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# Bankrobbedagai

A lone suspect entered sleeve pullover shirt, navy kansas to various parts of July 9, produced a note and white socks. and robbed the bank of an money.

The suspect is described the scene on foot. as a slender white male,

First State Bank-Salado at blue with royal blue stripes Texas, including Tyler and approximately 10:40 a.m. shorts, white athletic shoes Temple.

undetermined amount of the teller, indicating that cameras," Chief Hensley that he was armed. He fled said.

5'11" to 6'0" in height. He Jack Hensley said that the the incident is encouraged was wearing a navy blue suspect is also suspected to contact the Salado Poball cap, navy blue with of committing a series of lice Department at 947royal blue stripes long bank robberies from Ar- 5681.

"He didn't seem to He produced a note to shield his face from the

Anyone with informa-Salado Police Chief tion about the suspect or

### Aldermen move advertising funds to tourism, consider allowing live music

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado aldermen moved \$20,000 in funds from the general fund to the hotel/ motel fund, approved a fifth police officer position and a 19-lot subdivision at their July 5 meeting and conducted the first of amending the Zoning Ordinance to add two new use categories that will allow Restaurants with Live Music and/or Dancing and the first of two readings of Restaurant Mobile Food Unit/Vendor.

At the request of Alderman Hans Fields, the board moved the \$20,000 in advertising funds from under the authority of the mayor's Economic Development committee to the cal residents spoke in op-Tourism department.

The board authorized the transfer of \$20,000 from the general operating account to the tourism account to put the expenditures under the authority property is zoned Local of Tourism Chair Debbie Retail and is surrounded Charbonneau.

Fields with a second given one property zoned Single addition of a new police by Alderman Bryan Fritch, Family residential. passing 5-0.

said that she saw the move been issued a building peras a "first investment... mit for the construction of We will need to continue an outdoor catering venue to assist while I-35 is being built." She added that she would want the Village Dunlap, Janie Dunlap and to maintain control of the funds, rather than contract-

do not see the Chamber of a live music venue. Joe Commerce administering Village funds."

Fields said that the issue of whether "this is a onetime thing or not is something to be debated when we begin budgeting for next year."

Alderman Stephen Petwo readings to consider ters said that he was "not real comfortable that this isn't a 'one and done'" expenditure.

Aldermen conducted the proposed additions to the Zoning Ordinance use charts that will allow Restaurants with Live Music and/or Dancing and Restaurant Mobile Food Unit/ Vendor.

Prior to the reading, loposition to plans by Johnny's Steaks and Barbecue to develop a live music venue on approximately four acres of property off of Thomas Arnold Rd. The by other properties zoned The motion came from Local Retail, except for

Currently, Johnny's Alderman Susan Terry Steaks and Barbecue has and pavilion for dining.

John Jennings, Bryan Mary Dutton continued to voice their opposition to

ing with another entity. "I the plans Johnny's has for Rex added his voice to that opposition, stating that an outdoor music venue in a neighborhood would depreciate home values and contribute to safety and noise concerns for the "dozen or so families on our road." He added that if the venue should get final approval that the Village would enforce the noise ordinance and assure that there would not be parking along Salado Creek Rd.

Josh Bratton said that the expansion would allow their business to attract weddings, reunions, charity events as well as live music during the year.

"I feel like I need to defend myself," Johnny Bratton said, adding that unfair accusations had been made against him and his business. "We take great pride in operating a successful and a reputable business."

Aldermen will consider the P&Z Commission recommendation at their July 19 meeting.

officer position. Board members asked Chief Jack Hensley if there was money remaining in the budget to cover the additional cost for the salary. One officer has been off the payroll while collecting worker's compensation for a jobrelated injury and has not been collecting pay.



(Photo by Royce Wiggin)

Salado High School Drummer Mario Mendoza practices on the snare drum during a Drum Camp at the SHS Band Hall this week. Even though school is out, the campuses are busy with camps and other activities.

### **Swirl into Salado this weekend**

"Six S's" of wine tasting the Salado Swirl on July 14 by Charlotte's of Salado; the original price of the is the event for you

promises to satisfy all of Gallery; Georgetown Winfrom wine tastings to enjoying local cuisine while listening to music.

The following Texas wineries and Salado shops participating are: Salado Creek Winery will be hosted at Salado Glassworks; Salado Wine Seller will be hosted at Salado

For those who know the Springhouse; Rising Star pants that purchase tickets This one-day event hosted by Prellop Fine Art price of \$39.95. on the Creek and Dancing Bee Winery will be hosted by Salado Mercantile, The Vineyard at Florence will be hosted by Horsefeathers, and Inwood Estates Vineyard will be hosted by The Range.

This is a ticketed event for \$59.95 per person. But Wine Seller; Fiesta Vine- for a limited amount of yards will be hosted by time the first 150 partici-

Vineyards will be hosted online will receive \$20 off Journey Vineyards will be ticket bringing it to a total

Each participant will Aldermen approved the your culinary delights ery will be hosted by Inn receive: a signature Salado Swirl wine glass, an event keepsake poster, a purchase certificate from participating merchants, one goody bag, and a passport to show locations of participating merchants and wineries.

> Tickets must be purchased in advance at www. saladoevents.com. There is a limited amount of tickets.



#### INSIDE

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### **Seven Year Itch extends run to July 21** at Salado Silver Spur Theater

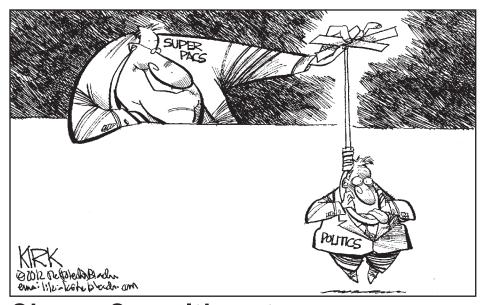
Silver Spur Theatre (108 Royal St.) will extend its run of "The Seven Year Itch" to a fifth weekend. The final show will be Sat., July 21.

"We are enjoying surprisingly large and appreciative audiences," said Grainger Esch. "And the buzz in Salado and beyond continues to be strong."

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# FORUM

### An Open Exchange of Ideas



#### ObamaCare: It's not over

Plans haven't yet begun for the monument to John Roberts on the National Mall. These things take time. Until the groundbreaking, liberals must content themselves with bestowing national sainthood on Roberts and with declaring the health-care debate definitively over. It's time for everyone to accept a new \$1 trillion entitlement profoundly affecting the direction of American health care and focus on issues of concern to every civic-minded American, such as: Did Mitt Romney outsource a call center as Massachusetts governor?

ObamaCare has been declared over repeatedly and consistently. During the debate over its passage, it was always one more Obama speech from being settled once and for all. Afterward, Democrats predicted there was no way to repeal it, and its popularity was just around the corner. The court challenge was poohpoohed as another instance of futile resistance. Now that the law has barely hung on thanks to the Roberts triple lutz, the state of the debate is said to be -- as ever -- over.

If so, supporters have lost it in the arena of public opinion. Upon its passage, the New York Times/CBS poll found that it had 32 percent support. Before the Supreme Court decision, the New York Times/CBS poll found its support essentially unchanged at 34 percent. A different poll -- from Reuters/Ipsos – found a majority, 52 percent, still disapproved of it in the immediate wake of headlines about the Supreme Court's blessing.

The law has lacked popular legitimacy from the beginning, and is still struggling for it. Its major features are yet to be implemented. Republicans remain unified in their opposition and commitment to repeal. The cry that the debate is over is an attempt to short-circuit that very debate in a self-fulfilling prophecy.

### Rich Lowry



The law is hardly the picture of stability. States have been slow to set up the complex insurance exchanges as stipulated by the law. If they don't, the federal government will be hard-pressed to set up the exchanges on its own. As amended by John Roberts, the law is more unstable. He gives states the option to refuse the law's Medicaid expansion. He weakens the individual mandate. Both of the Roberts changes mean the law may ultimately cover fewer people.

How about all the wonders of the law? Doesn't it reduce the deficit? Only under optimistic Congressional Budget Office projections. Doesn't it keep young adults up to the age of 26 on their parents' insurance plans? Most insurance companies will probably do this anyway. Its two central selling points, insuring millions more people and keeping people with pre-existing conditions from getting locked out of insurance, can be addressed with policies that are cheaper and less disruptive (a tax credit for purchase of insurance and high-risk pools, respectively).

When they set out to pass health-care reform, Democrats could have built public support for a sweeping law, or scaled back their ambitions. They did neither. Their insistence that the debate is over is a function of their continued failure to win genuine acceptance of the law. It's still up in the air, even after the great John Roberts has spoken.

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# Readers sound off on variety of issues

To the Editor:

I would like to challenge all Salado High School Sports Fans to come out and support all of our teams this year. With the recent redistricting placing Salado into the 2A ranks, we are one of the larger 2A schools in the state and the largest in this new District.

It's going to start with football in a little over a month. It's been embarrassing to see our opponents' bleachers and side of the field more full with fans that make noise and support their teams throughout the "WHOLE GAME." We need to show more support this year and let the other teams know that they are going to have a tough time when they come to Salado. And with us playing in the second toughest 2A District in the state (toughest in some people's opinions), our boys will need our support at every road game. And lots of it! So make the road trips everyone!!!

The last two years have been difficult playing some schools that are twice the size of SHS. Our boys have done a tremendous job in the face of coaching changes and direction, and it looks like they will be dealing with more new coaches this year. Our boys have acquitted themselves well in the face of a very tough schedule the last two years. We've lost some good players who have left Salado to play elsewhere. It's a shame that a few good athletes have left due to controversy, but I think the team that will represent SHS this year truly has a chance to do something special.

Many people said that last year would be "the vear" for Salado to have a standout Football season. But I've watched many of the boys on this team compete since they were in 3rd grade, and it truly is a great bunch of kids who can do extremely well. They need to catch a few breaks, and they will, and I have great confidence that they will not only make the playoffs, but have a great run at the end of the year.

This is my son's fourth year on the Varsity Team. He was so excited when Coach Cheatham put him on Varsity at the begin-

### **Your Voice**

Letters to the Editor

ning of his Freshman season. But he has only been part of 9 wins in three very tough seasons since then. It sure would be fun for him and his teammates to rack up 9 wins or more this year.

And it sure would be fun if our crowds "SHOW UP!!! MAKE SOME NOISE!!! SUPPORT OUR BOYS"!!!

While we're at it, how about the band jazz up the school song a little bit. It sounds like a funeral dirge. Our band has always been recognized as special and I think they can play anything well. I'd bet if you poll them, they'd love to crank the school song up a bit... I've heard other schools that have the same tune, but they play it more uptempo and it always sounds more spirited than our version.

It's a little thing, and I certainly don't want to offend any alumni that are attached to the slow finger wave at the end of our games. But let's crank things up a notch this year and see what happens!

Kurt Barrett

Proud Father of Sam Barrett (Class of 2013) and Tyler Barrett (Class of 2018)

#### To the Editor:

Regardless of whether you support or oppose the national health care law, consider this: the federal Agency for Health Care Research and Quality recently released its annual report which scores every state's health care services and delivery. The Dallas Morning News notes that "Texas ranks worst in the nation..." in the delivery and provision of these essential services. than Arkansas or West Virginia (both with the next lowest scores). Worse than Mississippi (always a state we can say we aren't as bad as!). Worse than all other 49 states.

The singular category where we excelled is 'maternal and child health.' As you know, the USDA nutrition program of Women, Infants and Children (WIC) is federally and state funded. So we can't take full credit for

our "strong" ranking in that area.

As Mr. Perry mulls over opting out of Medicaid expansion (to help cover uninsured Texas citizens), perhaps we should contact our local state representative to urge support of Medicaid expansion.

Option two is to continue to be the "worst in the nation" while turning our backs on our fellow Texans

George Murphy Salado

#### To the Editor:

"Get up and do something" was my recycling answer a few years ago. Saturday, July 7 at Keep Salado Beautiful Center we collected 370 cu.ft. of cardboard/paper and 430 cu.ft. of plastic, alum., and steel. I believe more people in Salado do want to "Get up and do ALOT" to reduce, reuse and recycle.

A special thanks to High School volunteers Lizzy Cooke and Alex Cooke. The weather was "warm" but nothing stopped their hard work. Any other kids want to volunteer call 947-8195.

Thanks everyone for giving trash a second life.
Karen Kinnison

#### To the Editor:

We should all be gravely concerned about the zoning changes requested by Johnny's to allow for outdoor drinking, dancing, live music, and mobile food trucks. If approved, this new entertainment "venue" will be caddy corner to Thomas Arnold Elementary School (home of 350 preschool to second graders), less than a block away from two popular day care facilities, and across the street from softball fields. Another stone's throw down the street from Johnny's are 400 students at Salado Intermediate (grades 3-6), 200 at Salado Junior High (grades 7-8) and Eagle Stadium. Facilities which all routinely have extracurricular activities at night and on weekends involving Salado families and children. That's 950

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#### **Perfect and Hot Storm**

#### Time to save ourselves from climate nightmare of our own making

By Daphne Wysham

I was driving toward my home in the foothills of the Shenandoah mountains when the wind really started to worry me. It was blowing debris horizontally across Interstate 66 with gusts that were flying at over 80 miles an hour. Then lightning began forking all around. The night sky was ablaze. Large trees sprawled across several lanes of traffic. The rain pelted down so hard I couldn't see further than a couple hundred feet.

"If you're going through hell," the Rodney Atkins country song goes, "Keep on going...You might get out before the devil even knows you're there."

If I kept going, I reasoned, I would get through the storm faster — it was coming from the west, where I was headed. I later recognized my dumb luck. I had taken an extraordinary chance by driving on. At least 13 other less fortunate people in Virginia died because of this storm. I merely came home to a house without power.

My luck continued. I had power the next day, but hundreds of thousands of others outside Washington, D.C., went without power for days in the region's worst heat wave on record. In the nation's capital, cell towers and other facilities that motor our smart phones and Internet connections were knocked out, choking off the wonders of modern communications. Drinking water was rationed in some areas.

This storm, a rare kind technically called a "derecho," ripped through a large swathe of the Midwest and mid-Atlantic region. We may have to get used to this kind of thing.

This scorching summer is "what global warming looks like," as a scientist quoted by the Associated Press plainly stated. As an expert on climate change, I agree. So, what's our response? Now that it's in the rear-view mirror, what

have we learned from this storm?

We need to move beyond naming the crisis we are living through. Just as I had to confront my own reckless decision to drive through that vicious storm, all of us must begin accepting the huge and long-term costs of continuing with business as usual.

Economists now know with increasing precision exactly how much climate disasters are costing us. Conservative estimates put it on the order of \$25 per ton of carbon emitted, reflecting lost agricultural productivity, storm damage, health impacts, and water shortages.

That's nearly \$250 billion in damages each year. We could start to cover this cost now by scrapping fossil fuel subsidies, which cost Uncle Sam up to \$52 billion per year. Solar and wind power

may seem like pricey alternatives to you, versus energy derived from coal, nuclear reactors, oil, and gas. But they also don't enjoy the same hefty subsidies. People, governments, and companies are spending countless dollars adjusting to the costs of a crisis of our own making. It's a big gamble. In the best-case scenario, we may just throw out a refrigerator's worth of spoiled food or spend a night or two in a hotel. In the worst-case scenario, the Earth will become uninhabitable.

Is it really more expensive to switch to greener power sources and drive less? When you add up all the costs of doing otherwise — no way. By investing in cleaner energy sources now, we can save the lives of countless innocent victims — perhaps even those we love the most — from storms that should only appear in our nightmares.

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### An Open Exchange of Ideas



### **Dad, Mom and Marriage**

By Jennifer Marshall

A pair of federal court decisions between Mother's Day and Father's Day means the Supreme Court is likely to weigh in on whether society rightly holds up both a mother and a father as the ideal for children.

Judges of the federal 9th

Circuit appeals court overruled millions of Californians who voted for Proposition 8 to define marriage as one man and one woman in their state constitution. In the other case, judges of the 1st Circuit sided against an overwhelming bipartisan majority in Congress that passed the Defense of Marriage Act, which President Bill Clinton signed. One argument propelling such judicial activism is that it makes no difference whether a child is raised by same-sex parents instead of a traditional, married mother and father.

Earlier in the Prop 8 case, for example, District Court Judge Vaughn Walker wrote: "The research supporting this conclusion is accepted beyond serious debate in the field of developmental psychology." And in 2005, a report by the American Psychological Association said "not a single study" found any significant disadvantage for children of same-sex parents.

Now, though, that "no difference" assertion is under serious challenge with the publication of two peer-reviewed studies in the July issue of the scholarly journal Social Science Research. One article, by Loren Marks of Louisiana State University, reviewed 59 studies that the APA relied on to make its claim seven years ago. He found that not one compared a large, random, representative sample of same-sex

with a large, random, representative sample of intact biological families.

Instead, the data were based mostly on small "convenience samples" drawn from easily accessible respondents. Such samples have limited use, and are completely inadequate when the goal is to generalize to the population at large - or to inform a major public policy debate such as the redefinition of marriage.

The second study published in Social Science Research overcomes these problems by using a nationally representative random sample. Called the New Family Structures Study (NFSS), this dataset is a project under the direction of Mark Regnerus at the University of Texas-Austin. NFSS surveyed nearly 3,000 young adults, ages 18-39, across eight different family structures. It looked at a total of 40 outcome areas; prior studies of children of same-sex parents evaluated only a few outcomes.

Regenerus found significant differences on 24 outcomes between children whose mother had a lesbian relationship and their peers from intact families. Among the most striking: significantly higher rates of sexual victimization, welfare dependence and unemployment.

NFSS also shows that stable same-sex households with children are extremely rare. Data collectors screened 15,000 young adults to get a representative sample of 3,000, of which 1.7 percent said a parent had one or more same-sex relationships. Only two respondents said they had lived from birth to age 18 with same-sex parents. By comparison, 58 percent of the 15,000

parents and their children reported spending their entire childhood with their biological mother and father.

Even critics acknowledge that the New Family Structures Study raises the bar for quality of research on children affected by parents' same-sex relationships. Given the magnitude of the policy questions at hand, we need much more research in this area; Regnerus will open the NFSS data in the fall for analysis by other researchers.

Research on samesex parenting seems to follow the same trajectory we saw in studies of the intact family in recent decades. At first, samples were small and methodology was inadequate. But that didn't stop the spread of popular cultural messages such as TV character Murphy Brown's singlemotherhood-by-choice.

The quality of research gradually got more serious, and the results got more sobering. We had the "Dan Quayle Was Right" moment when Atlantic Monthly ran its April 1993 cover story showing Vice President Quayle's initial criticism of the sitcom's rosy picture to have been on target a year earlier. A reality show about a typical single mom would have revealed a much bleaker picture.

The two new studies suggest that we have a lot more to learn about how changing family forms impact children. They indicate Americans have good reason to stand by the tried-and-true ideal that every child should have a father and a mother. Courts have no business overruling that conclusion.

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**Sabotaging** Montana's campaign finance legacy



#### Jim Hightower

As a Montana newspaper editorial succinctly put it: "The greatest living issue confronting us today is whether the corporations shall control the people or the people shall control the corporations."

That might sound like it was written in the wake of the Supreme Court's Citizens United ruling. But it was actually in 1906, back when Montanans were rising up against out-ofstate mining corporations known as the "copper kings." Those corporate powers were exploiting Montana's workforce, extracting its public resources, and routinely extending bribes to control its government.

In 1912, however, the people passed the Corrupt Practices Act, a citizens' initiative that outlawed direct corporate expenditures in elections for state

The law broke the copper kings' legislative chokehold, and a century later, it was still working to put people power over money politics. Even today, the average cost of state senate races in Montana stands at only \$17,000. This low cost enables candidates to spend more time talking to everyday folks, and it contributes to one of America's highest voterturnout rates.

Doesn't that sound like a model of democracy in action? Well, it was, until an out-of-state corporate front group rode in like copper kings to sue the state. With a pack of high-dollar lawyers and a bundle of corporate funding, the group wailed that Montana's anti-corruption law discriminates against poor corporations, denying them their First Amendment "right" to have the biggest voice in government that money can buy.

And now, the five corporate hacks controlling the Supreme Court have ratified the front group's ridiculous argument, imperiously shoving Montana's law into the ditch and reimposing the rule of special interest money over the people's will.

To stop this court's coup against our democracy, we the People must pass a constitutional amendment overturning these decisions. To help, go to: www. United4ThePeople.org.

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### An Open Exchange of Ideas

### Letters

SISD students within two blocks of the proposed outdoor venue. We already have the untested indoor venue of the Salado Legends just down the street from the high school.... Now this?

Do our aldermen honestly believe families will want to move into an area where beer, dancing, live music, and mobile coaches permeate the outdoor air across the street from their beloved child's prospective school? Where's our

school district's noticeably absent voice on this critical matter? We recently dropped from a 3A school to a 2A school. If families view this outdoor venue as a negative and chose not to settle here, will 1A be far behind? Surely the district's leadership should do everything possible to fight for a safe learning environment for students currently enrolled and those to follow.

I have lived in Salado for 32 years. As a grandmother and retired educator I am concerned about the environment of Salado schools and the safety of all of our children. If you agree and do not want to see this type of venue on the steps of Salado schools it is imperative that you immediately contact the mayor and/or your elected aldermen. The superintendent of school and school board members should be

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contacted, too. Thank you. Respectfully, Nancy Sneed

#### To the Editor:

Twelve years ago, the Supreme Court declared George W. Bush the 43rd President of these United States with no regard for the will of the people as expressed in the popular vote, making Mr. Bush the first U.S President elected by the Supreme Court. In 2010, the Justices pronounced that money was now "free speech" in their Citizens United decision, clearing the way for corporations to spend unlimited amounts of that "free speech" to buy our elections and "have their way with us." Republicans embraced both of these decisions because these decisions helped ensure that power and control of our government would be in their hands.

Then came the Supreme Court's decision last week upholding the Affordable Care Act in which they affirmed the legitimacy of the act to make healthcare a reality for millions of men, women and children in this country. And, suddenly, the U.S. Supreme Court is an activist court! Just like that! Leading Republicans are pontificating mightily over this travesty of justice and vow to repeal "Obamacare" on Day 1 if Mitt Romney is elected president.

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And isn't it ironic that "Obamacare" is modeled after the state-regulated healthcare plan that Republican Governor Mitt Romney proposed and signed into Massachusetts law in 2006? Since then, that state legislature has worked to amend the act several times and, from all accounts, Massachusetts residents love their staterun healthcare.

So what's the problem? Why do Republicans continue to demonize the Affordable Care Act instead of working to amend the act to make it better? Could it be that their desire to get rid of President Obama takes precedence over ensuring affordable health care for the citizens they represent?

Joan Hinshaw Nolanville, TX

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### **Salado Police Report July 2-7**

July 2

6:15-7:05 p.m., 5200 Block FM 2484. Assist Other Agency, Crash. Two vehicle crash with unknown injuries. Arrived to find both vehicle's operators were injured. SVFD arrived on scene and began treatment. Traffic control was provided while treatment was administered and DPS worked the crash. Patients were transported by Scott & White EMS. Clear.

July 3 12:45-2:10 p.m., FM 2484 at FM 3481. Assist Other Agency, Crash. Originally dispatched as overturned 18 wheeler blocking both lanes of traffic at 2484 and 1670. Crash was located at 2484 and 3481. Provided traffic control on arrival. Three BCSO and two DPS units arrived on scene. Clear with traffic control units

2:10-2:35 p.m., P.D. Meet Complainant, walk in complainant wishes to report Theft by Check. Checks were stolen from her residence in Temple. Checks were cashed at Walmart in Temple by unknown subject. Complainant had the checking account at bank in Salado. Complainant was advised

Jeff Gore, songwriter

and performer, will pres-

ent a program to the

Ladies Auxiliary of the Salado Chamber of Com-

merce. The meeting will

start at 10 a.m. July 12

with social time 30 min-

utes prior. The Robertson

Room of the Stagecoach

on scene.

to file the original theft of at College Hill. Parkthe checks with Temple P.D. Clear.

July 4

10000 Block Brewer Rd. Missing Vehicle, subject had two flat tires on his 1993 Pontiac Firebird a week ago. He left the vehicle on the service rd. of IH-35 NB at 2268. The vehicle is black.

12:30-1:30 a.m., 600 Block W. Village. Disturbance, White male and female were arguing in their front yard. Female was extremely intoxicated. No signs of physical violence. Female had an outstanding warrant for her arrest. Arrested female and transported her to jail. Cleared. July 5

9:00 p.m., 2600 Block Winners Circ. Animal Call, 2 dogs, strays with no collars on the back porch. White and Black dogs, medium size. One of the 2 seems aggressive. Bell County ACO was off duty and assistance will be needed from them. Will ask for assistance from the ACO on Friday morning.

11:20-11:30 p.m., Brookshire. Alarm, checked all doors, all secure. No keyholder contacted

July 7

Cowboy singer at Auxiliary

1:40-2:05 p.m., S. Main

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teen he began writing

his own songs and per-

forming for audiences all

across the country.

ing Violation, dispatched that white truck was improperly parked, blocking a lane of traffic. Area checked and no violations were found. No complainant contact per dispatch.

10:25-11:15 p.m., 284 NB I-35. Assist Other Agency, Crash. One vehicle rollover with unknown injuries. Located crash in MM284 NB. Vehicle had left highway and was on roof blocking both lanes of NB service road. Traffic control was provided and patients were all found to be Code-4. Clear.

5:50-6:10 p.m., Exit 284 NB I-35. Motorist Assist, dispatched as red BMW

that had shut down in outside lane of traffic on I-35. Blocking. Arrived on scene with DPS. Operator had run out of fuel. Trooper gave courtesy ride for Operator to purchase fuel. I remained on scene, providing traffic control with patrol vehicle. With fuel in vehicle, Operator removed vehicle from scene. Clear.

9:35-9:45 p.m., 1100 Block Old Mill. Fireworks, observed fireworks being set off in 1100 Block of Old Mill. Located address and resident responsible. Advised they could not discharge fireworks within the city limits. Resident was done for the night. Clear.

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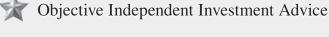
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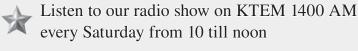


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Early Voting will be conducted in person each weekday at: Belton - Bell County Courthouse Annex, 550 East 2nd Ave; Killeen - Bell County Annex, 301 Priest Drive; Temple - Bell County Annex, 205 East Central Ave; Harker Heights - Parks & Recreation Center, 307

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Republican Candidate Ballot:

U.S. Senator: David Dewhurst, Ted Cruz.

Railroad Commissioner: Warren Chisum, Christi Craddick.

Railroad Commissioner (Unexpired Term):Barry Smitherman, Greg Parker.

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4: John Devine, David Medina.

Member, State Board of Education, District 10: Rebecca Osborne, Tom Maynard.

District Judge, 146th Judicial District: Mary Black Pearson, Jack Jones.

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Democratic Candidate

Ballot

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Date	Time	Nature of Call
06/01	3:09 p.m.	Good intent call, other
06/01	5:39 p.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/02	8:59 a.m.	Authorized controlled burning
06/02	11:28 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/05	1:19 p.m.	Dispatched and canceled en route
06/05	2:51 p.m.	Grass fire
06/05	4:54 p.m.	Vehicle accident with injuries
06/06	10:56 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/06	11:53 a.m.	Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire
06/06	10:12 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/08	11:49 a.m.	Authorized Controlled Burning
06/08	3:28 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/09	6:18 a.m.	Authorized controlled burning
06/11	4:21 p.m.	Grass fire
06/11	9:50 p.m.	Outside rubbish fire, other
06/12	4:54 p.m.	Grass fire
06/13	4:09 p.m.	Good intent call, other
06/14	4:28 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/14	4:12 p.m.	Good intent call, other
06/15	5:03 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/15	11:50 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/16	3:52 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/16	9:17 p.m.	Authorized controlled burning
06/17	7:38 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/17	3:18 p.m.	Good intent call, other
06/18	6:53 a.m.	Vehicle accident with injuries
06/18	12:14 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/19	4:34 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/20	10:18 a.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/20	1:46 p.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/20	3:22 p.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/21	9:31 a.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/22	2:45 a.m.	Good intent call, other
06/22	5:59 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/23	4:06 p.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/24	5:28 p.m.	Grass fire
06/24	8:23 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/24	8:47 p.m.	Authorized controlled burning
06/25	1:03 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/25	4:42 p.m.	Good intent call, other
06/28	7:49 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/28	3:51 p.m.	Grass fire
06/28	5:52 p.m.	Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other
06/28	7:21 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/28	10:43 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/29	9:59 a.m.	Alarm system sounded, no fire- unintentional
06/29	5:30 p.m.	Vehicle accident with injuries
06/29	7:59 p.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
06/29	11:10 p.m.	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries
06/30	1:05 a.m.	Good intent call, other
06/30	7:20 a.m.	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
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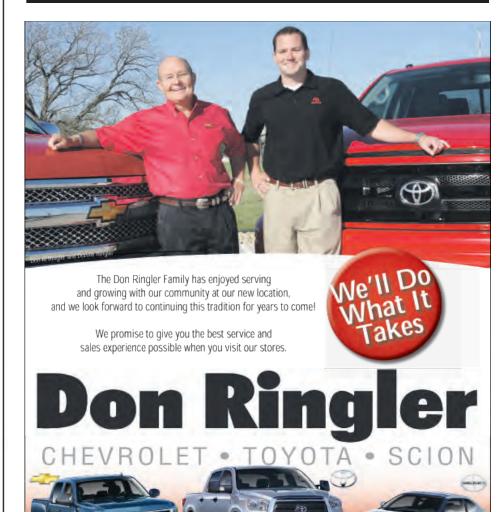


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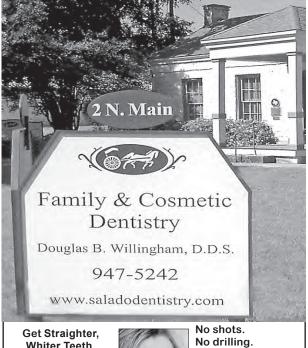
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Date		Opponent	Site	9th	JV	Varsity
Friday	10-Aug	Scrimmage	Belton	TBA	TBA	TBA
Saturday	11-Aug	Scrimmage	Copperas Cove	TBA	TBA	TBA
Monday	13-Aug	China Spring	Salado	5:00	5:00	6:00
Tuesday	14-Aug	Vandegrift	Salado	5:00		
Fri/Sat	17 & 18 Aug	Varsity Tournament	Wimberley	3.00	3.00	TBA
Tuesday	21-Aug	Killeen Ellison	Killeen Ellison	5:00	5:00	6:00
Thurs/Sat	23 & 25 Aug	Varsity Tournament	Gatesville	3.00	3.00	TBA
Friday	24-Aug	Belton Belton	Salado	5:00	5:00	
Tuesday	20 4	Logo Vieto	Calada	F-00	F.00	C.00
Tuesday	28-Aug	Lago Vista	Salado	5:00	5:00	
Thurs/Sat	30 & 1 Sept	Varsity Tournament	Harker Heights			TBA
Tuesday	4-Sep	Rosebud-Lott*	Rosebud-Lott	5:00	6:00	7:00
Thur/Sat	6 & 8 Sept	9th and JV Tournament	Waco Robinson	TBA	TBA	
Friday	7-Sep	Lorena	Salado	5:00	5:00	6:00
Tuesday	11-Sep	Jarrell*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Friday	14-Sep	Academy*	Academy	4:30	4:30	5:30
Tuesday	18-Sep	Florence*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Thurs/Sat	20 & 22 Sept	9th and JV Tournament	Georgetown	TBA	TBA	
Friday	21-Sep	Lexington*	Lexington	4:30		5:30
Tuesday	25-Sep	Rogers*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Friday	28-Sep	Cameron*	Cameron	4:30		
Tuesday	2-Oct	Rosebud-Lott*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Saturday	6-Oct	Jarrell*	Jarrell	1:00		
Tuesday	9-Oct	Academy*	Salado	5:00		
Friday	12-Oct	Florence*	Florence	4:30	4:30	5:30
Tuesday	16-Oct	Lexington*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
Friday	19-Oct	Rogers*	Rogers	4:30	4:30	5:30
Tuesday	23-Oct	Cameron*	Salado	5:00	6:00	7:00
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### **Obituaries**



SERGEANT FIRST CLASS
CLINT LEE FISHER

FORT HOOD, Texas -Fort Hood officials have released the name of a Soldier who died from a terminal illness at his residence in Temple, Texas July 2, 2012.

Sergeant First Class Clint Lee Fisher, 42, whose home of record is listed as Idabel, Okla., entered active duty service in July 1990 as a track vehicle repairer and served more recently as a maintenance supervisor. He was assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Warrior Transition Brigade, Fort Hood, since March 2012.

Fisher deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from February 2006 to December 2006 and March 2008 to March 2009. He also deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom from July 2010 to July 2011.

Fisher's awards and decorations include sev-Army Commendation Medals, five Army Achievement Medals, Navy Achievement Medal, four Army Good Conduct Medals, two Marine Corps Good Conduct Medals, National two Defense Service Medals, Southwest Asia Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal with campaign star, Iraqi Campaign Medal with campaign star, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Korean Defense Service Medal, Noncommissioned ficer Professional Development Ribbon with numeral two, Army Service Ribbon, three Overseas Service Ribbons, three Navy Sea Service Deployment Ribbons, NATO Medal, Kuwait Liberation Medal (Saudi Arabia), Kuwait Liberation Medal (Kuwait), Driver and Mechanic Badge with Driver Tracked and Driver Wheeled Vehicles

### PRIVATE FIRST CLASS JOSHUA J. HOLLEY

FORT HOOD, Texas -- Fort Hood officials have released the name of a Soldier who was found deseased July 9 at his residence here.

Private First Class Joshua J. Holley, 26, whose home of record is listed as St. Augustine, Fla., entered active duty service in February 2010 as an infantryman. He was assigned to 1st Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, since June 2010.

Holley's awards and decorations include two Army Achievement Medals and a National Defense Service Medal.

Circumstances surrounding this incident are currently under investigation.

### STAFF SGT. ROBERT ANTHONY MASSARELLI

FORT HOOD, Texas -Fort Hood officials have released the name of a Soldier who died June 24,2012 in Kandahar, Afghanistan.

Staff Sgt. Robert Anthony Massarelli, 32, whose home of record is Hamilton, Ohio, entered active duty service in February 2001 as a motor transport operator. He was assigned to 96th Transportation Company, 180th Transportation Battalion, 4th Sustainment Brigade, 13th Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), Fort Hood, since September 2011.

Massarelli deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from May 2004 to February 2005, August 2006 to September 2007 and January 2009 to January 2010. He deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in November 2011.

Massarelli's awards and decorations include four Army Commendation Medals, two Army Achievement Medals, three Army Good Conduct Medals, National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal with campaign star, two Iraqi Campaign Medals with campaign stars, Global War on Terrorism

Expeditionary Medal,
Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, Army
Service Ribbon, Overseas
Service Ribbon, NATO
Medal, Combat Action
Badge and Driver and Mechanic Badge with Driver
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Circumstances surrounding this incident are currently under investigation

### SERGEANT MICHAEL JOSEPH STRACHOTA

FORT HOOD, Texas -Fort Hood officials have released the name of a Soldier who died June 24, 2012 in Kandahar, Afghanistan.

Sergeant Michael Joseph Strachota, 28, whose home of record is White Hall, Ark., entered active duty service in June 2007 as a motor transport operator. He arrived at Fort Hood in October 2007 and was assigned to 96th Transportation Company, 180th Transportation Battalion, 4th Sustainment Brigade, 13th Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), Fort Hood, since September 2011.

Strachota deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from October 2008 to October 2009. He deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in November 2011.

Strachota's awards and decorations include an Army Commendation Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal with campaign star, Iraqi Campaign Medal with arrowhead device, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, two Overseas Service Ribbon, NATO Medal and Driver and Mechanic Badge.

Circumstances surrounding this incident are under investigation.



### SERGEANT CHAD LANE WILLIAMS

FORT HOOD, Texas -Fort Hood officials have released the name of a Soldier who died June 29, 2012 in Copperas Cove, Texas from an apparent gunshot wound.

Sergeant Chad Lane Williams, 28, whose home of record is Little Rock, Miss., entered active duty service in October 2004 as a combat engineer. He arrived at Fort Hood in September 2009 and was assigned to 2nd Squadron, 3rd Calvary Regiment, Fort Hood, since November 2010.

Williams deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from January 2005 to January 2006, August 2006 to November 2006 and April 2008 to May 2009.

William's awards and decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, three Army Good Conduct Medals, National Defense Service Medal, two Iraqi Campaign Medals with campaign stars, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal with Mobilization Device. Combat Action Badge and Driver and Mechanic Badge with Driver-Tracked Vehicles.

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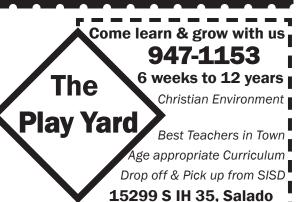
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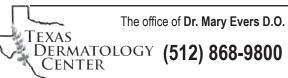
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Gobin and Whitesell are alumni of the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, in Belton, where they met. The couple recently

relocated to Pearsall and Dilley, respectively, to manage the Oil Patch Cafe in Dilley, Texas.

An August 31 wedding is planned at Gabriel Springs in Georgetown. Texas. Drew and Kelsey will take a brief honeymoon to Washington State, followed by an extended honeymoon to Africa in November.

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The 7th Annual Celebration Fundraiser, "Ice Cream in Paradise", is scheduled for Sunday, August 5 and will benefit the Salado Family Relief "Back-to-School" Project. This will be the third year that the Salado Women's Ministry Group fundraiser has provided backpacks for Salado Family Relief, but this year any additional monies raised will also go to support the back-toschool program that is so important for families in the Salado community. A tax-deductible donation of only \$25 will purchase a backpack for a schoolage child. Tickets for the event on August 5 are \$65 and include the backpack, a fabulous catered meal, and a special musical program by Sean and Mary Hale and Denise Thomssen. Guest host is Rick Thommsen and he will be welcoming event guests at 6 p.m. to The Chapel at Caliber Oaks, 5235 Royal Street in Salado. Seating is limited. Tickets will go on sale Sunday, July 8. There is also a raffle for a "Weekend in Paradise Getaway". Tickets are \$5 or 5/\$20 and the winner will be announced at the event on August 5. It is not necessary to be in attendance to win. To make reservations, for donations, or for additional information, call 254-947-5482 or Marilyn at 512-431-0918.



#### Golding completes basic training

Air Force Airman Robert R. Golding IV graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills. Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree. Golding is the son of Raydean and Robert Golding III of Salado.

He is a 2011 graduate of Salado High School.

### Senior Activity Center plans dance, safe driving classes and fellowship

The Belton Senior Activity Center will be having a Country & Western Dance 6:30-9:30 pm July 19, with Bill Harvey and his "Miles & Miles of Texas" band. The dance is open to all area seniors 50 plus. A \$4 donation per person is requested. Guests are asked to bring a snack to share during intermission.

The Belton Senior Activity Center will be sponsoring the AARP Driver Safety Program noon-4 p.m. July 17. The cost of the class is \$12 for AARP members and \$14 for nonmembers. During the month of July and Aug., AARP has an exclusively offer for educators to take the class for \$5. Class size will be limited to 25. Attendees must bring AARP membership card and driver's license when they report at 11:30 a.m. to complete paperwork for the class.

"A New Beginning" Club will have their monthly meeting 1-3 p.m. July 16, at the Belton Senior Activity Center. Entertainment will be a musical program provided by Mark Huber and family. Refreshments will be

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Sun. • 11 a.m.

served following the entertainment. "A New Beginning" offers an opportunity for social interaction and fellowship with others who have experienced the loss of a loved one. For information about the group,

contact Lois Procter at 254-939-5334.

Belton Senior Activity Center is located at 842 S. Mitchell Street in Belton. For activity information contact the Belton Senior



Jeanie Lively, the new Director of Salado Library, presented a program on the services currently offered and also planned for the Library to the Chisholm Trail American Business Women's Association. She discussed the building expansion and how individuals and groups can participate in the "leaving a legacy drive." Ground-breaking for the expansion is planned for August.

Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. Let them do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share...



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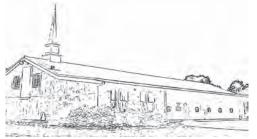
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Rev. Carl Thompson, Pastor

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Activity Center at 254-939-1170.

#### SALADO Village Voice, July 12, 2012, Page 11A **ATTENTION**

Church secretaries, class leaders, youth diretors Share what your church groups are doing this summer... Send your releases with photos to: news@saladovillagevoice.com.



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9:45 a.m. Small Group Bible Study

our praise band

11:00 a.m. 2<sup>nd</sup> Service

Contemporary Worship A contemporary mix led by Dr. Travis Burleson, Senior Pastor

#### WEDNESDAY

5 p.m. Fellowship Meal

6 p.m. WEBS

(Wed. Evening Bible Study)

6 p.m. AWANAS (Age 2 – grade 6)

6 p.m. Bible Drill (grade 4 – 8) 6:30 p.m. Youth Activities

7 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal



650 Royal St. (254) 947-5482 www.saladoumc.org

Various study and worship opportunities are available.

Call our church office for more information

Mother's Day Out Registration is now open for the 2012-2013 school year!

#### **Sunday Morning (July 15)**

8:30 am Worship Service (Main Sanctuary) 9:30 am Sunday School

10:50 am Worship Service (Main Sanctuary)

11:00 am Glory Worship Service (YAC)

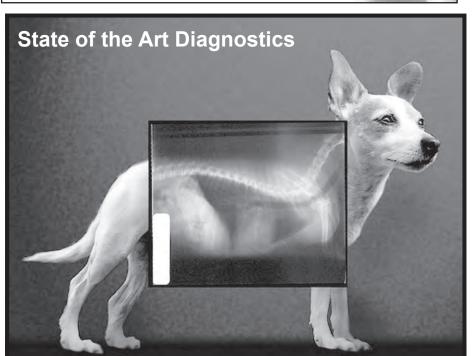
#### Wednesday Night (July 18)

5:15 pm Fellowship Meal 6:00 pm M &M Kids and Youth Activities

#### Friday (July 20th)

Youth bowling 12:00 pm—4:00 pm Cost is \$15. Call the office to sign up





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Cody Danekas (left) of Salado was named King of the Cowboys during the Stickhorse Grand Entry at Belton's 88th annual 4th of July PRCA Rodeo. Miss Rodeo Texas Rosanna Pace (center) presented trophies to the King and Queen (right) during the July 6 Family Night. PHOTO BY KATY MOORE



Salado ISD English Language Learner summer program hosted a bake sale at the Intermediate School June 12 to raise money for playground equipment and to learn other valuable lessons. During this project, students from grades PK-8 learned about planning, advertising, kitchen safety, goal setting, customer service, baking, counting change and figuring profit while strengthening literacy and math skills. They were able to raise almost \$460 to buy new playground equipment for their school. The total amount earned exceeded their goal by just under \$10. The students want to thank everyone who came out to support them and helped make their project a success.

### Keep Salado Beautiful wants to thank everyone who has helped to make Salado a special place to live and visit.

#### Whether you are a member of KSB or just someone who cares about keeping our village healthy and beautiful we hope to learn more about your efforts.

#### OUR NEEDS

15 - Blue 23 gallon recycle bins with lids for the Salado School Recycle Program Blue recycle trash cans for classrooms

**Support for the Sculpture Garden** Insurance costs, maintenance, solar power

> Native plants and trees for ongoing projects





Our mission is to make Salado a beautiful space in the world where people can come enjoy nature, relax. meet friends and family, and offer sustainable options for living.

to DONATE or VOLUNTEER contact Lynette Reed at expectations\_reality@me.com www.KeepSaladoBeautiful.com

### Truckload sale for CACCT

The Children's Advocacy Center of Central Texas is teaming up with Schwan's Quality Food and Tranum Auto Group for a great truckload sale on July 14.

"What an easy way to support abused and neglected children than by purchasing great quality products to feed your family," said CACCT Executive Director Michelle Carter. "Please join us and help your community at the same time, up to 20 percent of sales will go back to support the CACCT services."

You may come to the event and purchase your

items off the truck, or order online and just stop by and pick them up. You can come and purchase your favorite Schwan's items directly from a Schwan's Home Service representative at Tranum Auto Group (5508 S. General Bruce in Temple) on July 14 between 11 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Pre-orders are encouraged. Go to www. schwans.com and use campaign ID # 39873

If you forget to pre-order, there will be a truck filled with a variety of items to purchase on the

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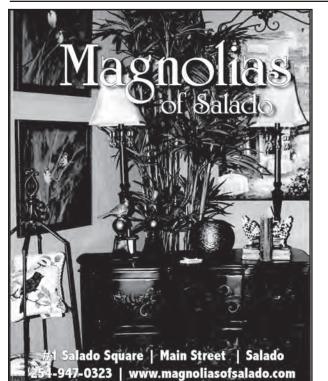
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### 'Imagination Station'

### Classes, Camps for CenTex kids July 16-20 at Silver Spur Arts Academy

The second of three, week-long, fun-learning "InSPURational Summer" sessions for aspiring young artists and performers in Central Texas gets underway July 16, at the Silver Spur Theater, 108 Royal St. Salado.

The Silver Spur Arts Academy's July session - for children ages nine to 18 - offers a unique, creativity-cultivating camp and outreach program. Openings are still available, and additional programs are available for



Teacher Tony Blackman at the piano, the Silver Spur Technical Director, provides young singers and actors with musical cues.

external groups and loca-

"Our students describe the summer camps in various ways," said Tiffany Schreiner of Salado, the Academy co-founder who has more than 25 years of experience in movement and dance instruction. Here are a few:

• "Where all the wild things are";

• "Where it's good to be

· "Never Never Land nestled in the heart of Tex-

• "The one-stop imagination station!"

"These youngsters are introduced to dance, drawing, crafting, crooning, painting, play-acting, moving, imagining more," Schreiner explained. "Each camp culminates with a fun, creative and quite festive finale for families and friends to explore and en-

For more information, or to reserve a spot for an aspiring young artist, call the Salado Silver Spur Theater at 254 947-3456, or visit the Academy website at www.silverspurarts.com and click on

254-947-0747

"Events."

The site also covers SSAA's outreach programs for schools, hospitals, day care facilities, retirement communities and other groups, as well as private lessons. Check out the new Will Von Boltonproduced info-video.

"Our participants have a chance to learn visual and performing arts techniques in amazingly fun ways," added Grainger Esch, SSAA co-founder and Creative Director of the Silver Spur. "It's all about engaging their imaginations in creative and positive ways."

Tuition for each the five-day camps is \$185. Students are encouraged to bring a sack lunch or snack. Reservations for the camps are strongly encouraged since space is limited. The camps are offered on weekdays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The third and final summer camp will be Aug. 6-10, also for students age 9-18. Focus of that session will be primarily on theater arts with instruction in performance, movement, dance, speech, singing, clowning, writing and improvisation.

**Experienced Staff** 

Schreiner, whose family has been involved in theatre and artistic performance for decades, I leads the camp's warm-up and dance sessions. She has studied dance, yoga and holistic physical/mental/ spiritual healing throughout her life.

A trio of tutors, Sheryl Russell, Shellie O'Neal and Sandra Edwards, provide visual art and craft instruction. Respectively, each of the three

Saladoans has a wealth of professional experience in fostering young imaginations and careers in commercial art, graphic design and arts education.

Tony Blackman of Belton, the Silver Spur's long-time, singing Technical Director, leads the musical theater portion of the camp. His professional experience includes more than 20 years in the fields of acting, singing, directing, stagecraft, designing and teaching.

Esch helps the workshoppers find their funnybones, providing exercises in physical comedy, clowning and other circus skills. The former Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus clown has shared the gift of laughter for 23 years in theater, television, movies, circus and street performances.

"Our objective is to fuel young imaginations, to give them the confidence, direction, encouragement and know-how to express their artistic visions," Schreiner emphasized.

"That joy of self-discovery can leads to greater self-expression," added. "Our art studio environment fosters that growth by providing space, materials, time and freedom to explore their creative nature. Studies show arts learning also can improve motivation, concentration, confidence and teamwork.'

"It can build strong friendships, provide comfort and self-fulfillment, increase the desire to set and achieve goals, teach a positive work ethic and a cooperative spirit, and grow appreciation for other ideas," Schreiner said.



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## Village of Salado Calendar of Events

MONDAYS

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 practice, 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge 90 N. Church St., except on Stated or Called Meeting nights.

#### **M**ONDAYS

Village Quilters and Knitters, 1:30 p.m. at Village Art Building.

#### **T**UESDAYS

Salado Village Artists, Village Art Building, 9:30 a.m.

#### **T**UESDAYS

Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m.

#### **TUESDAYS**

Salado Community Chorus practice, 6 p.m., Salado Civic Center, unless otherwise noted.

#### **T**UESDAYS

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts, 22 N Main join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 10 - Noon. saladoyarn@gmail.com

#### **T**UESDAYS

Weekly Yoga class 6:30 p.m. at Salado Wine Seller, 841 N.

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#### **T**UESDAYS

Prix Fixe menu at The Range. Two entrees and adult beverage for \$14.95. Terrific for Date Night! Offerings change weekly. Find The Range on Facebook to see this week's menu or call 254-947-3828.

#### **T**HURSDAYS

Martinis and Manicures at The Lounge at The Range. \$25 for 2 ladies night adult beverages, a manice and a selection of appetizers. Call 254-947-3828 to book your appointment. Space is limited.

#### **F**RIDAYS

Four course fine dining at Inn on the Creek, seatings from 5:30 to 8 p.m. p.m. Call for reservations, 254-947-5554. Visit www.inncreek.com for menus.

#### FRIDAYS

Live music at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range Restaurant on Main St., beginning at 7 p.m. Artists change weekly.

#### SATURDAYS

Recycling program, 9 a.m.-noon on the grounds of the Salado Arts Workshop, 113 Salado Plaza Drive.

#### SATURDAYS

Live Music at Rising Star Vineyards. 7-9:30 p.m.

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#### **S**UNDAYS

NOW PLAYING

The Seven

Year Itch

**Showtimes** 

Friday & Saturday

7:30 p.m.

Brunch at Inn on the Creek, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Call 254-947-5554.

#### WEEKENDS THRU JULY 21 Salado Legends

**Rehearsal.** Call director Donnie Williams at 254-947-0717.

~ by George Axelrod

Picture Show

Vaudeville

Stage

Live Music

Weekends through July 21

The Seven Year Itch - by George Axelrod at Salado Silver Spur Theater. A publishing exec, trapped in the city while his family vacations, finds his fantasies colliding with reality in one of theatre's all-time hits. Curtain for this revived show's eight performances is 7:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday (no matinees). Admissions are \$18 for adults; \$15 for senior citizens, military personnel and students with ID. Children age 12 and under are \$10. (Parental Discretion Advised.) Group rates are available. For information, visit www.thesaladosilverspur. com or call the box office at 254-947-3456.

#### JULY 13

Byrd & Street play 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

#### **JULY 14**

Jammin' on the Lawn, 6-9 p.m. at Salado Wine Seller, 841 N. Main St. An evening of live music by Serrenada Hill. Bring friends, family, food, and a thirst for good Texas Wine! If the weather is nice it will be outside!

#### July 14

Salado Swirl will feature the wines of seven wineries, 6-9 p.m. Located at various shops in Salado. Call Salado Tourism at 254-947-8634 for details.

#### July 14

Dimlit Daylight performs 6-9 p.m. at Salado Creek Winery, 227 N. Main St.

#### **JULY 14**

Summer Wine Dinner at The Range. Visit www.therangerestaurant.com for details.

#### July 14

RpT plays 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

#### **J**ULY **16**

Girl Scouts of Central Texas will provide a three-week program for girls in first through fifth grades, 1-2 p.m. at the Salado Public Library. They will learn how to communicate in code, fingerprint, practice their powers of observation all leading up to following the clues to solve a real mystery. Through this program the girls will be registered for Girl Scouts for free and they can learn about the different pathways they can continue through Girl Scouts.

#### **JULY 16-19**

Football camp, \$50 per camper. Session 1

for third-sixth graders, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Session 2 for seventh-ninth graders, noon-2 p.m. Email gtalbott@saladoisd.org.

#### **JULY 19**

Salado Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting, 8:30 a.m. in the Salado Visitors Center.

#### **JULY 19**

Village of Salado Board of Aldermen meeting, 6 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.

#### **JULY 20**

Joe Berg plays 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

JULY 21

Jamie Thomas performs 6-9 p.m. at Salado Creek Winery, 227 N. Main St.

#### **J**ULY **21**

The Judith Miller Band plays 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

#### JULY 21, 28 & AUG. 4 20th Annual Salado

Legends. Dinner reservations required. Dinner 7:15 p.m. \$8 adult or child. Show 8:15 p.m., \$17 Adult, \$5 child under 12. Tickets: www. tablerock.org or call 254-947-9205. Ticket office, concession opens at 6:30 p.m.

#### **J**ULY **22**

Family Splash Fun, 4-6:15 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church, 5798 FM 2484. Call 947-5917 for details.

#### July **22-29**

Tablerock Theater Camp includes: classes, food, lodging and trips. More information 254-947-9205 or e-mail tablerock1@aol.com or visit www.tablerock.org.

#### July 23-25

Bug Zone Vacation Bible School at Grace Baptist Church, 5798 FM 2484, 6-8:30 p.m. nightly. Children who have completed K-sixth grades. Call 947-5917 for information.

#### **JULY 23-26**

Girls basketball camp for third-ninth graders, \$50 each.
Session 1 for third-sixth graders, 2-4 p.m.., Session 2 for seventh-ninth graders, 5-7 p.m.

#### **JULY 25**

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

JULY 27 - AUGUST 18
Ballot Box Bedlam!
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ater. For information, visit www.thesaladosilverspur. com or call the box office at 254-947-3456.

#### **JULY 27**

Fourth Friday Gospel Singing at Cedar Valley Baptist Church, FM 2843, 7 p.m. Potluck at 10 p.m.

#### **JULY 27**

Paul Cox plays 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

### JULY 28 (no relation) performs

6-9 p.m. at Salado Creek Winery, 227 N. Main St. July 28

Byrd & Street plays 7-10 p.m. at The Lounge, upstairs at The Range.

July 30

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 stated meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Lodge Hall, 95 S. Church St.

#### July 30-August 2

Summer Volleyball Camp for Girls who will be in fifth through sixth grade. Volleyball 9-11 a.m. at the High School The cost will be \$50.

#### August 2

Village of Salado Board of Aldermen meeting, 6 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd.

#### August 2

Chisholm Trail American Business Woman's Association meeting, 6:15 p.m. at McCain's Deli.

#### August 2

Corks and Creations, 6 p.m. at Salado Wine Seller, 841 N. Main St. Join Angela Patrick as she leads you step by step through creating a painted masterpiece of your own with a patriotic theme. Please call Angela Patrick for reservation at 254-681-1416. Cost \$45 includes all materials and a glass of wine.

#### August 6

Salado Historical Society Board Meeting, 6 p.m. at Salado Civic Center Board Room.

#### August 2

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts, 22 N Main. Join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 6 p.m. saladoyarn@ gmail.com.

#### August 3

Midnight Madness down Main Street, sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce. Visit www.salado.com for more information.

#### August 6-9

Salado Junior Cheerleader Summer Camp for Pre-Kindergarten through sixth grade, SEE CALENDAR, PAGE 2B



www.susanmaries.com

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9-11 a.m. at Salado Intermediate School. Cost is \$55 per camper and include T-shirt and snacks each day. For more information call Salado Cheer Coach Charla Kelley at 254-718-1725 or Betty Peralta at 512-746-2016.

Calendar

#### August 7

Salado I.S.D. New **Student Registration** for grades nine-12. 8:30 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m. at the Salado **High School Library** (1880 Williams Rd.). Please bring the following certificate, social security card, immunization

required documentation at time of registration: birth record, proof residency (two proofs needed: deed or lease agreement and a utility bill), current driver license and any previous school records including TAKS test results. For more information contact Registrar Bettty Peralta at 254-947-6974 or betty. peralta@saladoisd.org.

#### August 8

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

#### August 9

Salado Chamber of Commerce Ladies Auxiliary meeting, 9:30 a.m. at the Robertson Room of Stagecoach Inn **Conference Center.** 

#### August 9

Yoga and Wine at Salado Wine Seller. \$18 per person/\$30 per couple. Questions email Tiffany at tiffyoranch@ gmail.com.

#### August 14

**Community Emer**gency Responders of Salado (CERTS) meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Volunteers encouraged to come and learn more.

#### **A**UGUST 13-17

Vacation Bible School at the Presbyterian Church of Salado, Salado Plaza Dr., 9-11:30 a.m. See presbsalado.org for more details.

#### August 18

Helen Alexander's **Beginning Oil Painting** class, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., at the Village Art Center. Cost \$50 to members of Salado Village Artists, \$60 to nonmembers.

#### August 18

Tequila Tasting at The Range at the Barton House, 254-947-3828 or www.therangerestaurant.com for details. This was requested in response to The Range's "Vodka & Caviar Tasting" that was well loved.

#### August 24

Salado ISD Annual **Health and Benefits Fair** 

9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Intermediate School.

#### August 27

First Day of School for Salado I.S.D. students.

#### Aug 31 - Sept 22

**Nunsense II: The** Second Coming – by Dan Goggin. Weekend performances at Salado Silver Spur Theater. For information, visit www. thesaladosilverspur.com or call the box office at 254-947-3456.

#### September 3

School's out for Labor Day.

#### SEPTEMBER 6

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts, 22 N Main. Join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 6 p.m. saladoyarn@ gmail.com.

#### SEPTEMBER 8

Salado Athletic **Booster Club annual** reverse raffle, Tenroc Ranch Blue Heron center. Details to come.

#### September 9

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Megan Meisenbach, flutist and Elaine Barber, harpist. **Email Denise Thomssen** at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### September 15

V...Vaughan oil painting class, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. at the Village Art **Center.** Cost is \$100 for Salado Village Artists members and \$120 for non-members. \$50 deposit required to hold spot.

#### September 28

**Annual Salado Chamber of Commerce** Golf Tournament. Call 254-947-5040.

#### October 4

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts, 22 N Main. Join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 6 p.m. saladoyarn@ gmail.com.

#### October 4

**Southwest Cattle Raisers Association** Meet and Greet, 5:30-8 p.m. in Tenroc Ranch Chisholm center.

#### October 5

Texas Hereford Association meeting, Tenroc Ranch Chisholm center.

#### **O**CTOBER 5 - 27

The Mystery of Irma Vep - This definitive spoof of Gothic melodramas, recently revived Off-Broadway to raves, is a quick change marathon in which two actors play all the roles. Weekend performances at the Salado Silver Spur Theater. For information, visit www.thesaladosilverspur. com or call the box office

at 254-947-3456.

#### **O**CTOBER 6 & 7

A Christmas Carol & Fright Trail Auditions at Tablerock. Call 254-947-9205.

#### OCTOBER 8

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers.

#### **O**CTOBER **12-13**

Christmas in October at Stagecoach Inn **Conference Center,** sponsored by the Salado **Chamber of Commerce** Ladies Auxiliary.

#### October 20

**Salado Education** Foundation annual Cattleman's Ball, Tenroc Ranch Chisholm center. **Details to Come** 

#### October 21

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Barbara George, cellist and Felicity Coltman, pianist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### **October 27-28**

**Annual Salado Art** Fair, sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce. Call 254-947-5040 or visit www. salado.com.

#### October 27 & 28

Tablerock's Fright **Trail**, 6:30-10 p.m. \$5 Adults and \$3 for children 12 and under. Information 947-9205.

#### November 1

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts, 22 N Main. Join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 6 p.m. saladoyarn@ gmail.com

#### November 5

Salado Historical Society Fall Chili Supper, 6 p.m. at Salado **Church of Christ Activ**ity Center. Bring salad, cornbread or dessert.

#### November 9-11

**Fifty-first Annual** Salado Scottish Clan Gathering and Highland Gameson the grounds of the Salado Youth Association sports fields off of Rose Lane, sponsored by the Central Texas Area Museum.

#### November 12

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers.

#### November 18

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series

**performance.** Jason Francis, vocalist and Scott Kassner, pianist with guest performer Carol Willingham, soprano.

Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

### **November 21-23**

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers.

#### November 29 **Christmas Stroll Pa**rade. Salado Chamber of Commerce. Details to come.

#### Nov. 30, Dec. 1-2

Christmas Stroll, sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce. Details to come.

#### Nov. 30, Dec 1, 7, 8

20th Annual - A Christmas Carol. Performances 7 p.m. each night. Adult \$10, Student \$5, Child \$3 (12 and under) Call 947-9205.

#### Nov. 30, Dec. 1-2

Salado Historical Society Christmas Tour of Homes. Tickets at Salado Tourism office on Main street. www.saladohistoricalsociety.org for more info.

#### **DECEMBER 1 - 22**

Christmas Is On the Air annual holiday show weekends at the Salado Silver Spur. For information, visit www. thesaladosilverspur.com or call the box office at 254-947-3456.

#### DECEMBER 6

Sit & Knit Session at The Salado Yarn Co. inside Southern Comforts. 22 N Main. Join fellow knitters for casual knitting. 6 p.m. saladoyarn@ gmail.com.

#### DECEMBER 7-9

Christmas Stroll, sponsored by Salado Chamber of Commerce. Details to come.

#### DECEMBER 9

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Paula Lohse, vocalist and Jimmy Baas, pianist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### DECEMBER 20-JANUARY 1 Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers. January 13

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Rebecca

Barkoskie IV, pianist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### FEBRUARY 10

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Teri Johnson, vocalist and Guilherme Almeida, pianist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### February 18

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers. March 3 The Chapel at Cali-

#### ber Oak Music Series performance. Megan Meisenbach, flutist and Elaine Barber, harpist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### March 18-22

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers. March 29

Salado ISD Holiday for students, teachers.

**Texas Brangus** 

APRIL 6

**Breeders Association**, **Tenroc Ranch Chisholm** Center.

#### APRIL 13

Wagyu Cattle Sale, **Tenroc Ranch Chisholm** Center.

#### APRIL 14

The Chapel at Caliber Oak Music Series performance. Denise Thomssen, flutist and Erin Young, pianist. Email Denise Thomssen at deniset@clearwire.net for details, reservations.

#### APRIL 20

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#### **APRIL 26-27**

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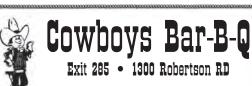
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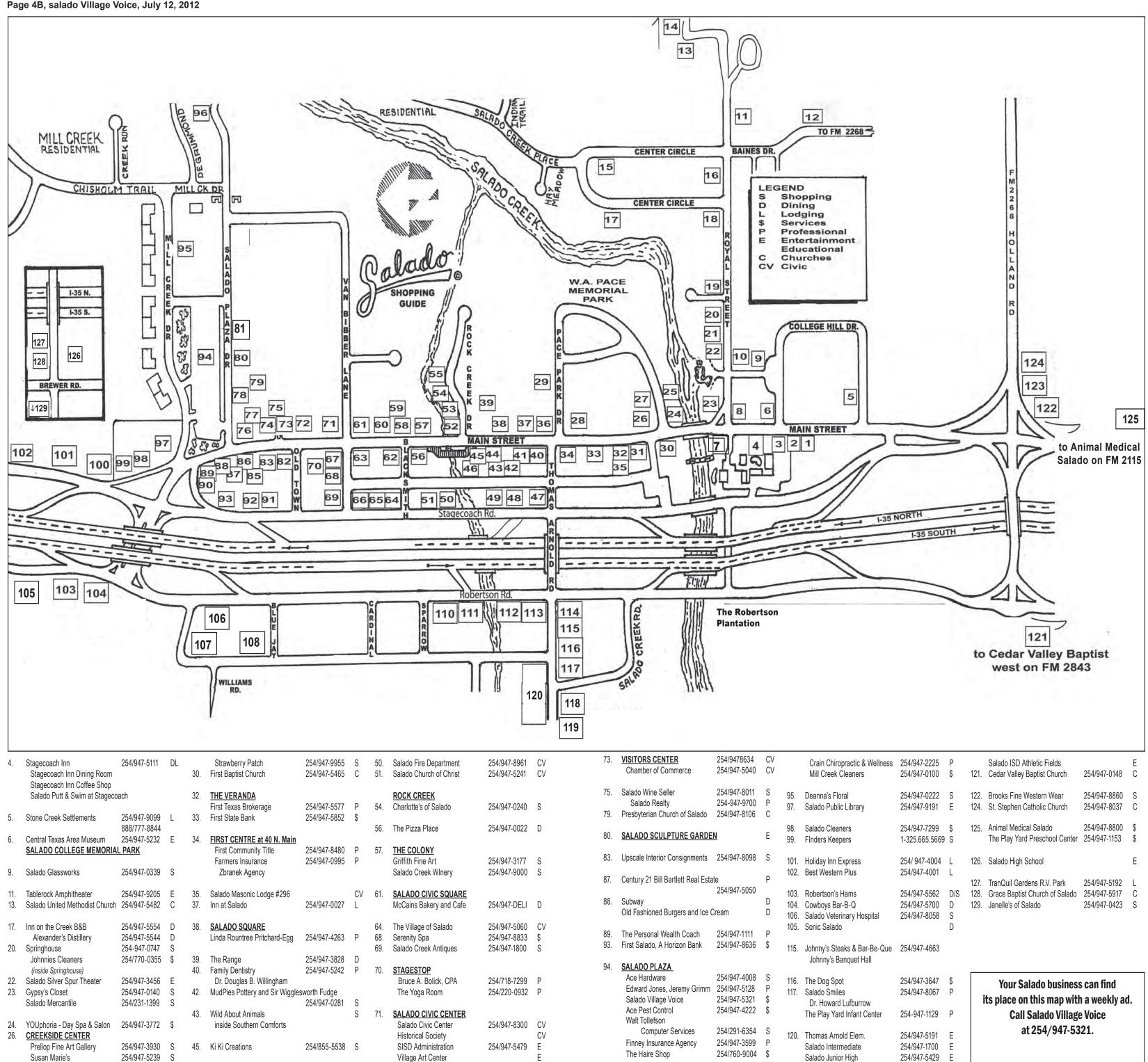
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by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way

that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the

numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★** 

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging

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If you live in an area where rough weather can occur, do a quick survey of your backyard. Can Shepherd hooks, birdbaths and hanging feeders be brought in quickly? What about other items that could cause a lot of damage if uprooted during high winds? Have a safe summer.

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Solution time: 21 mins. Answers

#### — **Kind** Crossword —

Weekly SUDOKU

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Answer



South dealer.

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The bidding:

Both sides vulnerable.

**NORTH** 

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### **Contract** Bridge

By Steve Becker

The principle of covering an honor with an honor is cited with reverence from Walla Walla to Dnepropetrovsk, but the fact is that the application of this rule is not always as simple as it might seem.

Thus, it is surely correct to cover with the king if declarer leads the jack from dummy's J-3-2 facing the A-Q-4. Covering with the king holds declarer to two tricks instead of the three he would make if the jack were not covered.

But it would be wrong to cover if you had the Kx-x and declarer led the jack from dummy's J-10-2 toward his A-4-3. He would make two tricks if you covered, but only one if you ducked. As a matter of fact, the best rule to follow is to cover an honor if it can gain a trick for your side, and not to cover if it can cost your side a trick. This advice might not be particularly helpful, as it tells you to use your head instead of a rigid formula, but that's the kind of game bridge is.

Today's hand demonstrates the principle. South is in three spades, and West leads the queen of clubs, which holds. When West shifts to the ten of diamonds, declarer goes up with the queen and returns the nine of trumps. If East ducks, so does South, and, as a result, he makes three spades.

But if East covers the nine with the jack -- as he should to cater to the possibility of West's having four spades that include the eight and a high honor -- South goes down one. The nine in this case is treated as an honor, and East covers because the play cannot cost him a trick but might gain one.

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### **Refreshing summer treats**

#### **COCONUT MILK ICE CREAM**

Serves 8

For a chunky version of this refreshing ice cream, stir a cup of chopped peaches or strawberries into the coconut mixture before transferring it to the ice cream machine for freezing.

Ingredients

4 egg yolks

1/2 cup sugar

1 (13.5- ounce) can light coconut milk

1 (13.5- ounce) can regular coconut milk

2 teaspoons vanilla extract Method

In a large bowl, whisk yolks and sugar together until pale yellow, 1 to 2 minutes. Add light and regular coconut milk and whisk again until well

ICE CREAM SUNDAE

season are the crowning feature in this rich, pic-

turesque pie...just like a sundae with a cherry on top, but better! For a lesssweet crust, combine 1 cup graham cracker crumbs, 1/4 cup ground flaxseed and 3 tablespoons melted

1 teaspoon plus 3 table-

spoons butter, melted and

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1/2 cup 365 Everyday

Value Strawberry Fruit

1/2 cup toasted walnut

1 1/2 cups non-hydroge-

nated frozen whipped top-

Sandwich

cherries in

PIE

butter.

divided

Chocolate

softened

Spread

pieces

Cremes, crushed

Ingredients

Serves 12

Fresh



combined

Transfer coconut mixture to a medium pot and cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until just thickened and mixture coats the back of a spoon, 8 to 10 minutes. Be sure not to let the mixture boil. Remove pot from the heat and stir in vanilla.

Transfer contents of pot to a bowl and chill until cold. Process mix-

ture in an ice cream maker according to manufacturer's instructions then transfer to a container with a lid and freeze until firm, about 2 hours more.

Nutrition Per serving: 200 calories (130 from fat), 14g total fat, 11g saturated fat, 100mg cholesterol, 20mg sodium, 16g total carbohydrate (0g dietary fiber, 14g sugar), 1g protein



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12 fresh cherries

#### Method

Use 1 teaspoon butter to grease a 9-inch pie pan. Combine cookies and 3 tablespoons butter in a bowl then press firmly into pan to form a crust; chill 30 minutes.

In a bowl, stir ice cream until spreadable then transfer half into crust and gently spread to cover bottom. Dollop fruit spread over ice cream

cream over walnuts and gently spread to edges. Spread whipped topping over the top, garnish with chocolate chunks, cover and freeze until firm, 4 to 6 hours. Garnish with cherries, briefly set the pan in warm water to loosen crust, slice and serve.

Nutrition Per serving:

### then scatter with wal-1/4 cup 365 Everyday nuts. Spoon remaining ice

330 calories (170 from fat), 19g total fat, 9g saturated fat, 25mg cholesterol, 85mg sodium, 35g total carbohydrate (1g dietary fiber, 27g sugar), 4g pro-

#### **PEACH-MANGO POPSICLES**

Makes 6 to 8

It doesn't matter if you're 2 or 102, the sweettooth appeal of homemade fruit popsicles is universal.

Ingredients

1 cup puréed mango (from peeled fruit)

1 cup puréed ripe peaches (from peeled fruit)

1/4 cup water

2 tablespoons sugar Lime or lemon juice to

taste 6 to 8 popsicle sticks

#### Method

Combine fruit purées in a medium bowl. Heat water and sugar, stirring until sugar dissolves. Add to purées with lime or lemon juice to taste. If you have popsicle molds, fill them,



leaving some room at the top to allow for expansion, set the lids in place and insert the sticks through the holes. If you don't have popsicle molds, fill small cups or empty yogurt tubs about 3/4 full, stretch plastic or foil across the top and make a small slit to insert sticks. Freeze until firmly set, 3 to 4 hours. To remove the pops, first remove the lids or wrap, then squeeze the sides of

the molds, twisting them slightly, to dislodge the pop. If necessary, rinse the outside of the molds under hot water first.

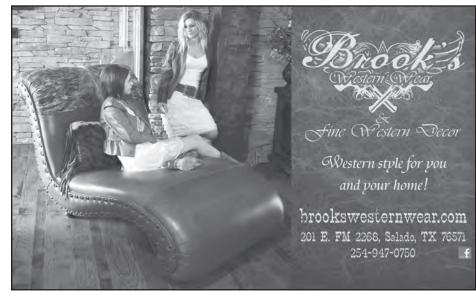
#### Nutrition

Per serving (1 popsicle): 40 calories (0 from fat), 0g total fat, 0g saturated fat, 0mg cholesterol, 0mg sodium, 10g total carbohydrate (1g dietary fiber, 9g sugar), 0g protein

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### **Davis lands lead role in Salado Legends** 20th annual performance begins July 21

Samuel Davis II will star as the lead male role in the 20th Anniversary of Salado Legends on July 21 and 28 and Aug. 4.

He has appeared in The Music Man, South Pacific and Grease at Belton High School and while attending high school he also performed as Andrew McIver in the 2007 production of Salado Legends. Sam had lead roles in Oklahoma, Hello Dolly and Seven Brides for Seven Brothers at the UMHB Conservatory. He also starred in Annie at the

Temple Civic Theater.

A junior at UMHB, Samuel is a music education major. He sings in UMHB's elite choir called "One Voice," Concert Choir, Opera Workshop, Bell Civic Chorale and is a member of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, a men's music fraternity. On campus, Samuel belongs to First Year Council, Student Government Association and Collegiate Texas Music Educators. In addition to his studies and campus obligations, Sam is the pianist at Fellowship Baptist Church in Morgan's Point.

Sharing his plans for the future, Sam tells of working toward being a high school, and eventually, a university choral director. He plays his guitar for fun and is an avid reader.

Salado Legends actors, crew, composers, and helpers number over 100. They range in ages from 4 to 81 years-old and live all

over Central Texas. Sam Davis of Belton will play the lead male role of Andrew McIver this season.

This year, the 20th year for Salado Legends, Tablerock will host a reunion for past cast and crew members. A special free performance, other than the scheduled performances, will be performed for the "Legends" veterans to see what is new and what has not changed in the production over the years. Past members of the cast and crew are encouraged to call Jackie Mills at 947-9205 for a special invitation and tickets to their reunion performance.

Dinner reservations for the catered meal at the 3 scheduled performances are required: \$8 for adult or child. Adult show tickets are \$17. Child (4-12) show tickets are \$5. Tablerock's Goodnight Amphitheater is located on Royal Street.



Samuel Davis II takes lead role in Legends

Tickets may be purchased in Salado at Fletcher's Antiques, First State Bank and Compass Bank. To charge tickets on line through TIX: www. tablerock.org. You may

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These free events will be held at Overlook Park outside Belton, the Waco Wetlands outside Waco, and at the Hubbard City Lakes Park in Hubbard. CTAS members will provide telescopes for public viewing. Guests are also welcome to bring their own telescopes.

While summer nights

year, there is plenty to see. "This month, we will look to the south, into the heart of our Milky Way galaxy, near the summertime constellation Sagittarius," said Coordinator Doug Peters. "The brightest stars of Sagittarius look like a teapot."

The Lagoon Nebula (M8) is the best emission nebula in the summer sky, and is believed to contain enough hydrogen gas to produce more than 1000 new stars. The Trifid Nebula (M20) looks like three separate nebula, but is actually one large emission nebula with dark dust lanes in the foreground. The Sagittarius Cluster (M22) is an impressive globular cluster containing over half a million stars. The Wild Duck Cluster (M11) is a v-shaped cluster located 5,600 light years away from us. M21 is a very voung cluster of about 50 stars in an area about 10 light years across and is

about 4,200 light years away.

Stargazers will look at these and many other celestial objects this month.

Check the web site centexastronomy.org, for directions to the site close to you and for more information. If this event is cancelled due to weather, a cancellation notice will be posted by 6 p.m. on the CTAS website. You may register online and receive monthly notices of future events.



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The Waco-McLennan to basic records such as County Library together Census and Immigration records, Internet sources, and a tour and orientation of the Genealogy Center's collection.

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# Leak Stop in a Can?

Q: I've seen ads for a spray-on leak fixer that's advertised for leaky gutters, damaged shingles and other problem areas. What's your take on this? Should I order a can? -- Jerry in Sedona,

A: My first thought about this kind of fix-all product is that it may be a great help as a temporary patch, but a damaged gutter or shingle eventually will need to be fixed properly. And major damage, such as a ripped or cracked gutter, probably won't hold up long with a spray-on patch.

I haven't tried the product in question, so I could, of course, be wrong about its capabilities. However, there are other spray-on rubber brands available at hardware and home-

### This is a Hammer

By Samantha Mazzotta



improvement stores. None that I've seen claim to fix leaks and large cracks; they're advertised as sealants and as spray-on nonslip surfacing. They also cost much less, on average, than the product being advertised on televi-

sion, especially with the cost of shipping and handling removed.

If you decide to purchase the product, I'd say it would likely work best as a sealant for gaps around things like air conditioning ducts and where pipes

emerge from the wall. Using it to patch areas or objects that bear weight -- like the joints between gutter sections, cracks in a deck's wood flooring and so on -- is probably not a good use for the product. For patching the roof, I'd be very careful about using it: Eventually, a leaky area of the roof will need more permanent repairs. Replacement of damaged shingles or flashing, as well as repair of the damaged area, could be hindered, not helped, by the presence of spray-on rub-

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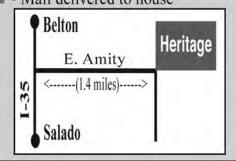
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### **Mustang Creek Ranch welcomes Dr. Deer at Whitetail Workshop**

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The annual Mustang Creek Whitetail Workshop include informative seminars on a range of topics, such as herd health, whitetail nutrition, record bottle-rearing keeping, fawns, and a hands-on tour of Mustang Creek Ranch's all-new deer handling facility. Dr. Kroll will also discuss his new Dr. Deer Management System, a one-of-a-kind tool that helps hunters and land owners keep accurate records on their hunting properties and receive direct consultation from him. The event will run from 9 a.m.- 1 pm.

"Dr. Kroll is widely recognized as the Father of Modern Whitetail Management and we're very excited to have him as our guest at this year's workshop," says Bill Grace, owner of Mustang Creek Ranch. "Whether your managing a hunting lease or establishing a breeding program, everyone wants larger, healthier deer. We've coordinated our management strategy



Mustang Creek Ranch in Salado will host a Whitetail Workshop July 21.

with Dr. Kroll for nearly a decade and we've learned over the years that continually educating yourself about the deer, their nutrition and behaviors as well as keeping informed about the newest management techniques are the real keys to success."

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The Mustang Creek Ranch Whitetail Workshop includes Saturday morning meet and greet, coffee, continental breakfast, light lunch, refreshments and industry-wide established whitetail workshop. Cost: \$20 per person. To register, go to www.MustangCreek.com or call 254.947.0026.

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### Reptiles' numbers dwindling/Swapping out New York City's dirty residential heating oil for natural gas of garbage that might at-

Dear EarthTalk: How are the world's reptile species faring in terms of population numbers and endangered status? What's being done, if anything, to help them?

-- Vicky Desmond, Troy,

The world's reptiles turtles, snakes, lizards, alligators and crocodiles are indeed in trouble. The International Union for Conservation of Nature, which publishes an annual global roster of threatened and endangered species called the Red List, considers some 664 species reptiles-representing more than 20 percent of known reptile species worldwide—as endangered or facing extinction. Meanwhile, the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service considers about 10 percent of American reptiles threatened or endangered.

Why care? The nonprofit Center for Biological Diversity (CBD) considers reptiles "amazing creatures" with clever adaptations that have helped them survive for millions of years. CBD also points out that reptiles are valuable indicators of wider ecological health. "Because many reptile species are long-lived and relatively slow-moving, they suffer from disturbances like habitat loss or pollution for extended periods," the group reports, adding



that a diverse community of reptiles living in a given area is evidence of a healthy ecosystem that can support the plant and animal life they and other species need for food and

So what's causing the reptiles' decline? "While habitat loss is the most obvious cause of endangerment, declines are even even occurring in pristine areas from threats such as disease, UV radiation and climate change," reports CBD. Overcollecting and unregulated hunting also are taking a toll on reptile populations.

In order to help stem the tide of reptile loss, CBD leverages the court system to pressure the federal government to protect at-risk species. For instance, back in 2004 the group worked with the Coalition for Sonoran Desert Protection in filing a petition to add the Tucson shovel-nosed snake, which dwells in the quickly disappearing wild desert around fast-growing cities like Tucson and



The International Union for Conservation of Nature considers some 664 species of reptiles, including turtles, snakes, lizards, alligators and crocodiles, as endangered or facing extinction. Pictured: A freshwater turtle destined for the pet trade.

Phoenix, to the federal list of endangered species. Finally in 2011 the federal government agreed that it would add the snake to its list of endangered species which will help it get the habitat protection needed to ensure long term sur-

vival.

CBD also works on other fronts for reptiles. The group's campaign to outlaw "rattlesnake roundups"-contests whereby hunters collect and kill as many snakes as they can in a year—has helped stem population declines of eastern diamondback rattlesnakes. And CBD's efforts to educate the public about the plight of freshwater turtles, which are "overcollected" for food and the pet trade in the southern and mid-

western parts of the U.S., helped convince several states for the first time to regulate turtle harvests.

One way everyone can help reptile species in decline is to make our backyards friendly to them. The U.S. Geological Survey's Patuxent Wildlife Research Center offers tips on what to plant and how to arrange a landscape to encourage reptiles and other wildlife. Landowners that take these steps may be rewarded with fewer pests, given reptiles taste for large numbers of mosquitoes and other insects as well as small rodents. Other pro-reptile tips include driving carefully (road mortality is a big issue for snakes, turtles and other species)

W. J. Martone

tract raccoons, crows and other pests that also prey on reptiles. CONTACTS:

www.biologicaldiversity. org; Patuxent Wildlife Research Center, www.pwrc. usgs.gov.

Dear EarthTalk: What's the deal with New York City buildings switching over from heating oil to natural gas? Is this a trend in other U.S. cities as well?

-- Mitchell Branecke, Yonkers, NY

Anyone who has lived in New York City knows that particulate matter is omnipresent there. Commonly referred to as soot,

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such particulate pollution is comprised of fine black particles derived of carbon from coal, oil, wood or other fuels that have not combusted completely.

Due to this preponderance of soot in the air, asthma rates in some parts of the Big Apple (like Harlem and parts of the Bronx) are sky high. Environmentalists have been pointing the finger for years at the dirty residential heating oil used by so many New York City buildings, many of which were built before natural gas was widely available. According to the non-profit Environmental Defense Fund (EDF), just one percent of the buildings across the five boroughs of New York City burn noxious heating oils,



Just one percent of New York City buildings burn noxious heating oil, but those structures create more soot than all of the city's cars and trucks combined. A new program there will switch out those fuels with cleaner burning oil, biodiesel or natural gas.

but those structures send more particulate matter airborne than all of the city's cars and trucks combined.

That's why mayor Michael Bloomberg announced this past June

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that an innovative public-private partnership (known as NYC Clean Heat) between the city's government and leading banks, energy providers and environmental groups would be putting up \$100 million in financing and other new resources to help buildings there make the switch to cleaner fuels. NYC Clean Heat kicked off last year when the city ordered the phase-out of the dirtiest home heating fuels: No. 4 and No. 6 oils that are still used in some 10.000 New York City buildings and which create a significant air pollution hazard. Switching out those fuels with cleaner

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burning oil (such as No. 2), biodiesel or natural gas will go a long way toward meeting Bloomberg's aggressive new "PlaNYC" goal of reducing soot pollution some 50 percent by 2013. The mayor's office reports that the new restrictions will save 120 lives and prevent 300 asthma-related hospital visits a year, while generating some \$300 million in construction activity in the short term.

Property owners interested in a clean heat conversion can access the funding, which is coming from a combination of city coffers and financial institutions including Chase, Deutsche Bank, Hudson Valley Bank, Citi and the Community Preservation Corporation. On the environmental side, EDF is offering technical assistance and outreach to buildings that are undergoing fuel conversions by making available a team of trained energy professional to help evaluate conversion options, coordinate with utilities and beef up energy efficiency measures. As for the utilities, Con Edison and National Grid, the two primary providers for the New York City metro area, have agreed to upgrade their natural gas infrastructure to make it easier and cheaper for buildings to make the switch. And Hess Corporation, the city's largest residential heating oil provider, has begun to offer customers new incentives to switch to natural gas, ultra-low sulfur No. 2 heating oil and biodiesel.

Large numbers of buildings in several other older U.S. cities, mostly in the Northeast, still rely on dirty heating oil. Whether some of these locales will follow New York City's lead in marshalling resources to facilitate a wholesale switchover remains to be seen.

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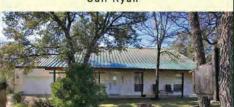
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