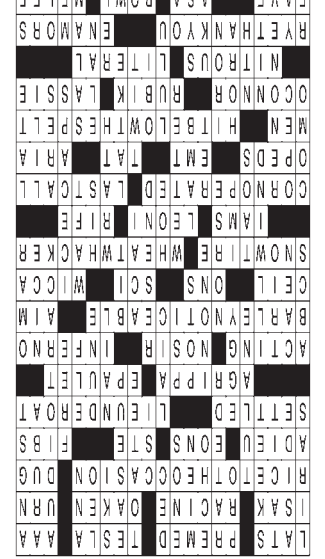
on you that you should have made the contract. Rather than simply assume that the missing trumps would be divided 3-2 -- in which case you'd wind up with two overtricks

-- you should have allowed for the possibility that the trumps might be divided 4-1 (a 28 percent possibility). Had you considered that, you might have seen that you could guard against a 4-1 trump break by playing the three of trumps from your hand at trick two!

This seemingly ridiculous play has much more merit to it than at first meets the eye. After the opponents win the trick, they cannot stop you from scoring the 10 tricks -- four hearts, five clubs and a spade -- you started with.

The deal demonstrates once again that a declarer should always try to arrange the play to cater not only to the most likely distribution of a suit, but also to a less likely one. The chief danger in this deal is that the trumps might split 4-1 instead of 3-2, and declarer should take the necessary steps to guard against that possibility.

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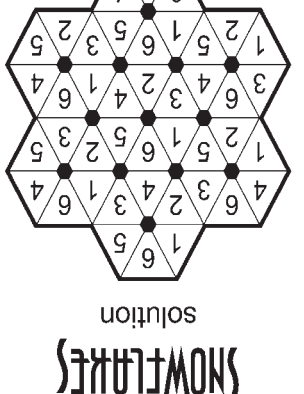
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9	3	7	4	2	1	8	6	5
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8	5	1	9	7	6	4	3	2
3	6	8	1	9	5	2	7	4
7	1	2	3	4	8	5	9	6
4	9	5	7	6	2	1	8	3
5	2	9	8	3	7	6	4	1
1	7	4	6	5	9	3	2	8
6	8	3	2	1	4	7	5	9

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU



solution

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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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Shopping Map of Salado

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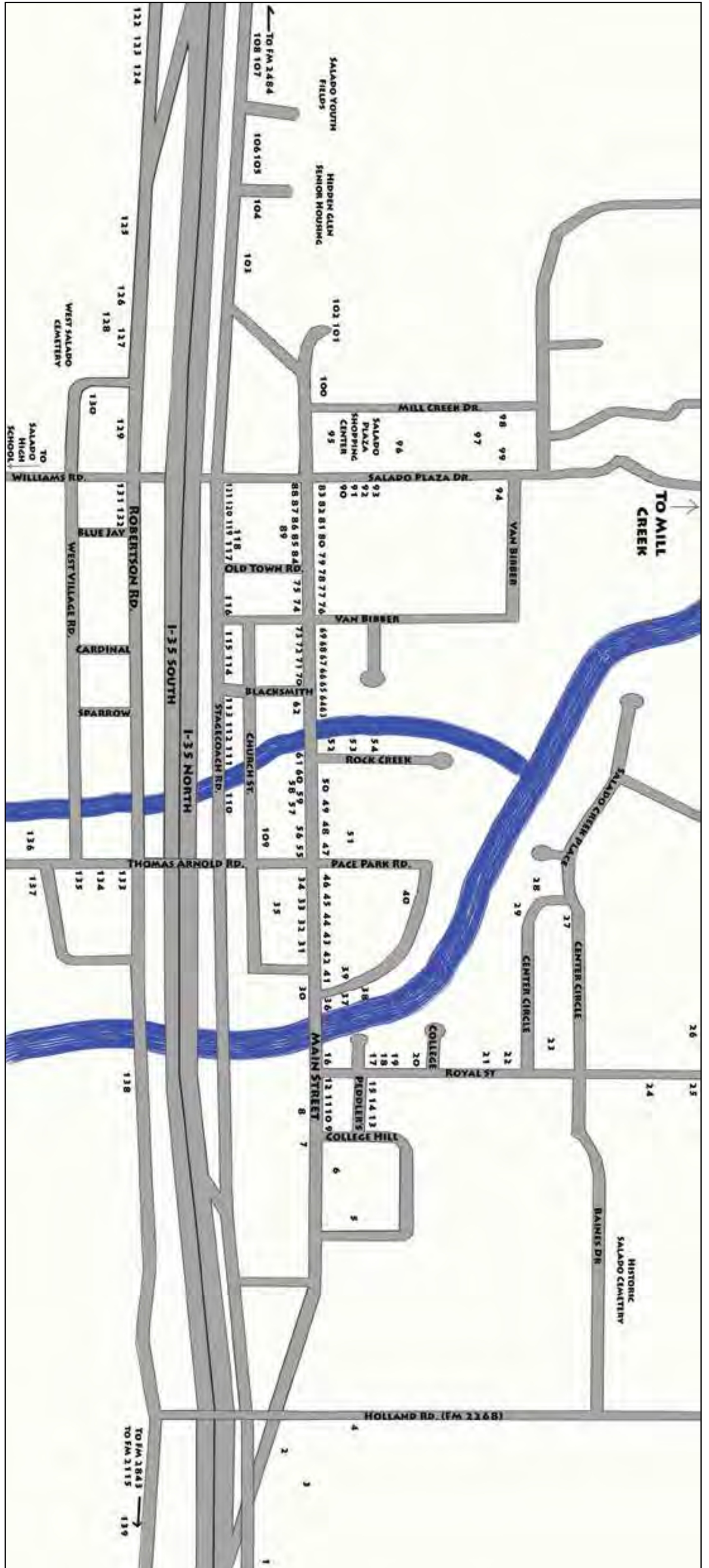
- S Shopping**
- A Art and Galleries**
- L Lodging**
- D Dining and Drinks**
- V Venues & Sights**
- \$ Services**
- C Churches and Education**

Business Name Type

- 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 V
- 26 Salado United Methodist Church C
- 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 \$
- Zbranek Agency \$
- 40 W.A. Pace Memorial Park V
- 48 The Inn at Salado L
- 49 Lively Coffeehouse & Bistro D
- 55 Salado Family Dentistry \$
- 58 The Shoppes on Main S
- 60 Salado Creek Jewelry S
- 62 The Pizza Place D
- 65 ERA Colonial Real Estate \$
- 73 Cornett Corner \$
- Investment Realty \$
- First Eye Care Salado S
- 75 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 \$
- 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 Salado Plaza \$
- 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
- 104 Hairitage Barber Shop \$
- 113 Salado Church of Christ C
- 118 Salado Antique Mall S
- Salado Market Days
- 126 Cowboy's Barbecue D
- 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




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Armadillo

Armadillos have poor eyesight

Many animals can lay claim to being a symbolic representative of the Southwest areas of the United States, but few in Texas are revered with such fervor as the armadillo.

The Nine-banded Armadillo (*Dasyus novemcinctus*) can be found in most of the southeastern United States from Florida westward to all but the western corner of Texas. All other species of this genus are found farther south, restricted to the tropical and semi-tropical areas of Central and South America. The local variety is the only species that ranges into the United States. It is so abundant in Texas, and due to the uniqueness of this mammal, it is classified as the state's official small mammal.

While the native armadillo is only the size of a small dog, it has numerous characteristics that set it apart from other small mammals that occur in the same habitats. The first and most obvious is the bony shell, or



Wild About Texas

Michael Price

carapace, that encases the upper body with two large shields, one over the shoulders and one over the hind end. These two shields are connected by nine bands, hence the common name. The belly is unprotected and is covered only by soft skin and fur. The head is small and ends in a pointed snout, and the eyes and ears are proportionately small. The tail is long and is covered by bony rings. There are four toes on the front feet, with the two middle toes being the longest, and five toes on the hind feet, with the three middle toes extending farther than the others. All toes are equipped with large claws.

Armadillos are the subject of several folk legends, and most of these legends revolve around their dietary prowess. In many areas of the South, they are referred to as "gravediggers" and are thought to feast on the remains of the deceased.

While armadillos utilize their strong claws for digging (obtaining food and shelter), they cannot and do not dig through coffins!

A study of more than 800 individual armadillos revealed that their primary diet is animal matter, mostly insects and other invertebrates. These invertebrates, mainly the larval form of various insects, made up 93 percent of the diet. The remaining 7 percent of their diet is vegetable matter, including the occasional tomato or melon.

Although a solitary animal throughout the majority of the year, males and females will pair together during the month-long mating period, even to the extent of sharing the same burrow. Breeding occurs in the hottest part of the year, with most reproductive females pregnant by late July. Gestation lasts until May of the following year when the female gives birth

to four identical young. These young are born fully formed with the ability to walk around within the first several hours of their lives. The young nurse for less than two months, and then they begin to go on foraging expeditions with their mother. Oftentimes, they will remain with the mother even after the weaning period is over. Sexual maturity is typically reached at one year of age.

Many armadillos are observed as roadkill, with many people telling me that they have never seen a living one. One reason for the number of accidental deaths is the poor vision that they possess, coupled with the propensity that adults have to jump straight into the air when startled. Therefore, many are killed not by the tires of a vehicle, but rather by the undercarriage as the vehicle passes over them.

Armadillos are often eaten in Mexico and south Texas, where the locals consider the meat to not taste like chicken, as with most other animals, but rather pork. I think that in this case, I will just take their word for it.

Texas Early Music Project presents Spanish Renaissance

Texas Early Music Project presents Alegria: The Spanish Renaissance at 7:30- p.m. Sept. 22 at Redeemer Presbyterian Church, 2111 Alexander Ave. in Austin and 3 p.m. Sept. 23 at St. Martin's Lutheran Church, 606 W. 15th in Austin.

Ticket Information: \$30 General, \$25 Senior, \$5 Student (at door with valid student ID). Tickets available via cash check, or credit card at the door or online at www.early-music.org

Seriously? There are ensaladas on this concert?!

Usually, if you want an ensalada you go to a restaurant, not a concert, right?

"Not so fast, my friend; these ensaladas are a treat

for the ears and the spirit, but have nothing to do with the delectable edible! Like most salads, they are created from a little of this and little of that, but that's where the similarity ends. Filled with drama, Biblical quotations, exhortations, lovely melodies, and lots of humor, the ensaladas are toe-tappers from beginning to end! They were extraordinarily popular in many of the Cathedrals of Renaissance Spain—and were even banned in a few," said director Daniel Johnson.

For a more solemn contrast, the program will explore some of the glorious wealth of polyphonic sacred music from the cathedrals and monasteries

of 16th-century Spain, a repertoire that has served as inspiration for fans of choral music everywhere, with selections by Morales, Ceballos, and Peñalosa.

Other pieces in the concert feature the viol consort, led by our guest artist, viola da gamba star Wendy Gillespie, guest percussionist Peter Maund, and 3 sackbut (early trombone) players, led by University of Texas trombone faculty Nathaniel Brickens.

Soloists and featured singers include Jenifer Thyssen, Gitanjali Mathur, Laura Mercado Wright, Cayla Cardiff, Jeffrey Jones Ragona, David Lopez, Tim O'Brien, and featured counter-tenor, Ryland Angel.


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Water Permit

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to protect the water quality, the public, and the organisms dependent upon this aquifer, should be to relocate the discharge to a different drainage system that is not in this highly sensitive area.”

Dirk Aaron, general manager of Clearwater UWCD, also expressed concern about the area of discharge for the proposed wastewater treatment plant. “The potential for effluent to easily enter the aquifer is especially concerning to the District given the documented local recharge pathways and underground flows (from west to east/northeast) that could allow the infiltrating effluent to be captured by no less than nine Public Water Supply (“PWS”) groundwater wells in the immediate area, many of which are within a mile from the proposed effluent flow path,” Aaron said in a letter to TCEQ that he provided to Salado Village Voice.

“Given the proximity of the discharge outfall

and proposed effluent flow path, as well as the underground flows and recharge pathways of the Edwards (BFZ) Aquifer in this location” Aaron stated, “the District is very concerned about the impacts to the salamander’s critical habitat as a result of the proposed discharge.”

“Higher-than-normal concentrations of phosphorus and ammonia nitrogen in particular will undoubtedly have an effect on the salamander population at the Spring Complex, and therefore the District has additional, science-based concerns over this permit application,” Aaron stated.

Aaron offers the following as possible solutions:

“One option would be for the development to discharge the effluent at a location that does not flow across the Edwards (BFZ) Aquifer outcrop,” Aaron stated. “Based on review of the local topography, the outfall would need to be

pipled to a location east of the potential development to a point where it would flow across the Austin Chalk to point downstream of the Salado Springs Complex.”

“It may also be possible for the developer to work with an existing land owner to create a storage and land application system east of the proposed development,” Aaron stated.

“The developer may also choose to treat the effluent to a higher water quality standard prior to discharge. The higher effluent quality could be guided by the requirements for the Edwards

in other parts of Texas,” Aaron stated.

No public hearing has yet been set for the permit. A copy of the permit application is supposed to be on view at the Salado Library.

Village of Salado Police Report

FOR THE WEEK OF 8-22-18 THROUGH 8-26-18

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Some of the new online courses are Introduction to Business Logistics, Introduction to Materials Handling, Domestic and International Transportation Management, Warehouse

and Distribution Center Management and Principles of Purchasing. The new logistics courses will prepare students for careers in transportation, warehousing, distribution, inventory control, purchasing and international logistics. Classes for the new Logistics program are currently offered only online but plans include offering a blended format combining both classroom and online studies.

The courses in the 60-credit hour degree program will provide applicable training to new and emerging occupations such as logistics analysts, logistics engineers, logistics managers, customs brokers and billing and post-

ing clerks. Both a capstone supply chain management course-based international business simulation and an internship at an approved logistics management work site will assess the learning outcomes for the degree program.

The Level I certificate is an 18 to 19-credit hour program and will provide students with the knowledge and abilities to apply technical skills for an entry-level position. All courses in the certificate program will apply to the degree program should a student desire to enter the Logistics associate degree program.

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<p>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.</p> <p>Mill Creek Meadows - Brand new subdivision! Lots on the golf course and mature trees. Starting at \$59,900 with 48 lots available!</p> <p>Mystic River - Lots overlooking Leon River. Starting in the \$129,000 for waterfront, or interior lots at \$49,900.</p> <p>Wendy Hill Lot - Beautiful Salado land with amazing view of Still House Lake. 2 acres for \$89,900</p> <p>Shepherds Glen Lots - Lots 15, 16, 17, 19, and 20. Each available for 30,000</p>	<p>1 Acre in Terra Bella with beautiful trees and water views! \$100,000.</p> <p>9028 FM 1670 - 24 acres, All or part of the acreage with excellent commercial possibilities. \$825,000</p> <p>190 Acres - Holland off of E Travis - Farm land, ready to go! \$3,900 per acre.</p> <p>15 Acres - FM1670 - Excellent hilltop view perfect to build your next dream home. \$225,000</p> <p>102 Acres - 6151 FM 1123 - Breathtaking land for \$2,100,000</p> <p>25 Acres - Mystic River - Beautiful homesites with sewage and water available. \$875,000</p>	<p>10 Acres along I35 Frontage. \$1,750,000. Sewage available!</p> <p>178 Acres across from the Vineyards of Florence. \$1,675,000</p> <p>208 Acres off of I35 - \$7,500 per acre. On Salado Creek! 60'x250' barn.</p> <p>276 Acres in Thorndale - \$3,995 per acre. Beautiful rolling top!</p> <p>7.695 Investment Property in Temple off South 31st Street. \$649,900</p> <p>Pace Park Building - Great building overlooking Salado Creek \$325,000.</p> <p>318 N Main Salado - 2456 sq ft. Great for office or retail fronting both Main St. and Church Street! \$449,900</p>



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