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OSSF Auction picks up speed thanks to several new donations

The 1996 Civic Center auction is picking up speed and momentum thanks to the generous donations that were made the past few days by a number of Saladoans including a check for \$500 donated by Garlyn and La Juan Shelton; the popular fall Chili supper hosted by Pete and Joan Jennings; two \$100 savings bonds from the Peoples National Bank and another pair of \$100 savings bonds from the First State Bank of Salado; a special gift from Becky McAulay's "The Store at Old Town Salado"; large sugar cured ham from the Williams family at

Robertsons; a Bill Jackson print from First State Bank and a gift from the Grace Jones shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dachs owners of Gregory's have donated a wall mirror with sculptured wood trim that will be a delightful gift for a loved one or one's own home.

Two lovely gifts will be donated from Jim and Ann Benton, the first from Benton's and the second from "Bird In The Hand".

Also: several occasional tables from Lloyd Parks, a painting from Vivienne Mooney, several pecan pies

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Supper, Silent Auction set Feb. 29 for VFD, stu. council

The annual Chili Supper and Silent Auction to benefit the Salado Volunteer Fire Department and Salado High School Student Council will be 5-8 p.m. Feb. 29 at the school cafeteria.

The volunteer fire-fighters will be serving chili to folks for \$3 per bowl with all the fixings.

Frankie Rodriguez from the Sheriff's Department will be there for Identikid, where each child will have a snapshot and fingerprints taken for the parents.

Proceeds from the silent auction will benefit scholarships for Salado High School seniors.

If you would like to donate an item or make a cash donation, please call Salado High School and ask for Dee Fate or Erin Rigsby.

Some of the auction items include gift certificates from local shops, a \$50 savings bond from Peoples National Bank, weekends at local hotels and bed and breakfast inns and free dinners at local restaurants.

SISD Trustees to vote Feb. 22 on administration contracts

The Salado ISD Board of Trustees will consider administrative contract extensions of principals and athletic directors at its monthly meeting 7 p.m. Feb. 22.

The board will also call the school board election for May 4, 1996. Sign up will be Feb. 19-March 20 at the superintendent's office. During Spring Break, sign-up will be 9 a.m.-noon at the Salado Chamber of Commerce office.

The board will also con-

sider the district's agreement with the Bell County Co-op for Exceptional Children.

The board will approve bills and order payment as well as considering budget amendments.

Public participation at the board meeting is limited to the designated open portion of the meeting. No presentation shall exceed five minutes with an allotment of 15 minutes for this portion.



Hulda Horton is shown above with a 12 gauge automatic shotgun built by the Browning Company that she is donating to the 1996 Annual Civic Center Auction slated to take place in the high school cafeteria on March 2, 1996. Mrs. Horton noted that the shotgun belonged to her late husband. The weapon is 35 years old and in mint condition. It is one of several shotguns and other weapons that will go on the auction block

Spring Festival blooms in Salado March 8-9

Salado's biggest quilt and fashion event is about to "bloom", March 8-9, with excitement emerging from merchants and community. Designed to celebrate the beauty of Salado's spring season and the textile history of our village, many weekend events are scheduled.

MARCH 8, starts the celebration with a welcoming surge of inviting merchandise featured in the merchants' shops. In addition many shops plan special events—trunk shows, quilts and related merchandise for sale, plus guest appearances by artisans.

From 1-7 p.m. the Salado Civic Center will open and host a beautiful quilt show of new and old quilts, loaned by proud Saladoans. Every quilt has a story to tell—some are recently made by talented stitchers, others are family pieces, still others are designed and stitched by professionals. During this time Terri Ellis, a Certified Quilt Appraiser will be available to answer questions about quilts and provide insurance appraisals.

Appraisal is valuable in case of loss due to fire, theft or other accidental damage. Insurance companies and freight companies (UPS) require written appraisal if replacement cost of more than the materials is desired.

At 7 p.m. a lecture is planned by talented quilt professional Terri Ellis, of Ft. Worth. Music and festive displays amid the storefronts and personal dwellings will add to the weekend affair.

The Quilt Show continues on MARCH 9 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., with Saturday's highlight a Fashion Show/Luncheon at the Mill Creek Country Club, 11:00 a.m. Many Salado shops plan to show the latest fashions, plus provide door prizes, fun and delicious food. Saturday afternoon will again host Terri Ellis as she assists the Salado community in finding its quilt treasures and providing quilt appraisals for parties wanting to know the "real value"

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Auditions set March 9-10 for Legends

Auditions for the Fourth Annual production of the outdoor musical drama **Salado Legends** will be held 2-7 p.m., March 9-10, at Tablerock's indoor stage at Tablerock Amphitheater on Royal St.

Readings will be from the script. The script has 37 speaking parts that include all age groups. Previous productions of **Salado Legends** accepted actors ranging from 6 months to 85 years old.

Roles that require singing are adult male and female, teenage girls and teenage to young adult males. To audition for singing roles, bring a prepared song with your own accompaniment or you may sing acappella. A piano is available.

Call back dates will be announced at the auditions. For more information call Jackie Mills at 947-9205.

Litter pickup slated Feb. 24

An organized day of litter pick-up and Salado beautification will be held Feb. 24, in the Salado area to include the Farm to Market Roads as well as smaller State Highways in the area.

The group will meet at the IGA parking lot 9 a.m. and continue the pick-up until noon.

Everyone is invited to participate bring your gloves, trash bags and any other equipment necessary. There will be maps showing the areas to be covered.

Civic, school, individuals and church groups are invited to participate.

This is a normal recycling day. The trailer will be at the IGA parking lot until noon.

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New Hampshire primaries separate men from boys

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The Iowa caucus is history. And so is Phil Gramm - at least as a presidential candidate. He is now back in Texas running for reelection to the Senate much to the dismay of Democrats seeking his seat. They had hoped he would spend all his time and money trying

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



to buy the top job, thus giving them a chance to grab his Senate sinecure while sending old mister "Folks-don't-like-me", back to College Station or wherever old turtles go to seclude.

Yesterday's New Hamp-

shire primary results have already been reported on last night's TV and radio roundups and are spread all over this morning's front pages.

Since this edition of "Off The Record" was printed earlier in the week and well before the voting even started, we can do nothing except make some soothing guesses as to what we think took place in the far northeastern reaches of our nation.

Therefore, with fearless abandon, we are going to predict that Pat Buchanan

won first honors with Bob Dole, Lamar Alexander and Steve Forbes trailing close behind and in about that order.

Reason for this brave adventure in entrail-watching is that Buchanan's anti-business snake oil message fit enough working class voters in the economically hard pressed New Hampshire industrial centers to carry him to the top, at least in this writer's unabashed, and normally unabridged, opinion.

However, from here on out Pat (after his extremely long 15 minutes in the sun - emphasis on extreme) will be bringing up the rear among the fearsome foursome, since his otherwise strange sounding message (certainly strange for a Republican), will not be persuasive among the big money fat cats along the eastern seaboard or out in sunny California.

And probably not even in the south on, or after, Super Tuesday - March 12!

Big business will, as always, anoint the Republican presidential candidate prior to the convention this summer (where and when it counts) and they naturally want someone who talks their language - not a fire-bomber like Buchanan.

These money machines want as much fire power as they can get from a candidate who can mount a successful attack on a sitting president.

Buchanan is preaching pro-life, protectionism in international trade, anti-NAFTA and GATT, anti-

Wall Street, pro-working class, pro-labor, and a strange mixture of racism that is hard to define but shows up when he talks of building a steel curtain along the Mexican border as well as slowing immigration of certain other ethnic and religious types into the country.

He blends a real witches brew of conservatism along with a new brand of populism, extremism, isolationism, narrow social issues together with a wide array of other anti-isms to interest many of Ross Perot's rank and file "America firsters" plus a number of "lost in the wilderness" GOPers and the ever present fringe zealotites.

Fact is Buchanan sounds like a liberal Democrat at times which is, of course abhorrent to the ultra conservative core group of monied GOP fellow travelers along the "me first" trail.

THE MESSAGE

Even if we are wrong about the Buchanan-New Hampshire-win prediction, there does not seem to be much doubt that part of his message has been tickling the nervous system of middle Americans - the guys and gals who do the work each day while fearing layoffs due to massive consolidations and off shore job shifts.

Buchanan's otherwise goofy ideas and plans on other subjects will keep him out of the White House but you can almost bet the farm that his concerns about the plight of working Ameri-

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by Hulda Horton, several hand painted bird houses by Pete Howe, and some antique glassware from Stan and Leigh Drake.

A number of miscellaneous items from Blanche Kevlin, golf clubs, homemade plum jam made by Lois Sheppard and a special gift from Ross and Cindy Greenwood as well as a donation from Tyler Fletcher.

One of the more unusual items to be auctioned will be a breakfast for 12 persons, delivered to your home, from the Halley House. According to Cathy Sands, the winner of this special gift certificate may chose from a large menu and decide the morning he or she wants the full breakfast for 12 people, delivered right to the front door.

Also from the Halley House is an overnight stay for two people at the bed and breakfast. The high bidder for this certificate will be given a fine morning meal after a night's stay in the famous Lydia Room

that comes complete with a fireplace - just right for these cool nights and mornings.

A further updated list of donations for the March 2 auction will appear in the Feb. 28 edition of the *Salado Village Voice*.

Bob Cottle, chairman of this year's auction, noted: "We are so pleased and happy that each day brings in more and more valuable and interesting items for the auction. The Old Salado School Foundation board of directors is grateful to all villagers and other area friends for the support always given from the day the renovation of the building started on through to the completion of the civic center and right down to this very day."

Funds from the March 2 auction, that is scheduled for a 6 p.m. start at the school cafetorium, will go directly to the maintenance and operation fund set up to keep the civic center bright and shining and well kept, according to Cottle.

A Mikeska barbecued sirloin and sausage meal complete with beans, potato salad, a relish plate, cole slaw and homemade bread topped off with home cooked brownies, tea and coffee will be the first order of the special fun evening.

Price of the meal is a low \$6.00 each with tickets on sale at Peoples National Bank, First State Bank, Hair Designs and the OSSF office on the first floor of the civic center.

Following the 6 p.m. meal, Bill Hall, local auctioneer, will gavel the start of the exciting auction that will have well over a hundred items either on the block or through the popular silent auction. The auction kicks off promptly at 7 p.m. and should be concluded by 8:30 p.m.

SPECIAL FEATURE

Once again, the OSSF gave thanks to Bill Bartlett and Melanie Kirchmeier and the Century 21 office, a "money jar" will be won by someone having the lucky number gained through a \$5.00 donation.

The donation cards can be purchased either at the civic center office or at the auction itself up to 7 p.m.

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Dick Westlake, co-chairman of the program noted recently: "We feel that there are a number of Salado and area men and

women who would benefit from having a hot meal delivered once a day to their homes. Age is not a factor, only the inability to get out and buy groceries or not able to prepare a meal for oneself."

He continued: "If anyone knows of a person who needs the Meals on Wheels service, they are asked to call 947-0238 (Westlake) or co chairman Jessie Foster at 947-5628. This is not charity or welfare but a service to those who are having a temporary or permanent problem with getting out and need the hot meal delivered to their home."

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SHS Lady Eagles 1995-96 Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Teams	Start Time
Nov. 14	Gatesville	There	JVB, JVA, V	4:30 p.m.
Nov. 18	Lorena	Here	JVB, JVA, V	10:00 a.m.
Nov. 20	San Saba	UMHB	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Nov. 21	Cameron	There	JVB, JVA, V	4:00 p.m.
Nov. 28	Lorena	There	JVB, JVA, V	5:00 p.m.
Nov. 30-Dec. 2	Academy	Tournament	JV, V	TBA
Dec. 5	Jarrell	There	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 7-9	Salado	Tournament	V	TBA
Dec. 8-9	Rosebud-Lott	Tournament	JV	TBA
Dec. 12	McGregor	There	JVB, JVA, V	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 15	Belton	Here	JVB, JVA, V	4:30 p.m.
Dec. 27	Liberty Hill	There	JVB, JVA, V	1:00 p.m.
Dec. 28-30	China Springs	Tournament	V	TBA
Jan. 2	Johnston City	Here	JV, V	4:00 p.m.
Jan. 5	*Hutto	Here	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 9	*Somerville	There	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 12	*Rogers	Here	JV, V	4:00/6:30 p.m.
Jan. 13	Holland	JV Tournament	JV	TBA
Jan. 16	*Lexington	Here	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 19	*Academy	There	JV, V	4:00/6:30 p.m.
Jan. 23	*Hutto	There	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	*Somerville	Here	JV, V	4:00/6:30 p.m.
Jan. 30	*Rogers	There	JV, V	5:00 p.m.
Feb. 2	*Lexington	There	JV, V	4:00/6:30 p.m.
Feb. 6	*Academy	Here	JV, V	5:00 p.m.

* denotes district contest

SHS Eagles, Lady Eagles suffer defeat to end seasons

Both the boys and girls basketball teams ended their seasons with heart-breaking losses last week: the boys lost their chance for a second-place tie when they were defeated by Somerville while the girls lost in the first round of the play-offs to Mason Cow-girls.

The Lady Eagles were in a race with Mason to the wire as the score was 6-8 after one period, 16-18 at the half and 27-27 at the end of three periods.

But the girls could not

hold off a 20 point fourth quarter by Mason to fall behind 41-47 at the final buzzer.

Marie Grigsby led the scoring with 14 points, followed by Chrystal Whiteley, 10 points.

Also scoring were Jackie Alcozer, 9 points, Melissa Matthews, 6 points and Katie Punchard, 2 points.

The Eagles could not hold off Somerville to qualify for a three-way tie for second place last week,

even though they led 23-21 at the half and 32-31 at the end of three periods.

Somerville scored 20 points in the third quarter to pull ahead, 46-51 at the buzzer.

Jerome Peoples led the scoring with 11 points, followed by William Culp, 10 points.

Paul Gidley and Kurt Salisbury each had 9 points while Roger Buckley had 3

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In addition to the donated items, High School teachers and staff may be purchased to perform a variety of student services which should make for a lively auction. School officials are proud of their students at Salado High School for their achievements reflected in their previous TAAS exams.

However, if students can meet the challenge of raising their scores, Salado hopes to achieve "Exemplary Status" having already met other necessary criteria. With this honor, comes recognition for the school and student in addition to monetary awards.

Parents are encouraged to help their students prepare for the test which will be March 5-7.

Parents may call the school office for more information or to become more involved in the challenge.

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Market Steers

Grand Champion: Amber Preston, FFA. Heavy Light Weight: John McLaughlin, FFA. Middle Weight: Amber Preston; Heather McLaughlin, Jr. FFA. Light Heavy Weight: Amber Preston. Heavy Weight: Amber Preston; Sail Ricks, FFA.

Heifers

Grand Champion: Amber Preston. Junior Showmanship: Lauren Quirk, 4-H. Brahman, Class 2: Lindsay Quirk, 4-H. Cross, Champion: Amber Preston. Class 9: Amber Preston. Short-horn-Hereford, Reserve Champion: Lauren Quirk; Class 10: Lauren Quirk, Cody Quirk, 4-H. Limousin-Main Anjou-Charlois, Champion: Amber Preston. Class 12: Amber Preston. Class 13: Amber Preston.

Sheep

Market Lambs

Southdown, Champion: James Hamby, FFA; Shana Berrier, FFA. Dorset, Champion: Matthew Fiebig, FFA. Reserve Champion: Codi Stone, FFA. Finewool, Champion: Raina Curry. Reserve Champion: David Kite, FFA. Finewool Cross (Heavy Weight), Champion: Raina Curry. Reserve Champion: Rajun Owen, Jr. FFA; Lindsay Owen, FFA. Medium (Heavy), Champion: Raina Curry. Reserve Champion:

Lindsey Owen.

Breeding Sheep

Senior Showmanship: Raina Curry. Finewool Ewes - Aged, Reserve Champion: Scott Bates, Jr. FFA. Medium Wool Ewes - Aged, Reserved Champion: Raina Curry. Finewool Ram Lambs, Champion: Chrystin Coe, 4-H.

Meat Goats

Reserve Grand Champion: Joshua Koch, 4-H. Junior Showmanship: Lindsay Quirk. Senior Showmanship: McKenzie Brown, FFA. Light Weight: Chad Britt, FFA. Middle Weight: Matthew C. Fleck, Jr. FFA; Clayton Adams, FFA. Heavy Weight: Abby Sparks, 4-H; Joshua Koch, 4-H; Raina Curry, 4-H; Cody R. Quirk, 4-H.



Joshua Koch, Reserve Grand Market Goat.



Chet Smith, Reserve Grand Market Steer



Lindsay Owen, Reserve Grand Market Swine



James Hamby, 1st Place, Market Lamb.

Home Economics

Fashion Review

Junior: 1. Sarah F. Moon, 4-H; Nichole Hill, 4-H.

Dress Daytime

Champion: Carrie Puckett, FHA Reserve Champion: Cassie Kite, FHA

After-5 Wear

Champion: Shana Berrier, FHA

Textile Crafts: 3. Sarah E. Moon, 4-H;

Art

Reserve Grand Champion: Alisa Allen, FHA

Water Color

Champion: Alisa Allen, FHA Senior: 1. Alisa Allen, FHA; Lauren Quirk, 4-H.

Black&White

(Charcoal, Ink, Pen, Champion: Alisa Allen, FHA

Cartooning

(Black-And-White Or Color) Junior: Scott Bates, Jr. FFA.; Alisa Allen, - FHA;

Other Cucumber Pickles

Senior: Nichole Hill, 4H

Relishes and Other

Pickled Foods Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H;

Canned Vegetables

Senior: 2. Nichole Hill, 4-H; Juices: Nichole Hill, 4-H. Junior: Chrystin Coe, 4-H;

Jellies

Champion: Christina Fuhs, FHA

Clothing

Blouses/Shirts

Champion: Nichole Hill, 4-H Senior: 1. Nichole Hill, 4-H;

Recycled Garments

Champion: Nichole Hill, 4-H

Sewn Accessories

Junior: 1. Sarah Moon, 4-H. Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H.

Skirts, Pants and Shorts

Reserve Champion: Nichole Hill, Junior: Sarah Moon, 4-H Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H.

Coordinated Ensembles

Reserve Champion: Nichole Hill,

Sleepwear, Lingerie and Swimwear

Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H; Infant and Toddler

Aprons

Senior: 2. Nichole Hill, 4-H.

Vests

Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H;



Matthew Fiebig, 1st Place Market Lamb.



Raina Curry, 1st Place Market Lamb



Diedra Hodge, 1st Place Market Swine



John McLaughlin, 1st Market Place Steer.



Chad Britt, 1st Place Market Swine



Anthony Hill, 2nd Place Market Swine



Codi Stone, 2nd Place Market Lamb



Kelly Smith, 2nd Place Market Swine

- Creative Arts**
Personal Accessories
 Emily Bates, 4-H; Sarah Moon, 4-H.
Painted/Decorated Garmet/ Fabric.
Champion; Tiffany Blair, 4-H
Woodwork Crafts - Functional
 Junior: Matthew Mahnken, 4-H;
Woodwork Crafts - Toys, woodburning, plaques, clock kits, animals, letters, etc.
Champion: Nichole Hill, 4-H
Woodwork Crafts - Kits
 Senior: Anthony Hill, 4-H.
Recycled Craft
 Alicia Raley 4-H.
Handmade Wreaths
Champion: Sarah Moon, 4-H;
Junior: 1. Sarah Moon, 4-H Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H;
Decorated Wreaths
Junior: Tiffany Blair, 4-H;
Handmade Baskets or Boxes
Champion: Sarah. Moon, 4-H
Junior: 1. Sarah Moon, Salado 4-H; Whitney Brown, Junior-. Tiffany Blair.
Other Cultural Arts
Junior: Sarah E. Moon, 4-H.
 Senior-. Nichole Hill, 4-H
Holiday Corner
Senior: Shana Berrier,
Models, Cars/Air/Ship
Reserve Champion: Josh Jacobsen, **Junior:** Josh Jacobsen, 4-H;
Miscellaneous
Color Photos
 Senior: 1. Nichole Hill,
Color Photos, Animal
Junior: Cody Quirk, **Senior:** Leah Davis.
Color Photos
Landscape
Senior: Leah Davis,
Cookies
Brownies, Any Type
Senior: Alisa Allen,
Other Cookies
(Refrigerator, Filled, Pressed)
Senior: Shana Berrier.
Yeast Bread
Senior: Jennifer Stowell
Yeast Rolls
Junior: Megan Fleck
Cakes
 Other Layer Cake. Senior: 2. Christina Fuhs, FHA.
 Creatively Decorated Cakes
Champion: Nichole Hill, 4-H. **Junior:** 3. Jacob Brizendine, Jr. FFA. Senior: Nichole Hill, 4-H.
 Sheet Cake Junior: 5. Misti Simonton, Jr. FFA.
 Fruit/Vegetable Layer Cake
Senior: 2. Marisa Scully, FHA
 Coffeecake with no yeast Senior: 2. Ashlea Norman, FHA

- Horse Show**
Halter: Grade Gelding, Under 5 Years: 2. Robert Nierodzinski, FFA. Grade Mare, under 5 years: Wayne Ricketts, FFA..
 Western: Western Horsemanship, 14: 2. David Kite, FFA
 English: Walk/Trot, 13 and under: 4. Cassie Collins, Jr. FFA; Hunter under Saddle, 13 under: 1. Cassie Collins, Jr. FFA. Hunter Hack, 13 under: Cassie Collins, Jr. FFA.
 Time Events Straight Away
 Barrels: 1. Kelly Smith, FFA.

- Farm Shop**
Grand Champion: Anthony Hill, 4-H. **Livestock Equipment,**
Senior: Champion Shane Barrier, FFA. **Home & Yard Convenience Metal Work,** Senior: Champion Anthony Hill, 4-H. **Woodwork** Other: Junior: 2. Scott Bates, Jr. FFA. **Woodwork** Other, Senior: 3. Toby McLaughlin,

Poultry

Commercial Broilers: 3. Russell Wasik, FFA

Swine

Duroc: 5. Megan Burson, 4-H. Yorkshire: 5. Lindsay Owen, FFA.

Market Swine

Reserve Grand Chmapien: Lindsay Owen, FFA. Light Weight: 5. Lindsay Owen, FFA. Medium Weight: 2. Kelly Smith, FFA. Light Heavy: 3. Raina Curry, FFA. Heavy Weight: 1. Diedra Hodge, 4-H

Hampshire

Reserve Grand Champion: Lindsay Owen, FFA Light Weight: 4. Zachary Brown, FFA Medium Weight: 1. DiedraHodge, 4-H; 3. Kelly Smith, FFA Heavy Weight, 1. Lindsay Owen, FFA; 5. Sarah Moon, Jr. FFA.

Other Breeds

Reserve Grand Champion: Anthony Hill, FFA Light Weight: 1. Chad Britt, FFA. Heavy Weight: 2. Anthony Hill, FFA.

Cross Breeds

Light Weight: 1. Heather McLaughlin, Jr. FFA. Medium Weight: 5. Michelle Houston, Jr. FFA.

Rabbits

Meat Pens

Reserve Grand Champion Netherland Dwarf Buck: Chelsea Norman, Jr. FFA.

Breeding Rabbits

Holland Lops: Senior Bucks: 2. Megan Roberts, Jr. FFA. 3. Tiffany Blair, 4-H. Netherland Dwarfs: Senior Bucks: 2. Chelsea Norman, Jr. FFA. Other Breeds 4 Class: Junior Bucks: 4. Misti Simonton, Jr. FFA



Sail Ricks, 2nd Place Market Steer.



Matthew Fleck, 3rd Place Market Goat



Rajun Owen, 3rd Place Market Lamb.



Shana Berrier, 3rd Place Market Lamb



Rusty Wasik, 3rd Place Broilers.



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Robert Smith to wed Laquita Carroll in July

Benny and Wanda Smith of Salado announce the engagement of their son Robert Kevin Smith of Salado to Laquita Anne Carroll of Salado.

The bride elect is the daughter of Bennie Carroll of Salado and the late Red Carroll.

The couple plan a July 20, wedding at the Salado Church of Christ. Minister Dempsey Stripling will officiate the ceremony.

Bunker weds Winters Feb. 18

Mary Bettina Bunker, of Belton, became the bride of Casey Winters, of Belton, in a double-ring ceremony at Immanuel Lutheran Church, of Temple, Feb. 18.

The bride is the daughter of Col (USAF Ret) and Mrs. Gerald Bunker, of Salado. The groom is the son of Mr. Allen Winters, of Temple, and Mrs. James Carrens, of Georgetown.

Rev. Alane Struckmeyer was the minister for the ceremony. Kendall Mowell, of Killeen was the organist. The recessional was sung by the senior choir of the Immanuel Lutheran Church.

The bride wore a floor-length ivory silk dress with boat neck, long sleeves, full skirt and draped midriff with large bow on the left side of the waist.

The bride was attended by Wendy Winters, daughter of the groom, of Belton.

The couple will live in Belton and plan a summer cruise to the Bahamas.

Mary Bettina teaches math at Belton High School. She is a graduate of North Texa State University with a BA in Business Administration.

Casey teaches history and is a member of the coaching staff at Belton High School. He is a graduate of Texas Lutheran College with a BA in Education.



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Section 3/211(j) of the Public Utility Regulatory Act of 1995 permits local exchange telephone companies to charge the same interstate and intrastate switched access rates after filing with the Texas PUC and their order within 60 days of filing. Centel's application was filed on February 5, 1996

This adjustment does not apply to the local or long distance rates paid by residential or business customers. The rate adjustment is applicable only to approximately 75 specialized customers that purchase switched access from Centel.

Once implemented, Centel's annual intrastate revenue will increase by approximately \$6,734,664 or approximately 9.8 percent.

Persons who wish to intervene in or comment upon these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible, as an intervention deadline will be imposed. A request to intervene or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, TX 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission's Consumer Affairs Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 for text telephone. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is 45 days after the date the application was filed with the Commission.

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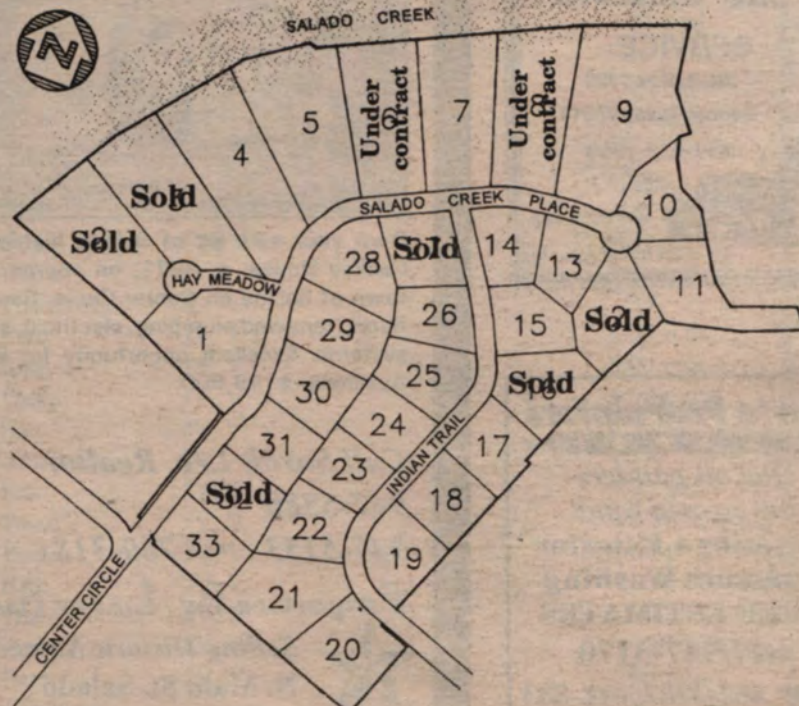
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cans will be the "message du jour" for the first time in decades by the Grand Old Party's convention platform writers as well as their presidential standard bearer.

You can also bet your boots that President Clinton will deep-six his "economy is great" bunkum and go back to harping on what is happening to folks who are "working harder and earning less" which drew attention in 1992.

For the past year we have been bombarded with talk about a balanced budget, Congressional Budget Office projections, seven year deadlines, "scoring" with acceptable numbers, slowing the growth of medicare, medicaid, education and on and on.

All matters of vital importance to the long range fiscal health of our nation - but not of great concern to those folks who go to bed at night worrying about having a job the next day; what to do if they lose their

Village Artists set March workshop

The Salado Village Artists recently announced a workshop in acrylic painting to be taught by area artist Al Moore. Al is an accomplished artist concentrating mostly on the painting of Texas landscapes. His work is handled by Salado Galleries.

The classes will be held 9 a.m.-4 p.m. March 20-22 at the Salado Art Center. The cost will be \$115 for all three days of instruction. To reserve your space in this limited class, send a refundable deposit to Salado Village Artists, P O Box 363, Salado, TX 76571. March 1 is the deadline to register. Anyone wanting more information can call 947-0073.

health plan and will their company raid their retirement funds.

The guy who wins the '96 presidential jackpot will be the one who can solve the dichotomy of an economy streaking skyward on, or off, the DOW while workers are headed in the opposite direction as they lose economic ground almost on a daily basis.

Watch for the two presidential candidates, their minions and others seeking work at the federal level to pitch their verbiage towards sympathizing with the unhappy, nervous and worried working middle class and away from the unemotional budget issues, starting with the convention platforms and on into the long summer and fall campaigns.

DOLE QUOTE

Bob Dole, not normally regarded as a funny-man gave us the "quote of the week" last Tuesday when he reached New Hampshire after his "skin of the teeth" first place showing in Iowa. He quipped that he knew what it was like to lose in New England.

"However" he noted with a straight face (what else?), "the night of the 1988 defeat, I slept like a baby. Woke up every two hours and cried!"

That's funny stuff from the stern visaged Dole. If he keeps it up he will receive higher ratings than the Rush Limbaugh show. Which shouldn't be all that hard considering the level Rush stoops to for laughs. That's -30-

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Carefree living with minimal yard to maintain. New patio home near Mill Creek Pro Shop. Reduced to \$105,000.

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New Listing. Beautiful home with a view on quiet cul-de-sac in Mill Creek. Four bedrooms, 3 baths. Basement, much storage. \$189,000.

On #2 Green in Mill Creek. Quality construction throughout this large home. Approx. 3,932 SF, 3 BR, office, 2 full & 2 half baths, workshop. Beautifully landscaped with decks overlooking golf course. \$328,000.

Commercial Property

2.52 acres on I-35 in Salado with long frontage. Many commercial possibilities.



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New Listing: new 10,500 SF metal warehouse with 14' walls, concrete floor, insulated. Located on 3 acres, 3 miles North of Salado on I-35. \$139,000.

5.66 acre commercial tract, downtown Salado. Has great potential to be in center of everything as Salado develops. 4 rent houses on property for interim income. Priced to sell at \$226,000.

Acreage Available

Location, location, location. 44 acres on I-35 near Prairie Dell, will serve your homesite, ag, commercial and transportation needs. \$3,500/acre.

35 acres on Kuykendal Branch south of Salado. Gently sloping, open, land with a great view of surrounding valley. \$122,500

30 acres, 2 miles W of Salado, FM 2484 & Thomas Arnold. \$3,700/acre.

21.4 acres on FM 2115, 4.5 miles SE of Salado, \$3,500/acre.

2.07 acre on Lampasas River on Elm Grove Rd. \$25,000.

Two 1/2 acre hilltop lots with view of Mill Creek golf course. \$32,000 and \$35,000.

1/2 acre lot in Salado Springs, \$9,000.

Two wooded lots overlooking valley in Sherwood Shores VIII, \$3,500 each. Any offer considered.

Royal Oaks Subdivision. Near downtown Salado, large restricted wooded lots. \$30,000 to \$35,000.

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Rosewood Subdivision: 2 to 4 acre lots, all woods, highly restricted, on Stinnett Mill Road., 2 miles N. of Salado. \$32,000-\$45,000

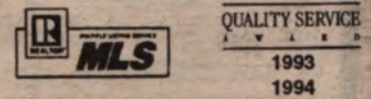
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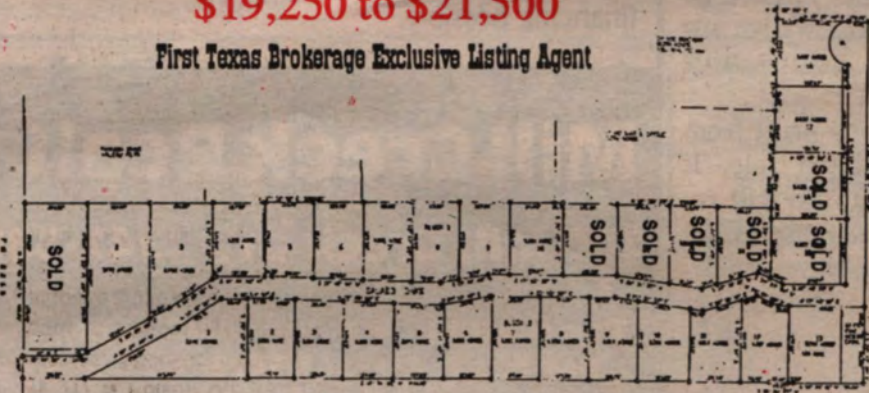
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Woods of Salado to be completed in late February. 3-2-2 on 2.540 acres. Stone, tin roof, covered porches, many trees. \$124,500.

Mill Creek: Large **UNDER CONTRACT** 4-3-2 on cul-de-sac. Wonderful living area with fireplace, formal dining and breakfast area. Large deck has hot tub and overlooks creek. \$159,900.



Salado Creek view from most every room in this 3-2-2. Unique design and features 2X12 Douglas Fir flooring, rock fireplace in living and master bedroom, screened porch and decks, library, office, formal and informal dining. \$310,000.

Salado Springs: 3-2-2 on wooded lot. Under construction, to be completed late February. \$92,900.

Salado Springs: 3-2-2 on 1/2 acre. Under construction, to be completed late February. \$92,900.

Belton Area: New subdivision off FM 436. First home to be completed by March. 3-2-1, split bedrooms, nice living/dining area. \$69,900.

ACREAGE

Amity West Estates: 10 acres, \$37,500. Two 35 acres tracts, all wooded, \$80,700 each.

Summers Mill: Approx. 522 acres on FM 1123. Beautiful trees, creek.

Hwy 317 & Polson Oak Rd.: 26 acres of heavy woods. Huge pecan trees. Beautiful homesites. \$129,900

Woods of Salado: Many trees with lake view. \$45,000.

Stillhouse Hollow Lake: 185 acres that joins the Corps of Engineers property. \$2,000/acre.

Atkins Road: 5 miles east of Salado. 52 acres at \$1,650/acre, owner finance.

West Amity & Smith Dairy: 54 acres could sub-divide, owner will finance. \$1,675 per acre.

Hill Lane near Prairie Dell: 140 acres that has frontage on Hill Lane and Horned Frog. Water meter available. Owner will finance and subdivide. \$1,520 per acre.

Wooded three acre tract east of Salado, \$21,000. Owner financing.

FM 2268 east of Holland. Approx. 20 acres, listed into three tracts, but one or all three. tract one is 7 acres, has trees, \$14,000. Tract two is 7 acres and has a stock tank, \$17,502.50. Tract three is 6.856 acres and is open, \$10,284.

Belton: 20 acres fronting Nolan Creek. Large live oak trees with old home. \$139,000.

Rosanka Road, east of Holland. 289 acres. \$850/acre.

Toll Bridge Road, 31 acres fronting Lampasas River, many trees. \$2,500/acre.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

7.6 acres **Commercial Property** east of McDonald's on F.M. 93 in Belton excellent commercial site

1/2 acre with commercial or residential building near Hojo Inn in Salado. \$40,000. Beautiful woodwork.

3 acres fronting I-35, one mile south of Salado, excellent building site. \$36,000.

Main St. in Belton. 6 lots that includes 3 houses, \$210,000.



3 acres in Black Coach Ranch. Wonderful kitchen, island, built-ins, jenn airé. Approx. 2,150 sq. ft. Split bedrooms, formal living & dining enhance this 4-2-2 home. Large den with fireplace. \$169,500.

Home of the Week



Mill Creek: One year old 3-2-2 on corner lot. Upgraded carpet and appliances. Split bedrooms with nice master suite. Fireplace with built-in bookshelves. Deck overlooks seasonal creek. \$125,000.

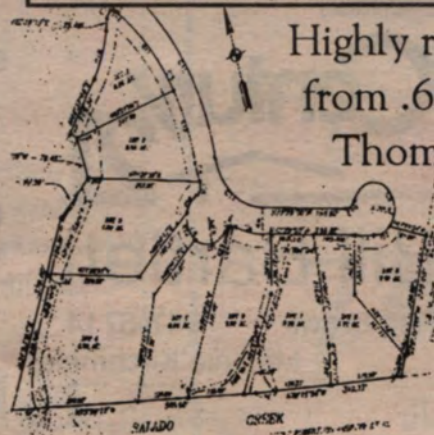
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Kimmie Rhodes to play Feb. 24

The Belton Acoustic Concert Series presents renowned singer-songwriter Kimmie Rhodes Feb. 24.

A native Texan, Kimmie Rhodes has released numerous recordings in America and abroad, including her latest, *West Texas Heaven*, which features duets with Waylon Jennings, Townes Van Zandt and Willie Nelson.

She has appeared on The Nashville Network's *Legend Series*, on episodes hosted by Waylon Jennings and Willie Nelson, and shared stages with Billy Joe Shaver, Lyle Lovett and Rodney Crowell.

She has performed at venues across America, and toured extensively in Britain and Europe, where she enjoys a strong following.

Kimmie Rhodes wrote two songs on Willie Nelson's latest CD, *Just One Love*, including the title track, and performs duets with Willie Nelson on both of her compositions. In addition, she has written songs recorded by Trisha Yearwood and Wynonna Judd.

Willie Nelson calls Kimmie Rhodes "an undiscovered superstar." Beth Nielsen Chapman says "Kimmie is a gifted artist



who writes songs of a rare quality."

Waylon Jennings says Kimmie Rhodes' singing "makes me know what the phrase 'pulling on your heart strings' means."

The concert will be held in the smoke- and alcohol-free environment of the Parish Hall at Saint Luke's

Episcopal Church, at Beal and 22nd Streets in Belton. The doors open at 7 p.m., and the \$7.00 admission includes child-care for all pre-teens and refreshments throughout the evening. For additional information, please call (817) 778-5440.

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Date	Opponent	Place	Team	Time
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2/27	Killeen Fresh & JV	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:30
3/1	Waco Reicher JV	There	JV	4:00
3/1	Franklin	Here	V	6:00
3/5	Holland	There	JV & V	5:00-7:30
3/7-9	Salado JV Tournament	Here	JV	TBA
3/8	Rosebud-Lott	There	V	6:00
3/11-13	Salado Varsity Tourney	Here	V	TBA
3/19	Belton Fresh & JV	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:30
3/22	McGregor	There	JV & V	4:30-7:00
3/26	Waco Vanguard	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00
3/29	*Hutto	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/2	*Somerville	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/9	*Rogers	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/12	*Lexington	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/16	*Academy	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/19	*Hutto	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/23	*Somerville	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00
4/26	Waco Vanguard	Here	V	6:00
4/30	*Rogers	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:00
5/3	*Lexington	Here	JV & V	5:00-7:00
5/7	*Academy	There	JV & V	5:00-7:00

* denotes district game

Head Baseball Coach Melvin Bates, Asst. Coach Alan Haire

Eagles to play hardball

Varsity begins baseball season Feb. 24 in Cove,
return strong nucleus, hope for improvement this year

The Salado Eagles baseball teams have started practice and will open their season, 1 p.m., Feb. 2, in Copperas Cove. The Eagles return with a strong nucleus from last years district champions and hope

to make an improvement on their first round playoff loss.

Chris Frazier will be depended upon heavily by the Eagles. The Junior was an all state selection as a pitcher last year. He has a 9-0 record with a 0.33

earned run average. Chris struck out 94 batters in 62 innings.

Senior Shawn Easley, an all-district outfielder will be counted on to ignite the Salado offense from his leadoff spot. Shawn hit .370 last year and stole 13 bases.

William Culp earned second team all district honors last year as an outfielder, but will try and fill the catchers duties this year. His adjustment will be very crucial. Culp hit .289 on the season in 1995.

Another returning starter is second team all district in fielder Billy Hughes. He had a .320 batting average last season.

Jerome Peoples and Chris McGregor both made numerous starts last year and will be competing for outfield positions. They hit .240 and .363 respectively.

Lettermen Steven Cloud and Vinny Michna will also challenge for starting jobs as will newcomer Clint Carroll.

Possible varsity additions from last years 15 plus 1 junior are: Eric Lopez, Roger Buckley, David Kirk and Paul Mashburn.

The Eagles expect to do well in the season, but improving on last years 16-5 record may be tough because of a difficult schedule. One thing for certain, Salado will play an exciting and hustling brand of baseball. The team invites the community to the games to join in on the fun.

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The Party slated March 2

Mike Watson will present an original play entitled The Party at Tablerock's Dessert Concert Series. The performance will be at Tablerock's inside stage on March 2. Dessert will be served at 7:30 p.m. and

the play will begin 8 p.m. Tickets for Tablerock members are \$7.50, non-members \$10.00.

Mike Watson, a printer technician at Texas Instruments is author and director. Members of the cast include Chris Hejl as Mark Johnson, Shawn Hodge as

Ryan Johnson, Adrian Nira as Dr. Johnson and Scott, Angela Clark as Mrs. Johnson, Sarah Vance as Melissa, Chantal Dalton as Kathy, Allen Watson as Alex. For more information or reservations contact Jackie Mills at 817-947-9205.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I would like to support your statement that "the Family Festival was not created to raise money for the Chamber."

My home town is about the size of Salado, and we have an annual festival for the enjoyment of present and past residents of the town. All aspects of the two-day celebration are coordinated by volunteers from church, school, and civic groups.

Activities include a parade, a bar-b-que, musical entertainment, arts and craft fair, children's track meet, class and family reunions, volleyball and horseshoe pitching tournaments, a dance, etc. Many organizations have fundraising booths or events during the celebration, including the committee that sponsors the celebration.

I say let the Chamber of Commerce have a booth or activity to raise money during the Family Festi-

val if they want, but keep the spirit of the festival apart from the Art Fair and the Antique Show.

Sincerely,
Alice Wells

Dear Editor:

The recent **Off the Record** article, "Politicians & Taxes," described many of the benefits of a flat tax, and there are many. However, the first initiative out of Washington on simplifying our Federal Government, was the downsizing of our military, or "right sizing" as politicians would prefer to say. Since the Base Realignment and Closure Act the U.S. Army has gone from an active duty population of 720,000 to 495,000 soldiers--all in the last three years. Long could be the debate on whether the loss of a quarter million soldiers in defense of our nation was a wise thing to do. But that very issue does not seem to be addressed when the politicians talk

about the flat tax. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) established their job security long ago by creating a tax code so complex, it rivaled any bureaucracy our government has created. What I would like to see is a dialog from politicians (and plans) on how we could "right size" the IRS staffing with the introduction of a flat tax. With a payroll in excess of 194 million dollars annually, the savings could be used to help balance the budget to all of our gain! And frankly I don't think any of us would lose any sleep at night knowing one more IRS Agent is off the street.
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High School Track

March 2	Lexington
March 9	Florence
March 23	Bruceville-Eddy
March 30	Academy
April 4	Salado
April 11	District meet at Academy
April 26-27	Regional Meet at Wimberly
May 10-11	State Meet at Austin

Junior High Track

March 8	Salado
March 22	Academy
April 9	District Meet at Lexington

	
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7th graders recently complete Choices

All 7th grade students recently had a program called "Choices" presented by the Bell County Juvenile Probation Department.

Following the program

the students had a chance to enter an essay contest about crime and making good choices in life and accepting the consequences of their actions.

Mrs. Salisbury's English class entered the contest. Each student entering received a t-shirt and certificate of appreciation. The student entering the essays were Paul Holloway, Dustin Correa, Michael Hendrickson, Ben Brooks, Sheena Page, Stephanie Niquette, Leann Carpenter, Michael Mang and Amy Carlson.



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of their quilt. Quilt members of the Village Artists have also volunteered to "set up a quilt" and demonstrate the technique of quilting. To complete the weekend event a Saturday night lecture at the Civic Center will feature guest artist, Beth Kennedy from Austin. Kennedy is known for her talent in combining the history and beauty of old and new patterns into beautiful new quilts.

best ever, VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED. Please exhibit a quilt, then give an hour or more to your community. Enter a quilt(s) on the attached form, then volunteer to work displaying quilts (men are especially needed), to loan an antique for the display, and serve as a docent at the quilt show. If you are willing to participate in this great event please call the Chamber office, 947-5040.

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Navy Seaman Chad Ewell departs for 6-month cruise

Navy Seaman Chad D. Ewell whose wife Jenny is the daughter of Tim and Marilyn Fleischer of Salado has departed for a six-month overseas deployment to the Persian Gulf with Strike Fighter Squadron 147 embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz.

Ewell is one of more than 200 squadron members aboard the aircraft carrier. Ewell's squadron is part of the USS Nimitz Battle Group, which includes more than 80 tactical aircraft and ships and submarines armed with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

Ewell's squadrons home

based at Naval Air Station Lemoore California, flies the F/A-IBC Hornets a twin-engine supersonic strike fighter capable of providing protection against enemy aircraft delivering ordnance on targets ashore and at sea and providing close air support for troops on the ground.

Ewell and fellow Sailors spent the last year training for a variety of situations they might encounter during the deployment. They replaced the USS Independence Battle Groups which had been operating in the Western Pacific Ocean and Persian Gulf enforcing the no-fly zone

over Southern Iraq.

Today U.S. aircraft carriers are on station around the world from the Persian Gulf and the Western Pacific Ocean to the Mediterranean Sea.

Aircraft carriers and other Navy Ships can respond on short notice to crises around the world. These forces can dominate coastal and ocean areas while projecting sustained power and presence wherever U.S. interests are involved.

The 1991 graduate of Copperas Cove High School of Copperas Cove, Texas joined the Navy in July 1992.

Bell Co. Sheriff's Report

The following cases were reported to the Bell Co. Sheriff's Office for investigation during January 1996.

01-02-96	Terroristic Threat	Mill Creek Dr.
01-02-96	Theft Over \$500	Main St.
01-04-96	Theft	Main St.
01-05-96	Forgery	Mill Creek Dr.
01-06-96	Burglary Motor Vehicle	Mill Creek Dr.
01-11-96	Assault w/Bodily Injury	Mill Creek Dr.
01-11-96	Theft by Credit Card	Santa Maria Dr.
01-13-96	Criminal Attempt Burglary	W. Village Rd.
01-16-96	Theft Under \$50.00	Rose Ln.
01-18-96	Criminal Trespass	Route 2, Salado
01-18-96	Assault w/Bodily Injury	Salado H.S.
01-20-96	Burglary Motor Vehicle	College Hill Rd.
01-21-96	Cat Bite	Main St.
01-22-96	Theft under \$50.00	Blaylock Dr.
01-22-96	Burglary of Habitation	Blackberry Dr.
01-22-96	Criminal Trespass	Salado H.S.
01-23-96	Criminal Trespass	Indian Trail Dr.
01-29-96	Criminal Mischief	Berry Dr.



In 18th Century America, artists journeyed from town to town with paintings of men and women, complete in every feature, but the faces. A person wishing to sit for a portrait had to select the body he liked best and let the artist fill in the missing hair and face.

I have enough money to last me the rest of my life unless I buy something.

—Jackie Mason

Library has info for gardeners

Your Salado Public Library has a wealth of information to help gardeners. For suggestions on what to plant and when to plant, you might want to peruse one of the following:

Texas Organic Gardening by Howard Garrett, **Complete Guide to Texas Gardening** by Neil Sperry, **Little Herb Gardens** by Georgeanne Brennan, **Gardening With The Small Plants** by Oliver Allen and **Requiem for a Lawnmower** by Sally Wasowski.

One of the most practical gardening information

sources is **The Texas Gardener**, "The magazine for Texas gardeners by Texas gardeners." Each bi-monthly issue contains an "Activity List" for each month of the year. The following excerpts show some tips for February:

Vegetables - set out onion plants this month. Choose a sunny site, planting only those young onions the size of a pencil.

Flowers - *Salvia Farinacea* (Strata), a unique salvia, is the first salvia in a blue and white bicolor flower. Heat and drought tolerant, it is ideal

for those hot, dry spots in your garden.

Trees - remove old seed heads which may still be on your crepe myrtles from last year. Also remove dead or damaged limbs. In Central Texas Valentines Day is traditionally the time to prune established roses.

Fruits and Nuts - February is the right time to fertilize established peach and pear trees.

February would surely be the right time to visit the library and acquire some fresh ideas for your Spring and Summer gardening.

Museum prepares for garage sale

The Bell County Museum is preparing for its annual Garage Sale at the Bell County Expo Center from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Mar. 2.

"The garage sale gets bigger and better every year," said museum director Stephanie Turnham. "Last year, over 60 vendors throughout Central Texas were on hand selling everything from antiques

to stereos, and over 2,000 people came out to enjoy the great bargains and wide selection of merchandise."

The Big Bell County Garage Sale is a major fundraiser for the museum. "Due to the low cost of admission and booth space rental, we get lots of participation from the entire Central Texas area. That

makes for not only a fun day for everyone, but also for great opportunities to find many treasures!"

The museum is accepting tax-deductible donations of garage sale items for sale in its booth. Reservations are also being taken for vendor space.

For more information call the Museum at 933-5243.



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| 2. Salado Pottery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 817/947-5935 |
| 3. Salado Galleries | Main Street | 817/947-5110 |
| 4. Gregory's | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-5703 |
| 5. Salado Country Antiques | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8363 |
| 7. Sweet Nut Things | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8088 |
| 8. Peddler's Alley | Behind Museum off Main | 817/947-9722 |
| 9. The Dusty Rose | Royal St. | 817/947-9215 |
| 11. Spring House Antiques | Royal St. | 817/947-0747 |
| 12. Royal Street Commons | Corner of Royal and Center Circle | |
| A. Red Barn Antique Mall | Royal St. Commons | 817/947-1050 |
| B. Cultures | Royal St. Commons | 817/947-0626 |
| 13. The Royal Emporium | Main & Royal | 817/947-5718 |
| 14. Grace Jones | One Royal | 817/947-5555 |
| 15. The Gazebo | Main St. at the Creek | 817/947-0075 |
| 16. Accents of Salado | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-5908 |
| 18. The Christmas Shop | Green House on the Creek | 817/947-5561 |
| 19. Susan Marie's Boutique | Creekside Center | 817/947-5239 |
| 20. Lady Asher | Creekside Center | 817/947-9450 |
| 21. Strawberry Patch | Creekside Center | 817/947-9955 |
| 44. Christy's | Main St. & Pace Park Rd. | 817/947-0561 |
| 22. Magnolia's on the Square | Salado Square on Main St. | 817/947-0323 |
| A. Penelope's | Magnolia's on the Square | 817/947-0323 |
| B. The Village Vintner | Magnolia's on the Square | 817/947-0323 |
| 23. Cowgirls, Indians & Outlaws | Salado Square | 817/947-0322 |
| 40. Main Street Place | Salado Square | 817/947-9908 |
| 24. Ticklish of Salado | Salado Square | 817/947-8089 |
| 25. Another Day | Salado Square | 817/947-0300 |
| 26. Darwin Britt Furniture | Salado Square | 817/947-3011 |
| 27. The Village Boutique | N. Main St. | 817/947-9100 |
| 28. Sir Wigglesworth | Main at Rock Creek | 817/947-8846 |
| 29. Seasons of Salado | Rock Creek | 817/947-8250 |
| 30. Briar Patch of Salado | Rock Creek | 817/947-5024 |
| 41. The Royal Salamander | 221 North Main St. | 817/947-1772 |
| 42. Forever Texas | 227 North Main St. | 817/947-4008 |
| 43. Gowen Arts of Salado | 229 North Main St. | 817/947-8010 |
| 31. Heirlooms | Old Church Place | 817/947-0336 |
| A. The Doll House | Heirlooms | |
| B. Classic Antiques | Heirlooms | 817/947-0604 |
| 32. Hutchens House | N. Main St. | 817/947-8177 |
| 33. Salado Confectionery | N. Main St. | 817/947-0326 |
| 34. Old Town Salado | Across from Salado Civic Center on Main St. | |
| A. The Store | Old Town Salado | 817/947-9000 |
| B. The Gallery | Old Town Salado | 817/947-9000 |
| C. Cathy's Signatures Cakes | Old Town Salado | 817/947-8162 |
| D. MJ's Country Corner | Old Town Salado | 817/947-8885 |
| E. Bundle of Joy | Old Town Salado | 817/947-0609 |
| F. My Hiding Place | Old Town Salado | 817/947-HIDE |
| 35. Salado Antique Mall | N. Main St. | 817/947-1010 |
| 36. Fletcher's Books & Antiques | N. Main St. | 817/947-5414 |
| 37. Olde Fowler House Antiques | 1301 N. Main St. | 817/947-0710 |
| 38. Old Mill Antiques | I-35 at Tahuaya Rd. Exit | 817/947-9959 |
| 39. The Chopping Block | | |

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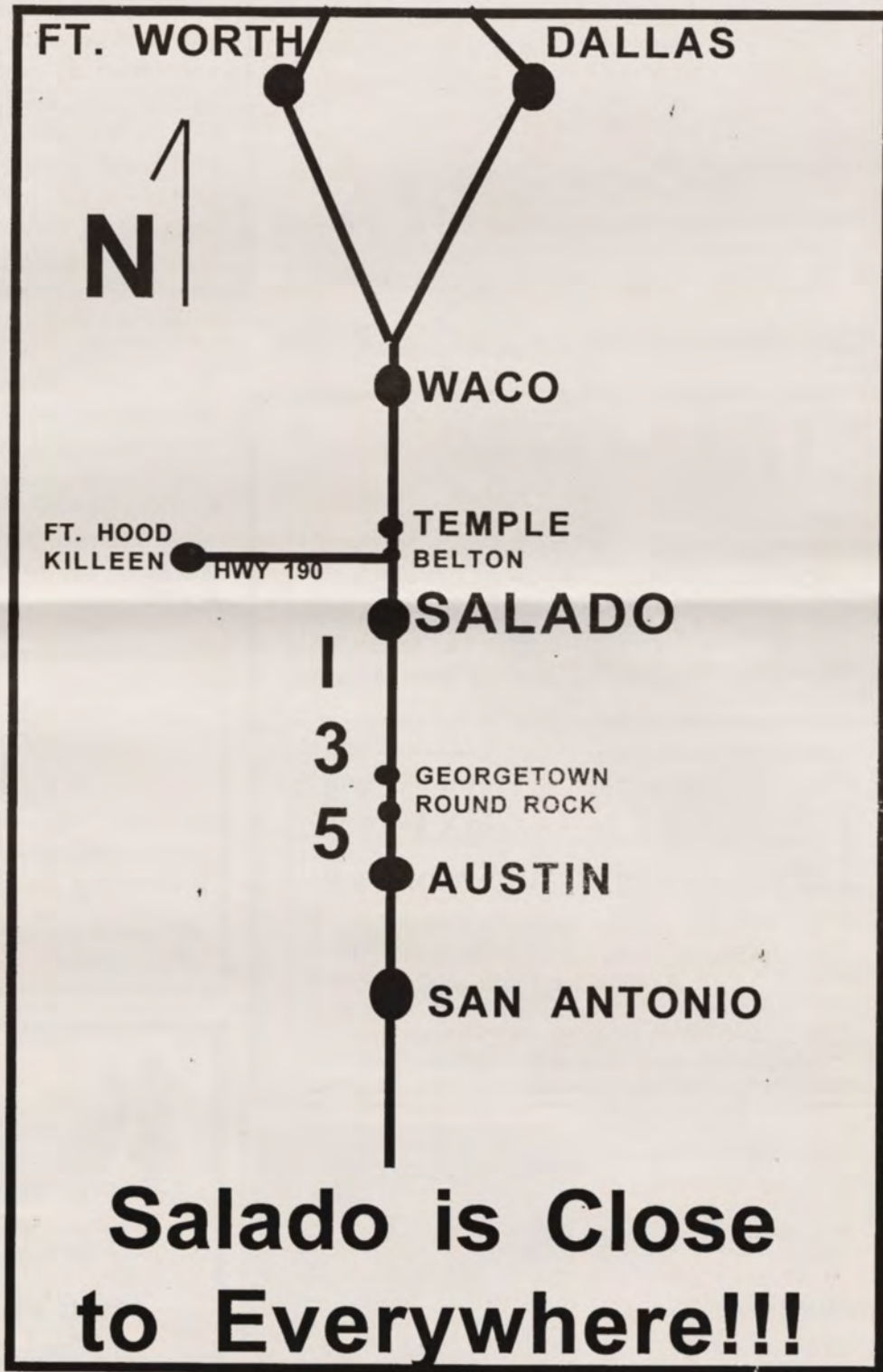
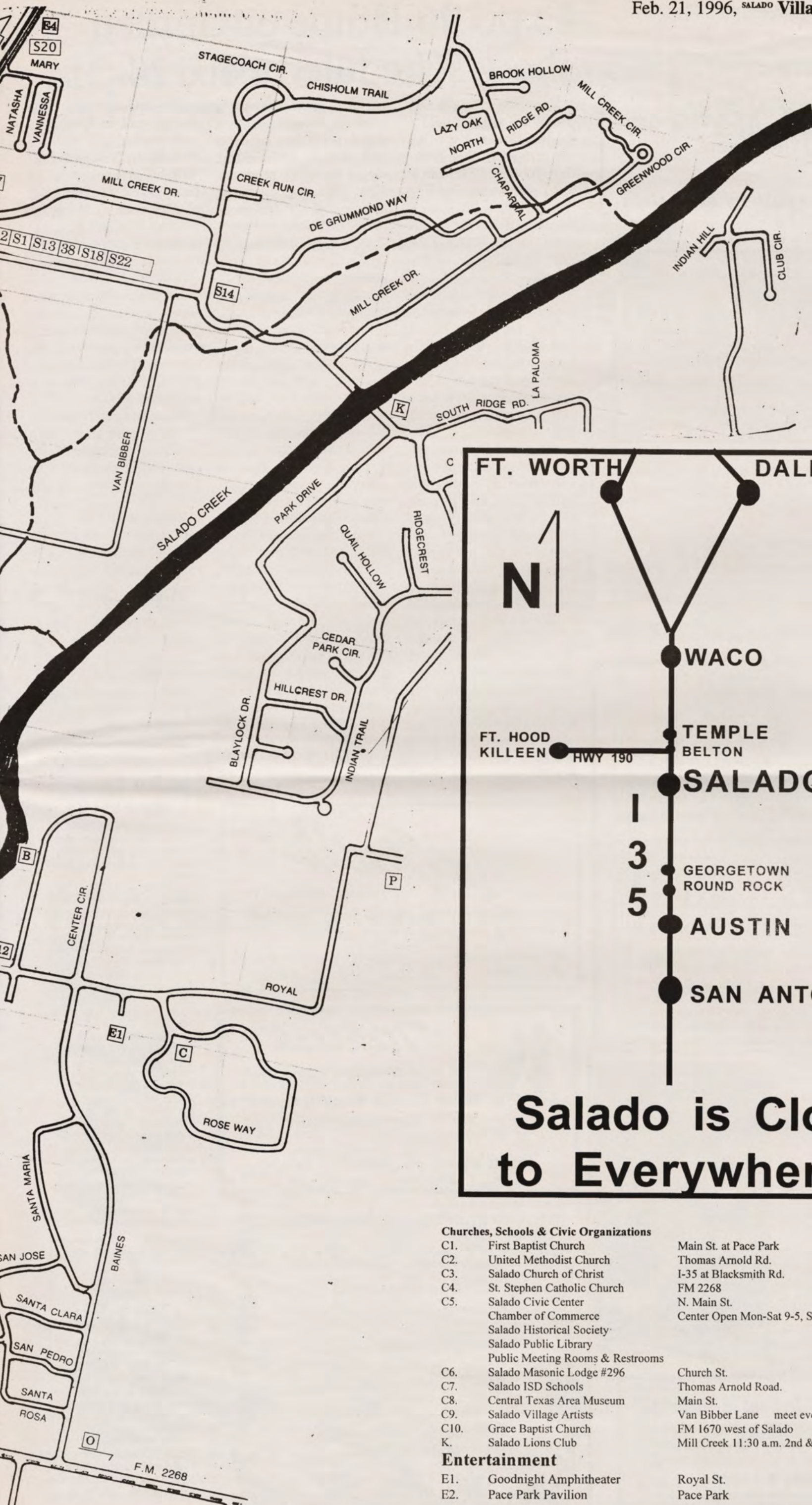
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| A. Stagecoach Inn | I-35 exits 283, 284 | 817/947-5111 |
| B. Inn on the Creek | Center Circle | 817/947-5554 |
| C. The Rose Mansion | One Rose Way | 817/947-8200 |
| D. La Mansion de Salado | Main St. | 817/947-5157 |
| E. The Inn at Salado | Main St. | 817/947-8200 |
| F. Browning's Courtyard Cafe | Salado Square | 817/947-8666 |
| K. Mill Creek Country Club | Old Mill Rd. | 817/947-5141 |
| L. Cowboy's Barbecue | I-35, exit 285, west side | 817/947-5700 |
| M. HoJo Inn | I-35, west side | 817/947-5000 |
| N. Dairy Queen | I-35 at Thomas Arnold Rd. | 817/947-5406 |
| O. Country Place Bed & Breakfast | FM 2268 east of Salado | 817/947-9683 |
| Q. Pink Rose Tea Room | N. Main St. | 817/947-9110 |
| 34D. Cathy's Signatures Cakes | Old Town Salado | 817/947-8162 |

Services

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| S1. Salado Village Voice | Salado Plaza, Suite #125 | 817/947-5321 |
| S2. First State Bank, Salado | Main St. & Thomas Arnold | 817/947-5852 |
| S5. Family Dentistry | Main St. & Thomas Arnold | 817/947-5242 |
| Douglas B. Willingham, D.D.S | | |
| S6. Century 21 Bill Bartlett | North Main St. (next to Post Office) | 817/947-5050 |
| S7. Properties by Larry Sands | Main St. | 817/947-5580 |
| S8. GLC Contractor | Main St. | 817/947-0600 |
| S9. Helen Zagona, Attorney | Main St. | 817/947-8170 |
| S10. Margaret's Beauty Spa | North Main St. | 817/947-9360 |
| S11. Peoples National Bank | N. Main St. | 817/947-5051 |
| S12. Village Foods IGA | Salado Plaza | 817/947-8922 |
| S13. John Hall Farmers Insurance | Salado Plaza | 817/947-3151 |
| S14. Village Pharmacy | Salado Plaza | 817/947-3185 |
| S15. Deanna's Creations Flowers | Salado Plaza | 817/947-0222 |
| S16. Reavis Home Care | Salado Plaza | 817/947-0844 |
| S17. Salado Medical Clinic | Salado Plaza | 817/947-9044 |
| S18. Mill Creek Realty | Old Mill Rd. | 817/947-8800 |
| S19. S&W Food Mart Mobil | I-35, exit 284 | 817/947-5470 |
| Totally Haire & Tanning Salado | I-35 access | 817/947-0700 |
| S20. Village Woodworks | I-35, east access road | 817/947-0345 |
| S21. First Texas Brokerage | In The Veranda on Main St. | 817/947-5577 |
| S22. Salado Floors & Walls | I-35, east access road | 817/947-0048 |
| 31. Leibowitz-Hendrick Insurance | Old Church Place, above Heirlooms | 817/939-3711 |
| 34F. My Hiding Place | Old Town Salado | 817/947-HIDE |



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Churches, Schools & Civic Organizations

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| C1. | First Baptist Church | Main St. at Pace Park | 817/947-5465 |
| C2. | United Methodist Church | Thomas Arnold Rd. | 817/947-5482 |
| C3. | Salado Church of Christ | I-35 at Blacksmith Rd. | 817/947-5241 |
| C4. | St. Stephen Catholic Church | FM 2268 | 817/947-8037 |
| C5. | Salado Civic Center | N. Main St. | 817/947-5040 |
| | Chamber of Commerce | Center Open Mon-Sat 9-5, Sun 1-5 | |
| | Salado Historical Society | | |
| | Salado Public Library | | |
| | Public Meeting Rooms & Restrooms | | |
| C6. | Salado Masonic Lodge #296 | Church St. | |
| C7. | Salado ISD Schools | Thomas Arnold Road. | 817/947-5479 |
| C8. | Central Texas Area Museum | Main St. | 817/947-5232 |
| C9. | Salado Village Artists | Van Bibber Lane | meet every Tues. |
| C10. | Grace Baptist Church | FM 1670 west of Salado | 817/947-5917 |
| K. | Salado Lions Club | Mill Creek | 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Wednesdays |

Entertainment

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Expo 96 Home & Garden show scheduled Feb. 24-25

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Some products and services exhibited in the show will include energy efficient and healthy items for the home, tile, wood flooring, carpet and rugs, windows and doors, decorative hardware, brick, appliances, lighting fixtures, concrete products, fireplaces and stoves, decorative and privacy fencing, pools, spas and hot tubs, shutters and blinds, and specialty household items. Many new products and services will be on display that have not previously been available in the Central Texas market.

Other items on display at the Home & Garden Show will include paintings and assorted artwork, furniture, automobiles, decorative laminates, kitchens, marble sinks and tubs, mirrors and other bathroom products, satellite TV, security systems,

vacuum systems, water products, decorative items, closet products, cabinets and cabinet refinishing, carpet cleaning products, silver cleaning products, knives and cutting tools, patio enclosures and products, siding and roofing products, and many other home improvement items. A number of builders and remodelers will be on hand to show off their finished products and answer questions concerning home building and the home building industry. Developers will be showing off building lots that are available in the market. In addition, Realtors will be available to explain their services and to show homes that are for sale in the area.

A special feature of the 1996 Home & Garden Show will be an all new Wilsonart International Pavilion, which will feature many of the products manufactured locally at their Temple facilities. One of these new products will be their new laminate flooring line.

Service industry exhibitors that will be at the show will include banks and mortgage companies, insurance, real

estate, cable television, and design and architectural services.

A Home Buying School will be presented to all ticket holders on Saturday at the show. Mortgage lenders, Realtors, property inspectors and builders will be serving as the instructors during the program. A portfolio of information will be handed out to participants, and those attending three or more 45-minute sessions will receive a diploma for their attendance at the school.

Sunday's seminars will include gardening and landscaping topics. A complete listing of all seminars will be available at the show.

The grand prize giveaway at the show will be a trip for two to Aspen, Colorado, on Lone Star Airlines. In addition, many of the 120 exhibitors will have hourly drawings for prizes and gift certificates.

If you look like your passport photo, you're too ill to travel.

—Will Kommen

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Remember school board members

by Steven Ervin
SISD Superintendent

Imagine a community with no local control over its schools. Picture paying an education bill without local men and women to make spending decisions for you and other citizens like you. Think about an education system where all policy is set at the state or national level. Imagine putting your children in the hands of someone you don't know.

School board members are our neighbors who make education their business, investing countless hours of their time, and often their own resources, to set direction for your children and your local public schools.

Local trustees establish policies that reflect your beliefs and act goals that project your community's vision for the future.

They spend long hours, after their own work days, making decisions on issues that will eventually impact everything from local business to the quality of life in your community.

Most of their efforts go unrewarded. Often, the only response school board members get is criticism. But what would you do without them? Where would you go with your concerns? Your questions? Your complaints?

Who else would be so "in tune" with both the prospects and the problems of your community? With the successes and failures of your businesses? With the special needs of your employers? With the fears and hopes and dreams of your families?

When you elected your school board members, you picked people to act for you

in your absence. You chose men and women you knew you could trust with the vitality of your community and the development of your children.

They play such an important role in the uniquely American school governance system that guarantees you local control of your schools.

Show your appreciation for them during School Board Recognition Month in February. Say thanks to these board members for guiding your public school system. Without them you would lose a vital link to your local schools.

Salado ISD Trustees are Jerry Adams, Tom Berrier, Rita Brown, Ruger Hunter, Donnie Jackson, Sarah Mackie, Juana K Preston.

Wisdom for Youth Careers

Academy planned at TJC

Wisdom For Youth Careers Academy is set for June 3-July 3 at Temple Junior College.

Interested students are encouraged to register now for a Preview Tour of Local Industry 7 p.m. Feb. 26. The deadline to reserve your place on the tour is

Feb. 23. Call 773-0221 for more information.

A Parent Information Session and Orientation will be 7 p.m. Feb. 29 at the Arnold Student Union Building at TJC.

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Leadership for a Lifetime theme for national FFA week

FFA members who lead chapter meetings may one day preside at board meetings. Today's agriscience students may pioneer advances in genetics tomorrow. Students who join agricultural education and FFA know they can apply what they learn in class to

more than just the test: they're gaining career and leadership skills to last a lifetime.

"Students are taking note," said National FFA Advisor Larry D. Case. "Over the last four years, more than 60,000 students from diverse backgrounds

were attracted to the program, providing them with a strong foundation of knowledge and skills essential for success in the science, business and technology of agriculture and life."

The FFA's more than 444,497 members in 7,264 chapters across the United States, Guam, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands will organize events and activities to foster awareness of agricultural education and support for FFA during National FFA Week, Feb. 17-24, 1996.

This year's theme, "FFA-Leadership for a Lifetime," promoted through communities nationwide, emphasizes how FFA activities and agriculture classes help students develop the critical skills they need for a diversity of agricultural careers and beyond.

Seth Derner, national FFA president, said today's young people are aware of their responsibilities as agricultural leaders for tomorrow. "Our members realize that FFA fosters the skills they need to succeed in life," he said. "They will be leading the effort to provide food and fiber for a growing population and to keep America competitive in the global marketplace."

National FFA Week is held each year during the week of George Washington's birthday to recognize his leadership and commitment to American agriculture. Both the National FFA Center and the FFA National Hall of Achievement are located on part of Washington's original Mount Vernon estate near Alexandria, Va.

FFA is a national organization of 444,497 members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture. The organization has 7,264 local chapters located throughout the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands. FFA's mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success. Local, state and national activities and award programs provide opportunities for students to apply knowledge and skills acquired through agricultural education.



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Texas German Society to meet

The Blackland Chapter of the Texas German Society will hold a monthly meeting at 7 p.m., Feb. 27 in the Leopard Room of the Student Union Building at Temple Junior College.

An informal Pot Luck Supper will be the program.

The Texas German Society is a non-profit, non-political organization founded to help preserve the German Heritage of our area.

Interested persons from the general public are invited to attend.

Saladoan named to recent Texas A&M Honor Roll

Texas A&M University's Corps of Cadets has named its Commandant's Honor Roll students for the 1995 fall semester, recognizing 446 cadets for outstanding academic performance.

The Commandant's Honor Roll recognizes cadets who have maintained at least a 3.0 grade point

Baseball sign-ups set Feb. 23-24, March 2

Salado Youth Baseball Association annual sign-ups are scheduled for 5-8 p.m. Feb. 23, 1-5 p.m. Feb. 24, and 9-5 p.m. Mar. 2.

If you have not played baseball in Salado previously, you must present a copy of your birth certificate.

To sign-up one child the cost is \$30, for two children the cost is \$55 and \$5 for each additional child.

ratio on a 4.0 scale during the most recent grading period while maintaining a course load of at least 12 credit hours.

Among those recognized was William Stephen Boyd of Salado, who is majoring in Computer Engineering.

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Karen Kinnison deserves thanks

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Karen Kinnison deserves a vote of thanks from the residents of Salado.

She has established, in spite of words of caution and suggested delays from some of our community leaders, a viable and reliable recycling program which has been very useful.

Several volunteers have faithfully assisted her, the officials of CTCOG have provided the trailer which has been almost essential considering the volume of material which is collected, and Clawson Company of Jarrell has cooperated fully, as they oversee the procedures necessary to deliver collected items to the appropriate markets.

Materials to be recycled are collected on the 2nd

and 4th Saturday mornings of each month. Besides appreciation, Karen will be pleased to have additional volunteers on the collection Saturday mornings. The work is not difficult and the company is always enjoyable.

Some Saladoans are cus-

tomers of Clawson company and also use the recycling option they offer on Monday mornings. This is very useful for those who have problems getting to the recycling trailer at the IGA parking lot on recycling days.

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Deadline set March 15 for Salado: A Jewel in the Crown of Texas

The deadline for advertising in the **Salado: A Jewel in the Crown of Texas** publication is March 15, according to publishers Tim and Marilyn Fleischer.

The magazine-style publication will go to press April 1 for distribution before the May 4-5 Antique Show and Tour of Homes.

Advertising rates for the 20,000 copy magazine are \$75 for a quarter-page, \$135 for half-page and \$240 for full page with spot color being an additional cost.

"Most of our newspaper advertisers feel that **A Jewel in the Crown of Texas** is a great supplement to reach the market

of weekenders and visitors," Fleischer said. "In addition to our distribution on the stands, many copies are mailed to out-of-town folks who want to know about Salado."

To reserve your space in the next **Jewel in the Crown of Texas**, call 947-5321.

Renfro receives private license

Cortney Renfro, received his private Pilots License Jan. 30. from Central Texas College. He also has a been licensed in Rescue Scuba Diving and as an Emergency Medical Technician I.

He is the vice-pres. of the Salado Volunteer Fire Department. In May, 1996 he will receive his Associate Degree in Criminal Justice. Currently, his plans are to serve the State of Texas as an employee of the Department of Public Safety.



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Century 21 Bill Bartlett names newest associate: Mary Kite

Bill Bartlett, owner, broker of Century 21 Bill Bartlett in Salado announced recently that Mary Kite has joined the firm as a sales associate.

Before joining century 21 Bill Bartlett, Kite was self-employed as a property manager for 15 multi-family housing properties and packaged loans for many properties. Kite is married to Ray Kite and has two children, Cassie and David. She is a member of First Baptist Church in Salado and has lived Salado for 19 years. Kite enjoys riding and showing American Quarter Horses.

"We're excited to add Mary to the Century 21 Bill Bartlett team," Bartlett said. "The worldwide scope and reputation of the Century 21 system, combined with the training the company provides will help our newest associate begin a successful career in real estate."

Kite will specialize in residential, commercial



Mary Kite is the newest associate at Century 21 Bill Bartlett Real Estate in Salado.

and investment property sales in Salado and the surrounding area.

"Mary will be a valuable addition to Century 21 Bill Bartlett as the office continues to expand," said Craig Harrison, Central Texas regional director. "The Century 21 system is always looking for opportunities to recruit qualified sales associates who will provide our clients with to quality service."

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