

Glory to God



Across the land, let the story be told

King James Version: The Gospel According to St. Luke, Chapter 2

1 And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

2 And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.

3 And all went to be taxed, everyone into his own city.

4 And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; because he was

of the house and lineage of David;

5 To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

6 And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

7 And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

8 And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keep-

ing watch over their flock by night.

9 And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

10 And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

12 And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a

manger.

13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

14 Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

15 And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known to us.

16 And they came with haste, and found Mary, and

Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

17 And when they had seen it, they made known abroad they saying which was told them concerning this child.

18 And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

19 But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

20 And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

21 And when eight days were accomplished for the circumcising of the child, his name was called JESUS, which was so named of the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

About the Art:

Adoration of the Magi by Domenico Ghirlandaio, 1488-1489, medium tempera and oil on panel, 112.2 inches by 94.4 inches. It is in the collection of the Ospedale degli Innocenti (Hospital of the Innocents) in Florence, Italy. Public Domain.

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Consumer spending exceeds production, increasing debt

The Markets

With all the good news about the budget, the U.S.-Mexico-Canada trade agreement (USMCA), and the China-U.S. trade pact, one would reasonably expect to see the stock market soar, but instead, it barely broke even for the week ending on Friday the 13th this month. The S&P 500 Stock Index struggled to eke out a 0.73% gain for the week to close at 3,168.80 after spending much of the week in negative territory, but then only rising to where it was last week on trade news. The story going around, according to the Wall Street Journal, was that the assumption that a trade deal would be reached and the 15% tariffs on consumer goods that were to have taken effect on December 15 was not going to happen was already priced into the markets. Thus, the lack of a deal on the budget, trade, or USMCA would have caused a market drop but all the good news simply confirmed what the traders had already assumed.

The ten-year U.S. Treasury note yield reacted much the same as did the stock market during the week. Yields surged above 1.9% on news of the U.S.-China agreement but then sagged back as the details emerged. The Treasury note ended the week up a mere 4.5 basis points at 1.827%. West Texas Intermediate crude oil was a bit more optimistic, rising 1.2% for the week to close at \$59.78.

The Economy

As we wrote above, there was plenty of good news at the political level in the week that ended on Friday the 13th. The U.S. and China are reportedly ready to sign a "Phase-1" deal that avoided the 15% tariffs on consumer goods set to go into effect on December 15 and further cuts the existing tariffs in half, to 7.5%, on \$120 million worth of imports. Notably, the proposed deal leaves in place the 25% tariffs on about \$250

Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure



billion in Chinese exports. China agreed to purchase more agriculture goods from us and to work harder at ending copyright and patent violations. Included were some non-specific promises to no longer demand technology transfers. One of the immediate problems was that the announced agriculture purchases were larger than America's farms could produce while still meeting current domestic demand and other export contracts. After traders and investors examined the reported provisions, markets sagged as it became apparent the "deal" was more of a cease-fire truce than a trade agreement.

A non-event from the market's perspective that we thought was a big deal was the announcement that Democrats, Republicans, and the White House have agreed on a budget compromise to prevent a government shutdown on December 20. It is not a done deal yet, but the leaders have a tentative agreement and about a week to work out the details. Last year's end-of-year government shutdown was a major contributing factor in the nearly 20% market sell-off in late December.

In another burst of good news, the House Democrats agreed to support the U.S.-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA) potentially ending the economic threat by the President to simply end NAFTA with no new agreement to replace it. Unfortunately, the Republicans in the Senate were miffed and are likely to hold up on approval until January or February. Still, the approval seems to be on track and if so it assures that we can continue free trade with our two biggest trading partners. Much of what we make in the

United States is so integrated with cross-border trade that elimination of NAFTA without a replacement would potentially put the U.S. in a recession.

In more fundamental but not so positive news, the Commerce Department reported that retail sales for November were essentially flat from October's numbers. Normally November sales jump as we enter the holiday season, but consumers appear to be scaling back on discretionary purchases this year. Still, retail sales were up 3.3% from a year ago. The 3.3% year over year increase is a positive but well below the 4% to 5% annual increases we saw earlier in the year. Despite all the political good news, if the consumer decides the credit card bills are getting too high, an economic sag in 2020 would potentially be in the cards. The flattening in consumer spending was confirmed as the BEA reported that disposable personal income, after payments for existing debt, taxes, food, and shelter, declined 0.1% in October. In that same report, spending on long-lasting goods decreased at a 0.7% rate.

There are many positives, but overall the indicators suggest that the U.S. economy may well be at peak production with the consumer spending more than is being earned and running up ever bigger short-term debt. Historically, inflation and wages have risen at this point in the cycle, helping to alleviate the rise in consumer debt but this time around inflation looks unlikely to ride to the rescue. There is little room for healthy expansion in 2020 but there is still room for speculation to take the stock market up to unhealthy levels. Keep watching.

Merry Christmas Salado groups, students show giving spirit year-round

Merry Christmas!

A great example of the Christmas spirit is how supportive our local churches are of our students and our school district.

The 3C Cowboy Fellowship, Salado Church of Christ, Salado First Baptist Church, Salado United Methodist Church, St. Joseph's Episcopal Church, and St. Stephen Catholic Church host and sponsor "fifth quarter" events after all of our home varsity football games. These fifth quarter events are for all of our students in grades seven through twelve and they include food and games.

All of the local churches worked together on hosting a "Life Fest" event for our youth at the high school this past May. They have already scheduled another Life Fest Event for March 4, 2020.

The Grace Baptist Church hosts a "Good News" club for students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

When our assistant superintendent, Burt Smith, was diagnosed with cancer, some of our local pastors joined many of our employees in prayer for Burt and his family.

The First Baptist Salado Church, the Salado Church of Christ, and the Salado

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



United Methodist Church sponsor the end of year luncheon for all of our employees on a rotating basis. The St. Stephen Catholic Church recently contacted me and volunteered to be a lunch sponsor so there are now four local churches sponsoring our luncheons. These same four churches also host a Baccalaureate service on a rotating basis for our graduating seniors.

Another example of the Christmas spirit is how our students and community members recently participated in several charitable activities.

The Thomas Arnold Elementary School organized the "Twelve Days of Giving." Each of the twelve days, families were invited to bring specific items to be donated to the Garden of Hope foster home or a local children's shelter or orphanage. The items collected included toothbrushes, canned food items, new or gently used small toys, warm new pairs of socks, new or gently used books, small new or

gently used stuffed animals, new boxes of crayons, new coloring books, children's gloves, new hair rubber bands, new lip balms, and new hairbrushes.

The Salado Junior High School organized a "Giving Tree." Families experiencing financial need could place their "wish list" items on the tree and then other students, parents, and employees could purchase and give those items.

The Salado High School Student Council implemented a "Season of Giving" during November and December. Each week students were invited to bring items to donate to students or families experiencing financial need. The items collected included canned food items, clothing, toiletry items, Bailee's bears, and books.

A "Go Fund Me" website was set up to collect online donations to help with delinquent student cafeteria balances. Enough money was donated to the Go Fund Me page to pay off all of the current cafeteria account balances.

The Salado Family Relief organization collected Christmas presents for families experiencing financial need.

Central Texas Communities in Schools implemented a "Shoe Drive" to provide shoes for students experiencing financial need.

We are very blessed to live in a community and school district as wonderful and generous as Salado. I wish all of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



Election too important to be left to voters

The Democrats believe that the 2020 election is too important to be left to the voters.

It's obvious that President Donald Trump withheld defense aid to Ukraine to pressure its president to commit to the investigations that he wanted, an improper use of his power that should rightly be the focus of congressional investigation and hearings.

Where the Democrats have gotten tangled up is trying to find a justification that supports the enormous weight of impeaching and removing a president for the first time in our history.

They've cycled through different arguments. First, Trump's offense was said to be a quid pro quo, a phrase cast aside for supposedly being too Latin for the public to understand; then it was bribery, which has lost ground lately, presumably because of the inherent implausibility of the charge; now, the emphasis is on Trump's invitation to the Ukrainians to "meddle" and "interfere" in our elections.

This is posited to be an ongoing threat. Nancy Pelosi said in her statement calling on the House to draft articles of impeachment: "Our democracy is what is at stake. The president leaves us no choice but

Rich Lowry



to act because he is trying to corrupt, once again, the election for his own benefit."

House Judiciary Committee Chairman Jerry Nadler said on "Meet the Press" that Trump has to be impeached "for posing the considerable risk that he poses to the next election." Asked if he thinks the 2020 election will be on the up and up, he said: "I don't know. The president, based on his past performance, will do everything he can to make it not a fair election."

The gravamen of this case is that the election is too crucial to allow the incumbent president of the United States, who is leading in key battleground states and has some significant chance of winning, to run. In fact, the integrity of the election is so at risk that the U.S. Senate should keep the public from rendering a judgment on Donald Trump's first term, or deciding between him and, say, his nemesis Joe Biden.

Of course, it's possible to imagine a circumstance where a president would indeed present such a grave

risk to our elections that he'd have to be removed. This is a reason that we have the impeachment process in the first place. But what's the real harm that Trump's foolhardy Ukraine adventure presented?

The bottom line is that after tsk-tsking Trump for refusing to say in advance that he'd accept the outcome of the 2016 election, Democrats have steadfastly refused to truly accept the 2016 result (allegedly the work of the Russians) and now are signaling they won't accept next year's election either, should they lose again.

Given their druthers, Trump wouldn't be an option for the voters. They are rushing their impeachment, in part, because they know that as November 2020 approaches, it becomes steadily less tenable to portray the man who wants to run in an election as the threat to democracy and the people who want to stop him as its champions.

With every day that passes, the Democrats risk creating the perception that they themselves are a threat to the 2020 election.

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SFRF serves the community with the help of churches, businesses, volunteers and donations

Dear Editor:

Salado Family Relief Fund held their annual Empty Bowl Project Saturday Nov 16 at the Salado High School Cafeteria.

The Empty Bowl Project is the only fund raiser the SFRF holds. The funds raised go to providing services throughout the year to families in need, including help with rent/mortgage, help with utilities and help with minor medical expenses. The SFRF also contributes to Salado ISD lunch fund for students who are in need and do not qualify

Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

for the free lunch program under federal guidelines. It also provides gas cards of up to \$25 for travelers through the area who show the need for help.

All the soup is donated by local restaurants, Bed and Breakfast and individuals. This year's donation came from Brody's Steakhouse, Lively Coffee

House & Bistro, The Barton House, Chupacabra, Inn on the Creek, The Shed, Cathy's Boardwalk CAFÉ, McCain's Bakery & Café, Stagecoach Inn and Johnny's with bread sticks furnished from The Pizza Place.

This year's desserts were provided by the Ladies Group from the Sala-

do Presbyterian Church and Grace Baptist Church. Many thanks for the support of our local churches, civil organizations, businesses and ALL the individuals who supported and came out to enjoy the fellowship and a bowl of soup.

J.R. Lett
Salado Family Relief Fund

Editors Note:

The 2019 Salado Family Relief Fund Christmas Project helped 158 children from 67 families. Thanks to a generous community of individuals, churches and civic organizations the Family Relief has served the community for over 20 years. To ensure the SFRF continues to help others donations can be sent to Salado Family Relief Fund, P. O. Box 461 Salado, TX 76571

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Salado Community Chorus held their annual Christmas Concert on Dec. 10. Featured in the photo is Dean Mooney, Jan Doke and Marjorie Hairston singing The Chipmunk Song. PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN

UMHB Fall Commencement 2019 includes Salado grads

Belton, Texas – The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor fall Commencement was held December 13, Crusader Stadium. This was the university's 163rd graduating class. 520 students were awarded degrees. Of those, 385 students received baccalaureate degrees, 100 received master's degrees,

and 35 earned doctoral degrees.

Baccalaureate Degrees awarded to Salado students were:

Keaton Fielder Phillip - B.B.A. - Marketing; Bailey Caroline Haire - B.S. - Exercise Physiology (MAGNA CUM LAUDE); Chelsea Lynn Hayes - B.S.N.

- Nursing; Andrea Faith Rojo - B.F.A. - Art; Candace Morgan Taylor - B.S.N. - Nursing; Seth Michael Trela - B.B.A. - Management

Daughters of American Colonists meet Jan. 4

Abraham Soblet Chapter of the Daughters of the American Colonists will meet 1 p.m. Jan. 4 in the board room of Temple Public Library, on the third floor, located at 100 W. Adams Ave.

The program will be "Old Remedies" and members are encouraged to bring

stories to share.

Membership is open to women who descend from residents of America when it was under foreign government as colonies and who served prior to July 4, 1776.

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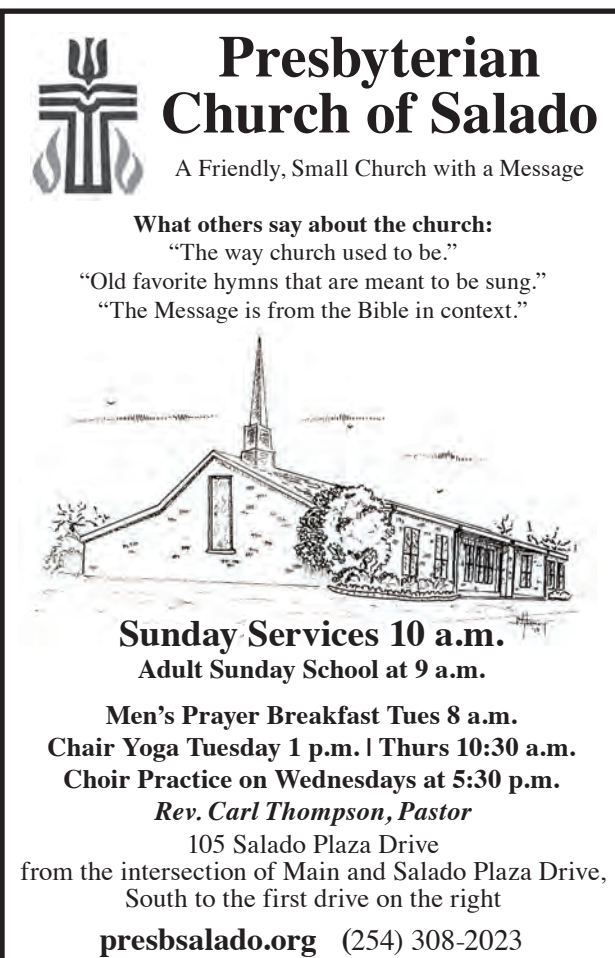


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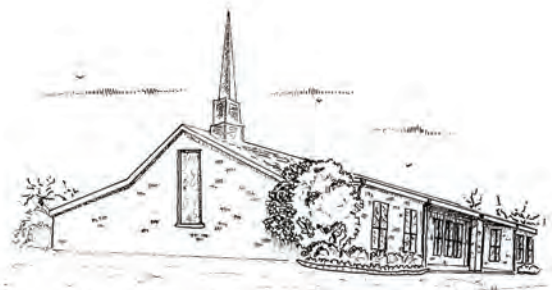
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Christmas Services announced

Salado area churches invite you to join them in celebration of the birth of Christ during any of the following special services and events that they have planned for the month.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SALADO

First Baptist Church of Salado will hold Christmas Eve Candlelight services at 6 p.m. Dec. 24.

The church, founded in 1864, is located at 210 S. Main St. Salado.

SALADO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Salado United Methodist Church, located 650 Royal Street, will hold Christmas Eve Candlelight Services with Communion at 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Dec. 24 in the Worship Center.

SALADO CHURCH OF CHRIST

Salado Church of Christ will not hold Wednesday evening services on Dec. 25 or on Jan. 1.

FIRST CEDAR VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

First Cedar Valley Baptist Church will hold Watch Night gospel singing beginning at 7 p.m. Dec. 31 with singing to welcome in the new year.

Pot luck dinner will be served at 9-9:30 p.m.

GRACE CHURCH OF SALADO

Grace Church of Salado

invites the community to come sing carols with them at 5:30 p.m. Dec. 15 at Barrow Brewing Co., 108 Royal St.

Join Grace Church Salado for an evening of carols at Barrow Brewing Company on the last night of the Salado Stroll. The event is free and open to the entire family.

The entire family is invited to join Grace Church, located at 5798 FM2484, for an evening filled with prayer, music, and candlelight 5:30 Dec. 22. Grace Church is located just two miles west of Salado High School.

Grace Church will also have Sunday worship at 10:30 a.m. Dec. 29, which will be a normal Sunday schedule and childcare is provided. See gracesalado.com/visit for more information.

ST. STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Stephen Catholic Church, located at 601 FM 2268 will hold Mass on Christmas Eve and on Christmas Day.

Family Mass will be held at 6 p.m. Dec. 24 at the church. Midnight Mass will be held at midnight on Christmas Eve to welcome in Christmas.

On Christmas Day, Mass in English will be held at 9 a.m. and Spanish Mass will

be held at 11 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SALADO

Presbyterian Church of Salado will hold a Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 6 p.m. Dec. 24 at the church 105 Salado Plaza Dr.

This Candlelight Christmas Eve Service will be a celebration of the birth of Jesus, Christ's coming into the world and into our hearts and lives.

The final candle, the Christ Candle, on the church Advent Wreath will be lit. In the weeks leading up to Christmas eve, the church will have lit three purple candles representing Hope, Love and Peace, and a pink candle representing Joy. Members of the church will then all light candles from the Christ Candle that represent taking Christ's light out into the world.

They invite you to join them.

3C COWBOY FELLOWSHIP

3C Cowboy Fellowship invites you to its Trail of Hope 6-9 p.m. Dec. 21 at the church located at 16528 Gooseneck Rd.

The Trail of Hope will include Live Nativity Plays, Christmas carols by the 3C Children's Ministry and a mule-drawn wagon trail that will take you through various scenes of Jesus' miraculous story.

The wagons will depart on the hour at 6 p.m., 7 p.m.

and 8 p.m.

There will also be coffee, cookies and hot cocoa served.

3C Cowboy Fellowship will also hold a Christmas Candlelight Service at 6 p.m. Dec. 24. The members invite you and your family to attend.

ST. JOSEPH'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Joseph's Episcopal Church, located at 881 N. Main St., will hold Christmas Eve and Christmas Day services.

There will be two Christmas Eve Services. The first will begin with Hymns and Carols before the service at 4:40 pm. Dec. 24, followed by Holy Eucharist at 5 p.m. The second service will begin with Hymns and Carols at 10 p.m. before the service and Holy Eucharist at 10:30 p.m. Dec. 24.

On Christmas Day, service will be at 10 a.m. Dec. 25 with no music.

HERITAGE COUNTRY CHURCH

Heritage Country Church will hold Christmas candlelight service at 6 p.m. Dec. 23 with refreshments and fellowship to follow.

The church is located at 9929 Lark Trail Salado.

VILLAGE CHURCH

Village Church of Salado will hold Candlelight Service on Dec. 22 at 5 p.m. at the Chapel at Summers Mill, 7441 FM 1123 in Belton.



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SHS Coach Kenny Mann passes 400 wins on court

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Not even a fleck of confetti. No fanfare. No cake. Just a handshake from the opposing coach.

Salado boys basketball coach Kenny Mann quietly passed a major milestone in his career last week when his Eagles beat the Brentwood Bears 50-43 in the Jarrell Tournament to earn his 400th win. The win, the eighth of the young season, gave Mann a 400-257 record.

"This is a fun bunch this year," he said of the Eagles, who were 7-1 going into the Jarrell tournament and finished 3-1 in second place after being champions of their own tournament the weekend before.

During his tenure as a coach, Mann has made the playoffs 13 times in 21 seasons. He has had 13 winning seasons

The Eagles have jumped out to an impressive start this season, as well, following last year's 26-8 season.

In the 13 seasons he has coached in Salado, the Eagles have made the playoffs 10 times. The 2012-13 team went to the Region Semifinals and the 2013-14 went to the Region Quarterfinals.

Mann is a graduate of University of North Texas, after attending Texas Tech University for four years. He grew up in west Texas, in Shallowater, where he played linebacker in football and shooting guard in basketball. He also pole vaulted, played tennis and acted in the One Act Play.

Getting to 400 wins in just over 21 seasons takes dedication and effort. Coach Mann has a 65% winning percentage.

To get that, he starts early and ends late.

He gets to school at 6:30 a.m. to prepare for practice on non-game days. After school, his players watch game films and lift weights, ending the day early at about 6 p.m.



(PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

Kenny Mann has earned 400+ wins on the basketball court with an overall winning percentage of 65%.

Kenny Mann's Coaching Record

YEAR	SCHOOL	RECORD	PLAYOFF
1998-99	Bryson	21-9	Bi-District
1999-2000	Bryson	9-18	
2000-01	Muenster	9-15	
2001-02	Muenster	12-16	
2002-03	Muenster	14-16	
2003-04	Muenster	20-11	Tied first, lost play-in
2004-05	Muenster	22-11	Bi-District
2005-06	Muenster	22-8	Bi-District
2006-07	Salado	25-9	Bi-District Champ
2007-08	Salado	13-8	Bi-District
2008-09	Salado	22-11	Bi-District
2009-10	Salado	14-15	
2010-11	Salado	22-11	Bi-District Champ
2011-12	Salado	21-14	Bi-District Champ
2012-13	Salado	28-9	Region Semis
2013-14	Salado	30-4	Region Quarters
2014-15	Salado	19-13	Bi-District
2015-16	Salado	15-18	Lost play-in
2016-17	Salado	12-17	
2017-18	Salado	16-16	
2018-19	Salado	26-8	Bi-District Champ
2019-20	Salado	10-3	

During the season, game days extend the day to 16 hours or more, depending upon travel. "I usually get done by 10 or 11, depending on whether we are playing at home or away," he says.

Mann was honored as the Salado High School Teacher of the Year in 2018, receiving the Mirabeau B. Lamar Medal from the Salado Masonic Lodge.

More important than the milestone of 400 wins, for Mann, is the impact he has on his players' lives.

You can sense that impact in the number of former players who come back to Salado to visit their old coach and share their victories -- and defeats -- with the man who has taught them valuable life lessons on and off the court.

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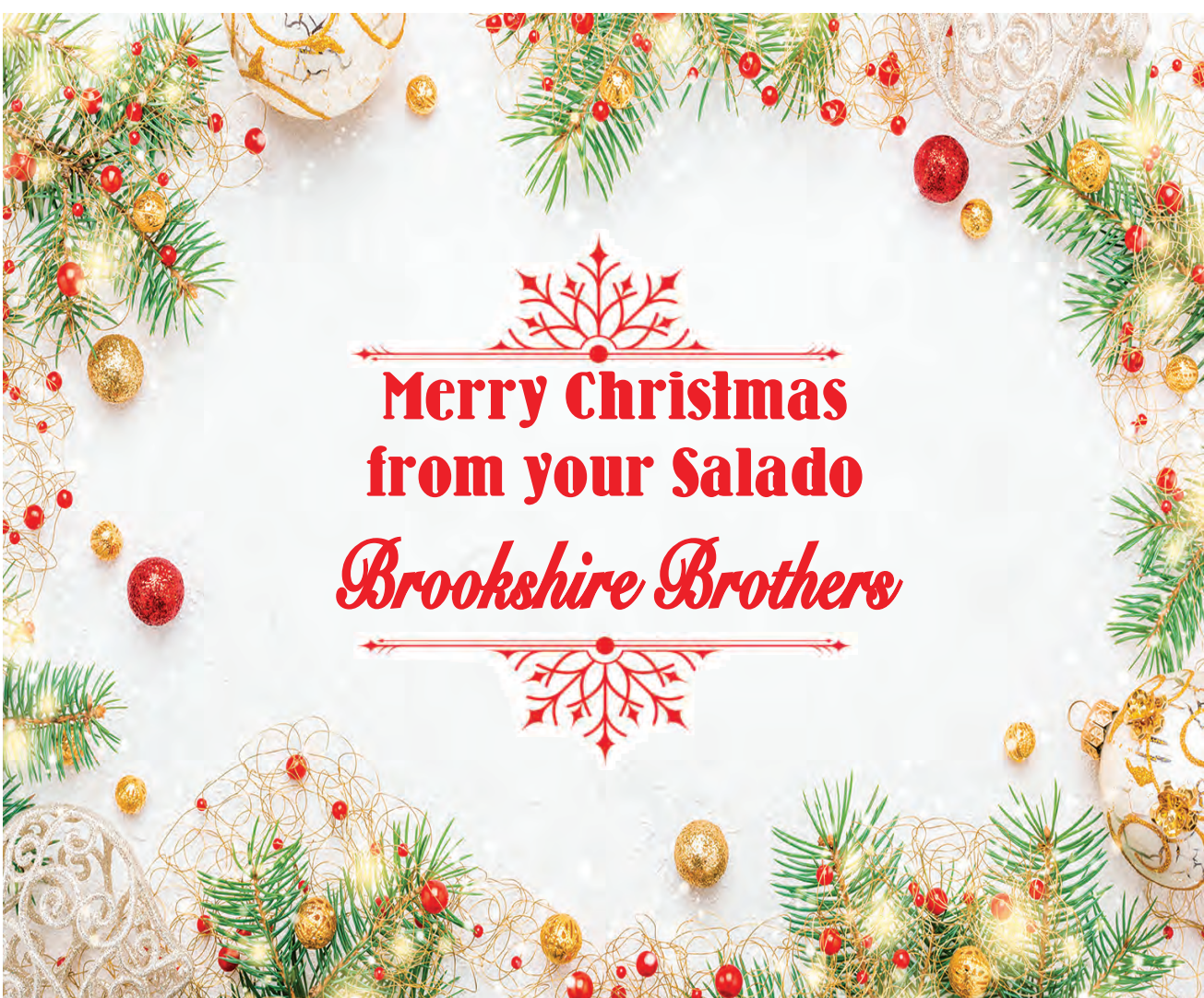
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Haley Piatek scored two goals. (COURTESY PHOTO)

Ladies beat Dawgs

Salado Varsity Lady Eagles Soccer Team hosted the Copperas Cove Lady Dawgs Dec. 12, beating them 3-0.

Goals were scored by Haley Piatek (2), and Holly Wright (1).

Assists were recorded by Allison Carnhan, Madison Spradlin, and Anna Lesley.

Outstanding defensive players were Grace Graham and Presley Maddux.

Keeper Avery Wright earned the shutout.

JV Girls

The Lady Eagles JV Soccer Team hosted the Copperas Cove Lady Bulldogs Dec. 12, winning 6-0.

Goals were scored by Renee Roche (3), Caley Aycock, Kennedy Anthony, and Emma Grant.

Assists were recorded by Renee Roche, Lily Lougheed (2), and Nadiya Sgobbo.

Outstanding defensive players were Jordan Dawson, Kaitlyn Casper, Savvy Oyler, and Natalie Burleson.

Keepers Kelly Villafranco and Emma Grant earned the shutout.

The next game for the Lady Eagles will be the Salado Scrimmage Tournament on Dec. 27.

Letters To Santa

from Salado ISD 3rd Graders

Every year, *Salado Village Voice* prints Letters to Santa Claus, written by SISD Third Graders. This week we feature Mrs. Lane's, Mrs. Lewis's, Mrs. Oborski's and Mrs. Stude's classes. We hope you enjoy and that your third grader's Letter to Santa finds its way into your scrapbooks! A slideshow of the letters can be found each week on www.saladovillagevoice.com. Be sure to visit to see the letters in their own hand-writing.

Mrs. Lane

Dere Santa I have ben vere good this year and what I want for Christmas is a star warslago set and a clone wars set.

Senserlely
Jeremiah

Dear Santa, I was okay I could say. I fed the animals for atleast a whole year strait. And I locked up all the animals for about 11 weeks. And I watered every body for a year and play with the animals sometimes.
Sincerely,
Avery

Dear Santa, I'm doing good or thats what you think. Well I have been getting in trouble. What I want for chitsmad is a camra that shoots out the picher. And a trumprope and hoolahope.
Love
Violet

Dear Santa, Ive been ok or atleast I think so. But please gie me at least one presant please I don't care what it is. oh and what should I get my sister for christmas. The only people I know what to get for them are Rickard & grandma.
Love
Rylee

Dear Santa, I really want a baby monkey. I would name him or her chunky chungus. I was okay this year I guess.
Sincerely,
Parker

Dear Samta Claus For christmas I want all of the Descendants dalls and a fidgetspinne
From Nevaeh

For Christmas I want a smasher bino. Anb alien hatcher thing. And legos 1,000,000,000. And beyblade a big stuff animle and a bino bones.
From Ethan

Dear Santa, I feel like I have been good other than picking on my little brother. Sometimes he is anoying. So it is hard when he is ignoring me when I say please stop. I

really want to hit him back sometimes I do some-times I don't hit him. But I understand thats what 6 year olds do try to any people, I don't really have any preferences for toys so whatever you bring me I will be okay with it. The only thing that I want is a new beyblade please?
Sincerely,
Jackson

Dear Santa I've been really good and I want an iPhone, and Copics, and thick Posca Pens, I really want a VR head-set, and Beats, you don't have to get this but I want it a Hydro Flasckckckckck I also want a Beyblade Super bad!!!!!!!!!!!!!! P.S Sub to Pewdiepie I hate T-seris
Maverick

Dear Santa, I have been really good lately. I want a tv for christmas. My brothers have been good to. Can't wait for christmas.
Love,
Clayton

Dear Santa I was terrible this year. Send me my elf on the 15th or else I'll be the Grinch. And I won't 100,000,000 Dollars
Sinslerly
Holt

Dear Santa Claws For Christmas I want a all of thees Nerfgun set, lego sets 1,000,000,000,000. candy. Fortnite charectors. Star wars. Elf on the self. Spung bob
Cristen

Dear Santa My Lily Im writing this. Remember I wrote about tidiliwinks. Well I guess this is Kina a Chritmas list. This morning Tidiliwinks ate all our ice cream. And this was pretty funny. Wayne started crying because Tidiliwinks ate all the icrecream. I would like a drowne for Christmas. One that has a camra on the front. Any maybe never ending ice cream.
Love,
Lily

Dear Santa Hi! My name Alexandria.

I have been pretty good this year. One nice thins I did for someone is I write encouraging notes to people, and I'm doing chores at my house when not told to and I am making pretty good grades in math my grade is getting higher as school gets harder. Let me tell you what I would like for christmas. Since for my birthday witch is on dec. 6th I'm getting Vans. So I really just want a 100 vintage lot of liittest pet shops. And a bag of dog treats for my dog cody. I would also like to ask you one question how old are you. Don't want to get personal here but I just really wanna know. So thats everything. Merry christmas! To you!
Sincerely,
Alexandria

Dear Santa, Hi Santa I have been good this year. I haveint been super good but I was good. What I want for chismas the new LoL dolls, a lot of slime like minte choclett chip, spgety slime, cup cake slime, and most of all unicorn slime. I very much want my brother to coom for christmas. I also want a cmera that spits out the picture.
Love,
Alyson

Dear Santa, I've been OK this year! Most of the stuff was my sister! Not me! So give me lots of presents! Cause I've been an angle! Now please please please give me a phone! Because my dad said No you don't have to!
Love, Kenley
PS About how many elves to you have?

Dear Santa I've been good but not some times I rily want a havabord! And a Pickacho stuff animal and \$5 and my brother to be good good to me and a baby monkey.
Kaylee

I was a good boy this year. What I want for Christmas is a coumputer and a bean bag and a lot more stuff for Christmas we are going to leave cookies out for you and milk out fo ryou hope I see you soon.
Sincerely,
Jace

Dear Santa I went copic markers becaus I've been good and I want a iPhone 11 pro max and I alsow want thicc Posca Pens and thicc beyblade. And

I want Gucci hitops and I want a gaming chair and a gaming room and a gaming set with a TV and two computers and a gaming mous and a ranbo led ceebord
Senserly
Christopher
PS I hate t-sires sub to pudipie he maks good content

Mrs. Lewis

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Tatum I wanted to know what the weather is like up there? I bet it is really cold. I hope all the toys are going good! I really want to NOT be on the naughty list! I hope I am on the NICE list. I want thousands, thousands, thousands and thousands of slime and candy! Make sure you put good stuff in my stocking!
Love,
Tatum

Dear Santa I want bablads. An nerf guns sniper and as alt. fontnit nerf fkr pistol. Can you get a geen gepe. But lech tronik and get a nerf trint and put a biger back on it pls. :)
Love Hunter

Dear Santa Claus, How cold it it up there in the north pole. For christmas I want new cloths. And room stuff! Ask all the other elves if they know Carlos snowflake and Barnaby/Barnaby is my elf. May I also have a alarm clock?
Love,
Emmalyn

Dear Santa Claus What is it like at the pole? Is the weather good or bad? I would like Pokemon for christmas. And some bayblades with lauchers. And a Dallas cowboy football gerse with the number four. Also before you leave tell Carlos I Sade by. Randume question am I on the naught or nice list.
Love,
Jackson

Dear Santa, May I have an alarm clock and some air dry clay for Christmas. What is it like having to delever a whole bunch of presents to a whole bunch of kids. And when you see Carlos when you are picking him up from are house tell him I said bye. And also I hope you have fun makeing presents. And also how is the weather up there. Also just a question am I on the nauhty or nice list?
Sincerely,

Jemmy P.S. christmas is my favorite holiday

Der Samta Uhhh so um ha ha uh... What have you ben dowing. OK I dont now what to write. Like what have you ben dowing. Ok im sorry.
From Brody

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want... an iPad jojo headphones. Box grils. barbys, Evie Carlos umu.dolls. toy elfs jeesie/not tor story. Luck Emma. Werk spase and fussy char. And as many sprise toys as you want. Ca pink fussy chair/
Love Emma

Dear Santa, Can I have a beyblade birst turbo and a huvrburd and a durt bike and a tablit and a new bike and a book.
Form Triton
Dear Santa Claus, I hope you will have a great Christmas. I wand like scerounches. And Pokemon cards. I will like you to give my pets gifts. This year we have a chimine. I wound like more stuff but I will tell you later. I am so exided for this christmas. I don't thik I was naughty this year and when snowflack leaves tell him I will see him next year. Barnaby Emmalyn elf tell Snowflack to see Barnaby.
Love
Madison

Dear Santa, I really want a hover board for chrstmas! I also want a reindeer twisty pet! And toon Link nitendo game! I will be nice pleas get my brother race with Ryan nitendo game! I really want a Zelda controler for the nitendo!

Dear Santa Can you see in the the fucuer. And can you get the three monsters in pacific rim figuts that made the mega kigoun. And Sana can you read vnines. And Sana do you die and get realive on December or do you liv forever.
From Zane

Dear Santa, How cold is it in the north pole? How old are you? Are you really fat? How do you travel around the world in 1 night? Am I on the nise list this year? This year I really want sinobot slug, snarl, swoop and slash.
Love, Robert

Dear Santa, I Santa it's me Sean im

so exited for christmas. May I please have turbo caltriack and turbo z acillis and otherer powerson bayblads. And a turbo ari-na please so I can battal other pepole. And may I pleas have athornis locher. And a golt TV luncher. And may you pleas get me atleast 100 bayblads.
Love,
Sean

Dear Santa, My name is Slayde I hope Santa gets me what I want. I want beyblades, Pokemon cards and a Pokemon pander. I will see you at the prade! You are on a fire truk. In mill creek. I hope he nose where my house is.
Love,
Slayde

Dear Santa, I wont a gutar. And a Gootball. And a RC car. I love RC cars. How cold is it 2 da grecfh. I hope im on the nce lest I hope im not on the note lest. Are yer lase noms gon.
love, Frankie

Dear Santa, How is the weather at the north pole? How do you get around to the hole earth in one night? Do your cloths keep you warm all night? How do you sleep? Is your stomch made of jolly! What is your favirote coler?
Love, Sloane

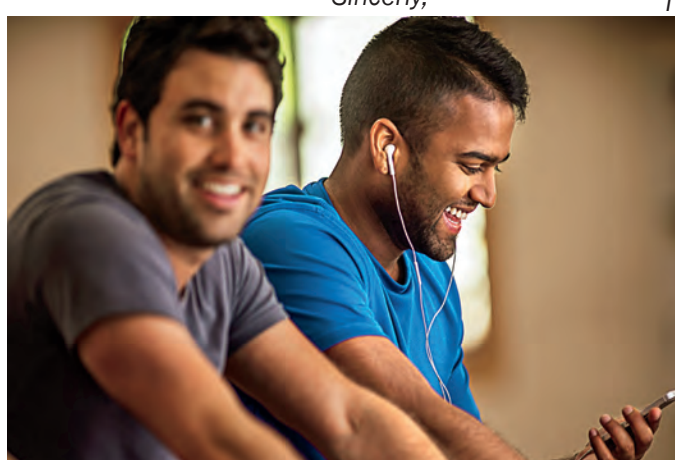
Dear Sant Merry christmas! How was summer was it good? Of course it was. This year I want a suit, Minecraft legos, punching bag, and a Microsoft account, and yutube acout and one more thing a computer.
From Brady
Dear Santa, It is geting colsr to christmas. So here is my christmas list. Weighted blanket, plner, card, money, iPhone XR, appl wath. I sarvived books, LAMAS.
Love Bailey

Dear Santa, Hi Santa may I have hoverboard. Nerf guns. Have I been good or bad? And more a bike and how many elves do you have? How long does it take you to come to my house
Loev, Chase
P.S I love christmas

Dear Santa, How was the year. For christmas I would like to reseve a tomagochy. Allso I want a llama stufy that is huge. And a kitty.
Love, Laine

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Mrs. Oborski

Dear Santa
 Helow Santa I was rily good you can tell by my hanriding. Can I get just the one bcus I now you wirc ol yer long can I get drone pllllles.
 Your frend
 Tristan.

Dear Santa,,
 Hi I was wondering if you Had a grate tear so fare tell your elfs thank you for making toys for the whole earth & thank you to I would like Mardlerun, googeys and candy for cristmas.
 Love
 Melody

Dear Santa,
 Hi, I hope you have had a great year I am exited that you will be coming to town. I would like some Harry Potter High tops a Harry Potter swet shirt and Harry Potter note book.
 Hope you have fun around the world.
 Your friend,
 Victoria

Dear Santa,
 Hi I hope you have a graet year! I am happy that you will be comming to town! I wold like a phone! Hihels! appalwach!
 Hope you like my cookies love your frend
 Ysa!
 Merry merry christmas!

Dear Santa,
 Hi I hope you have had a great year. I am exited that you will be coming to town. I would like a motor bike, newtendo swich, and a xbox. I hope you have a merry Christmas and a safe flight.
 Your friend,
 Rylee

Dear Santa,
 Hi, I hope you have a great year I'm excited that you will be coming to town. I would like a Nintendo Switch Lite, Zelda link awaked, noovie bot
 Love
 Christopher

Dear Santa,
 I'm so excited that Santa Claws is coming to town. Hi, how is it going today? I would like a Bradon, Mya, Mrs. Oborski. Hope you like my cookies. P.S. I can explain!
 from: Bo

Dear Santa
 I hope you had a great year and good years to come. I am so excited for your arival coming to town. I would really really wan't a Dirt bike, Barbies, and a fit bit. Hope you like our cookies.
 Love,
 Mya

Dear Santa,
 Hi hope you have had a great year.
 I am excited that you will be coming to town. I wold like horse riding lessins, iPhone 11 pro, and everything. Hope you like my cookies.
 Your friend.
 Sophia

Dear Santa,
 Hello, hope you have had a wonderful year!
 I am super duper excited that you will be coming to town again!
 I would like a baby doll carrier with a base, Jur-

nals\notebooks and some white blanke paper!
 Love Cloey

Dear Santa
 I love you I hope you will be proud of me. I want my mom to be proud of me. A iPad Pro. A robux gift card. Hope you like my cookies. Dont take my elf on the self!!
 Senserly Brayden

Dear Santa,
 Hi. I hope you had an awesome year!
 I am excited that you will be coming to town. I would like a Nintendo Switch, slime, and a littlest pet shop toy. I hope you like you cookies.
 Love,
 Marley

Dear Santa,
 Hi Santa hope you had a great year. I'm excited your coming to town. I am making you cookies on Chirstmas Eve. Do you know what I would like iPhone 11 Pro Max. I would like a \$100 dollar Robux card. I would like iPad Pro. Sincerly
 Isaiah

Dear Santa,
 I hope you had a great nap and your reindeer. I am sure your elfs are tired from making all those toys. And make sure the nice and naughty list doesn't rip. And commit do not rip the naughty or nice list or you will be on the naughty list. And also I want a telescope.
 from:
 Hunter

Dear Santa
 Hi I help your good I am exsidf your coming. I houp you have a gert yewr. Hope you like my cokes.
 Love
 Colt

Dear, Santa
 Hi, how are you. I can't wait for you to come to town my favorite reindeer is Prancer. Can I please this year have a hoverboard and a gollie Jersey and a smore squishie from the shugar shack.
 to: Santa Clause
 from: Reese

Dear Santa,
 How are you doing I hope you and Mrs. Santa Claus have a great year. Oh, my name is Yesenia or Yesi you probely already know that. For my list I would thankfuly love if I got a, sim card, GoPro and Bay-Blades well hope you get this note.
 sensirely,
 Yesenia
 And most of all have a happy and a merry Christmas!!!

Dear Santa,
 Hi, I hope you had a great year. I am so excited that you are coming to bring together all our familys and bring joy to all the children and adults. I would like Nintendo™ Switch Lite, whole who was, what was, where is series.
 Sincerily,
 Pierson

Dere, Santa,
 How are you. It most be fon to ride on the slade. I Bilyyin you Santa. I want to ask you if I col-de have a dort bike, mi-peeseop.
 Joseph

Dear Santa,
 Hi I hope you have a great year. I hope rudfeer is doing good day. I what a new DS game and the game called Call of Duty Block Ops. I what Madden 20 plase. I what MudlekBate II.
 Your friend
 Carder

Mrs. Stude

Dear Santa
 bayblad, football, Don't st-epin it, nerf gun.
 Form Izaiah

Dear Santa Claus,
 I want for Christmas is a base ball glove. Combine new gain trick toy cottle a planter a cuvater a backhoe. New backpack, a PS4, fgliq a controller, phone, a bldblade a cattle trailer, lots of nerf guns, a barn, more fence, a compute and ipad.
 Sinserrl, Cash

Santa
 I am Cynthia and Santa Chrstmas an I help to you an breg tues I wut a LoL and JoJo and Barb doll home an hachml. An watbr prup.
 Cynthia

Dear, Santa
 I wish I could tell you what I for Christmas America girl a small backpack and a uicorn dream ckatiken, a uicorn lith
 Madelynn

Dear Santa
 I wanted to tell you what I want for christmas I would like slime, Pokemon toys a smart watch, a tablit, a phone, and a big brother and merry christmas
 Love Angel

Dear Santa Clause
 I I hav to look on amazon.
 Love Kayla

Dear Santa
 I am feeling good. I am wanting a new toy it is a elf on the shelf evey buty has one and I wont won.

I rilly rilly wont books for crismis. How ar you this year Santa this year I have 3 important wishis that I have. I miss my and baba secont wish papall I miss him so much and amber can you ask her to come home for christmas. I wont scrunches for christmas. I want slim for chistmas. I wont clows for Christmas and new shows. And Santa I rilly rilly wont gold fish.
 Arily one.
 Paizlin

Dear Santa
 All I want for christmas is a beyblade. And a cendle case and a cat a Nintendo switstch
 Sincerly Asa

Dear Santa,
 Santa can I have a beyblade called sorizen re-crium, evalrd dom of sarge xecalis, acher hercated and last luoiror. Can I also have a launcher.
 Dean

Dear Santa,
 I wiah for a bigger room, and this year I realy re-aly wat a new iPhone 11 thats what I realy want for christmas. And what I realy realy want for christmas is a better life!
 Sincerly Gracie

Dear Santa
 I wot a book diary of a wimpy kid a blablad a stokin satna I wat a ma a-e-gran
 Iovanni

Dear Santa
 I want more Nerf guns and more beyblades and more hotwheels and more vid-eogames and a PS4 and a metafushans and bey-blade turbo and a metel fushan called Leon merry crismas
 Sinserrly
 Keston

Dear Santa
 Santa thank you for all you have done for us and give us prisens

list,
 bayblade, bayblade stady-um, GTA five, new house
 From Rylan

Dear Santa Clause,
 For christmas I want a pony, parrot, ferret, bayby fox, kitten, dog.
 Sinceraly,
 Angelina

Dear Santa
 For christmas I want a beyblade and a desk with pencil and pen holders. I want new colored pencils with the erasers. And new colored crayons and markers. And a pug phone case and a pug pop cocet.
 Victoria

To: Santa
 For christmas I wont a desk and a bay blade's set of 100 of them and can you make them prity and sparkily for me and I also want a computer that I can mov arownd withe bay blade's are rily cool to me and I also want to git a iPhone 11 with a unicorn case and a nothers case that is a pug with some cofe in its pas
 From Booklyn

Dear Santa,
 I want evry beblade in the world for christmas and an iPhone 11 or a X and a ps4 and my house filled w/ stawberry cake. I hope your elves can handle hat!
 Sincerly,
 Liam

Dear Santa,
 I want bey-blades, an Xbox one for PS4, Turbo razor jets, lots of wresters, nerf guns, bey-blade area, fortnite.
 Sincerly,
 Hamilton

Dear Santa,
 What I want for christmas is a dog, a bay blad, a phone, a xbox a ps4. Ohw and so 20,000 foot snow
 Corey

Dear Santa,
 I wut 50,000 bay-blade for christmas and gum and narf gun and toylex and a puping fres a leuskodr 50 fut sno for tint 60,000 cars.
 Colton

Dear Santa,
 I would like all of these things: cozy socks, and kind of clothes, LoL glamper camper, LoL dolls, big bucket of slime, any color baby alive any kind, some money, a doll any kind, LoL omg doll, a big bucket of gum any kind, a big nerf gun, an electrick truck, and a puppy and kitten, and trampoline please please. How do you get your magic santa.
 Your remark.
 Sincerly
 Racey

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Ladies beat Connally, Glenn

Salado Lady Eagles improved to 12-6 with wins over Leander Glenn and Connally last week.

Lady Eagles 57
Connally 48

Salado Lady Eagles scored 18 points in the third quarter while holding the Connally Lady Cadets to 10 to take the lead and hang on for a 57-48 win on Dec. 10.

Salado held an 18-15 lead after the first but Connally outscored the Lady Eagles 18-14 in the second for a slim 33-32 halftime lead. Salado outscored Connally 18-10 to take a 50-43 lead. In a low scoring fourth, Salado extended its lead by outscoring Connally 7-5 for the 57-48 win.

Kaia Philen led Salado with 15 points, shooting 56 percent from the field on nine shots. She also hit both of her free throw attempts. Philen had two rebounds, two assists, four steals and a deflection.

Reese Preston followed with 8 points, shooting 38 percent from the field. She also had five rebounds, an assist and a steal.

Katie Law also had 8 points and grabbed 10 rebounds and an assist.

Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were Kenslee Konarik, 6 points, six rebounds, an assist and a steal; Abby Rembert, 6 points and a rebound; Lorena Perez, 5 points and a dominating 20 rebounds, an assist, four steals, and a deflection; Amanda Cantu, 5 points, six rebounds, two assists and



Katie Law puts up a shot in the paint against Leander Glenn. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

five steals; Janiah Del Rio, 2 points, two rebounds and a steal and Priscilla Torczynski, 2 points and an assist.

Lady Eagles 41
Leander Glenn 36

Salado jumped out to an early lead and never relinquished it over the Leander Glenn Lady Grizzlies in a home game on Dec. 13. The Lady Eagles led 11-5 after the first and 30-12 at the half. Pulling starters, Salado then coasted to the 41-36 win despite being outscored 13-9 in the third quarter and 11-2 in the fourth.

Abby Rembert led Salado with 14 points. She shot 36 percent from the field on 11 tries. She made four of eight three-pointers though.

Rembert had nine rebounds, an assist and two steals.

Kaia Philen had 11 points in 11 minutes on the court. She shot 40 percent from the field and was three-of-seven on three-pointers. She also had five rebounds, two assists, two steals and a block.

Also scoring for Salado were these: Katie Law, 6 points, four rebounds, a steal, a deflection and a block; Lorena Perez, 6 points, three rebounds, an assist, a steal, three deflections and two blocks; Janiah Del Rio, 3 points and a rebound and Priscilla Torczynski, 1 point, three rebounds, four assists and a deflection.

Boys take 2nd in Jarrell

Salado Eagles cut through the competition at the Jarrell Cougars Invitational tournament until they ran into the homeschoolers from Round Rock in the final round, having to settle for second place overall.

Salado 50
Brentwood 43

In the first round, Salado gave coach Kenny Mann his 400th career win, beating Brentwood 50-43.

After tying at 12 in the first, Salado held a 27-18 halftime lead, but Brentwood closed it to 36-33 after three.

Peyton Miller led Salado with 19 points, followed by Josh Goings, 15 points and Cade Scallin, 12 points, Eli Pittman, 4 points and Reece Brown, 2 points.

Salado 56
Australia 30

The Eagles beat a high school team visited the states from Australia 56-30.

Salado led 30-18 at the half and outscored the Australians 17-8 in the third.

Cade Scallin led Salado with 25 points. Also scoring were Eli Pittman, 8 points, Latrell Jenkins, 7 points, Josh Goings, 6 points, Peyton Miller, 5 points, Austin Abel, 3 points and Reece Brown, 2 points.

Salado 75
Killeen JV 48

Salado exploded for 26 points in the first quarter against the JV squad from Killeen and extended the lead to 47-30 at the half. The Eagles won the third round game 75-48 over the JV Roos on Dec. 13.

Reece Brown led Salado with 19 points, scoring 15 of them in the first half. Eli Pittman followed with 12 points. Also scoring were Peyton Miller, 9 points, Josh Goings, 9 points, Latrell Jenkins, 7 points, Austin Abel, 7 points, Cade Scallin 7 points, Caleb Self, 3 points, and Noah Mescher, 2 points.



Reece Brown blocks a shot during the Salado Eagles' win over Brentwood. (PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

Salado 56
Round Rock HS 65

The homeschoolers from Round Rock beat Salado in the final round of the Jarrell Tournament on Dec. 14.

The game stayed close throughout as Salado held a 13-12 edge in the first quarter before giving up 20 points in the second to trail 32-28 at the half. The Eagles scored 13 in the third while the Rockets score 14 for a 46-41 advantage going into the final quarter.

Eli Pittman hit three three-pointers to lead Salado with 17 points. Also scoring for the Eagles were Peyton Miller, 12 points, Cade Scallin, 11 points, Reece Brown, 8 points, Josh Goings, 7 points and Noah Mescher, 1 point.

Salado 69
Llano 31

Salado Eagles trounced the visiting Llano Yellowjackets 69-31 on Dec. 10. Salado led 22-6 after the first and 36-16 at the half. The Eagles added 15 in the third and 18 in the fourth.

Cade Scallin led Salado with 24 points. Josh Goings scored 14 points to follow.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Caleb Self, 7 points, Austin Abel, 6 points, Latrell Jenkins, 5 points, Eli Pittman, 5 points and Peyton Miller, 2 points.

Salado JV Red 33
Burnet JV 29

Salado JV Red beat Burnet 33-29 last week.

Darius Wilson scored 11 points to lead Salado. Also scoring were Noah Self, 7 points, Seth Reavis, 7 points, Chase Joiner, 6 points, and Drew Bird, 2 points.

JV Red 39
Llano 23

Salado JV Red whipped the Llano JV Yellowjackets 39-23 on Dec. 10.

The Eagles outscored the Yellowjackets 15-11 in the first half and led 22-18 after three but blew out the game in the fourth quarter by putting up 17 points and holding Llano to just 5 points.

Darius Wilson and Seth Reavis both scored 7 points to lead Salado. Also scoring for the JV Eagles were Brady Ihler, 6 points, Chase Joiner, 5 points, Drew Bird, 3 points, Caden Stump, 2 points and Caleb Sirmon, 2 points.

JV White 39
Llano 26

Salado JV White boys basketball team beat Llano on Dec. 10. Petcak led the boys with 11 points, followed by Benavides, 10 points. Also scoring were Pettigrew, 4 points, Gilpin, 4 points, Rose, 3 points, Jake, 2 points, and Miller, 1 point.

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Family tradition: Salado Glassworks will continue calling Salado home

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

“Dad, I don’t want you to go.”

Sometimes that is all it takes. The soft words of your six-year-old.

For Gail Allard II, that is what it took for him to realize that the best thing for his family and for his business -- Salado Glassworks -- was to stay right where it began.

Salado Glassworks will be staying in the Village in which Gail and his wife Jennifer have chosen to raise their son Gail III (known around the glass shop as III) and daughter Olivia.

While a move to Georgetown may have brought increased sales, it would have been at the cost of less time that Gail II could spend with his family.

“He (Gail III) told me one day that he didn’t want me to move the shop to Georgetown. He said, ‘We won’t get to go fishing or hunting as much as we used to and I won’t be able to help around the shop.’”

And help he does. On the Tuesday morning I visited with Gail to make the announcement, Gail III was helping his dad by carrying ornament bags from a sorting table to a safe spot in the shop until the owners can pick them up.

Gail III has been a part of Salado Glassworks since



Gail Allard III under the watchful eye of his father Gail Allard II, who announced this week that Salado Glassworks will be staying in Salado. (PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

before he was even born.

While III won’t remember the original spot next door where there was just one glass blowing furnace, he and Olivia are both growing up under the watchful eyes of the crew at Salado Glassworks: glassblowers Michael Touché, Otto Hagaman and Kyla Sherman and gallery manager Jessica.

Gail opened Salado Glassworks just over eight years ago, on Nov. 11, 2011.

In 2015, the business moved into a new expanded

space at #2 Peddler’s Alley, where it has been ever since. At that time, Gail and wife Jennifer moved their home to Salado as well.

The couple have further invested themselves in Salado as partners in opening Rio Salado Cocina Y Cantina at 109 Royal Street. A group of local families, including the Allards, are purchasing the property on Royal Street and will open the Tex-Mex restaurant in Spring 2020.

Salado Glassworks will continue its skyrocket

growth in 2020 with the re-design of its website to allow more online orders. The calendar of events will begin with Valentine’s hearts launching the blow-your-own events in January and continuing with blow-your-own beer mugs for St. Patrick’s day, eggs for Easter, flowers for Mother’s Day, mugs and whiskey sippers for Father’s Day, pumpkins for fall and finally the grand-daddy of them all blow-your-own ornaments beginning in November and continuing to Christmas.



Above, the Posada makes its way from south Main Street to Saint Joseph’s Episcopal Church, an annual tradition for the church during the Christmas season. Below are scenes from the First Baptist Church of Salado annual Live Nativity held during the Salado Christmas Stroll each year. (PHOTOS BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



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DECEMBER 19
Deadline for the Salado Village Voice New Year edition

DECEMBER 19
Salado Chamber of Commerce Board Meeting 8:30 a.m. at Salado Museum Hall

DECEMBER 19
Salado Area Republican Women meeting with officer installation by Dr. Brad Buckley, State Representative for District 54, 11:30 a.m. at Salado Civic Center

DECEMBER 19
Adult Craft, 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library, registration required

DECEMBER 19
KidZone: Donut Christmas, 4:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library

DECEMBER 19
Salado Area Republican Women's, meeting, 11:30 a.m. at Salado Civic Center. Luncheon, speaker: The Honorable John Carter, U.S. Rep District 31. RSVP to barclaymccort@gmail.com.

DECEMBER 19
Village of Salado Board of Aldermen Workshop Session 6:30 p.m. at Municipal Building

DECEMBER 19
The Run for Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

DECEMBER 20
Winter Reading Challenge begins at Salado Public Library. Stop by for all day Christmas Crafts

DECEMBER 20
Teen Anime, 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library. ages 12+

DECEMBER 21
Bikes & Brews, 8 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

DECEMBER 21
Classes at Stamp Salado: Christmas Card Gift Set at 10:30 a.m. or Black Ice Technique at 1:30 p.m.

DECEMBER 21
Old School Christmas Movie Binge, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library

DECEMBER 21
Trail to Hope, 6 - 9 p.m. at 3C Cowboy Fellowship on Gooseneck Road. Live Nativity, Mule Wagon Train Rides, Christmas Carols and refreshments

DECEMBER 22
Open discussion Al-Anon Meeting 6 p.m. Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activities Center

DECEMBER 23 - 27
Stamp Salado Closed

DECEMBER 23
Salado Village Artists meet: Knitters 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists Building

DECEMBER 23
Salado Public Library Board of Trustees Meeting 4:30 p.m. at the library

DECEMBER 23
Salado Masonic Lodge Floor practice is 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge every Monday except Stated

Meeting. Stated meeting is 7:30 p.m. Monday on or before Full Moon

DECEMBER 23
Bell County Historical Society meeting, 7 p.m. at Bell County Courthouse in Belton

DECEMBER 24 - 25
Salado Village Voice offices closed

DECEMBER 24 - 25
Salado Public Library offices closed

DECEMBER 24 - 27
Stamp Salado closed

DECEMBER 24
Christmas Eve Candlelight Services with Communion, 5 and 6:30 p.m. at Salado United Methodist Church

DECEMBER 24
Christmas Carol Dinner, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. by Hunter Gather at Inn on the Creek Manor. Reservations (254) 947-5554 or info@inncreek.com

DECEMBER 26
The Run for Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

DECEMBER 27
Friday Sip 'n Shop, 5 - 8 p.m. across the Village of Salado

DECEMBER 27
Chef Jacob Hilbert Presents A Hanukkah Dinner, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at The Hunter Gatherer @ Inn on the Creek

DECEMBER 27
Fourth Gospel Singing 7 p.m. at First Cedar Valley Baptist Church on FM 2843. Pot luck to follow bring a favorite dish or dessert

DECEMBER 28
Bikes & Brews, 8 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

DECEMBER 28
Heart and Hands Ministries food and clothing pantry 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Plaza Shopping Center

DECEMBER 28
Classes at Stamp Salado: 2020 Desk Calendars at 10:30 a.m. or Perpetual Birthday Desk Calendar at 1:30 p.m.

DECEMBER 28
National Card Playing Day, 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library, all ages

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DECEMBER 31 - JAN. 1
Salado Village Voice offices closed

DECEMBER 31 - JAN. 1
Stamp Salado closed

DECEMBER 31
Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church of Salado

DECEMBER 31
Salado Village Artists: brush art crafting and needle work, 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Village Artist building

DECEMBER 31
Sit and Knit 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library

DECEMBER 31
Taproom open with 20% off all beer to go, 4 - 10 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

December 31
New Year's Eve 2019 at Alexanders Craft Cocktails and Kitchen, seatings at 5:30 and 8 p.m. reservation required

DECEMBER 31
Chef Jacob Hilbert Presents: New Years Eve Dinner, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at The Hunter Gatherer @ Inn on the Creek

DECEMBER 31
Ring in the New Year in The Lounge at Alexander's, 9:30 p.m. - midnight. Reservation limited and required

DECEMBER 31
New Year's Eve Venetian Masquerade Extravaganza and Lenato Wine Dinner, 7 p.m. - 1 a.m. at The Inn at Salado

JANUARY 1
Salado Public Library Closed

JANUARY 2
KidZone: Legos, 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library

JANUARY 2
Teen Advisory Board - age 12+, 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library

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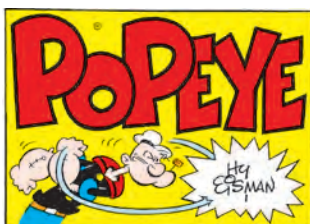
R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



Contract Bridge

MAXIMUM MILEAGE

North dealer.

Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH

- ♠ A 6 5
- ♥ J 7 3 2
- ♦ K 9
- ♣ K Q 10 6

WEST

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

EAST

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

SOUTH

- ♠ K 9 7 4 3
- ♥ 6
- ♦ Q 6 3
- ♣ A J 7 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♣	1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♠	3 ♥	4 ♠	

Opening lead — nine of hearts.

Some hands are much more difficult to play correctly than others, and today's is one of the tougher variety. South arrived at four spades after East had overcalled and then taken a second bid at the three-level, marking him with the ace of diamonds as well as a powerful heart suit.

A heart was led and continued, declarer ruffing the second one. Since a spade and a diamond loser were inevitable, the entire problem centered on how to avoid a second diamond loser.

Declarer realized that if he led a

diamond to the king without drawing trump — in order to later ruff his third diamond in dummy — he would be subject to an overruff by West when East played a third round of hearts.

So declarer first drew two rounds of trump and then led a diamond, losing the king to the ace. But when East won and cashed the spade queen, South had to lose another diamond to go down one.

Perfect play makes the contract. After ruffing the second heart lead, the king and ace of spades are cashed, followed by the lead of the nine of diamonds from dummy. If East goes up with the ace, declarer makes the contract easily, so let's assume East ducks, and South wins with the queen.

South still has the 9-7 of trump left, and all he has to do is to utilize them to best advantage. So he plays a low club to the ten and ruffs a heart.

Next he leads a club to the queen, which East may ruff or not, as he pleases. If East does not ruff, South trumps dummy's last heart and keeps on leading clubs. The net effect is that 10 tricks are made, only a spade, a heart and a diamond being lost.

If East ruffs the queen of clubs, the result is the same. South still has a trump left in each hand to handle dummy's last heart and his last diamond.

The suggested line of play would also succeed if West held three trumps. It's all a matter of getting maximum mileage out of the trump suit.

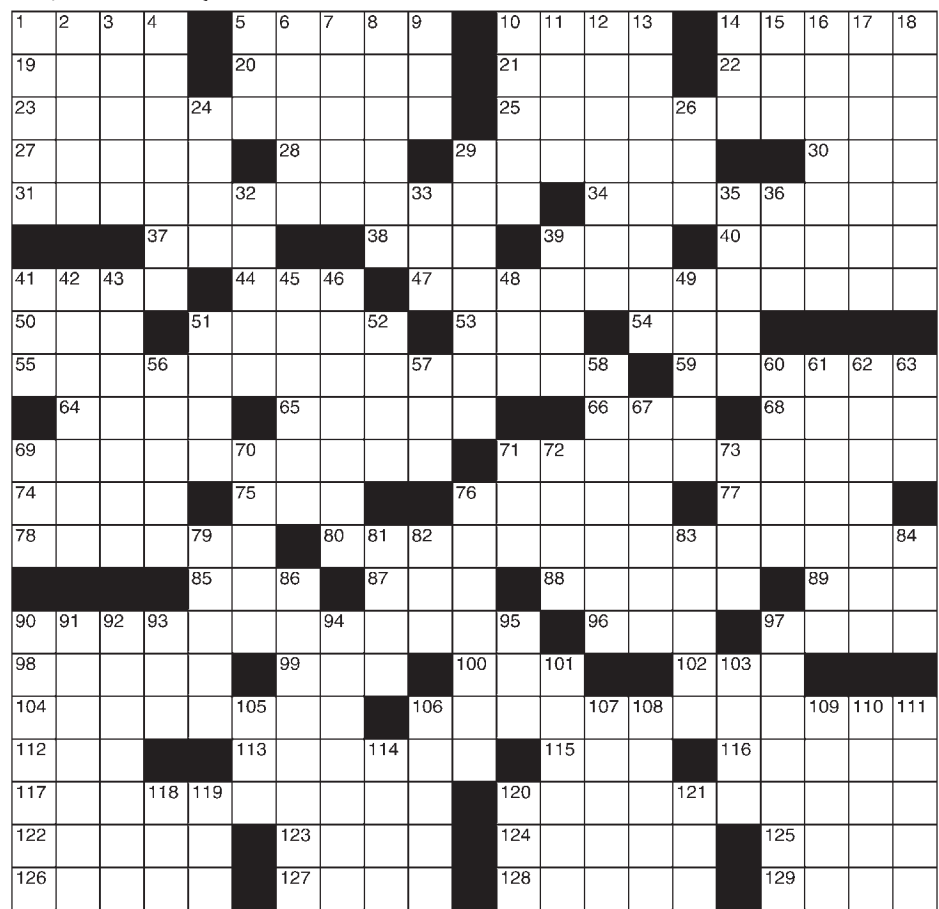
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by Steve Becker

Super Crossword

MIX OF FISH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Creole cooking pod
 - 5 Early Andeans
 - 10 Concert stage items
 - 14 Disgrace
 - 19 Cover thickly
 - 20 Declines
 - 21 Wrongful act, legally
 - 22 Of the ear
 - 23 Grabs hold of a fish?
 - 25 Give a fish medication?
 - 27 Choose (to)
 - 28 Baseball stat
 - 29 Like spoiled cooking oil
 - 30 Clamor
 - 31 Fish smeared with black gunk?
 - 34 Cheeky
 - 37 Have bills
 - 38 Mineo of "Giant"
 - 39 Suffix for an enzyme
 - 40 Not as cruel
 - 44 Turn liquid
 - 44 Old horse
 - 47 Fish drifting about aimlessly?
 - 50 Actor Stiller
 - 51 Baseball stat
 - 53 Hoppy quaff
 - 54 Wash. bigwig
 - 55 Fish covered with more grit?
 - 59 Modifies
 - 64 Conceal
 - 65 Fake ID
 - 66 1,051, in old Rome
 - 68 Larch, e.g.
 - 69 Makes a fish more softhearted?
 - 71 Honey-colored fish?
 - 74 Score — with (impress)
 - 75 It's south of Can.
 - 76 Eye parts with rises
 - 77 Splits
 - 78 Triplets of adjacent nucleotides
 - 80 Cures a fish by salting and drying?
 - 85 Western treaty inits.
 - 87 Hide — hair
 - 88 Actress Davis of "The Matrix Reloaded"
 - 89 Ending for Bronx
 - 90 Fish that's a sainted guardian?
 - 96 O'er there
 - 97 For fear that
 - 98 Runner Bolt
 - 99 "Botch —" (Rosemary Clooney hit)
 - 100 It precedes Sept.
 - 102 Barely obtain, with "out"
 - 104 Gratify, as a base instinct
 - 106 Accept a Facebook request from a fish?
 - 112 Boat in Genesis
 - 113 Twilled fabrics
 - 115 Old's opposite, in German
 - 116 Yellow tropical fruit
 - 117 Teach a fish privately?
 - 120 Catches a fish in a net?
 - 122 Flee to get hitched
 - 123 Lance cpl.'s org.
 - 124 Free-for-all
 - 125 Fair shelter
 - 126 Philly's train system
 - 127 Light meal
 - 128 French river to the Rhone
 - 129 Singer Anita or Aubrey
 - 41 Samantha Bee's station
 - 42 Expulsion
 - 43 Earthworm, e.g.
 - 45 2009 "Star Trek" director J.J.
 - 46 Seepage of methane, e.g.
 - 48 Heavyweight great
 - 49 Put on TV again
 - 51 Suffers
 - 52 Dog part
 - 56 "I'll second that"
 - 57 Informer
 - 58 Envoy's building
 - 60 Just clear of the bottom, as an anchor
 - 61 Boarding school student, informally
 - 62 Some china ensembles
 - 63 Divinity sch.
 - 67 Not as much
 - 69 Bud
 - 70 Actress Sarandon
 - 71 Rd.'s cousin
 - 72 No more than
 - 73 Cheese type
 - 76 Hubbubs
 - 79 Not a soul
 - 81 As to
 - 82 Old man
 - 83 Baseball Hall of Famer Ralph
 - 84 On Soc. Sec., often
 - 86 Operated on smaller than a national level
 - 90 Transforms, as larvae
 - 91 In general
 - 92 Sleeveless casual shirt
 - 93 Free (of)
 - 94 Lovingly, in music
 - 95 Rapa —
 - 97 Ushered in
 - 101 Music styles
 - 103 53-Across containers
 - 105 Q-U queue
 - 106 Sell for school
 - 107 Writer Zora
 - 108 Super- — Hurston
 - 109 Got along
 - 110 A Trump ex
 - 111 Spruced up
 - 114 They support teeth roots
 - 118 Choose (to)
 - 119 Step in "Utopia"
 - 120 Texter's "Didn't need to hear that!"
 - 121 Notice



Trivia test

1. GOVERNMENT: When was the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency founded?
2. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What gift arrives on the 10th day in the song "The Twelve Days of Christmas"?
3. MOVIES: What was the name of Shirley MacLaine's character in "Terms of Endearment"?
4. PERSONALITIES: At which sport did Babe Didrikson Zaharias excel in the 1940s?
5. ANIMAL KINGDOM: How do baleen whales eat?
6. FAMOUS QUOTATIONS: Which early American statesman once said, "A good conscience is a continual Christmas"?
7. MUSIC: Which singer was nicknamed "The Material Girl" in the 1980s?
8. BIBLE: What was Moses' wife's name?
9. INVENTIONS: Who is credited with discovering X-rays?
10. MEDICAL: What does the Ishihara test gauge?

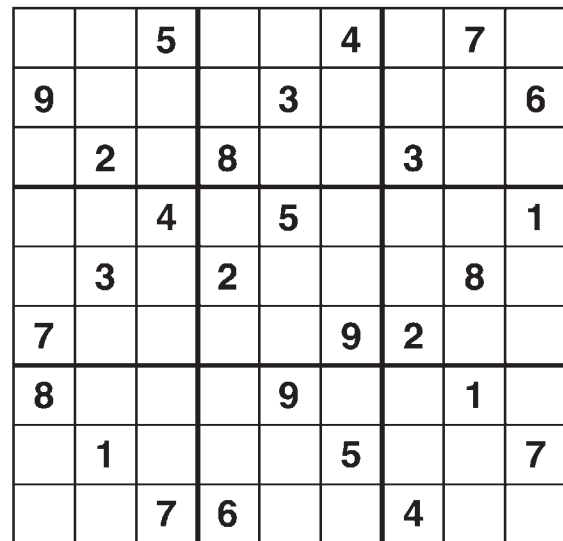
Answers

1. 1947
2. Ten Lords-a-Leaping
3. Aurora Greenway
4. Golf
5. Filtration
6. Benjamin Franklin
7. Madonna
8. Zipporah
9. Wilhelm Rontgen
10. Color blindness

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

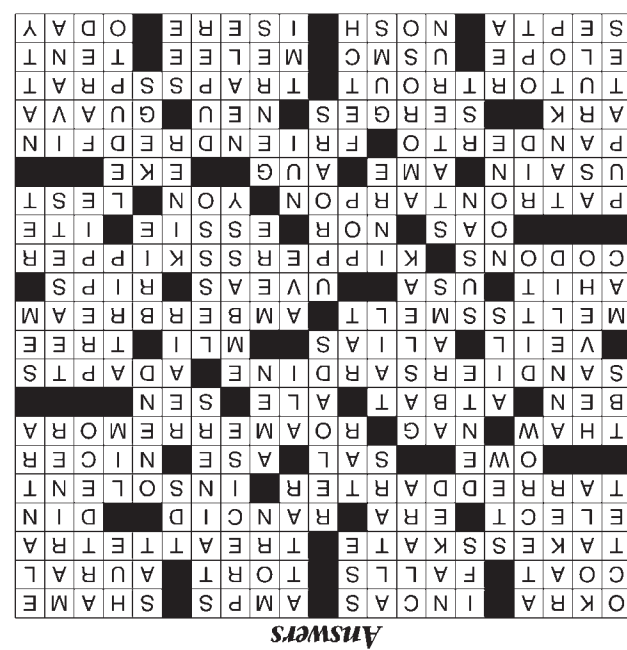


Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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Answers

Super Crossword

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Plant on mantel is missing. 2. Man has mustache. 3. Fireplace has more stones. 4. Mitten is black. 5. Shirt zipper is gone. 6. Farnuff has added band.

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

Shopping Map of Salado

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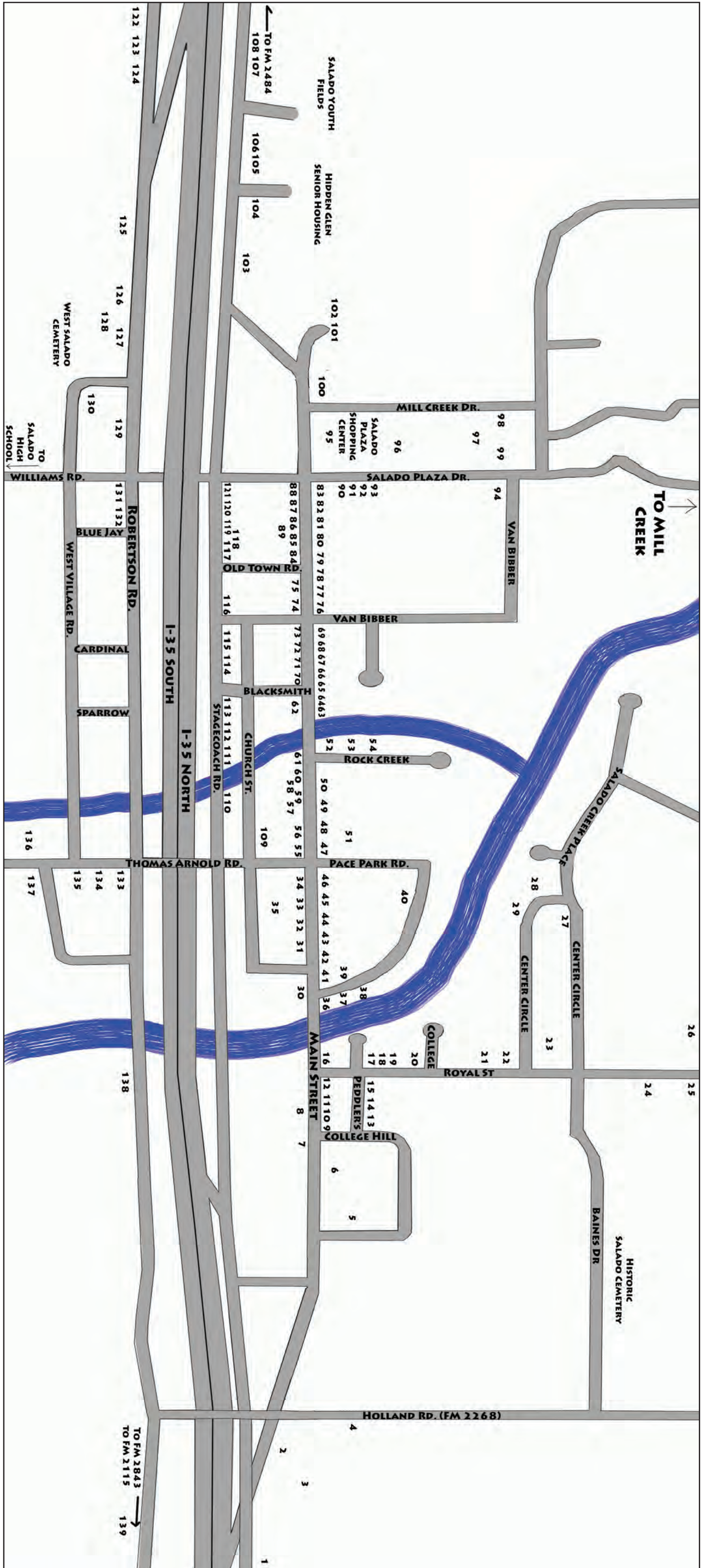
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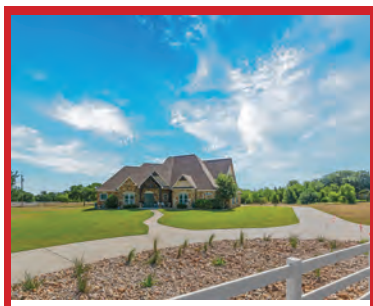
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December 10 5:34-6:12 a.m. Interstate 35 @ 285 SB Apparatus: 1 / Personnel: 1 Motor Vehicle Accident - No Injuries	8:49-9:23 a.m. Interstate 35 @ 282 NB Apparatus: 1 / Personnel: 1 Motor Vehicle Accident - No Injuries	December 11 9:28-10:02 a.m. 11000 Block of Event Dr Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 2 Excessive Heat - Laptop
7:04-8:07 a.m. Interstate 35 @ 285 SB Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 2 Motor Vehicle Accident - No Injuries	5:57-6:12 p.m. 9000 Block of Norwood Dr Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 12 Controlled Burn	December 13 7:21-8:02 p.m. 8000 Block of FM 436 Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 2 Odor of Smoke

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Assault	1	Crime Prevention	2	Security Check	29
Assist another agency	1	Disturbance	4	Stranded Motorist	2
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<p>UNDER CONTRACT 109 Royal Street, Salado Excellent commercial property located in prime downtown Salado, Texas. Situated across from Barrow Brewery with high traffic. \$825,000</p>	<p>1011 Ferguson Mill Blending Hill Country design with Southern flair, this beautiful home located in the picturesque Salado Mills subdivision has it all, from curb appeal to a gourmet kitchen. Entering the home you are met with high ceilings and an open concept kitchen / living room made for entertaining. 629,900</p>	<p>1033 Ferguson Mill Road, Salado Randy Taylor delivers again with this beautiful Hill Country style home! Tall ceilings, wood beams, and beautiful custom cabinetry. Located in one of Salado's most desirable neighborhoods, Salado Mills. Community pool included in HOA dues. Estimate completion date December 2019. \$509,900</p>	<p>UNDER CONTRACT 418 Creekside Meadow Drive, Salado Randy Taylor brings a beautiful mix of warmth with a modern flair. The large, open living room combined with the spacious kitchen make for the great place for entertaining. \$499,900</p>
<p>1146 Shepherd Dr. One of a kind English Cottage home set in a tranquil neighborhood! Once you enter, notice the beautiful hardwood floors throughout the entire downstairs. \$399,500</p>	<p>2243 Woodland Bend Rd This 2 year old home is sitting on over a half acre with a level back yard good for playing a game of touch football or for building an in ground pool. The covered patio is a great spot for grilling your favorite food or drinking a good cup of coffee in the morning. \$369,900</p>	<p>300 Royal St. "Located in the center of Salado's 'hotspot' is this large climate controlled building which is surrounded by Salado Creek, wineries, breweries, restaurants and bed and breakfast lodgings.</p>	<p>SOLD 351 Salado Creek Road, Salado Welcome to your new Salado Creek retreat! This open concept floor plan between the kitchen, dining, and living room make it perfect for entertaining! Relax in the privacy of your jetted tub as you take in the views of roses and the beautiful Salado Creek. If that's not enough, step out on your back patio and feel the stress melt away. \$435,000</p>
<p>2409 Smith Bluff Road, Salado Welcome to Mill Creek! This luxurious neighborhood holds a hidden gem! This beautiful home is located on a creek side lot. Enjoy looking at a gorgeous bluff from the convenience of a covered back patio. If you are looking for a traditional home with a one of a kind view, this is the home for you! Come see it now! \$279,900</p>	<p>106 N Main Street 2&4, Salado Located on Main Street, in the heart of Salado, is this quaint building with lots of charm! Recently connected to the Salado sewer system, there is currently 1,750 sqft space of space available for lease. New floors, paint and nice restrooms are another bonus! \$2,170</p>	<p>903 Rose Way Your chance to own this picturesque bed and breakfast in the heart of downtown Salado. \$950,000</p>	<p>UNDER CONTRACT 1915 Briar Hollow Drive Stunning 4bed/ 2 bath home perfectly designed for you! Living room complete with tray ceiling, crown molding, and beautiful fireplace. \$226,500</p>

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<h3>LOTS</h3> <p>Mackie Dr. Estate Lots - Amazing lots on a private cul-de-sac. Perfect for custom homes with trees. Starting in the \$79,900 range. 2 lots available</p> <p>Mill Creek Meadows - Brand new subdivision with 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 \$49,900 for interior lots.</p> <p>Spring Creek - Salado's newest community. A must see subdivision off of FM2484. Lots starting at \$60,000</p> <p>2 Lots on Van Bibber available \$42,500 1 Lot on - Mill Creek \$29,900</p>	<h3>NEIGHBORHOODS</h3> <p>Salado Mills - Overlooks Salado Creek and is within golf cart driving distance of Salado shopping and Mill Creek Golf Course. This premier subdivision features a community pool with pavilion and is located in Salado ISD while also benefiting from a low tax rate.</p> <p>Spring Creek - Salado's newest neighborhood, located West of town on FM 2484, has beautiful hardwood trees throughout. Find the peaceful spot you've been searching for, and build your new home, here! Located only a few miles out of Salado, Spring Creek is also just a short drive from Belton, Harker Heights and Georgetown.</p> <p>Mill Creek Meadows - Looking to build your dream home on a golf course? Whether you are a golfer or just enjoy overlooking a well-maintained course from your home, Mill Creek Meadows is for you! This gated neighborhood features a community park with basketball court and is within strolling distance of Mill Creek Golf Course and a golf cart ride away from Salado shopping & dining.</p> <p>Mystic River - Situated along the banks of the Leon River in Belton, TX and shaded by a canopy of Live Oak and Pecan trees lies Mystic River subdivision. Here, you can walk from your back door to your personal dock at the river bank where you can watch the kids plunge into the river off the rope swing, as you paddle about in your kayak. This is all possible while still being centrally located between Belton and Temple where you can find an abundance of shopping, dining and healthcare.</p>	<h3>ACREAGE</h3> <p>10 Acres along I-35 Frontage with sewage available \$1,750,000</p> <p>30 Acres on the Leon River, Belton</p> <p>107 Acres with 4,500 feet on Leon River</p> <p>60 Acres on Lampasas River with beautiful trees \$1,250,000</p> <p>102 Acres on Lampasas River and horse-ready \$1,925,000</p> <p>11.5 Acres off of 2268 in Holland \$127,500</p> <p>15 Acres 0000 Knob Creek Road Little River-Academy, TX 76501 \$169,900</p> <h3>COMMERCIAL</h3> <p>7.695 Investment Property in Temple off South 31st Street \$649,900</p>
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