

Locals send Walt to Mexico!

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

You did it. You guys pulled off what I thought to be an impossible task when he asked for help.

Because of your generosity, our friend Walt Tollefson is getting a specialized treatment aimed at stopping the progress of the progressive form of Multiple Sclerosis he has battled for the past seven years.

You donated more than \$60,000 in a very short period of time. Donations came through a GoFundMe page set up in mid-September and a Benefit Fund in Walt's name established in mid-September at Horizon bank. The majority of donations were made at the local bank. Donations came from his Salado friends, West Point classmates, family and more. More than 100 people donated.

Folks wandered in to the newspaper office with their donation and to share their "Walt" story with us. Short notes of encouragement were clipped to checks mailed to us for Walt.

Whether the donor gave \$20, \$200 or \$2,000, the sentiment toward our friend Walt was the same: love and concern and a desire to help in any way possible.

So know that you did.

Walt left Texas for Mexico Sunday morning. Monday began with MRIs and blood tests.

This week, the team at Clinica Ruiz in Puebla, Mexico will take some of his own stem cells to create bone marrow. He does not have to wait and hope for a match because his stem cells are a perfect match!

The treatment is a bone marrow transplant that utilizes the patient's own hematopoietic stem cells rather than the marrow of a matching donor.

In layman's terms, the hematopoietic stems cells are harvested from the person and are used to restore the normal hematopoiesis of the patient after that patient has been exposed to high dose chemotherapy delivered to aim immunosuppression.

According to the Clinica Ruiz website, Doctor Ruiz Argüelles and Doctor Gómez-Almaguer have performed



(COURTESY PHOTO)
Walt Tollefson is now at Clinica Ruiz in Puebla, Mexico.

more than 3,000 HSCT procedures during more than 20 years for hematological and autoimmune diseases, out of which over 900 have been for MS. Positive results have been achieved in over 78% of patients transplanted at Clinica Ruiz, which includes both relapsing and progressive patients.

With no immune system, Walt will be very vulnerable until the effects of the bone marrow transplant take place. Because of that, for the last month or so, Walt has had to avoid people and places.

We had planned earlier this year to go see Avatar II when it released last Christmas. We will wait until he gets back! So, no spoilers!

His treatment will require a 28-day

stay in Puebla, Mexico with a full-time caregiver on hand. Thankfully, two friends have volunteered to take turns as his caregivers during his recovery in Mexico, so Walt has been able to save some money by not having to hire a full-time caregiver.

Walt hopes to stop the progress of the disease and to regain some of his mobility and quality of life. If you know Walt, you know how strong and how deep his faith in God remains. He continues to have that Dennis the Menace smile and infectious laugh. He has accepted his mortality but wants to hold on to his wife Karen for longer than the doctors have given him (18 months to two years) without

Village issues \$42.3 million in building permits

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Building permits for the Village of Salado in 2022 totaled \$42.3 million in value.

Village administrator Don Ferguson told aldermen at their Jan. 5 meeting that the Village issued 35 building permits for commercial projects. In 2022, the Village issued 416 building permits for residential projects. Of those permits, 120 were for new home construction.

Ferguson also told aldermen that the Village of Salado will lose two administrative employees before the end of the month as Village Secretary Cara McPartland will retire on Jan. 31 and Assistant Village Administrator Stacey Ybarra has accepted the job as the executive director of Economic Development Corporation in Lampasas. Her last day with the Village is Jan. 13.

Ferguson said that both positions have been posted.

He also told aldermen that Sanctuary developer is in the process of preparing documents necessary for going forward with two Public Improvement Districts as part of the agreements entered into between the Village and the developer.

RREAF Holdings, LLC has made application for an operating permit for an existing well on the Sanctuary property.

Clearwater Underground Water Conservation District

conducted a public hearing at Jan. 11 on an application for operating permit for an existing well to be located on 14.387 acres at the northeast corner of I-35 and FM 2268. The hearing was after presstime for this week's Salado Village Voice, but a story will be posted online at saladovillagevoice.com

The application permit request from RREAF Holdings, LLC, which is building an apartment complex on the Sanctuary property at the south end of Main St., is for a well with a 2-inch pipe size and an initial withdrawal rate of 50 gallons per minute for a proposed annual quantity net to exceed 19.2 acre feet/year or 6,256,339 gallons.

The well will be used for commercial landscape irrigation only.

The existing well is within a half-mile of 35 active wells, four of which are permitted for public and/or commercial purposes.

Ferguson also discussed that a major development has indicated to his office that it would like to be annexed into the Village. A meeting and tour of the property will be set up at Mustangs Springs at Salado off of FM 2843 in the near future.

"It has to be good for us and good for the developer," Ferguson said.

The 1,100-acre development could bring 400 high end homes to the Salado area. More on this as it develops.

First day to file as candidate for May 6 elections is Jan. 18

The first day to file for a place on the May 6 local ballots for Salado Independent School Board of Trustees, Salado Public Library District Board of Directors, Village of Salado Board of Aldermen is Jan. 18.

The last day to file for a place on those local election ballots is 5 p.m. Feb. 17.

Filing applications are available for the SISD Trustee election at the school administration office in the Salado Civic Center, 601 N. Main St. Two three-year terms on the SISD Board of Trustees will be on the May ballot. Those positions are currently filled by Kim Bird, Troy Smith and Savannah Hennig.

Filing applications are available for the Library District Board election at the Salado Public Library, 1151 N. Main St. Three two-year terms on the board will be

on the May ballot. Those positions are currently filled by Emmy Alvarez, Joycelyn Miller and Barbara Morris.

Filing applications for the Alderman election are available at the Village of Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Three two-year terms will be on the May ballot. Those positions are currently filled by Rodney Bell, John Cole and Jasen Graham.

The last day to register to vote in the May 6 general election is April 6.

The first day of early voting will be April 24. The last day of early voting will be May 2.

VOTER REGISTRATION

The Bell County Elections Administrator is the Voter Registrar for Bell County.

As soon as you establish residence in Bell County,

you are qualified to register to vote in Bell County. Other requirements for voter registration include minimum age of 18 (you may register within two months of your 18th birthday). You must be a United States citizen. You may not register to vote if you have been declared mentally incapacitated or if you have been convicted of a felony crime unless that disability has been removed. You regain the right to vote after you complete your sentence or probation.

Voter registration applications are available at the Bell County Elections Administration office, 550 East 2nd Avenue in Belton.

They are also available at area libraries, Department of Public Safety and Texas Department of Human Services offices.

If you move within Bell County, contact the Elections

Administrator's office to update your records. Voter registration must be completed at least 30 days prior to an election for your registration to be effective for that election.

New voter registration certificates are mailed every two years (in November of odd numbered years). If you move out of Bell County, contact the Voter Registrar in your new county/state of residence.

QUALIFICATIONS

You must register to vote in the county in which you reside.

You must be a citizen of the United States

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You must not be finally convicted of a felony, or if you are a felon, you must

have completed all of your punishment, including any term of incarceration, parole, supervision, period of probation, or you must have received a pardon.

IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENT

Here is a list of the acceptable forms of photo ID:

- Texas Driver License issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS)
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- Texas Handgun License issued by DPS
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- United States Citizenship Certificate containing the person's photograph
- United States Passport (book or card)

For more information on

Texas Voter ID Laws, visit votetexas.gov.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Your voter registration will become effective 30 days after it is received or on your 18th birthday, whichever is later. Your registration must be effective on or before an election in order to vote in that election.

If you move to another county, you must re-register in the county of your new residence.

You must provide your Texas driver's license or personal identification number. Only when you do not have a driver's license or personal identification number, then give the last four digits of your social security number or if you do not have any of these identification numbers, then you must indicate by checking the appropriate box on the application side.

Coleman to discuss truancy, fentanyl in Bell Co. on Jan. 26

Judge Cliff Coleman will be the featured speaker at the Jan. 26 evening meeting cosponsored by the Salado Area Republican Women and Bell County Young Republicans.

The meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. upstairs in the Salado Civic Center.

Judge Coleman will discuss school truancy and the

problems with fentanyl use among students.

Coleman is well-known in Bell County, attending elementary through high school in Salado.

He graduated from Texas A&M in 1991 with a degree in Engineering. He was a four-year member of the Corps of Cadets and recipient of a 3-year Army schol-

arship. In 1992, he became Officer Coleman with the Houston Police Department. Judge Coleman was in the private sector for 20 years where he operated several businesses throughout Central Texas. He was elected Pct. 2 Justice of the Peace in 2018 and continues to serve in that capacity. In addition to the many duties required

of a Justice of the Peace, Judge Coleman has presided over the Truancy Court for the entire Bell County, and it has seen nearly 500% growth since he took office. He is the only Justice of the Peace to testify in the Texas House of Representatives and the Texas Senate as an expert witness, ensuring that lawmakers have accurate in-

formation and understanding of the impact of legislation they pass will have on Texas counties.

The public is invited but reservations are requested for seating.

One may make a reservation by contacting Sherril Gardipee at sherril.gardipee@gmail.com or 254 217-4390 by Jan. 20.



Cliff Coleman

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Declining trade deficit drives increase in 4th quarter GDP

The U.S. stock market, represented here by the venerable Standard and Poor's 500 Stock Index (SPX) got off to a good start in 2023, rising a delightful 1.45% to close out its first week of the year at 3895.08. That is, of course, also the year-to-date rise, but it is still down 16.72% from a year ago. Still, it is up 8.72% from its recent low in mid-October, over 74% from March of 2020 as the COVID pandemic hit us, and about 19% from this time three years ago. The CRSP Mid-Cap Value Index, our other followed stock market indicator, ended the week at 2412.07, up an even more delightful 3.10%, but still down just over 7% from its high at the beginning of 2022. The motivator appeared to be an unusual combination of more people hired but wage increases moderating.

The benchmark yield on the U.S. 10-Year Treasury Note fell to 3.55% from last week's 3.71%, largely on the same news that seems to have caused stocks to rise. Unfortunately, with the annualized rate of the 6-month T-Bill at 4.79%, the yield curve remains solidly inverted. In the past two years, interest rates have risen about 120% causing bonds in general to lose more market value in 2022 than at any time since records have been kept (Bond values fall as interest rates rise.) West Texas Intermediate crude oil futures (WTI) fell over 8% to \$73.76 per barrel for the week on indications that much of the world was or soon would be in recession. WTI is now down about 21% in the last three months, dropping about 7% from a year ago, but still 120% higher than it was in May of 2020.

People sometimes ask us why oil companies are not drilling more wells. The answer is that only about two and a half years ago the best U.S. oil was selling for \$33.56 a barrel, less than the cost of pumping it out of the ground and transporting it.

Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure



Investors and companies, burned once, are still recovering and in no hurry to jump in again.

The Economy

There was a lot happening and being reported in the U.S. and world economies. Congress passed and President Biden signed SECURE 2.0 into law as part of the omnibus federal spending package, deferring the start date for required minimum distributions (RMDs) from IRAs and some other retirement plans until age 73 starting this year and rising to age 75 in 2033. If you already started RMDs or were required to have done so last year but deferred your first withdrawal, you still are on the hook, but those turning 72 this year can wait another year. The law also increased allowable contributions to retirement plans for older workers as well as a host of other changes in pension tax law.

The numbers coming out of the Labor Department were sweet. Employers added 223,000 jobs in December, double the number needed for a steady-state economy, and unemployment dropped to a 53-year low of 3.5%. Yet, average hourly earnings only rose 0.3% for the month and only 0.2% for managers. Those numbers are very close to the ideal wage increases the Federal Reserve Board (Fed) would like to see. Despite the very hawkish minutes from the last Fed meeting, there is cause for hope that the wage increase slowdown will temper future interest rate increases if it continues. That would, in turn, decrease the probability of a U.S. recession in 2023.

Moody's Analytics now estimates fourth quarter U.S. GDP to have risen at an

annualized rate of 4.1%. Part of that increase comes from a declining trade deficit. Another surprise was that construction spending for November rose 0.2%, defying the consensus estimate of a decline of 0.4%. As single-family dwellings became more expensive, there was a pickup in multi-family construction. Meanwhile, home sales were down almost 40% from a year ago and are likely to decline this year to levels last seen in the Great Recession. Average home price reports lag quite a lot, but it appears that prices peaked in April and were down 0.5% from September to October, the fourth consecutive month of price contraction.

The bottom line as we start a new year is much the same, but now with more evidence to support our view. The underlying U.S. economy is roaring along at or near its maximum capacity, but inflation is currently rising at very acceptable annualized rate of less than 2%, and hiring is still exceptionally high, particularly in the services areas. At the same time, all indications are that a large part of the rest of the global economy is or soon will be in recession. China, the leading driver of global economic growth for the past two decades, faces the impact of the COVID pandemic with a largely unprepared healthcare system. Europe, the other major player, is sagging under the weight of huge increases in energy costs and high inflation even as it is likely already in a recession. It is a good time to be here rather than elsewhere. The future is always uncertain, but we remain optimistic even as we are clearly in a global economic environment unlike any seen since about a century ago.

Intellectual property protections will decide future control of 21st-century global economy

By ANDREI IANCU AND DAVID KAPPOS

America is the world's most innovative country. Or at least it was.

By many measures, that title now belongs to China. The authoritarian powerhouse issued more patents than the United States for the first time in 2019, and it has left us in the dust ever since.

In recent years, China has also outpaced the United States in the number of scientific publications published in peer-reviewed journals, the number of scientists and engineers graduating with advanced degrees, and other similar metrics.

The trends all point in the same direction: China aims to out-innovate the United States in the most critical technologies of the future.

Worryingly, those innovations will very likely determine control of the 21st-century global economy. In the past decade, China accounted for nearly three-quarters of all patents related to artificial intelligence. In biotechnology, Chinese firms now account for about 18% of cancer drugs in the early stages of development worldwide, triple their share in 2015.

Our economic and national security depend on retaking the lead -- and keeping it. Unfortunately, instead of promoting policies that support and protect American innovators, many

in Washington fail to acknowledge the inextricable link between innovation and intellectual property protections.

IP rules protect inventors -- and their investors -- from others stealing their work. Without copyrights, few authors or artists would pour their sweat and tears into creating masterpieces, since others could undercut them with impunity.

The same dynamic holds true across every IP-intensive industry. Broad fields of invention are highly risky, expensive, and failure-prone, yet easy to copy once the investment is made and the failures overcome. Without the temporary exclusivity afforded by intellectual property rights, America's best and brightest would have no incentive to create new breakthroughs.

Historically, American workers and consumers have reaped rich rewards from America's strong IP system. Our IP-intensive industries accounted for \$7.8 trillion of GDP in 2019. And over the next decade, job creation in IP-intensive industries is expected to outpace other industries.

But this forecast is hardly guaranteed. Americans' intellectual property is under attack from abroad and here at home.

This past summer, the Biden administration helped push through an initiative at the World Trade Organi-

zation to waive IP protections for the mRNA vaccines that saved millions of lives around the world.

In Congress, meanwhile, lawmakers have called on President Biden to effectively nullify the intellectual property of our nation's top research universities -- a move guaranteed to chill research benefiting many industries including climate, energy, and pharmaceuticals.

Weakening IP protections, or even stoking doubts about America's commitment to strong IP rights, will hurt innovators raising venture funding, whether that innovator is an individual developing new cybersecurity tools, or a clean energy startup working to fight climate change.

We come from opposite political parties -- but we've both dedicated our adult lives to promoting and protecting intellectual property. It's the lifeblood of our economy. Any lawmaker who wants to increase innovation in the United States must understand the need for strong IP rights. They are inextricably linked.

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340B doesn't solve health inequities

By AMY HINOJOSA

Advocates have long fought for federal funding to reach people in most need. Back in 1992, Congress established the 340B drug pricing program, which guaranteed drug discounts to hospitals serving a disproportionately high percentage of uninsured or low-income patients.

Congress hoped the legislation would help hospitals provide better, less expensive care. But the enabling legislation and subsequent implementing regulations did too little to ensure that outcome. Instead, hospitals and clinics are wielding 340B against the very people lawmakers wanted to help.

That's because federal law doesn't require hospitals to reinvest their 340B savings in vulnerable communities. Instead, many of these facilities charge patients top dollar while keeping the discounts for themselves.

Take for example, Bon Secours Mercy Health -- a nonprofit hospital chain -- that raked in almost \$1 billion in profits last year, according to a recent New York Times report.

Federal law actually makes it easy for hospitals to rip off their most vulnerable patients while direct-

ing inordinate resources to high-income, largely white communities. It's time for Congress to put an end to this flourishing scam by revising the law that makes it possible.

Congress must address the fact that numerous facilities that don't actually serve low-income communities qualify for 340B. Clinics belonging to the same hospital chain as a disproportionate-share facility can often register for the program -- even if their clientele is generally well-off, with good insurance.

Unsurprisingly, hospitals and clinics have signed up in droves for the free money. The total number of participating facilities surged from 8,100 to 50,000 between 2000 and 2020. More and more of them are located in high-income areas -- which means wealthy communities are benefiting from a program intended for the underprivileged.

As of 2021, uninsured patients made up about 9% of the U.S. population. These are exactly the marginalized groups, often racial minorities, the 340B discounts were supposed to help. Instead, these patients face the prospect of hospital bills of hundreds or even thousands of dollars for a single drug.

Cancer treatment, for

example, has become a massive money-maker. According to a recent analysis from the Community Oncology Alliance, disproportionate-share hospitals often sell their top oncology drugs at 4.9 times the discounted 340B acquisition price. For one drug, the average markup was 11.3 times the discounted cost.

Meanwhile, about three quarters of private nonprofit hospitals earn more through tax breaks than they expend in charity and community investment. The Lown Institute Hospitals Index found that in 2019, the value of the nonprofit tax breaks enjoyed by 227 private nonprofit hospital systems totaled \$18.4 billion more than those systems spent on "charity care and community investment."

Disparities like these won't end until Congress enforces its supposed intention to create a program that actually helps low-income communities. Today, the 340B program does no such thing.

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Meredith Ward engaged to marry Stephen Clemmons

Cliff and Regina Coleman of Salado announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Meredith Ward to Stephen Clemmons of Lindale.

The prospective bride is a 2013 graduate of Salado. She is the grand-daughter of the late Redge and Mary Priest of Salado, Bill and Norma Meadgen of Salado and Darrell and Rosemary Coleman of Lubbock.

She is a 2017 graduate of Baylor University with a BA degree. She is employed at Pince Cover Christian Camps as the Women's Director at the Bluffs Family Camp.

The prospective groom is the son of Tim and Sally Clemmons of Lindale. His grandparents are Reginald and Donna Lee Clemmons of Sulphur Springs and Ronald and Lanelle Stanley of Lindale.



Meredith Ward to marry Stephen Clemmons in March

He currently works in the cattle business while taking prerequisites for veterinarian school in large animal sciences, where he is applying in the fall. A graduate of Lindale High School, he

holds a Bachelor of Music Business degree from Belmont University.

The couple will be married on March 31, 2023 in a double-ring ceremony in Mineola.

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Sarah Kate Kelarek to marry Brady Zapalac

Kelarek to marry Zapalac January 28

Kenny and Jennifer Kelarek of Salado announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sarah Kate Kelarek to Brady Zapalac of Bellville.

The prospective bride is a 2017 graduate of Salado High School. She holds an accounting degree from Texas State University in San Marcos and is employed as a senior staff accountant for Multiview in Dallas.

The prospective groom is the son of Steve and Kim Zapalac of Bellville and is a 2015 graduate of Bellville High School. He holds a General Studies degree from Texas State University and is an Enterprise Business Development Representative for Ontic in Austin.

The couple plan a double ring ceremony January 28, 2023 at The Preserve at Canyon Lake.

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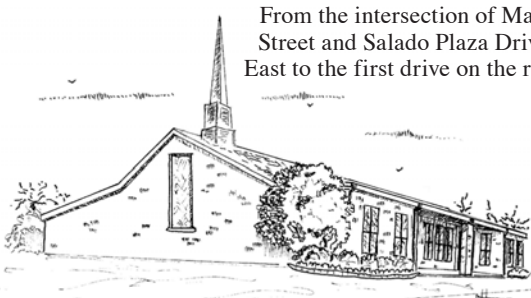
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Select members of the Salado High School High School Students join the chorus at the Spring Concert in 2022.

Salado Community Chorus extends open invitation to new members in preparation for the Spring Concert

The Salado Community Chorus is already gearing up to prepare for its 2023 Spring Concert after a successful standing-room only Christmas Concert on December 13.

The chorus' spring season kickoff and the beginning of the annual membership drive will be held 6 p.m., Tuesday, January 17 at the Salado Civic Center, 601 North Main.

The 2023 Spring Concert is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 25, at First Baptist Church.

The current chorus membership of 50 plus singers and those who are considering joining the Salado Community Chorus are encouraged to attend the meeting on January 17.

A \$30 enrollment fee will be collected from returning and new chorus members during the kickoff event. The fee is the cost for joining the organization. There is no additional charge for music.

The Spring Kickoff meeting will feature the introduction of the 2023 Chorus Board of Directors which includes: Ana Pollock-president, Bob Massey-vice-president, Deborah Hays-treasurer, Brenda Merz-secretary, past president-Marjorie Hairston, and director-Dottie Shirley.

Pollock said, "I am thrilled to be part of this board and serve the chorus. One of our goals is to increase the number of singers

in the chorus and welcome visitors to attend the kickoff to learn more about us. The chorus is definitely a serious commitment of time but it's worth the effort."

"We rehearse every Tuesday of the week from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.," said Shirley. "We want quality singers but those who make up this chorus are not all professional vocalists. We choose to not require tryouts because I want people who are considering joining us to not be scared away by feeling they have to be perfect singers. I'm most interested in those who will try their best to learn the music and be dedicated to the rehearsal schedule. This year, we're particularly interested in recruiting tenors and basses."

"We're also extremely interested in those who enjoy musical performance and are looking for a fun experience with friends and neighbors. After all, the Salado Community Chorus, whose concerts are free to the public, is made up of people from all over Central Texas

and we are family," said Pollock.

The kickoff will begin with registration of current chorus members and potential new members. If a member brings a visitor, both of their names are entered into a prize drawing. There will also be a meal provided by chorus members and a time for visitation plus the drawing for the door prize.

Committees, which play a vital role in the chorus, will be discussed by Board President Pollack and will include a distribution of forms that current and new members can use to sign up for their choice of where they would like to assist as volunteers.

Shirley will then address the chorus' goals and introduce her selection of songs for the Spring Concert.

The first rehearsal will be one week after the kickoff on January 24, 6 p.m., at the Salado Civic Center, according to Shirley.

For more information about the chorus, visit the Salado Chorus Facebook page or website at www.saladochorus.com.



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Gault school announces challenge grant

The Gault School of Archaeological Research has been gifted a \$25,000 grant that will be unlocked by raising matching funds. All proceeds will be used to rebuild the GSAR website to present the current areas of focus, members and programs.

The Gault School board of directors announces an incentive program to raise the matching \$25,000.



Donations of \$5,000 or more will receive the following: a framed dart point hand-crafted by Sergio J. Ayala, a 15% discount on wine from Seven Creeks Winery and charcuterie and two complimentary wine glasses of wine on a visit to the winery, a lifetime membership to the GSAR, an autographed Gault site

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Donations of \$500 or more receive an autographed Gault site book and a one-year membership in GSAR.

Donations of \$100 or more receive a one-year family membership in GSAR.

Donations may be made through the Gault School website at www.gault-school.org/support/donations. Checks may be payable to The Gault School of Archaeological Research, PO Box 81563, Austin, TX 78708.

The Gault Site is located southwest of Salado. The discoveries there are rewriting pre-history.

Tours of the Gault Site are managed through Bell County Museum. The next tour of the Gault Site is Feb. 11. Tickets are \$10/person; kids 10 years and under are free. All proceeds go to the Gault School of Archaeological Research. Registration is available at <https://www.bellcountymuseum.org>. Payment can be made over the phone with the museum at (254) 933-5243.

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Salado Calendar of Events

Mondays
 Floor practice at Salado Masonic Lodge #296, 95 S. Church St., 6:30 p.m. except on Stated Meeting nights.
 Open Mic with Ryan White, at Chupacabra, 7 p.m.
 Tonkawa Chapter Native Plant Society of Texas meeting, 6 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co.
 Salado Democrats meet the third Monday of each month, 7 p.m., in the conference room of Salado Public Library.

Tuesdays
 Storytime with Ms. April at Salado Public Library, 11 a.m.
 Tech Tuesday at Salado Public Library, 2 p.m. Get help with technology. Appointment required. Call the Library at 254-947-9191.
 Tuesday Night Prix Fixe at Alexander's Craft Cocktails + Kitchen. \$16.95 for entree, dessert and glass of wine. Prix Fixe menu changes weekly. Visit Alexander's Facebook page for weekly updates on Prix Fixe.
 Trivia with Rockin Rick, at Chupacabra, 7-9 p.m.

Wednesdays
 Guest food truck day at Barrow Brewing Co., 4-9 p.m.
 Game Night at Barrow Brewing Co., 4-9 p.m. Trivia

with Chad on second Wed.
 Wine Down Wednesday at Alexander's Craft Cocktails & Kitchen, 5-7 p.m., Half price on select bottles of wine, featured wine by the glass and feature cocktail specials change weekly.
 Grief Share group at Grace Church Salado, 5798 FM 2484, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays.
 Karaoke, 7-10 p.m. at Chupacabra.

Thursdays
 Vinyl Nite with Shannon at Barrow Brewing Co., 5 p.m.
 Teen Writing Group, Salado Public Library, 6 p.m.
 Run4Beer Group, 6:30 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co.
 Pint night at Chupacabra, 4 p.m.-midnight.
 Maxx Carter at Chupacabra, 6-10 p.m.
 Family Night at The Shed, specials on beer and pizzas change every week.
 The Bell County Master Gardener Association holds a free monthly seminar on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm at the Texas Agrilife Extension Office, 1605 N. Main in Belton.

Fridays
 Storytime with Ms. April, Salado Public Library, 11 a.m.
 Live Music at Chupacabra Craft Beers, 7-11 p.m.
 Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co. 6 p.m.

Fridays-Sundays
 All Day Gourmet food tasting, Wild Texas Cowgirl, 642 N. Main St., Blue & White House. Open late Fri & Sat! @WildTexasCowgirl-Google Us!

Saturdays
 Asanas & Ales, 9 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. First class of 2023 begins Jan. 14.
 Storytime at Salado Public Library, 11 a.m. No storytime Thanksgiving week.
 Live Music at Chupacabra Craft Beer and Kitchen, 8 p.m.-midnight
 Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co., 6 p.m.

Sundays
 Live Music at Barrow Brewing, 4 p.m.

January 12
 Pint Night at Chupacabra Craft Beer, 4 p.m.-midnight. Get a free pint glass with every purchase of the featured brewery, Barking Armadillo.

January 12
 Tween Book Club, Salado Public Library, 3:30 p.m. Book club for kids in grades 6-8.

January 12
 True Crime Book Club for adults, 6 p.m. Salado Public Library

January 12
 Around the World Dinner Series at Alexander's Distillery, 6:30 p.m. Reservations online through eventbrite.com for \$84.95 for five course themed dinner. Destination Korea.

January 13
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. John "Pops" Dennie.

January 14
 First session of 2023 of Asanas and Ales, Barrow Brewing Co., 9 a.m.

January 14
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 6 p.m. Anna Larson.

January 14
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. Dustin Endsley.

January 14-15
 Salado Market Days 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall 721 Stagecoach Road. Salado's original Market Days event.

January 15
 Heritage Country Church Annual Chili Cook-Off, 11:15 a.m. immediately following the church service. \$10 for adults and \$5 for kids to eat. For those entering the contest, use at least 10 lbs. of meat (no beans). Two categories: Regular and Game. Trophies for first, second and third in each category. Trophy for one overall winner.

January 16
 Salado ISD Board of Trustees meeting, 6 p.m., Salado Civic Center.

January 16
 Salado Democrats meet the third Monday of each month, 7 p.m., in the conference room of Salado Public Library.

January 17
 Central Texas Travel Club, 11 a.m. at Johnny's Steaks and Barbecue in Salado. Club members will be discussing future trips to Hawaii, France, Santa Fe and others. The meeting is open to anyone interesting in travel and has no dues or membership requirements.

January 17
 Salado Community Chorus' spring season kickoff and annual membership drive, 6 p.m., the Salado Civic Center, 601 North Main.

January 18
 Music Munchkins, 10 a.m. Salado Public Library. Music and movement for children ages 0-3.

January 18
 Barrow Brewing Co., guest food truck, 4-8 p.m., Big Tony's Cheesesteaks.

January 19
 Third Thursday Book Club, Salado Public Library, 3 p.m. General fiction book club for adults.

January 19
 Pint Night at Chupacabra

Craft Beer, 4 p.m.-midnight. Get a free pint glass with every purchase of the featured brewery, Texas Beer Co.

January 19
 The Bell County Master Gardener Association will hold its free monthly seminar on at 6:30 pm at the Texas Agrilife Extension Office, 1605 N. Main in Belton. Master Gardener, Wayne Schirner will be presenting "Gardening Myths"; refuting many of the common garden myths in circulation today.

January 19
 Ladies Night at Salado Glassworks, #2 Peddler's Alley. Ages 21 and over for this event. \$100 per person. Book online at saladoglassworks.com.

January 19
 Village of Salado Aldermen meeting, 6:30 p.m. 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting will be cast via Zoom. Link will be posted at saladotx.gov 72 hours before meeting.

January 20
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 6 p.m., Sara Seven.

January 20
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. Trey Yenger.

January 20-21
 Valentine's Blow-Your-Own Heart Event at Salado Glassworks, #2 Peddler's Alley. Blown Heart (\$60); Bowl (\$85). Register online at saladoglassworks.com.

January 21
 Teen Scene, Salado Public Library, 11 a.m. Teen Movie Afternoon, ages 12+.

January 21
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 6 p.m., James Madstone.

January 25
 Salado Lions Club luncheon meeting, 11:30 a.m., Salado Civic Center.

January 21
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. Trey Yenger.

January 25
 Barrow Brewing Co., guest food truck, 4-8 p.m., Bob's Best Corndogs.

January 25
 Blow-Your-Own Date Night at Salado Glassworks, #2 Peddler's Alley. \$185 per couple. Book online at saladoglassworks.com.

January 26
 Pint Night at Chupacabra Craft Beer, 4 p.m.-midnight. Get a free pint glass with every purchase of the featured brewery, Bishop.

January 26
 Teen Book Club, Salado Public Library, 4:30 p.m., Grades 9-12.

January 27
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 6 p.m. Magic Stallion.

January 27
 Fourth Friday Gospel Singing 7 p.m. at First Cedar Valley Baptist Church, FM 2843. Pot luck to follow. Bring a favorite dish or dessert.

January 27
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East dealer. North-South vulnerable. NORTH ♠ Q 6 2 ♥ K Q 8 7 5 4 ♦ 10 ♣ Q 10 9 WEST ♠ 10 9 8 3 ♥ 3 2 ♦ A J 9 7 6 ♣ K 8 EAST ♠ A K J 4 ♥ 6 ♦ 5 4 3 ♣ 7 5 4 3 2 SOUTH ♠ 7 5 ♥ A J 10 9 ♦ K Q 8 2 ♣ A J 6 The bidding: East South West North Pass 1 NT Pass 2 ♦* Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥ *transfer to hearts Opening lead — ten of spades.

from dummy and went up with the king after East followed low. West won with the ace and returned the jack of diamonds to South's queen. Declarer later tried a club finesse that failed, and so went down one. The critical clue that declarer missed (aside from the fact that East did not put up the ace when the singleton diamond was led from dummy) was that East had passed as dealer and was therefore highly unlikely to hold the ace of diamonds after showing up with the A-K-J of spades and a singleton heart on the first five tricks. Once South assumes that West has the ace of diamonds, it becomes clear that instead of covering dummy's ten of diamonds with the king, he should play low from his hand. In the actual case, even though West wins the trick with the jack, he is stymied. A diamond return, whether high or low, allows South to score two diamond tricks with the help of a ruffing finesse and in that way would eliminate his potential club loser. A spade or club return also allows South to avoid the club loser — again with the aid of a ruffing finesse in diamonds. Either way, it turns out that East's pass as dealer reveals that West has the ace of diamonds — and it is this significant clue that should enable South to find the winning line of play.

by Steve Becker

- ACROSS 1 Suddenly blazing star 5 Put stress on 11 Volcano in Sicily 15 Meadow songbird 19 Supreme Norse deity 20 Net-tending player 21 Donahue of TV 22 Genesis garden 23 Very ornate designs of the 1700s 25 Be mindful of 26 Bill with Lincoln 27 Sports site 28 Apr. and Dec. 29 Longtime metal alloy manufacturer 31 M.Sgt., e.g. 33 Friz Freleng's real first name 36 Mean-spirited sort 37 Fill-up sites with star logos 42 Crows 43 Oscar winner Brody 44 Like a straight line, in brief 45 Work to get 46 Mimicking an angry dog 48 1993 event at Mount Carmel Center 55 Comic actor Danny 56 Spill the info, with "up" 58 Region 59 Raines of old Hollywood 60 Active person 62 Spring forth 63 Thingamajig 67 "Please help!" 70 Venue of the 2002 Humanitarian Bowl 73 Log chopper 74 Brief 75 Slushy drink summary 76 Sprung forth 77 Trail 79 Prefix with dynamic 80 Henna name 81 Read hastily 83 Gibbons, e.g. 87 Something Plus White toothpaste claims to remove 92 Water, humorously 94 Sports side 95 Potting stuff 97 TV journalist Chung 98 Mimicked Daffy Duck 101 A cut from the short loin 105 Playwright Fugard 106 Vocalists 107 Simile middle 108 University in northern California 110 McKellen of "X-Men" 112 Mosul native 117 Aquarium 118 One of 18 on a golf course 119 They're in eight answers in this puzzle 122 Slushy drink 123 Superior to 124 Works the rudder 125 Dimple site 126 Play roster 127 Joins in matrimony 128 Cherished "Mother" 129 Held on to DOWN 1 With 11-Down, "Sleepless in Seattle" director 2 Aroma 3 Destructive habit 4 After a while 5 In days past 6 Carl Sagan book 7 Roman censor 8 Blissful 9 Nothing at all 10 One of 18 on a golf course 11 See 1-Down 12 One's wife 13 Nephew's sister 14 Gucci of fashion 15 Unlike righties 16 Farewells 17 Go back to the way it was 18 Belfry sounds 24 Call off 29 Foolaraw 30 Jeer at 32 Christmas trees, usually 34 Single-pot meal 35 Verdi heroine 37 Job to do 38 Pulitzer winner Ferber 39 Diagnostic pic 40 Ran on TV 41 Clothes, colloquially 42 Ewe's call 45 LGA guess 47 Emperor before Galba 49 A la — (menu words) 50 Hammond instruments 51 Potential plant 52 "Three Sisters" sister 53 Tighten up a muscle 54 Destiny 57 Under wraps 61 Kyoto sash 63 Actress Kelly or Shearer 64 Suffix with prophet 65 Andean llamas 66 Quantity: Abbr. 67 Little quarrel 68 Classic cookie 69 Kosovo native 71 "No" votes 72 Apple device 75 Opening in a parka, say 78 Lacks 80 DeLuise of "Hot Stuff" 82 Large city in Colombia 84 Window unit 85 Kazan of search 86 Film for 88 Green with Grammys 89 Ill-bred man 90 "Oh, woe —!" 91 Jordanian queen dowager 93 Tile artwork 96 Like some trading 98 Milk-related 99 Cornell University city 100 Gives off light 101 Used a rotary telephone 102 Puts in 103 Big T-shirt size: Abbr. 104 Some chair craftspeople 106 Hot pot spot 109 Movie or play 111 "Zip — -Doo-Dah" 113 Pebble, e.g. 114 Tennis: Arthur 115 Ear swab 116 "— that special!" 119 1940s pres. 120 Suffix with Israel 121 Hush-hush govt. gp.

Grid for the Super Crossword puzzle.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

Grid for the Weekly SUDOKU puzzle.

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

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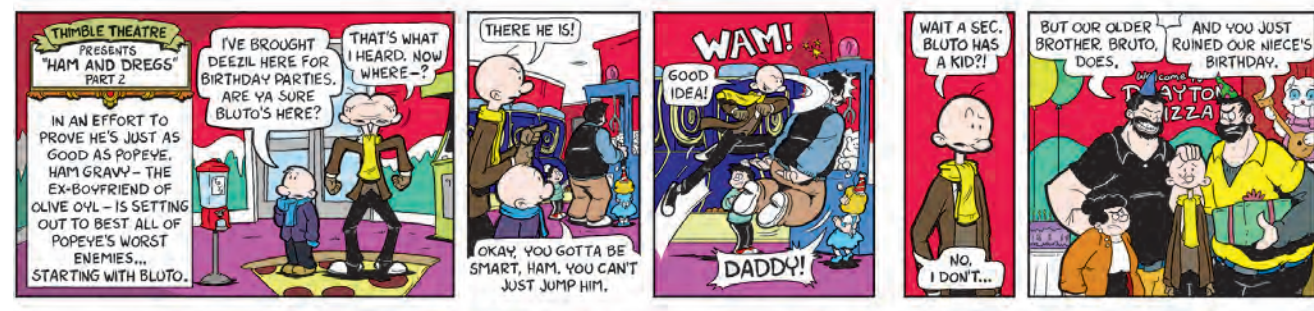
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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. TELEVISION: Which TV game show features a "Daily Double" to increase potential winnings? 2. FOOD & DRINK: What kind of poisoned fruit does the fairy-tale character Snow White eat and fall into a deep sleep? 3. ADVERTISING: Which cereal features a character named Seadog? 4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president officially named the executive mansion the White House? 5. MOVIES: What is the name of the most famous Wookiee in the "Star Wars" movies? 6. MONEY: What is the official currency of Nigeria? 7. ANIMAL KINGDOM: How many legs do shrimp have? 8. HISTORY: How many states did Alabama Gov. George Wallace win as a third-party candidate in the 1968 presidential primary? 9. MEDICAL: What is the common name for the human trachea? 10. GAMES: How many suspects are in the board game "Clue"?

- Answers 1. "Jeopardy." 2. Apple. 3. Cap'n Crunch. 4. Theodore Roosevelt. 5. Chewbacca. 6. The naira. 7. Ten. 8. Five. 9. Windpipe. 10. Six. © 2023 King Features Synd., Inc.



Super Crossword

Grid for the Super Crossword puzzle.

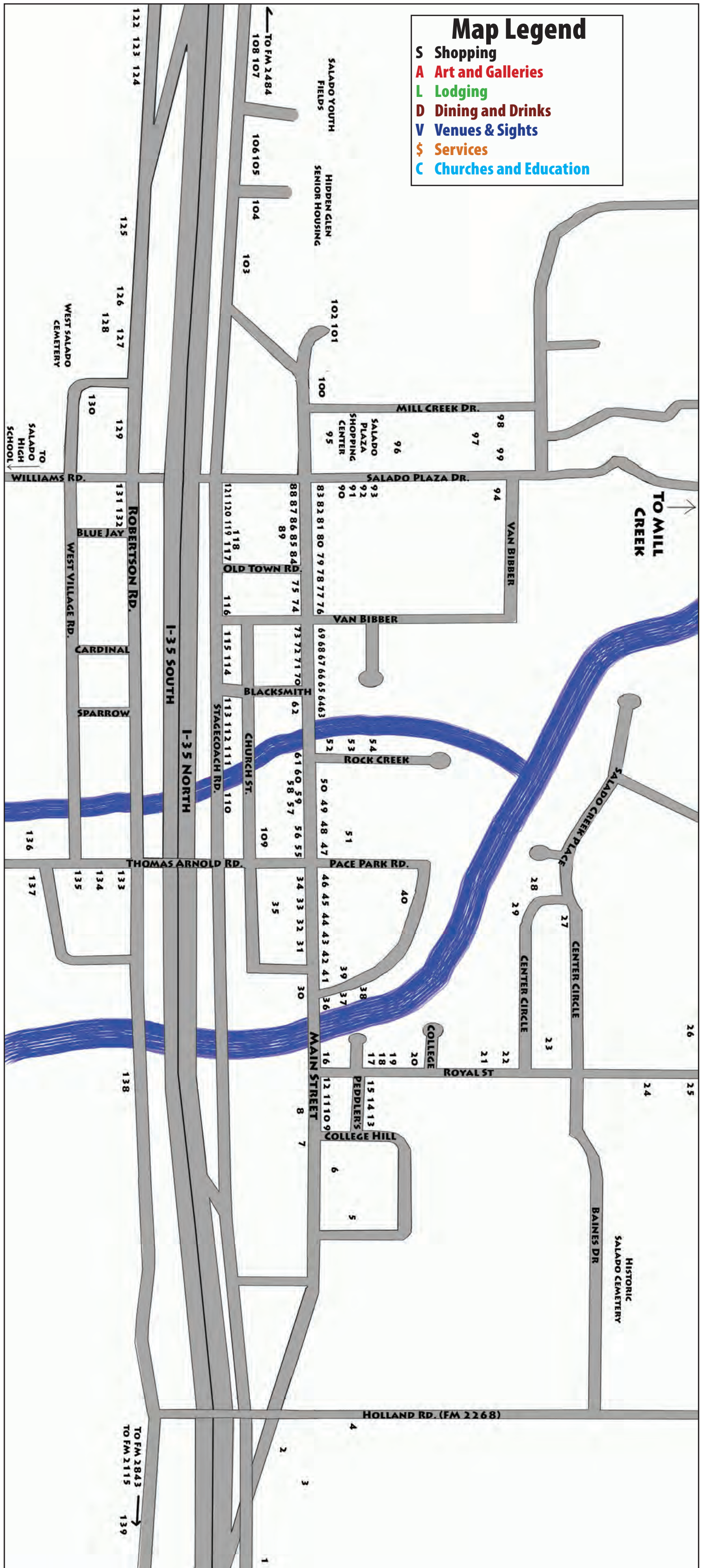
Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

Answer grid for the Weekly SUDOKU puzzle.

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560	Salado Creek Jewelry 254-855-5538	S
62	The Pizza Place 254-947-0222	D
75	Stage Stop Center Salado Creek Dental 254-308-2027	\$ \$
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| 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 | |

JV Boys host tourney

Salado Soccer Boys JVA/B hosted the 2023 Salado JV Classic Jan. 5-7. During the tournament they played teams from Ellison, Georgetown, IDEA S. Flores, Lampasas Marble Falls, and Shoemaker. JVA defeated Ellison 6-1

while JVB fell to Georgetown 2-1 on Jan. 5. JVA came away with losses to Georgetown (2-1) and IDEA Flores (4-0) on Jan. 5. Salado ended the tournament on Jan. 7 with three wins out of three. JVB de-

feated Marble Falls 2-0, JVA defeated Lampasas 3-0, and JVB closed out the tournament with a 5-0 victory over Shoemaker. The teams are coached by Matthew Figlestahler and Jared Martin.



Salado JV A Goalkeeper Daniel Chtay goes in for a stop against Georgetown. For more photos from the tournament, visit saladovillagevoice.com. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



JV A player Gabriel Merriman goes for a header against Georgetown. More photos at saladovillagevoice.com (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



(PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER) Salado JV B player Brodie Delukie fights for control of the ball.



Salado Eagles JV B goalkeeper Gabe Johnson makes a save against Georgetown during the Salado JV Soccer tournament Jan. 5. (PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

Ladies split recent games

Salado Lady Eagles split their basketball games last week, beating Lago Vista easily and losing badly to the #7 La Vega Lady Pirates in their first district game.

Lady Eagles 69
Lago Vista 26

Salado Lady Eagles took a 17-9 first quarter lead over the visiting Lago Vista Lady Vikings and built it to a blowout win of 69-26 Jan. 3 in a non-district game.

Elsie Law led the girls with 19 points, 17 of them in the first half. She was perfect at the free throw line on seven attempts. She grabbed 10 rebounds to complete the double double and grabbed a steal.

Karlee Konarik followed with 13 points. She also had 1 rebound, 2 assists, a deflection and a steal.

Ally Ihler also had double figures with 12 points, 5 rebounds, 2 assists, 2 deflections and 4 steals.

Also scoring for the Lady Eagles were Harley Drouillard, 9 points, 4 rebounds and 5 assists; Brooke McLaurin, 6 points, 7 rebounds and 3 assists; Elly Wade, 6 points, a rebound, 2 deflections and a steal; Ariel Cebreco, 4 points, a rebound, 2 assists, a deflection and a steal; Lorali Bookout, 5 rebounds and 4 steals and Giselle Salazar, 4 rebounds, an assist, 2 deflections and a steal.

Lady Eagles 22
La Vega 85

Salado Lady Eagles lost a district game to the #7 La Vega Lady Pirates 85-22 on Jan. 6.

Konarik led the girls with 7 points, 6 rebounds and 2 deflections. Also scoring were Law, 6 points, 7 re-



(PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN) Brooke McLaurin shoots over a La Vega defender.

bounds, a deflection and a steal; Ihler, 5 points, 6 rebounds, 2 deflections, a steal and a block; Cebreco, 2 points, a rebound and an assist; McLaurin, 2 points and 2 rebounds, Wade, 3 rebounds and a deflection and Giselle Salazar, 3 rebounds.

JV Red 58
Lago Vista 14

Salado Junior Varsity Red Lady Eagles jumped out to an 11-2 first quarter lead over the visiting Lago Vista Lady Vikings and never relinquished, winning 58-14 on Jan. 3.

Salado led 27-5 at the half and 43-17 after three.

Sophomores Ainsleigh Liebig and Brooklyn Williamson both scored 15 points to lead the girls.

Also scoring were Rity Guthrie and Brianna Tutor. SEE LADY EAGLES, PAGE 4C

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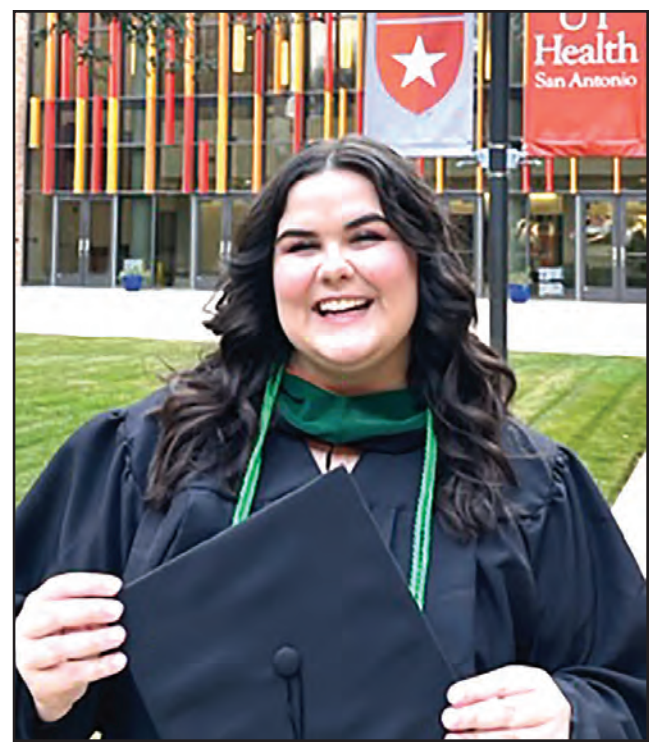
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Cavahn Wilson had two wins over opponents from Killeen. He also placed second in his weight class in the CenTex Tournament.



Ryland Woods.



Claire Manley recently graduated with highest honors from U.T. Health Science Center at San Antonio with a Masters of Physician Assistant Studies degree. She is a 2016 graduate of Salado High School. She is the daughter of David and Julee Manley and granddaughter of Noel and Suzanne Schnitz all of Salado. Claire will be employed by BSW Temple as a hospitalist.



Zackary Manthie has his opponent in a headlock. He had two wins against Killeen wrestlers. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Daniel Fisher

PHOTOS BY ROYCE WIGGIN

Wrestlers host Killeen, compete in Centex

Salado High School's Wrestling Team had three medalists at the 48-Team CenTex Tournament Jan. 6-7 at Austin's Delco Center.

Senior Cavahn Wilson (215 pound weight class) and Freshman Keagan Si-racki (113) both advanced

to the Championship Finals and placed second.

Sophomore Nathaniel Rechtfertig (126) made it to the consolation finals and placed fourth.

The Eagles finished 10th as a team out of the field of 48.

Adding to team point to-

tals with wins were: Zack-ary Manthie, Landon Blackwell, Ryland Woods, Rocco Purcell, Daniel Fisher and Alyssa Neagle.

Prior to the CenTex Tournament, Salado hosted Killeen High School on Jan. 4 for boys matches.

In that, Zachary Nan-

thie 144 pounds, had two wins. Rocco Purcell 132 lbs., won a match. Carter Schulz, 165 lbs., had two wins. Caden Weir, 136 lbs., won a match. Cavahn Wilson, 215 lbs., had two wins. Landon Blackwell, 285 lbs., won a match.

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For more information about board service, visit tasb.org/board-candidates.

Swimmers place in Burnet meet

Salado High School swim team competed at the Tex Robertson Burnet Invitational Swim Meet on Jan. 7 with 19 teams and more than 330 swimmers competing.

Ally Ihler placed seventh in the 100 yard butterfly with a time of 1:11.74.

She placed sixth in the 500 yard freestyle with a time of 6:24.87.

Hoak Rine placed 10th in the 100 yard breaststroke with a time of 1:18.49. Rine also placed 12th in the 200 yard individual medley with a time of 2:39.33



National Junior Honor Society officers with Jordan Mitchell (from left) Avery Hibner (NJHS Secretary); Audrey Kotalik (NJHS Vice President); Jordan Mitchell; Segiv Eldridge (NJHS President) and Cash Drigalla (NJHS Treasurer)

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Laura Ball and James Tipton.

Debaters compete in State Congress

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team competed at the UIL State Congress Meet Jan. 4-5. Prelims were held at the University of Texas and finals were held at the Texas State Capitol, where 360 students competed in the state tournament.

Results are as follows: James Tipton, Medalist, sixth and Laura Ball, Final-

ist, 13th.

UIL introduced congressional debate in 2014. Since then, Salado High School has won the state championship five times.

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team will compete next at the Brock UIL Meet on Jan. 21 and the Midway UIL/TFA Meet on Jan. 28. The team is coached by Tim Cook.

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



The Salado Middle School National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) officers raised over \$1,300 to buy Christmas gifts for Jordan Mitchell. They raised the money by selling baked goods and hot chocolate at the Salado Warrior Angels in Boots 5K on November 12, the Salado Band 5K on November 19, and during the Salado Stroll. Jordan is a 4th grade student at Thomas Arnold Elementary

School that is battling leukemia.

The Salado Middle School NJHS officers purchased the following presents for Jordan: horse riding lessons, tickets to the Monster Truck show, season passes to Sea World, a camera, and gift cards to Build-A-Bear and Boot Barn. They presented Jordan with these gifts at their meeting on Dec. 9.

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Salado Varsity Eagles are (front row, from left) Jackson Husung, Jose Mejia, Augusto Vargas, Ayden Shannon, Jett Luedeke, Thaddeus Heckman, Tyler Anderson, Cody Roquemore; (back row from left) Austin Anderson, Logan White, Luke Anderson, Morgan Adams, Hughston Taggart, Coach Cruddas, Briton Messick, Jake Rechtfertig, Brooks Dabney, Luke Drigalla, Andrew Gilmore. (COURTESY PHOTO)

Eagles compete in Governor's Cup

Salado Eagles won two of their three matches in the Governor's Cup showcase tournament in Georgetown Jan. 5-7, losing to Marble Falls, 1-0 on Jan. 5, beating Austin LASA, 2-0 on Jan. 6

and Northeast Early College 1-0 on Jan. 6.

Andrew Gilmore scored the first goal in Salado's 2-0 win over Austin LASA on Jan. 6, assisted by Thaddeus Heckman.

Heckman scored the second goal on an assist by Andrew Gilmore.

Goalkeepers Briton Messick and Hughston Taggart shared the shut out win.

Heckman scored the only

goal of the Eagles' 1-0 win over Northeast Early College on Jan. 7. Caine Cruddas gave the assists on the goal.

Taggart recorded the shut out for Salado.

Ladies take 2nd in Waller tourney

Salado Lady Eagles varsity soccer team placed second at the Waller Classic tournament Jan. 5-7. Prior to the tournament, the girls were ranked #1 in state by the Texas Girls Coaches Association.

The girls battled Bay City ending in a tie breaker of PK kicks. Bay City came out on top.

The girls shut out Hardin Jefferson 3-0 in the first round of the tournament Jan. 5.

Salado's first goal came from Cassie Vargas, who was assisted by Leyla Peralta. Their second goal was scored by Haley Piatak with the assist from Shelby Hollywood. The third and final goal of the game was scored by Evelyn Ackerman, who was assisted by Kamilla Grimmer.

Salado shut out Needville 5-0 in the second round of the tournament. Hollywood and Lexi Rice both



Salado Varsity Lady Eagles are (front row, from left) Taylor Dabney, Cassie Vargas, Leyla Peralta, Melanie Morrow, Lexi Rice, Mady Serna, Payton Cunningham, Shelby Hollywood; (back row from left) Kamilla Grimmer, Reese Lange, Maddy Schulz, Madyson Rosamond, Evelyn Ackerman, Ashlyn Williams, Haley Piatak, Rachel Bender, Skyler Gardner, Jillian Taylor, Kennedy Anthony, Izzy Blancaflor, Fran Blancaflor, Sydney Lange. (COURTESY PHOTO)

scored two goals. Haley Piatak added a goal. Assists came from Reese Lange, Piatak (2), and Hollywood.

Goalkeepers Fran Blancaflor and Taylor Dabney recorded the shutouts in

the first two matches of the tournament.

The JV girls beat Midway 2-0 on Jan. 3. Mady Rosamond and Penelope Anderson scored goals.

On Dec. 30 the JV girls

shut out Marble Falls 6-0. Scoring goals were Addison King, two goals, Penelope Anderson, Baleigh Rice and Cade Harris. Shut out assist from Camby Edmondson,

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8 points each, Abigail Klein, 6 points, Lola Haas, 4 points and Addison Matthews, 2 points.

JV Red 42
La Vega JV 64

Salado JV Lady Eagles lost to La Vega 64-42 on Jan. 6.

The teams were tied at 17-17 after the first but La Vega took control in the second period, scoring 13 and holding Salado to 2. La Vega led 49-29 after the third.

Liebig led the girls with 18 points. Guthrie followed with 10 points.

Also scoring were Williamson, 5 points, Tutor, 3 points and Addison Matthews, Mechell Estrada and Brooklyn Lowe, 2 points each.

JV White 34
Jarrell JV 29

Salado JV White Lady Eagles beat their counterparts from Jarrell, 34-29, in a non-district home game Jan. 6.

Salado led 6-2 after the first and 18-11 at the half. Jarrell closed to within one in the third, 22-21.

Presli Thompson led the girls with 12 points. Also scoring for Salado were Lily Gillette and Kensley Free, 6 points each, Reese Franks and Reagan Connor, 4 points each and Nicole Moreno, 2 points.

The Lady Eagles will play host Robinson on Jan. 13 and China Spring on Jan. 20 in district contests.



Ally Ihler defends against CeMaria Kelly of La Vega.

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Boys Basketball results

Salado Eagles lost two non-district basketball games last week.

Salado Eagles 52
Lago Vista 53

Salado Eagles hit less than 50% of their 19 free throw attempts in their razor-thin loss to the visiting Lago Vista Viking, falling just short 53-52 on Jan. 3.

The Vikings jumped out to a 16-9 lead in the first quarter but Salado rallied back to narrow it to 25-24 going into the lockers.

Salado tied the game at 28-28 in the third but the Vikings edged Salado 15-14 in the fourth.

Luke Law led the Eagles with 14 points, shooting six of 13 from the field. He also had 7 rebounds, an assist, 2 deflections, a steal and a block.

Nolan Miller followed with 9 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals.

Also scoring for Salado were Noah Self, 8 points, 5 rebounds, 3 assists, a deflection, a steal and 2 blocks; Darius Wilson, 7 points, 1 rebound, 3 assists, a deflection and 2 steals; Levi Ball, 5 points, 3 rebounds, 2 assists, 2 deflections, a steal and a block; Kase Maedgen, 5 points and a rebound; Mehki Lanier, 2 points, a rebound and an assist; Colby Ramm, 2 points, a rebound, an assist and a steal and Owen Pitcock, 2 rebounds, 4 assists, 2 deflections and 3 steals.

Salado Eagles 48
Gateway Prep 58

Gateway Prep Gators outscored Salado Eagles 20-6 in the second period, which launched their 10-point victory over the visiting Eagles on Jan. 6.



Kase Maedgen goes up against Lago Vista.

The Gators won 58-48 in the non-district game.

Self led the Eagles with 10 points, 5 rebounds, 2 assists and a deflection.

Pitcock also had 10 points, contributing 5 rebounds, an assist and a steal.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Wilson, 8 points, a rebound, 3 assists, a deflection and 2 steals; Ball, 7 points, 4 rebounds, an assist; Law, 5 points, 8 rebounds, 3 assists, a steal and a block; Maedgen, 5 points, 2 rebounds, an assist and 2 deflections; Lanier, 2 points; Josh Gilpin, 1 point, a rebound and an assist; Miller, 2 rebounds and an assist and Ramm, 1 rebound.

UNDER-VARSITY
SHS JV Eagles 41
Lago Vista 35

Salado Eagles Junior Varsity basketball team beat Lago Vista, 41-35, at home Jan. 3.

Scoring for Salado were Grayson Lomeil, 14 points, Chevy Adkisson, 8 points, Mason Brown, 5 points, Korbin Konarik, 5 points, Jack Ingram, 2 points, Dawson Barksdale, 2 points, Brandon English, 1 point and Nathan Tanner, 1 point.

SHS JV Eagles 26
Gateway Prep 54

The JV Eagles lost to Gateway Prep on the road 54-26 on Jan. 6.

Scoring for Salado were Lomeil, 11 points, English, 5 points, Barksdale, 4 points, Adkisson, Brown and Ingram, 2 points each.

The Eagles are 4-10 as of presstime this week.

9th Eagles 56
Lago Vista 15

Salado ninth grade Eagles cruised past Lago Vista at home 56-15 on Jan. 3.

Scoring for Salado were Andrew Benavides, 17 points, Gabe Merriman, 12 points, Derrick Smith, 6 points, Bradon Gonzales, 5 points, Coulson Boyd, 3 points, B.J. Amann and Cade Fenoglio, 2 points each.

9th Eagles 53
Gateway 18

Salado ninth grade Eagles

beat Gateway Prep 53-18 on the road Jan. 6.

Scoring for Salado were Benavides, 22 points, Merriman, 11 points, Brody Delukie, 6 points, Ethan Robledo, 5 points, Amann, 4 points, Boyd, 3 points and Gonzales, 2 points.

Salado ninth graders are 10-2 on the year.

JUNIOR HIGH BOYS
8th A Eagles 25
Connally 8th A 37

Salado 8th Grade A Eagles fell to Waco Connally 8th Grade A Cadets, 37-25 on Jan. 5.

Scoring for the Eagles were Julian Gerena, 11 point, Brennan Heber, 5 points, Landon Noske, 4 points, Colt Norman, 3 points and Jackson Tipton, 2 points.

8th B Eagles 34
Connally 8th B 3

Salado 8th Grade B Eagles beat Waco Connally 8th Grade B Cadets, 34-3 on Jan. 5.

Scoring for the Eagles were Hawkins, 8 points, Luke Leiskau, 6 points, Braeden Naegle and Daniel Hernandez, 4 points each and Jaden Jefferson, Calen Brazzil, Juaquin Vegahouser, Peyton Sniggs, Cole Cooley and Hunter Manthie, 2 points each.

7th A Eagles 46
Connally 7th A 31

Salado 7th Grade A Eagles beat Waco Connally 7th grade A team, 46-31 on Jan. 5.

Scoring for the Eagles were Griffin Self, 13 points, Wyatt Tipping, 12 points, Brody Schiller, 10 points, Jayden Humphrey, 7 points, Xander Corwin and Cooper Lepsis, 2 points each and Owen Gunter, 1 point.

The 7th Grade A Eagles are 3-1 on the year.

7th B Eagles 28
Connally 7th B 10

Salado 7th Grade B Eagles beat their counterparts from Connally Junior High, 28-10 on Jan. 5.

Scoring for the Eagles were Caden Foster, 8 points, Randy Rogers and Carter Morris, 6 points each, Hudson Slimp, 4 points, Barrett McIver, 3 points, and Luke Carlson, 1 point.

The boys are 6-1 on the year.

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Jan. 2
12:09 a.m.; Offense Report, SPD22300006
12:27 a.m.; Incident Report, SPD22206040
1:07 a.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
1:09 a.m.; Salado Creek Place, Security Check.
1:14 a.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:44 a.m.; W. Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:55 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
12:16 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
12:50 p.m.; Mill Creek Dr., RU OK Security Check.
1:09 p.m.; Mill Creek Dr. RU OK Security Check.
1:13 p.m.; Park Dr. RU OK Security Check.
1:16 p.m.; Salado Creek Place. Security Check.
1:23 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
1:32 p.m.; Eagle Heights Dr. Call for Service, Theft.
2:59 p.m.; Offense Report, SPD2230002
4:26 p.m.; Offense Report, SPD22206053
5:23 p.m.; SB Rest Area. Call for Service, Agency Assist.
6:16 p.m.; N. Main St. Call for Service, Medical.
9:03 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Citation.
10:19 p.m.; NB IH-35 at MM 283. Call for Service, Stranded Motorist.
10:20 p.m.; IH-35 NB at 283. Call for Service, Stranded Motorist.
10:52 p.m.; N. Main Street. Call for Service, Area Check.
11:42 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Citation.
Jan. 3
12:28 a.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
12:36 a.m.; Salado Creek Place. Security Check.
12:46 a.m.; Brody Way. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:01 a.m.; West Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:15 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
1:18 a.m.; N. Stagecoach. Call for Service, Suspicious Circumstances.
1:51 a.m.; IH-35 NB Service Rd. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
1:57 a.m.; IH-35 NB Frontage Rd. Traffic Stop, Verbal Warning.
1:57 a.m.; IH-35 NB at 283 MM. Call for Service, Stranded Motorist.
2:02 a.m.; IH-35 NB Frontage Rd. at Exit 283. Call for Service, Stranded Motorist.
12:40 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property, Security Check.
12:44 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
12:54 p.m.; Salado Creek Place. Security Check.
7:50 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
7:56 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop Written Warning.
8:16 p.m.; IH-35 NB MM 285. Call for Service, Stranded Motorist.
8:22 p.m.; FM 2268 at Laly Lane. Call for Service, Animal Complaint.
8:46 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
9:00 p.m.; Williams. Traffic Stop, Citation.
9:08 p.m.; FM 2268 at Laly Lane. Call for Service, Animal Complaint.
9:15 p.m.; West Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
9:57 p.m.; Salado Creek Place. Security Check.
9:58 p.m.; Thomas Arnold Elementary. Call for Service, Area Check.
10:18 p.m.; Brody Way. Call for Service, Area Check.
10:22 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
10:40 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property, Security Check.
11:01 p.m.; IH-35 SB MM 293. Call for Service, Security Check.
11:17 p.m.; IH-35 at MM 289. Traffic Stop, Citation.
Jan. 7
12:01 a.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
12:27 a.m.; Vanessa Dr. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:08 a.m.; North Main St. at Main St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
1:20 a.m.; N. Main St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
2:03 a.m.; W. Village Rd. Call for Service, Area Check.
2:24 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
2:32 a.m.; I-35 and Mile Marker 280. Call for Service, Reckless Driver.
2:36 a.m.; S. Main St. at Thomas Arnold. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
3:14 a.m.; N. Main St. at Old Town. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
4:03 a.m.; Vanessa Dr. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
11:24 a.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
11:46 a.m.; N. Robertson at Williams Rd. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
12:19 p.m.; West Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
12:37 p.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.
11:17 p.m.; IH-35 at MM 289. Traffic Stop, Citation.
Jan. 7
12:01 a.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
12:27 a.m.; Vanessa Dr. Call for Service, Area Check.
1:08 a.m.; North Main St. at Main St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
1:20 a.m.; N. Main St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
2:03 a.m.; W. Village Rd. Call for Service, Area Check.
2:24 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
2:32 a.m.; I-35 and Mile Marker 280. Call for Service, Reckless Driver.
2:36 a.m.; S. Main St. at Thomas Arnold. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
3:14 a.m.; N. Main St. at Old Town. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
4:03 a.m.; Vanessa Dr. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
11:24 a.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
11:46 a.m.; N. Robertson at Williams Rd. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
12:19 p.m.; West Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
12:37 p.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.

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Salado Volunteer Fire Department Report Jan. 1-7

Date	Address	Incident Type
01/01	BOX K LN, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/02	ELM GROVE RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/02	HACKBERRY RD, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/02	IH-35, S/B, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/02	N MAIN ST, Salado	Assist invalid
01/02	IH-35, N/B, Bell	EMS call, excluding MVA with injury-
01/03	ELM GROVE RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/03	ANNAS SPRING DR, Bell	EMS call, excluding MVA with injury-
01/04	BAINES ST, SLDO	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/04	IH-35, N?B, Salado	EMS call, excluding MVA with injury-
01/04	SOUTHRIDGE RD, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/04	FM 1670, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/04	Salado	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.
01/04	SALADO SPRINGS CIR, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/05	THE CREEKS DR, Salado	Dispatched & cancelled en route
01/05	S IH 35 SERVICE RD, Salado	No incident found on arrival at address
01/05	ELMER KING RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
01/05	IH 35, Bell	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.
01/06	N MAIN ST, Salado	Unauthorized burning
01/06	, Salado	Grass fire
01/06	COLLEGE HILL DR, Bell	Assist invalid
01/06	MM 283 IH 35 NB, Bell	Grass fire
01/06	Bell, TX	No incident found on arrival at address
01/06	N MAIN ST, SLDO	Natural vegetation fire, other
01/06	WILD SEED DR, Bell	Dispatched & cancelled en route
01/07	LUKER RD, Bell	Dispatched & cancelled en route
01/07	HACKBERRY RD, Bell,	Authorized controlled burning
01/07	THOMAS ARNOLD RD, Salado	Dispatched & cancelled en route

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1:17 p.m.; Williams Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
 1:26 p.m.; FM 1670. (Dollar General). Call for Service, Agency Assist.
 1:35 p.m.; S. Main St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
 1:48 p.m.; Royal St. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
 1:56 p.m.; N. Main St. Traffic Stop, Citation.
 2:35 p.m.; Thomas Arnold Rd. Traffic Stop, Citation.
 3:09 p.m.; Williams Rd. at N. Robertson. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
 3:46 p.m.; FM 2484. Traffic Stop, Written Warn-

ing.
 3:59 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
 4:39 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
 4:49 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
 9:32 p.m.; Call for Service, Medical.
 9:46 p.m.; N. Main St. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
 10:51 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
 11:14 p.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.
 11:45 p.m.; W. Village

Rd. Call for Service, Area Check.
 Jan. 8
 12:03 a.m.; W. Village Rd. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
 12:20 a.m.; N. Main St. Call for Service, Citizen Contact.
 2:17 a.m.; Warrant Arrest.
 2:54 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
 3:17 a.m.; Vanessa St. Call for Service, Area Check.
 3:21 a.m.; IH-35 SB MM 294. Call for Service, Reckless Driving.
 3:35 a.m.; Warrant Arrest.

3:39 a.m.; Union Park Rd. Call for Service, Agency Assist.
 9:18 a.m.; Williams Rd. (Salado HS). Call for Service, Area Check.
 9:45 a.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Security Check.
 9:56 a.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.
 10:11 a.m.; West Village. Call for Service, Area Check.
 10:42 a.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
 12:19 p.m.; Royal St. and Smith Branch. Call for Service, Theft.
 1:29 p.m.; N. Main St. (Century 21). Call for Service, Business Alarm.
 4:09 p.m.; Bluff Circle. Call for Service, Welfare

Concern.
 4:32 p.m.; Brody Way. Call for Service, Area Check.
 4:35 p.m.; Red Tag Report.
 7:31 p.m.; Cowboys BBQ. Call for Service, Civil Matter.
 8:16 p.m.; Logan Blvd. Call for Service, Area Check.
 8:42 p.m.; W. Village Rd. Call for Service, Area Check.
 8:50 p.m.; W. Village Rd. Traffic Stop, Written Warning.
 10:39 p.m.; Traffic Stop.
 10:49 p.m.; W. Village. Traffic Stop, Citation.
 11:08 p.m.; N. Stagecoach Rd. Call for Service, Warrant Service.
 11:30 p.m.; Pace Park Rd. (Park Bathrooms) Secu-

rity Check.
 11:45 p.m.; All Salado School Buildings/Property. Security Check.
 11:57 p.m.; Vanessa. Call for Service, Area Check.
 Jan. 9
 12:29 a.m.; S. Main St. Call for Service, Alarm Business.
 12:39 p.m.; W. Village Rd. Call for Service, Other.
 12:48 a.m.; Offense Report. SPD22300167
 12:54 a.m.; Warrant Arrest.
 12:58 a.m. Warrant Arrest.
 12:59 a.m.; Warrant Arrest.
 1:00 a.m.; Warrant Arrest.
 8:31 a.m.; Misc. Activity, Select.
 9:32 a.m.; Security Check.

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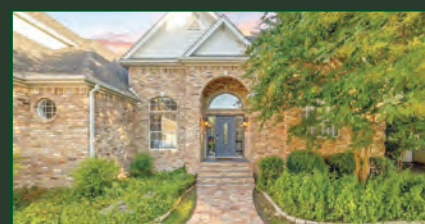
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