

Village tax rate hearing set Sept. 17

Village of Salado aldermen will conduct a public hearing on the proposed tax rate of \$0.5339 per \$100 valuation at 6:30 p.m. Sept. 17 at the Village municipal building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.

On Sept. 3, the board proposed the tax rate, which is at the Voter Approval Tax Rate level, on a motion from alderman Rodney Bell, receiving a second from alderman John Cole.

The tax rate of \$0.5339 is divided into a maintenance and operation tax rate of \$0.2020 and a debt service tax rate of \$0.3319.

The proposed tax rate is four cents below the current property tax rate of \$0.5752 per \$100 valuation. However, it is higher than the No New Revenue tax rate of \$0.5081 per \$100 valuation.

The tax rate will fund a general operating budget of \$1.5 million and a debt service budget of \$753,983.50.

Despite the cut in property tax rate, the general operating budget is 15% higher than the current M&O budget.

Property taxes will fund less than a third of the general budget, \$414,007.51. Sales taxes revenues are budgeted at more than \$577,000, an increase of almost \$90,000

over the 2020 fiscal year budget.

Total revenues for the proposed fiscal year 2021 general operating budget are \$1.4 million, an increase of \$137,000 over the 2020 budget.

The proposed spending plan includes \$442,708.63 for administration costs, including \$232,509.05 in administrative personnel services. Development services expenditures are \$11,950.74. Public Safety costs are \$571,003.58. Of that, \$50,000 is for fire services contract with Salado Volunteer Fire Department, \$506,453.58 for police department (\$392,524.62 for police personnel) and \$14,550 for municipal court.

The Parks Department expenditures total \$79,550, including \$55,000 in capital outlay.

The Street Department expenditures total \$273,000, including \$157,500 in capital outlay for reconstruction of Salado Plaza Drive.

The proposed spending plan includes \$150,000 for reconstruction of Salado Plaza Drive, \$25,000 for general street repairs and \$15,000 for a preliminary engineering study relating to the possible replacement of the Southridge low Water Crossing.



Republicans Rally

Republican incumbents gathered with locals for a Rally at Barrow Brewing Co. on Sept. 3. Shown above is U.S. Rep. John Carter (right). Below left is State Rep. Brad Buckley (far left) and below right (far right) is State Senator Dawn Buckingham. (PHOTOS BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Salado Community Foundation could relaunch

Remaining board members of the Salado Community Foundation have set a community meeting for 1 p.m. Sept. 18 at the Salado Civic Center to discuss the future of the foundation.

The Salado Community Foundation was founded on May 1, 2012 with the help of an estimated 60 residents in Salado.

"The Salado Community

Foundation is a volunteer-driven 502c3 non-profit corporation dedicated to providing projects or services either with our own forces or through collaborations with others to ensure Quality of Life in our Community," according to the Foundation Mission Statement.

"The SCF strategically and purposefully supports community improvements

for the residents of Salado," the statement continues. "We do this through our own forces and/or collaboration with others.

The SCF has supported beautification efforts and volunteerism in the Village by awarding grants to local projects.

The Salado Community Foundation by Laws were adopted from the older Sala-

do Chamber Foundation with the assistance of Baird and Crews law firm.

Since then, the SCF has funded several projects most notably are the Gateway signs.

"The Salado Community Foundation is seeking community assistance," board member Merle Stalcup, who added, "At the current time there are only two board

members still living and working in Salado. The others have moved or died. We currently have several accounts that the Community is holding. The funds are awaiting direction from the Foundation board..

"We are asking for help in reorganizing the Salado Community Foundation," Stalcup said. "It is needed more now than ever with

growth, the number of projects needed including playgrounds and other beautification efforts."

"We are asking you to meet with some of the founders at 1 p.m. September 18 at the Salado Civic Center upstairs with proper distancing to discuss the future of Salado Community Foundation," Stalcup said.

Salado man attends MLK speech 57th anniversary in DC

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

"With the state of our nation these days, I just knew I had to go this year," Lamar Gardner said.

So the Saladoan loaded up a car and drove more than 1,500 miles to Washington, D.C. with a layover at his hometown of Louisville KY, there to see his grandparents. After spending the night, he drove 10 more hours to the nation's capitol for the 57th observance of Dr. Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream" speech.

"I went to the 50th anniversary celebration," he said. "With this year, the political climate, the static and the noise, I felt I needed to go to get back to focus on what I needed to do as part of the African-American community."

Gardner said the anniversary observance was not "a Black Lives Matter rally or a dump Trump rally."

Rather it was a time to "remember our focus on having equal rights. It's not just equality, but equity."

The anniversary event featured several speakers, including Dr. King's children and other activists in the civil rights community. "I didn't agree with every speaker or everything I heard," Gardner said, "but that is not the point of it. It is okay to have different viewpoints and different voices. We should be open to ideas that are not aligned with our own."

A List of Speakers would go here.

One of the voices that was not present was that of the late John Lewis, who walked across the Edmund Pettus bridge at the age of 25 and was beaten by police for the act. The 1965 event became known as Bloody Sunday.

"He spoke at the 50th," Gardner said with a smile as he silently reflected on the memory.

Gardner said that his favorite part of Dr. King's "I Have a Dream" speech is "when he talks about being here to cash a promissory note, to cash in on what the Founding Fathers said when they formed this nation."

While Dr. King and the Civil Rights movement of the 1950s, 1960s and 1970s resulted in sea of change in the country and particularly in the Jim Crow South, Gardner said "57 years after that speech, I am not sure that we have fully cashed in on the promissory note. We have made great, great progress and strides, but we have more to do."

He said that black Americans do not want "hand outs." "That's not what the promissory note means," he said. "We want to start from the same starting line. We don't want the finish line moved every time we are about to cross it."

While there are no more poll taxes or literacy test, no more segregated schools, no more white and black water fountains and no more billboards outside southern Sundown towns, systemic racism continues in more subtle ways.

"Some people don't recognize voter suppression because it hasn't happened to them personally," Gardner said, "that doesn't mean that



Lamar Gardner on the mall in Washington, D.C. (COURTESY PHOTO)

it doesn't exist anymore. It does."

Gardner said that his grandparents faced more than voter suppression. "They took part in lunchroom sit-ins, voter registration drives and much more," he said of Willis and Georgeann Gardner, who are in their 80s. Georgeann continues to volunteer as a voter registrar and election worker. "She says she will do that probably until the

day she dies," Gardner says.

Gardner adds that it is a misnomer to label "all African Americans as Democrats."

"I can tell you that I have family members who voted for Trump and family members who didn't vote for Trump."

Regardless of how one votes, Gardner adds that "it would be a disservice to my grandmother if I didn't vote every election."

Which is one easy thing he can do in Salado. "The first time I voted here," he said, "there was no long line, no waiting. I was in and out in no time at all."

Gardner said he will certainly vote in November, not just in honor of the work of Martin Luther King and his grandparents, but to make the future better for himself, his wife Alice and his nine-year-old son Corey.

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An Open Exchange of Ideas

Federal debt will exceed total GDP in 2021

For the first time since the first week in August, the S&P 500 Stock Index (SPX) reversed its string of weekly rises to fall 2.31% for the week ending on Sept. 4, closing out the week at 3426.96. The low percentage decline for the week hid the suddenness and violence of its 3.65% fall early in the day on Thursday. One of the most disturbing issues was the fact that there was no apparent trigger for the abrupt market volatility, just as the dramatic rise in market price in August was apparently without any obvious cause. One suspect did arise, Softbank, a Japanese "blank-check" company reportedly bought a record dollar quantity of options in the ten or so big tech firms that have driven the SPX higher late this summer. The surge upward in the already highly priced market leaders may have drawn other investors to tag along and herd behavior may have driven some of them away as the options market turned on Thursday morning. Whatever the cause, big swings in the Index commonly mark overpriced valuations in the SPX. Another oddity in this week is that some of the more conservative stocks that have not joined in the spectacular rise of the Index this summer, rose during the apparent market panic. Utilities, for example, although still down about 8.6% year-to-date, rose almost 3% for the week and the SPX Value Index rose 0.57%. The SPX Index remains up over 6% year-to-date.

The 10-year U.S. Treasury note ignored the drama in the large-cap growth side of the stock market and was virtually unchanged for the week as the Treasury yield curve remained solidly positive, albeit with the maturities out to about three years staying close to zero. West Texas Intermediate crude oil futures (WTI) sagged about 8% to \$39.56, losing ground all week on evidence that demand was not recovering as fast as some had hoped. WTI prices are

Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure



down about 36% year to date, and in many ways reflect the relative economic growth in the U.S. this year.

The Economy

One of the more significant items in the economic headlines as September began was that seasonally adjusted initial unemployment claims declined from last week's one million to 881,000 according to the Labor Department. That number should be taken with a grain of salt though as it does not include the claims that would have been made under the CARES Act and is based on a revised seasonal adjustment formula that took effect for the first-time last week. Nationally, about 29 million fewer people are working as of mid-August than were gainfully employed at the beginning of the year.

The official unemployment rate for August fell to 8.4% as about 1.4 million new hires were reported for the month. While the official numbers do not count contract and self-employed workers, they do represent a greatly improved situation when compared with the official 15% rate we saw in April. The surge in new jobs was partially driven by hiring by the Census Bureau for the 2020 canvassing that starts this month. Unemployment remains dramatically higher than the 3.5% number we saw in February.

The Institute for Supply Management (ISM) reported that manufacturing output is continuing to recover although still well below where it was a year ago as output grew at an annualized, seasonally adjusted rate of 6.4% in August. In a separate survey, data firm HIS Markit said that its manufacturing index rose from the nearly neutral 50.9 reading in July to 53.1 in August. Both surveys re-

ported an unexpected surge of new orders but suggested that manufacturers were not ready to hire back the large number of furloughed or laid off workers as total output remains well below where it was a year ago. Manufacturing jobs remain about 800,000 less than they were before the pandemic.

That surge in new orders was also reflected in the U.S. Trade Balance figures for July released by the Commerce Department. The U.S. trade deficit grew by 19% from June to its highest level since 2008 as import demand picked up in the U.S. but export growth was muted. Historically, a large portion of U.S. exports are generated as tourists arrive here and spend their money but with many of the countries that normally provide us with visitors locked out of the U.S. during the pandemic, the trade deficit is ballooning.

The Congressional Budget Office reported that the total U.S. federal debt held by the public would exceed 100% of GDP in 2021, the first time since World War II that it has done so. Ironically, despite near record debt levels, the total carrying cost, or interest due, on that debt is lower than it has been in a decade as Treasury interest rates remain at record lows.

One thing that is very clear is that we are truly in a very different economic and market environment than we have seen in a lifetime. In many ways, the markets and the economy are replicating the events of the "forgotten depression" of 1920-21, itself at least partly caused by a pandemic. Be prepared for things to remain surprising and abnormal until we see an effective vaccine and it has been widely administered.

Students head back to school, stop for flashing red bus lights

This is our first week of the 2020-2021 school year. Please help us keep our students safe by being careful around school buses and bus stops. The following information is from the Texas Department of Transportation.

More than a million children and teens depend on buses to get them safely to and from the more than 9,000 Texas schools every day. They also depend on motorists to know the law and drive safely around school buses.

Texas School Bus Law

- Stop for flashing red lights on a school bus, regardless of which direction you're headed.
- Continue your trip once the bus has moved, the flashing lights stop flashing

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



or the bus driver signals it's okay to pass.

- Violations can lead to a \$1,000 fine.
- Safety Tips for Motorists
 - Obey the posted speed limit.
 - Fines double in school zones.
 - Keep an eye on children gathered at bus stops.
 - Watch for children who might dart across the street to catch the bus.
- Tips for Students
 - Respect your school bus

driver and follow these rules:

- Stand far back when you are waiting for the bus.
 - Sit still so the driver can pay attention to the road.
 - Look both ways if you have to cross the street after getting off the bus, or wait for the driver to signal it's safe to cross the street.
- Thank you for your help with keeping our students safe.



10 years since the Flood

To the Editor:

Few people beyond those impacted will remember this 2020's first day of school (September 8) coincides with the 10th Anniversary of the Great Salado Flood of 2010, where Tropical Storm Hermine stalled over Salado in the middle of the night and dumped 11-15 inches of rain over Central Texas. Our family lost almost everything that night, but we didn't lose each other. We remember.

Our children were just starting in 6th, 4th, 2nd and pre-k in September 2010. Now our oldest is a college senior, our second is a college sophomore, our daughter is a high school senior and our youngest son is a high school freshman. I am in disbelief over the passage of time, yet proud of the intelligent and thoughtful individuals they've become - in part because they've experienced what it's like to lose everything and start over.

This weekend, I read every card and letter we received from a decade ago. I saved them all as a reminder of that which is good about humanity and our community. We remain thankful Salado Volunteer Fire Department, The Salado TAE/Intermediate PTO, The American Red Cross, Salvation Army, all of the local churches, Mayor Stalcup and the aldermen at the time, countless neighbors and community members, my education loan and financial aid colleagues spread throughout the state and nation, family both in and out of state, and of course my

Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

mother-in-law Nancy Sneed for helping us recover. Together we have overcome and we're grateful to so many who helped us navigate through and overcome this tragedy.

Still, Salado is much different than it was a decade ago. The economic drivers have changed; we now have a massive interstate expansion, a much wider Main Street, sidewalks, a new middle school campus with artificial turf fields; houses are being erected in the ETJ by the dozens and tiny homes on tiny lots in the village are being added by the hundreds - all resulting in exponentially more impervious cover within the Salado Creek Watershed without consideration of the storm water runoff impact to Salado Creek and its adverse effect downstream.

The one thing that remains unchanged is the ignorance by, and lack of willingness for, our village and county officials to do anything about flooding. No study. No mitigation. No nothing. Our elected officials and city hall have become beholden to developers over public health and safety over the last several years and show no signs of letting up. One would think that City Manager Don Ferguson (where in Wimberly under his watch, 350 homes

were damaged/destroyed and 13 lives were lost in the May 2015 flooding of the Blanco River) would make flood remediation a top priority. Think again.

The village government would sooner commission a study and spend tens of thousands of our tax dollars on how to minimize the protected habitat of the Salado Salamander than commission a study for flood risk and remediation to maximize the health and safety of the citizens they are supposed to serve.

Salado's been very lucky for the past decade. However, before the flood of 9/8/2010, there was the flood of 9/11/2009 and 6/29/2007. At least three Mill Creek Homes were flooded all three times...and when one studies the history of Central Texas flooding in dating back to 1869, the question is not if - but when - and we're moving in the opposite direction of mitigation toward imminent catastrophe and loss of life.

May the administrations of the decade to come take the issue of flooding more seriously - delicately balancing growth with the future health and safety for those who choose to call Salado home.

Respectfully,
Brian Sunshine
Salado, TX

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Voterpalooza Sept. 19 in Bell Co.

Bell County Texas Democratic Women will sponsor voter registration drives in seven Bell county locations simultaneously 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sept. 19.

The Voterpalooza voter registration locations will all be drive-through

locations and will practice COVID 19 safety guidelines.

Voterpalooze locations are these

- Dollar Tree Plaza, 2802 W. Stan Schlueter Loop, Killeen.
- Lions Club Park, 1700

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- Kern Park, 400 South Ann Blvd., Harker Heights.
- Purser Park, 100 Mountain Lion Road, Harker Heights.
- Agrilife Extension Building, 1605 N. Main St.,

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- Chuck's BBQ and food truck parking lot at 8205 W. Adams Ave., Temple.
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Bell Co. Historical Commission meets Sept. 28 at courthouse

The Bell County Historical Commission will meet 7 p.m. Sept. 28, in the first-floor courtroom at the County Courthouse in downtown Belton.

The program titled, "The Maximo Moreno Land Grant and the Ayers Family in Bell County," will be presented by David Yeilding.

The Maximo Moreno land grant, which dates to 1833, is of historical significance because it pre-dates the origin of Bell County in 1850.

By the end of 1850, the David Ayers family acquired what remained of the Moreno grant and, for years, sold its property to residents of Bell County.

The BCHC works to preserve and promote the county's historical heritage in accordance with Texas state laws and under the direction of the Bell County Commissioners Court.

The BCHC normally meets the fourth Monday of each month, except May and December, in the historical

Bell County Courthouse. The BCHC does not meet in May or December because of holiday hour conflicts.

Persons interested in more information or becoming a member may contact the BCHC office on the first floor of the courthouse in Belton.

The office is staffed by volunteers most days Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to noon.

The telephone number for the office is 254-933-5917.

Obituaries



Frances Collins Cooper, 80, (known by all as "T9E") passed away on September 6, 2020, with her husband, Mike, by her side.

Frances was born on February 19, 1940, in Dallas, Texas to Burt Johnson Collins and Lucy Gowdey Collins. She graduated from Waco High School in 1958 and went on to the University of Texas, Plan II on a Latin scholarship, graduating with a bachelor's degree in education.

She and Mike were married on June 16, 1962. While Mike attended UT Law School, she taught Latin at Allan Junior High School in Austin.

After Mike graduated, they moved to Dallas where they lived and raised their family. They had three children, Lucy Katheryn, Michael Collins, and Stephen Burt.

She was a devoted Episcopalian, raised at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Waco, and serving on the altar guild at St. Luke's Episcopal Church and the Church of the Incarnation in Dallas.

In 1998, the Coopers moved to Salado, where she served on the altar guild at St. Joseph's Episcopal Church and was also a member of the Daughters of the King.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lucy and Burt Collin; her father-in-law Marion Ross Cooper and mother-in-law Chloe Belle Cooper of Winslow, Arizona and her brothers-in-law, Rick Cooper of Tucson, Arizona and Phil Nazro of Austin, Texas.

She is survived by her husband Mike of Salado; her children and their spouses, Lucy and Ellis Oglesby of Austin; Michael and Marjann Cooper of Austin; and Stephen and Taryn Cooper of Dallas; her five grandchildren; her sister, Lucy Ann Collins Nazro of Austin; and her nieces and nephews.

There will be a wake at Broecker Funeral Home 949 West Village Road, Salado, Texas from 4 to 6 pm on Saturday, September 12, 2020.



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Statements required in notice if the proposed tax rate exceeds the no-new-revenue tax rate but does not exceed the voter-approval tax rate, as prescribed by Tax Code §26.06(b-2).

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.5339 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of VILLAGE OF SALADO.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.5339 per \$100
NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	\$0.5081 per \$100
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	\$0.5339 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2020 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for VILLAGE OF SALADO from the same properties in both the 2019 tax year and the 2020 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that VILLAGE OF SALADO may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that VILLAGE OF SALADO is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2020 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 17, 2020 at 6:30 PM at Salado Municipal Building, 301 N Stagecoach Road. .

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, VILLAGE OF SALADO is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the The Board of Aldermen of VILLAGE OF SALADO at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE TAX RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

$$\text{Property tax amount} = (\text{tax rate}) \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

(List names of all members of the governing body below, showing how each voted on the proposal to consider the tax increase or, if one or more were absent, indicating absences.)

FOR the proposal:

Mayor Pro-tem Michael Coggin, Alderman Rodney W Bell, Alderwoman Amber Preston Dankert, & Alderman John Cole

AGAINST the proposal:

PRESENT and not voting:

Mayor Skip Blancett

ABSENT:

Alderman Frank Coachman

Keep Salado Beautiful launches photo contest

Keep Salado Beautiful is having a photography contest to display artistic images of the Village of Salado on their website, KeepSaladoBeautiful.com.

Deadline for submission is Oct. 31, 2020.

Four photographers will have their images showcased on the website. Along with their images they will feature their biographies and give photographic credit.

Each individual must submit all photographs in the resolution of 72 dpi. The image size must 2000 pixels wide and 1,000 pixels high.

Each photograph must be submitted with a completed photography release form.

A maximum of 3 images per individual allowed.

Basic editing, including

color enhancement, use of filters and cropping of images is allowed.

Advanced editing used to create illusions, deceptions, the adding and or removing of significant elements within the image are prohibited.

How to enter: Only photographs that meet the guidelines are to be submitted to keepsaladobeautiful@yahoo.com with the completed photography release form will be considered.

Complete contest rules and forms can be downloaded from the KSB website, www.keepsaladobeautiful.com.

Judging: Photos will be judged by a panel of KSB board members and Salado Chamber of Commerce members. The images will be judged based on perspective, composition, overall impact, artistic merit and subject matter that is specifically related to the Village of Salado.

Images need to highlight the aspects of Salado that make it unique to Central Texas, those aspects can be but are not limited to landscape, (Salado Creek and parks), Salado's Pocket Gardens, historic venues (College Hill, Stagecoach Inn, Salado Museum), Salado's festivals and art fairs, Salado's Christmas Stroll, Salado Sculpture Garden, etc.

Winning submissions will be selected for the following award categories: First place \$200; Second place \$150, Third place \$100 and Student (18 years of age and under) \$50.



June Evelyn Rex

June Evelyn Rex (at right) was born at 8:06 a.m. July 26, 2020 to Sean and Grace Siddens Rex of Plano. She weighed 7 lbs., 7 oz. and measured 20-1/4 inches. Grandparents are Joe and Carlinda Rex of Salado and Todd and Debbie Siddens of McKinney. Sean is a 2004 graduate of Salado High School. Happy local great grandparents are Johnny and Jill Shipman of Salado.

Nick Adams returns to speak to SARW

The Salado Area Republican Women are happy to bring back Nick Adams to Salado for a luncheon meeting at Tenroc Ranch, Blue Heron Room on Sept. 24.

Adams spoke to the Salado group several years ago and was well received. He is a renowned speaker, author, media commentator and a patriotic American. He was recently appointed by President Donald Trump to join the Board of the Wilson Center, a think tank associated with the Smithsonian Institute. Adams will have many of his school educational books available for purchase as well as his latest best seller, Trump and Churchill, Defenders of Western Civilization.

The meeting will feature the silent auction that was

planned for the Fine China Luncheon in March. Bell County Commissioner Bobby Whiston will be the auctioneer for this event. Attendees may want to come early to review the auction items and are requested to wear a mask. Social distancing will be followed. Doors will open at 10:45 a.m. with the meeting commencing at 11:30 a.m.

The meeting will be a plated luncheon by McCain's Café and Bakery and the cost will be \$30. Prepaid reservations are requested by Sept. 21 to SARW, PAC; P.O. Box 373; Salado, TX 76571. For more information contact Shirley Stephenson, First Vice President, at stepnpup@embarqmail.com or 254 338-5717.

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Noah Mescher is off to the races before the Grandview Zebra defense realizes he has the ball. Mescher scored the only touchdown for Salado in the Eagles' 21-7 loss on Sept. 4. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Fumbles haunt Eagles in 21-7 loss to #2-ranked Grandview Zebras

BY TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

A fumble at the end of the first half and a fumble midway through the fourth quarter were the difference in the Salado Eagles' 21-7 home loss to the Grandview Zebras on Sept. 4.

Grandview's Matt Lehnhart stepped into a handoff and snatched it away, running untouched for a 40-yard defensive touchdown with no time left on the first half clock, after the Eagles had stopped the powerful Zebra offense on a fourth down try. Dale Jentsch converted a two-point try to give the Zebras a 14-0 halftime lead.

Salado Eagles defense stopped Grandview on three fourth downs in the first half to keep the game tight. Wrook Brown buried a 59 yard punt at the Zebra 1 yard line at 4:02 in the first, but Grandview drove 99 yards in 17 plays, capped by Gavin Leftwich's 4 yard touchdown run with 10:06 left in the first half. The Zebras even recovered their own fumble by Jentsch when Matt Kehnhardt fell on a loose ball to keep the drive alive at the Salado 21 yard line. Grandview missed the extra point and led 6-0.

After stopping the Eagles on a fourth-and-7 at the Grandview 35 yard line, the Zebras drove to the Salado 17 yard line before three false starts and a recovered fumble set up a third and 26. The Zebras turned the ball over on downs with 2:35 left in the half. Following a three-and-out, Salado punted and Grandview took over with 44 ticks on the first half clock. Three plays later, Jentsch connected with Luke Kirkpatrick, but LaTrell Jenkins stopped him short of a first down to give Salado the ball with 3 seconds left in the half.

The fluke handoff theft for a touchdown gave the

Zebras a 14-0 lead, rather than a 6-0 lead with Salado receiving the second half kick-off.

The Eagles were forced to punt on the first possession of the second half, setting up a 62 yard drive. The Eagles defense defended against Jentsch's passing in the red zone and Luke Ferguson missed a 26 yard field goal, turning the ball over to Salado at the Eagle 20 yard line.

The Salado run offense pounded the ball to the Zebra 40 yard line over the next 3:33. On the first play of the fourth quarter, Noah Mescher blew threw the middle of the strong Grandview defense for a touchdown. Brown kicked the extra point to bring Salado to within a touchdown, 7-14, with 11:50 left on the game clock.

Grandview drove from their 27 yard line to the Salado 10 yard for a first and goal. Jentsch kept the ball, fumbling it into the endzone where Jayden Mangrum fell on it for the Zebra touchdown just before it went out the back of the end zone. Ferguson converted the PAT for a 21-7 lead with 7:42 left in the game.

The teams swapped possession twice more as the

clock ran down for Salado.

Reid Vincent led the Eagles with 91 yards on 13 carries. Noah Mescher had 79 yards and a touchdown on nine carries.

Dane Jentsch threw the ball 22 times for 13 completions and 140 yards for Grandview. Gavin Leftwich led the Zebras with 160 yards, a touchdown and a fumble on 28 carries. Jentsch had 85 yards on 13 carries and a fumble.

Kofi Stoglin had 6 tackles, 9 assists to lead Salado, followed by Brown, 5 tackles, 11 assists. Also registering tackles for the defense were Lucas Morvant, 3 tackles, 6 assists, 1 quarterback pressure; Ryan Poe, 3 tackles, 1 assist; Peyton Miller, 2 tackles, 5 assists and a pressure, Joshua Huckabee, 2 tackles, 5 assists; LaTrell Jenkins, 2 tackles, 2 assists and 2 passes broken up; Braydon Summers, 2 tackles, 1 assist; Nolan Williams, 2 tackles, 1 assist; Seth Reavis, 1 tackle, 2 assists, Gavyn Keyser, 1 tackle and an assist; Beau Hill, Nick Sibbitt and Blake Marshall, Aaron Gonzalez and Ryan McBurney, a tackle each.

The Eagles play at home against Stephenville at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 11.



(PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN) Wrook Brown and LaTrell Jenkins (#30) fight to grab a fumble by Dane Jentsch that Jentsch eventually ended up with in the endzone for a Grandview Zebra touchdown.

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Eagles take third at Brownwood



The Varsity Lady Eagles take flight as they surge forward at Brownwood launching the 2020 Cross Country Season: (from left) Kate Neas, Lily Lougheed, Jaci McGregor, Natalie Burleson, Anna Lesley, Allyson Gouveia, Lydia Craig (obscured), Ellie Mescher, Lydia Lesley, Avery Fossum. (Photo by Lee Schweger)

Lady Eagles start XC season with win at Brownwood Meet

Jaci McGregor led the Salado Lady Eagles cross country team to the championship of the Brownwood Invitational Meet Sept. 2 with her time of 13:22.

Salado won the meet with a total of 39 points, followed by Gatesville, 51 points.

McGregor beat Gatesville's junior runner Tasha Thoms Gatesville by two seconds.

McGregor won the state cross country meet as a runner with a time of 11:24. Salado Lady Eagles are returning five runners from last year's team that placed 10th at the state meet: McGregor, senior, juniors Anna Lesley and Avery Fossum and sophomores Ellie Mescher and Kate Neas.

Three of the girls were medalists in the Brownwood meet, the first of the season. "This was a good first meet for the Lady Eagles," Coach Corey Baird said. "We saw where we are at and what we need to work on in the weeks to come."

Lesley placed third with a time of 13:33 and Mescher was 10th with a time of 14:10.

Also scoring for the team



Jaci McGregor and Anna Lesley eclipse in stride pushing each other at a blistering pace for a win at the Brownwood Invitational. (PHOTO BY LEE SCHWEGER)

were Neas, 12th, 14:13 and Fossum, 13th, 14:16.

Also running in the meet for Salado were these: Lydia Craig, 19th, 14:36; Natalie Burleson, 23rd, 14:41; Lily Lougheed, 41st, 15:55; Lydia Lesley, 46th, 16:15

and Allyson Gouveia, 50th, 16:33.

Meets are limited to eight schools and a maximum of 80 runners.

The Lady Eagles will run in the McGregor XC Invitational on Sept. 12.



(PHOTO BY LEE SCHWEGER)

Grant Sellers determines his strategy in the final half-mile of the course at the Brownwood Invitational

Salado Varsity Eagles placed third in the Brownwood Cross Country Meet Sept. 2, led by Grant Sellers who placed second overall with a time of 17:44.35 over the three mile course.

The Eagles scored 77 points in the meet, behind Gatesville's 56 points and Stephenville's 65 points.

Junior Isaac Huerta placed ninth with a time of 18:44.58 to earn medalist status.

Also scoring for the Eagles were sophomores Jake Rechtfertig, 18th place, 19:43.57; Owen Pitcock, 23rd place, 19:55.50 and Brooks Dabney, 19:58.91.

Also running for the Eagles were Daniel Lander, 19:59.22, Ryan Novotny, 20:09.43, William Ron, 20:20.28, Collin Wilson, 20:58.62 and Ben Raines, 22:58.26.



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Isaac Huerta, William Won, Collin Wilson, Grant Sellers, Owen Pitcock and Daniel Lander turn on the afterburners and take off at Brownwood cross country meet.

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Megan Manibusan receives in Salado's win over Llano. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Lainey Taylor goes in for the kill. (PHOTO BY: ROYCE WIGGIN).



Reese Preston gets it over the net. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Fariss Paige sets the ball during the JV Lady Eagles win over Llano.



Ferguson Jordan receives the serve to set up a point, during the JV Lady Eagles win over Llano.

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Lady Eagles bounce back from Troy loss, sweep Llano

Salado Lady Eagles swept the Llano Lady Jackets on Sept. 4 in a home match after falling in four sets on the road to Troy earlier in the week.

The Red Posse shined in a home match against the Lady Jackets of Llano. Salado came out hot and never looked back defeating

Llano in straight sets (25-17, 25-11, 25-18). Megan Manibusan and Lainey Taylor would absolutely shred Llano's serve-receive all night serving 41 of Salado's 75 points including 13 aces (Taylor - 9). The front row attack was led by Kenslee Konarik (5 kills) and Haileigh Wilk (10 kills, 5 assists) who did damage all night long at the net. Senior setter Reese Preston would have her best match of the season as floor captain totaling 17 assists.

The Lady Eagle varsity girls came out hot against the Trojanettes Sept. 1, crushing them in the first set 25-18.

It would be all Troy for the rest of the night as Salado would fall in four with scores of 17-25, 12-25, and 15-25.

Senior Reese Preston would serve strong all night with 20 attempts including 4 aces.

Junior Varsity

Salado's JV squad competed in a nail biter all night long Sept. 4 winning in a thrilling three set victory at home against Llano Lady Yellowjackets (26-24, 24-26, 26-28).

Middle blocker, Bri Wa-

ters would be big up front for the Lady Eagles collecting 11 kills on the night. Setter Paige Farris would also play a stellar match with 14 digs and 17 assists.

Salado's junior varsity squad came out and competed strong against Troy winning the match in straight sets (25-20, 25-17). Hustle and grit from Harley Drouillard was phenomenal on the night and a combined 13 kills from Julia Mateja and MaKayla Bush would get it done for Salado on the night.

Freshmen

The young freshmen squad handled Llano with ease on Sept. 4 defeating their opponent in straight sets (25-10, 25-18). Ariel Cabreco and Caitlyn Kasper would lead the charge for Salado.

Earlier in the week, the Freshmen team had a thrilling victory over Troy in three sets (25-21, 19-25, 26-24).

After splitting the first two sets, the Lady Eagles were down 21-24 and stormed back to a 26-24 victory. Isabella Dworaczuk continues to improve to be a force on the front row.

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Alfred Sterling Hornbeck - A Man of Influence

By CAROL WILSON
LOCAL HISTORIAN

Even the most enthusiastic fans of local history are probably unfamiliar with the name Alfred Sterling Hornbeck and may be surprised to learn that he carries a significant distinction in Salado's history. While the Hornbeck family only lived in Salado for little more than a year, during that time Mr. Hornbeck was easily among the town's most influential people. Alfred S. Hornbeck was the owner and editor of Salado's second newspaper, the Salado Sentinel.

By the time Hornbeck decided to take up the task of producing a Salado-based periodical in late 1893, the town had gone two decades without such a luxury. The presses of the Salado News-Letter, the town's first weekly, had ceased operations after producing only a

few issues in 1875 under the ownership of E. W. Billings. This kind of brief and financially risky experimentation with producing small town newspapers was not unusual in those early days but it was disruptive to a family because it required frequent moves.

Alfred Sterling Hornbeck was just 33 in early 1894 when he moved his young family to Salado. Despite his youth, he was an experienced man in all elements of printing, writing, publishing and editing. From an early age, Alfred had apprenticed under the tutelage of his older brother William. The brothers had been forced prematurely into the responsibilities of adulthood in support of their widowed mother. Their father had been killed in Civil War combat in 1861, the year Alfred was born. After the family moved from

Missouri to Denison, Texas in 1875, William, then Alfred began working in the newspaper business. In 1884, the brothers pooled their resources and opened their own printing office where they began a newspaper in the small town of Ladonia, Fannin County. After a setback in the form of a fire, the two made an amiable professional split with Alfred buying out his brother. Both men enjoyed long careers in the printing business with William later moving to Oklahoma. In 1885, Alfred married and the same year purchased the Delta County Banner in the small town of Cooper, Texas. Hornbeck's next big change came in 1892 when a Waco publisher enticed him to move to Waco and manage their book publishing business. While living in Waco, it appears Hornbeck also worked for the

Waco Evening News.

After a couple of years in Waco, Hornbeck was apparently ready to make another change. Just why he chose Salado is anyone's guess but the decision might be related to his deep religious convictions and Salado's reputation as a highly respectable town. It appears that the Hornbecks were Methodists. Oral family history holds that Hornbeck's views against vice were so strong that he refused to run advertisements for tobacco in his newspapers. In later years, Hornbeck granddaughter, Bernice Hornbeck Shipley, remembered fondly that Alfred enjoyed taking on the role of itinerant preacher. She also remembered his warmth and kindness in allowing her to sit on his lap and twirl the ends of his signature mustache.

When Alfred and Ella Hornbeck moved to Salado in early 1894, they had two small children, Ethel, age 3, and Walter, an infant son who had been born in Waco.

The earliest reference to Hornbeck's Salado Sentinel appears to be this two-sentence notation published in the Waco Evening News on January 6, 1894:

"Mr. A. S. Hornbeck, formerly compositor of the News, has purchased the Salado Sentinel. Mr. Hornbeck will leave for Bell County in a few days and assume his duties as editor and publisher of the Sentinel."

The Minco Minstrel of Minco, Oklahoma also gave the new Sentinel an acknowledgement on February 9, describing the new paper as a neat seven-column, newsy sheet.

Information about the exact length of time that the Salado Sentinel existed is, unfortunately, imprecise. There is no evidence that a Salado paper existed between 1876 and 1894, yet the Waco announcement above clearly states that Hornbeck purchased the paper in January of 1894. It was a common practice for larger newspaper to use briefs from smaller papers to fill empty space in their papers. It is now our good fortune, historically speaking, as these excerpts from papers that have no archives are often all that remains of them. Even though the life of the Sentinel turned out to be short, there are several examples of its articles preserved in other old newspapers. But no references to the Sentinel exist prior to January of 1894. Given this fact, the statement about Hornbeck purchasing the paper is a curious discrepancy and is likely an error.

A sampling of Sentinel articles carried in other papers shows that the bulk of information it carried fell into these three categories: stories involving local humor, opinion pieces on politics, and articles meant to promote the town. The article below, which appeared in the Temple Times on January 4, 1895, is an example of news that would have been uniquely understood and appreciated by Bell County residents.

"Mr. W. B. Griffith informs us that he contem-



Alfred S. Hornbeck in later years.

PHOTO COURTESY OF DAVID SHIPLEY, HORNBECK'S GREAT GRANDSON.

plates making the city of Temple his home at an early day. We shall be very sorry to lose him from our midst, but it was ever thus. Salado is not large enough to hold all our rising young men. Here they receive their early training and learn many useful and practical lessons from pious parents in childhood's light and happy hours, after which comes the salutary education in our fine schools and good society, which fits them for responsible positions in the world, and soon, like the eaglet learning to fly, they start out for themselves, or like a Copperfield, a Chuzzlewit's or a Jacob it may be, and they never return empty-handed. Many have gone, and many will yet go out from the romantic, yet solid old school town of Salado, the Athens of Bell. But we must be philanthropic, let them go and wish them God speed. - Salado Sentinel"

The subject was likely Welborn Barton Griffith, age 27, the son of Salado pioneers Leroy and Nancy Griffith. Assuming this is correct, Mr. Griffith did not stray far from his "romantic yet solid old school town," he lived a long life in Temple and is buried there. This sneak peek (so-to-speak) inside the pages of the Sentinel, shows how valuable an archive of the paper would be to local historians today. It would also have secured a place in Salado's written history for Mr. Hornbeck and his family.

As it is, there are few records that confirm that the Hornbeck family lived in Salado. Felda Davis Shanklin, one of Salado's earliest historians, mentioned the Hornbecks briefly in her book Salado, Texas, It's History and People. Another confirmation is this brief piece that appeared in an April 1, 1895, edition of the Galveston Daily News:

"Salado - A birthday dinner was tendered by Messrs. C. M. Orgain, W. J. Dodson and W. S. Shipp, at the residence of Mrs. A. S. Hornbeck, on Sunday the 24th. It was an enjoyable affair and the good things to eat are too numerous to mention."

Only 15 months after launching his paper, Alfred

Hornbeck announced that he was selling the Sentinel to a young man well known to Saladoans. Emerson Barbee was the adult son of one of Salado's longtime merchants, Captain J. H. Barbee. As Alfred Hornbeck packed his presses for another move, Emerson Barbee was preparing to move back to Salado from Brownwood, where he had been living with his sister and brother-in-law. Certainly Hornbeck imagined that the Sentinel he had nurtured would enjoy a long life after he turned the reins of responsibility over to Barbee. But it was not to be. (I will leave a written account of Emerson Barbee's stint as owner/editor of the Sentinel for another day. For now it is enough to say that he was a colorful character who lived a short life that ended tragically.)

While Emerson Barbee's life could not be characterized as a success story, Alfred S. Hornbeck's certainly could. After leaving Salado in 1895, the family moved to Rains County where Hornbeck purchased The Record, renaming it the Rains County Leader. The Hornbecks also added two additional sons to the family, Albert in 1896, and Paul in 1899. In 1904 the Hornbecks moved to Texico, New Mexico where Alfred created the Texico Trumpet. Over the years that followed, he continued his pursuits, enjoying a long and distinguished career in the newspaper business before retiring in 1920. His pattern of creating papers in small towns and soon selling them, presumably at a profit, suggests that this was a shrewd strategy on his part. It was also a great service to the towns that were the recipients of his efforts. Soon after his retirement, Alfred and Ella moved back to Texas, settling in San Benito, Cameron County. Ella died in 1922 and Alfred died 1942.

Many small towns, including Salado, can add or highlight the name Alfred Sterling Hornbeck in their local history books. He was a man of talent and influence who used both for the betterment of the communities he graced.



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Salado Calendar of Events

SALADO ROTARY CLUB
Now Meeting twice a month via ZOOM. Regular meetings will resume in the future.

SALADO LIONS CLUB
Meetings are twice a month via ZOOM. Regular meetings will resume in the future.

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

TUESDAYS
Salado Community Chorus practice.

THURSDAYS
Run4Beer at Barrow Brewing Co., 7p.m.
Bikes & Brews Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m.
Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co. 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAYS
Bikes & Brews, Barrow Brewing Co., 7:30 a.m.
Farmers Market at Barrow Brewing Co., 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
Live Music at Ch-

upacabra Craft Beer and Kitchen, 7 p.m.
Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAYS
Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co. 4 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 11
Cami Maki, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 12
Farmers Market at Barrow Brewing Co., 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 12
Asanas & Ales 10 a.m. in the Barrow Brewing Co. taproom. All-levels yoga class taught by Tiffany Schreiner. \$20 for singles, \$30 for couples and class includes your choice of pint.

SEPTEMBER 12
Rowdy Richter, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 13
Farewell performance of the Brass Band, 5 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 17
Run4Beer group meets, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing

SEPTEMBER 17
Village of Salado Board of Aldermen Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at Salado Municipal Building. Public hearing on proposed tax rate for Fiscal Year 2021 budget.

SEPTEMBER 18
Public meeting to discuss the future of the Salado Community Foundation, 1 p.m. at the Salado Civic Center.

SEPTEMBER 18
Kyle Mathis, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 19
Farmers Market at Barrow Brewing Co., 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 19
Kyle Mathis, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 19 - 20
Auditions for Fright Trail and A Christmas Carol, 3 p.m. at Tablerock Amphitheater. Attend one session

SEPTEMBER 24
Salado Area Republican Meeting, 11:30 a.m. Luncheon at Tenroc. Author Nick Adams speaker. Silent auction. Call 254 338-5717 for reservations.

SEPTEMBER 25
Steve Hamende, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 26
Farmers Market at Barrow Brewing Co., 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 26
Asanas & Ales 10 a.m. in the Barrow Brewing

Co. taproom. All-levels yoga class taught by Tiffany Schreiner. \$20 for singles, \$30 for couples and class includes your choice of pint.

SEPTEMBER 26
Steve Hamende, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra Craft Beer & Kitchen.

SEPTEMBER 26
Nate Guthrie, 7 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co.

SEPTEMBER 28
Salado Masonic Lodge #296 Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m. No meal will be served, masks will be required for entry and social distancing enforced.

OCTOBER 1
Pint Night: Deep Ellum Brewing Co, 5 p.m. - midnight at Chupacabra Craft Beer

OCTOBER 3
Randy Rogers Band at Johnny's Outback. Gates open at 6 p.m.

OCTOBER 4
Pistons & Pints at Barrow Brewing Company, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Vehicle enthusiasts are invited to this monthly meet and greet with a different genre highlighted each month. The first 15 vehicles to register each month will get a reserved parking space, and their first pint on us! To register, e-mail taproom@barrowbrewing.com.

OCTOBER 8
Pint Night: New Braunfels Brewing Company, 5 p.m. - midnight at Chupacabra Craft Beer


OCTOBER 9-10
Christmas in October, sponsored by Salado Ladies Auxiliary. **CANCELED**

OCTOBER 15
Pint Night: Community Beer Co, 5 p.m. - midnight at Chupacabra Craft Beer

OCTOBER 17
Barrow Volks Ride is a ride for all cyclists with distances of 16 miles, 50KM and 100KM and will kick off the three Saturdays of Oktoberfest at Barrow Brewing Co. on Oct. 17. Proceeds from the registration of riders benefit the Salado Volunteer Fire Department. Online registration of \$50 per rider is available at bikereg.com.

OCTOBER 17
Oktoberfest at Barrow Brewing Co. will feature fun contests, like beer stein holding and hammerschlagen as well as a vendors' market in the field by the creek. Live music and guest food trucks, including Checkpoint Germany.

OCTOBER 17
Grape Stomp 3-8 p.m. at Salado Winery Co., 841 N. Main St. **CANCELED**



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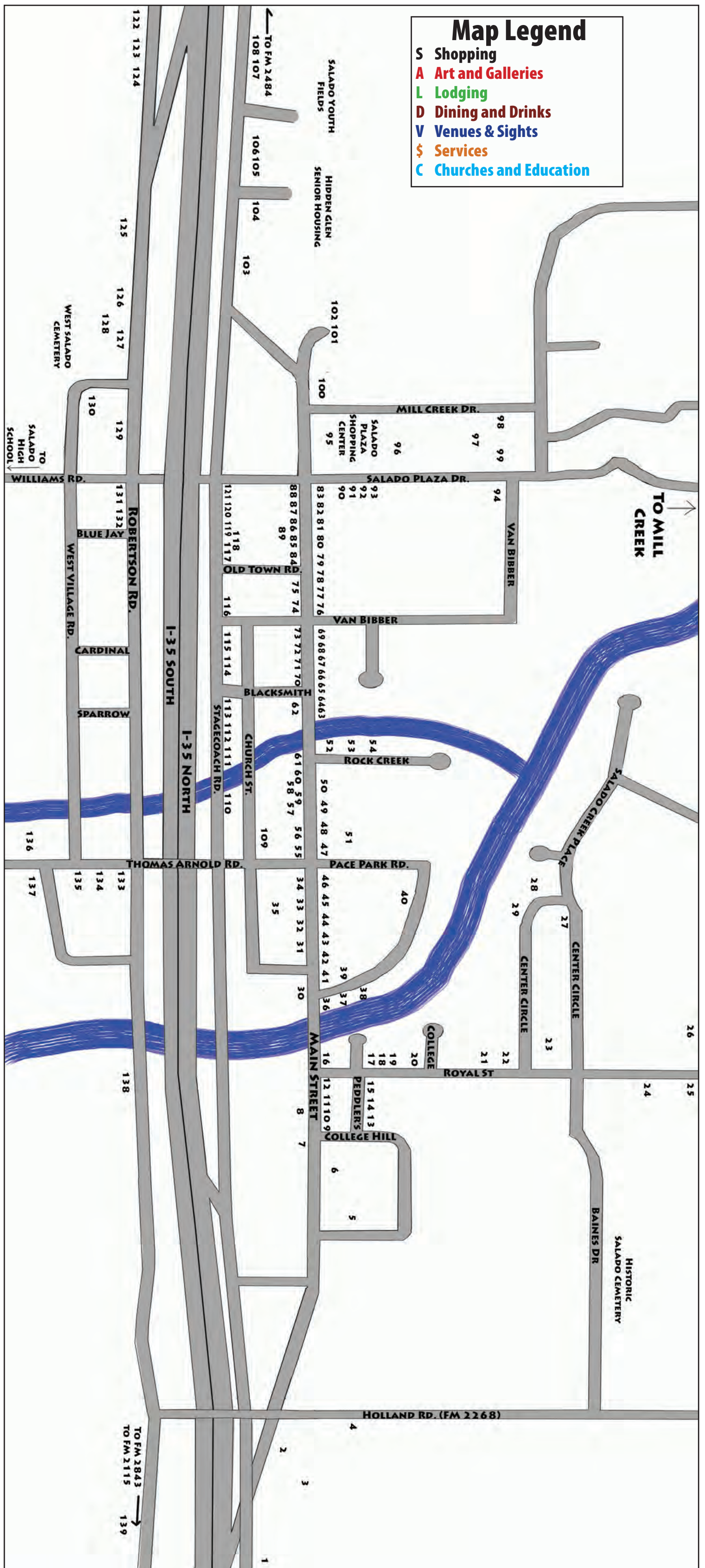
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Shopping Map of Salado

#	Business Name	Type
4	St. Stephen Catholic Church	C
6	Salado College Park	V
7	Raney & Associates	\$
9	Salado Museum	V
	Salado Visitors Center	\$
	Salado Chamber of Commerce	\$
	Village of Salado Tourism Office	\$
10	Sofi's	S
11	Chupacabra Craft Beer and Winery	D
	Chupacabra Kitchen	D
14	Salado Glassworks	A
15	Rio Salado Cocina y Cantina	D
16	The Sugar Shack	S/D
17	Barrow Brewing Co.	D
	Happy Pizza	
21	The Venue	V
	Village Spa	S
22	The Shed	D
24	Tablerock	V
26	Salado United Methodist Church	C
29	Inn on the Creek	L
	Alexanders Craft Cocktails & Kitchen	D
30	First Baptist Church	C
31	Fairway Mortgage	\$
32	First Texas Brokerage	\$
34	First Community Title	\$
	Farmer's Insurance Zbranek Agency	\$
40	W.A. Pace Memorial Park	V
53	Salado Creek Healing	\$
55	Salado Family Dentistry	\$
58	The Shoppes on Main	S
	The Marketplace Cafe	D
60	Salado Creek Jewelry	S
62	The Pizza Place	D
75	Stage Stop Center	\$
	Bruce Bolick, CPA	\$
76	Salado Civic Center	\$
81	Salado Wine Seller and Salado Winery Co.	D
82	St. Joseph's Episcopal Church	C
85	Salado Post Office	\$
86	Bill Bartlett - Century 21	\$
87	The Personal Wealth Coach	\$
89	Stamp Salado	S
90	Presbyterian Church of Salado	C
91	Troy Smith Financial Services	\$
92	Salado Sculpture Garden	A
96	Salado Plaza	\$
	Ace Pest Control	\$
	Anytime Fitness Salado	S
	Integrity Rehab	\$
	Monteith Abstract	\$
	Salado's Hair Shop	\$
	Salado Village Voice	\$
97	Brookshire Brothers	S
100	Salado Public Library	C
101	Salado Cleaners	S
113	Salado Church of Christ	C
126	Cowboy's Barbecue	D
130	Village Spirits	S
132	Broecker Funeral Home	\$
135	Carus Dental	\$
136	Salado Schools & Stadium	C
	Village Church of Salado	C
139	Cedar Valley Baptist Church	C
Not Shown on the Shopping Map		
	Don Ringer	\$
	3C Cowboy Fellowship	C
	Grace Church	C
	Mill Creek Country Club	V
	Brody's Mill Creek Clubhouse	D
	JD's Truck Stop and Grill	S/D



Historical Markers in Salado

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 6. Salado Historic College Hill | 25. The A.J. Rose Mansion | 35. Salado Masonic Lodge #296 | 61. Historic Lenticular Bridge |
| 8. Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn) | 26. Old Methodist Chapel | 45. The Anderson House | 49. The Vickrey House |
| 8. Main Street Bridge | 27. Caskey-Hendricks House | 46. Old Saloon | 76. Boles-Aiken & Denman Cabins |
| 16. Barber-Berry Mercantile | 28. Dr. McKie Place (Twelve Oaks) | 48. The Norton-Orgain House | 77. The Robert B. Halley House |
| 23. The Baines House | 29. Alexander's Distillery | 50. The Barton House | 79. The Reed Cabin |
| 24. Historic Dipping Vats | 30. First Baptist Church | 51. The Levi Tenney House | 100. The Josiah Fowler House |
| | 31. The Tyler House | 55. The Armstrong Adams House | |

Marketplace

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DIRT/STONE WORK

CBS Construction: septic tanks, house pads, driveways, lot clearing, top soil, 254-718-1752. tfnd

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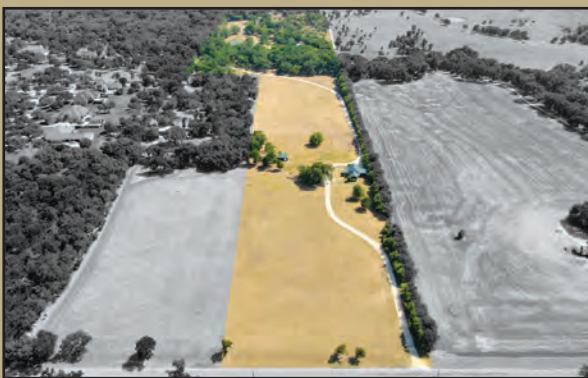
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2506 Hester Way, Salado
5 BR, 4 BA
\$559,900



2217 Smith Bluff, Salado
4 BR, 2 BA
\$345,000



2201 Indian Tr., Salado
4 BR, 3.5 BA
\$489,900



512 Creek Run Circle, Salado
3 BR, 2 BA
\$285,021



1611 Royal St., Salado
4 BR, 3.5 BA on 5+ ac.



1308 Mission Trail, Salado
4 BR, 2.5 BA on 3.36 ac



1910 Old Mill Rd. #2, Salado
3 BR, 2 BA
\$268,021



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3 BR, 2 BA home on two lots in Mill Creek. Close to shopping & easy access to IH 35. Open living design for kitchen, living & dining. Separate bedroom floor plan. Fireplace in living area. Sunroom has large windows overlooking the large backyard. The home is wheel chair accessible from garage & into living area. 512 Creek Run Circle, Salado. \$285,021. Century 21 Bill Bartlett. 947-5050.

Exquisite custom home with incredible curb appeal! This spacious home is filled with desirable finishes including stone accent walls, stain grade cabinets, granite counter-tops, custom concrete hardwood floors and a three car garage. 10841

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This gorgeous house features a phenomenal open kitchen, living, & dining space to include a butler's pantry with wine fridge, second dishwasher, second full-sized fridge & pantry space. The 4 generous sized bedrooms each have their own private bathroom. The home boasts an oversized 3 car garage, mudroom & powder room, and to top it off, this "smart" home features a video doorbell, Alexa, smart hubs & switches and CAT5. The kitchen is accentuated by a beautiful tile backsplash, double ovens, farmhouse sink, granite counters & large island. The home has an indoor electric fireplace & outdoor wood burning fireplace- an entertainer's dream! Salado ISD. 11002 La Paloma Loop W, Salado. \$454,900. Century 21 Bill Bartlett 947-5050

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4220 Big Brooke
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Last week, U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue announced the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will extend several flexibilities through as late as December 31, 2020.

The flexibilities allow summer meal program operators to continue serving free meals to all children into the fall months. This unprecedented move will help ensure – no matter what the situation is on-the-ground – children have access to nutritious food as the country recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic. USDA has been and continues to be committed to using the Congressionally

appropriated funding that has been made available.

USDA's Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) is extending a suite of nationwide waivers for the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) and Seamless Summer Option (SSO) through the end of 2020, or until available funding runs out. This includes:

Allowing SFSP and SSO meals to be served in all areas and at no cost;

Permitting meals to be served outside of the typically-required group settings and meal times;

Waiving meal pattern requirements as necessary; and

Allowing parents and guardians to pick-up meals for their children.

Collectively, these flexibilities ensure meal options for children continue to be available so children can access meals under all circumstances. USDA is taking this unprecedented action to respond to the needs of its stakeholders, who have shared concerns about continuing to reach those in need without enlisting the help of traditional summer sites located throughout communities across the US. While there have been some well-meaning people asking USDA to fund this through the entire 2020-2021 school

year, we are obligated to not spend more than is appropriated by Congress.

Importantly, the summer meal program waiver extensions announced today are based on current data estimations. Over the past six months, partners across the country have stood up nearly 80,000 sites, handing out meals at a higher reimbursement rate than the traditional school year program.

Since the start of the public health emergency, FNS has been maximizing existing program services and flexibilities to ensure those in need have access to food through 15 federal nutrition assistance programs.

For more information on FNS' response to COVID-19, visit fns.usda.gov/coronavirus.

Salado Police Report 8/31-9/6

Call Type Description	Number of Calls
Agency Assist	4
Alarm Business	5
Alarm Residential	1
Animal Complaint	2
Assault	1
Calls For Service	52
Citations	3
Civil Matter	1
Crash	3
Forgery	2
House Watch	75
Illegally parked vehicle	1
Medical	3
Stranded Motorists	3
Suspicious Circumstances	2
Theft	1
Traffic Hazard	3
Unlawful Carry of a Weapon	2

Chief's Notes: School zones are now active, please slow down and look out for children crossing the street. Remember that you cannot pass a school bus that has its flashing lights activated. This includes when traveling on the access roads adjacent to the highway when you are traveling the same direction as the bus.

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Firefighter of the month

Alan Goodnight is the Salado Volunteer Firefighter of the Month for September. He has served on the department for 31 years. Goodnight has lived in Salado for 60 years. He joined Salado VFD in 1989 and became an ECA for about 10 years. He has served as Lieutenant (six years) and Captain (six years) for the department. He is a self-employed electrician. He and Tammy have been married 34 years and have two daughters: Brittani Broussard and Karleigh Walding. (COURTESY PHOTO)

Salado Fire Department Reports Aug. 30- Sept. 5

Date	Address	Incident Type
08/30	SHADY OAKS	Falls - Not Alert
08/30	CHISHOLM TRL	Back Pain
08/30	SOLANA RANCH RD	Choking
08/31	INTERSTATE 35	Dispatched/cancelled
09/01	LARK TRL	Back Pain
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/02	FM 2115/ I-35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	No incident found
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - injuries
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - injuries
09/02	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/02	I-35 SERVICE RD	Overdose
09/02	WILLIAMS RD	Sick Person
09/02	FM 2115	Unauthorized burning
09/03	ELM GROVE SPUR	Difficulty Breathing
09/03	FM 2843	Difficulty Breathing
09/03	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/03	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/03	SOUTHSHORE DR	Sick Person
09/04	ROBERTSON RD	Man Down - Unknown Status
09/05	WEST CREEK DR	Unconscious / Fainting
09/05	INTERSTATE 35	Motor Vehicle Accident - no injuries
09/05	FM 2484	Transformer Arcing
09/05	BIG TREE DR	Difficulty Breathing

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