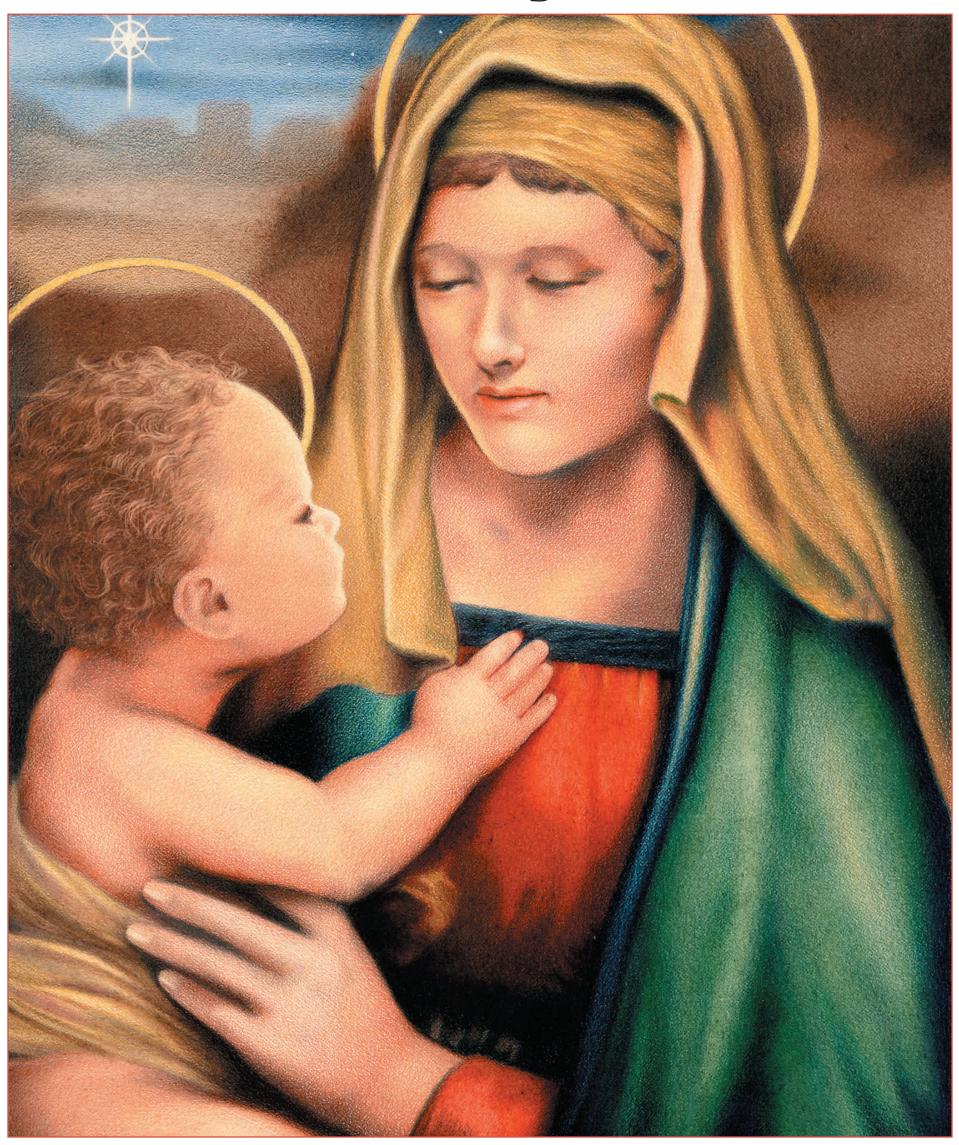
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Glory to God Let the story be told



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

- 1 And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.
- 2 And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.
- 3 And all went to be taxed, everyone into his own city.
- 4 And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethle-

- hem; because he was of the house and lineage of David;
- 5 To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.
- 6 And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.
- 7 And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.
 - 8 And there were

- in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.
- 9 And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.
- 10 And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.
- 11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Sav-

- iour, which is Christ the Lord.
- 12 And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.
- 13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,
- 14 Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.
- 15 And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the
- shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known to us.
- 16 And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.
- 17 And when they had seen it, they made known abroad they saying which was told them concerning this child.
- 18 And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them

- by the shepherds.
- 19 But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.
- 20 And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.
- 21 And when eight days were accomplished for the circumcising of the child, his name was called JESUS, which was so named of the angel before he was conceived in the womb.





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An Open Exchange of Ideas



The War on Inequality

President Barack Obama has his answer to Lyndon Johnson's "War on Poverty." It is a war on inequality.

The president's formal declaration of hostilities came in a speech this month at the Center for American Progress, predictably praised as brilliant by his journalistic cheerleaders and touted by the White House as setting out the cause that will define the rest of his presidency.

While LBJ's war on poverty is nothing to emulate -- it costs \$900 billion a year, yet has manifestly failed in the stated goal of uplifting the poor -- at least it had a clear, compelling rationale. Who can disagree that it would be better if fewer Americans were poor? Obama's implicit argument is that it would be better if fewer Americans were rich, or at least if they weren't quite so offensively rich.

He relied on dubious research and tendentious analysis to make his case, without ever admitting what, for him, must be the crux of the matter. Surely, income inequality offends his egalitarian sense of justice and aesthetics, and even if he didn't believe it had harmful real-word effects, he would wish the top 1 percent weren't so

Rich Lowry

wealthy as a social good in and of itself.

There is no doubt that we long ago exited the economic Golden Age of the mid-20th century, and we aren't going to return to it. President Obama could give a speech about that and never need to make a questionable claim. But he wants to make a case for war

war.

In his speech, the president said that inequality is bad for the economy and cited "one study" showing that greater income inequality means more fragile growth and more frequent recessions. Of course, "one study" can show almost anything. The study in question analyzed developing economies.

He could just as easily have said that "one study" by a Harvard economist showed a correlation between increasing inequality and higher economic growth in the U.S. and other developed countries between 1960 and 2000.

To maintain that rising inequality is a threat to the American Dream, the president insists that it is reducing income mobility.

Here the evidence is just as weak. According to Scott Winship of the Manhattan Institute, the gap between the middle class and the poor hasn't grown much during the past few decades. It has been the very top of the income distribution that has gained the

America does indeed have a serious mobility problem, especially in getting people out of poverty. But it has nothing to do with a small fraction of people being spectacularly rich. Mark Zuckerberg could be stripped of all his wealth tomorrow, and it wouldn't help anyone further down the income ladder. It wouldn't increase wages, or reduce out-of-wedlock child rearing, or lead to less incarceration, or revive the work ethic, all of which would enhance mobility and lift more people into the middle class. It would just make Mark Zuckerberg poor.

Which is why Obama's war on inequality is so misconceived. We aren't beset by a wealthy 1 percent destroying opportunity and immiserating the rest of the country. The president needs to reconsider his *casus belli*.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review. (c) 2013 by King Features Synd., Inc.

This Thriller Is Both a Joke and No Laughing Matter

Our spymaster-in-chief wants to deny the media the freedom to report on Big Brother's surveillance.

In the standard spy thriller, our hero gets captured by agents of a repressive government. They take him into a dark interrogation room, where the sadistic spymaster hisses: "We have ways of making you talk."

In real life, the director of our National Security Agency hisses at journalists: "We have ways of keeping you from talking."

Well, not quite in those words. Gen. Keith Alexander, the NSA's chief spook and head of U.S. Cyber Command, has revealed his chilling disrespect for our constitutional rights to both free speech and a free press.

In an interview, he called for outlawing any reporting on his agency's secret program of spying



Hightower

on every American: "I think it's wrong that newspaper reporters have all these documents...giving them out as if these — you know it just doesn't make any sense," he told Politico's Josh Gerstein.

Then came his spooky punch line: "We ought to come up with a way of stopping it...It's wrong to allow this to go on."

Holy Thomas Paine. Alexander says he thinks it's OK for the government to spy on us. But he wants to deny the media the freedom to report on Big Brother's surveillance.

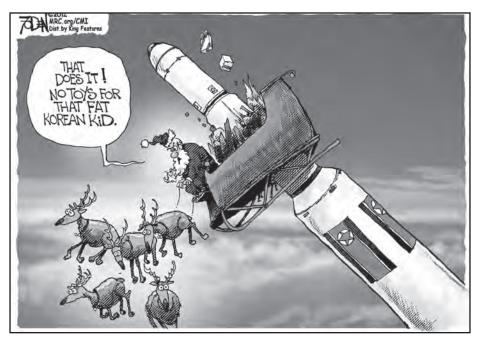
What country does this autocrat represent?

Alexander's secret, indiscriminate, supercomputer scooping-up of data on every phone call, email, and other private business of every American is what "doesn't make any sense."

It's an Orwellian, mass invasion of everyone's privacy, creating the kind of routine, 24/7 surveillance state our government loudly deplores in China and Russia — and it amounts to stomping on our Fourth Amendment guarantee that we're to be free of "unreasonable searches and seizures."

That's the real outrage we should be stopping. But our constitutionally clueless spymaster is doubling down on his dangerous ignorance by also stomping on the First Amendment.

If this were a movie, people would laugh at it as being too silly, too far-fetched to believe. But there it is, horribly real.



Village will pursue 'due diligence' in sewer, Civic Center proposals

By Tim Fleischer Editor-in-Chief

In the coming weeks, the Village of Salado will further investigate the details and possibilities of two proposals: one proposal is the gift by Morris Foster of the Stagecoach Inn wastewater treatment plant, the other a "swap" of office space that will move the Village offices to the Civic Center.

While no aldermen were ready to accept either proposal without further details, they were ready to pursue what city administrator Jim Reed called, "doing your due diligence" in looking at the feasibility of the two major proposals.

The mayor and three aldermen met in an afternoon workshop session with Foster on Dec. 11 and discussed the proposal to accept the gift of the Stagecoach Inn WWTP at their Dec. 12 regular meeting.

At the Dec. 12 meeting, the board voted 4-0-1 to direct Reed and Mayor Danney McCort to pursue negotiations and investiga-

tion of the WWTP. Reed will report to the board his findings on eight moderate citations of the WWTP by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TECQ), the transferability of the permit from Stagecoach Properties, Inc. to the Village of Salado, any agreements for the day-to-day operations of the plant, the capacity of the plant and agreements for discharging the effluent of the plant.

Salado school trustees will meet in a called session 6 p.m. Jan. 13 to further discuss a proposal that would ultimately result in the school district and city municipal offices both being housed in the Salado Civic Center. Salado aldermen instructed city administrator Jim Reed to also further research the renovation costs, operating costs and other factors before they meet on Jan. 16.

At their Dec. 16 meeting, school trustees directed Superintendent Michael Novotny to further research the proposal that would relinquish the 27 years remaining on the lease of the old red school-

house and its accompanying acreage by the Salado Civic Center Foundation.

Aldermen discussed the proposal at their Dec. 12 meeting. The proposal is for the Salado Civic Center Foundation to relinquish the 27 years remaining on its 50 year lease of the Main Street property housing the Civic Center. That board would dissolve and the foundation would no longer operate the Salado Civic Center.

The school district could then enter into an agreement with the Village of Salado for the operations of the Civic Center property.

The Village would move its offices into space downstairs at the Civic Center that is currently occupied by the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools (TAPPS).

TAPPS would move into the space occupied by Village office at the Municipal Building on Stagecoach Rd.

The Police department and Municipal Court would remain at the current location.

Aldermen directed

Reed to investigate the annual operating costs for the property, the cost of adding new audiovisual equipment and the maintenance or replacement costs for the roof and heating and air conditioning systems at the Civic Center.

"We just spent \$22,000 on this building," alderman Hans Fields said, "why would we allow TAPPS to move here for free?"

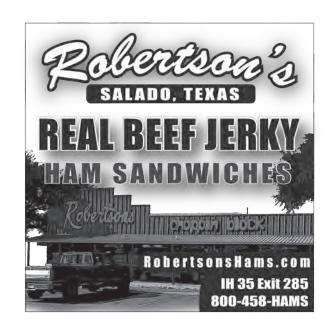
Bryan Fritch countered that the proposals that would allow TAPPS to take over space for free and to no longer require rent payments for the school district for the 2,000+ sq. ft. it occupies were just "starting points for discussion. We may find that we cannot do that."

"Up until now, the parties weren't even willing to look at this," Reed said. "It would be a waste of tax-payers dollars to research this if you as a board have no interest in it. If you are interested in pursuing this, then give me a laundry list of things that you want me to investigate. I will bring back an in-depth investigation of it."



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On his way out of Salado, Foster gives \$1.1 mil in land to Boosters

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Morris Foster deeded approximately \$1.1 million in property to the Salado Athletic Booster Club, Inc., signing the paperwork for 13 acres of property in Salado at his local office with SABC President Curtis Crenwelge and Billy Helm, head of the owners' group of Mill Creek Country Club present

"These assets have value for the future of Salado," Foster said of the three tracts of land he has given the Athletic Boosters. "I think the Athletic Boosters will be good stewards of those pieces of property and provide the best outcome for the use of the property."

Those tracts include .58 acres and a building that were once the Mill Creek dining room, the 8.56 acres on Park Rd. known as Sherrill Park and the 2.98 acres off of North Ridge Rd. and buildings that were once used by the golf course for storage and equipment.

Foster earlier was in discussions with the Village of Salado to deed the properties to the Village. However, he said that he backed away from those negotiations when the Village made several requirements on him that he felt were "completely unreasonable for someone receiving a million dollars of property."

Foster said that those requirements included paying for a "Phase one environmental study" of the property that had been used as a maintenance shed by the golf course and "having me pay for all the closing costs. This seemed at the very least to be unreasonable considering that the fact that I was giving them land valued at \$1.1 million."

That episode captures some of the reason Foster said he is divesting himself of his investments in Salado.

"Over a span of 40-plus years I have invested more than \$20 million in Salado and never taken a dime out of those investments," he said. "I have not had the support I had hoped to

have from the community leaders over those years."

This has caused Foster to examine where he invests and to look at "other places where I am getting a good return on my investments and being treated well, too."

Despite what Foster describes as poor treatment by some in leadership and other positions, he says that he continues to "have a warm place in my heart for the place I was born and raised."

He is quick to tell stories about the walk up Main Street to go to school in the Old Red Schoolhouse or to talk about working on the first fire engines for Salado with his father, the late Wilbur Foster.

"I remember the days when everyone in town worked on the Art Fair. It was a big deal for Salado," he said, "I hated to see it not happen this year."

While he is divesting his investments here, which have included the Stagecoach Inn property and the Mill Creek golf course property, he wants to do so in a manner "that leaves the town in the best possible shape it can be."

He says that Salado will need strong leaders to step up the way that Billy Helm and a group of local investors did to buy the golf course. "Billy has spent so much of his time, energy and money trying to help the community as a whole," Foster said, "Salado will need more of those kinds of leaders."

Foster said that "when the highway is done, Salado is going to bounce back if it will pull together behind strong leadership that will support business."















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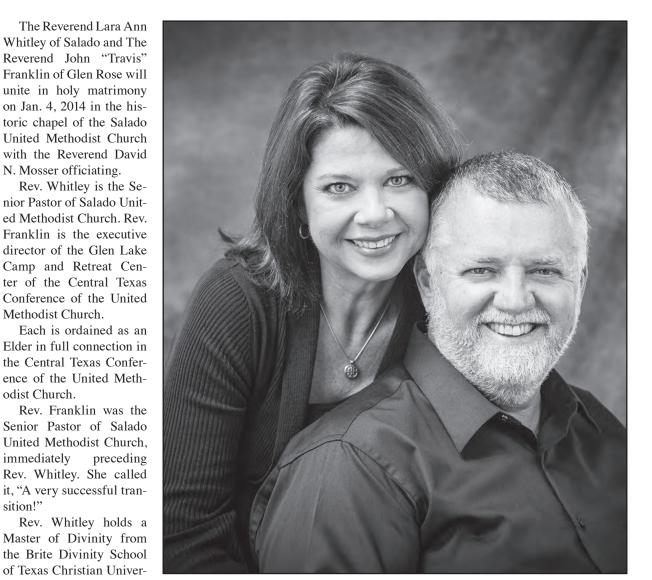
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Reverend Lara Ann Whitley of Salado and The Reverend John "Travis" Franklin of

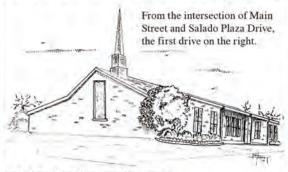
The prospective bride is the daughter of Serena McDougald Whitley of Austin and LTC (Ret) Roy

Wayne Whitley of Lan-

The prospective groom is the son of Lou Dean

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Church services for the holidays

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Salado will hold a Candlelight Service at 6 p.m. in the worship center.

Salado United Methodist Church will have three Candlelight Services on Christmas Eve. They will be held at 5 p.m. in the Main Sanctuary, 6:30 p.m. in the Historic Chapel and 8 p.m. in the Historic Cha-

St. Stephen Catholics Church will have Christmas Eve Mass at 5:30 p.m. and again at Midnight. The Church will have Christmas Day Mass at 9 a.m. with a Spanish Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Grace Baptist Church will have a traditional Christmas Eve service with hymns and a brief devotional at 5:30 p.m.

Presbyterian Church of Salado will have a 6 p.m. Candlelight service with special music.

St. Joseph's Episcopal

Church will have the following Christmas Eve Family Services: Holey Eucharist Rite Two, 7 p.m., Eucharist, 8 p.m.; Holy Eucharist Rite Two, First Baptist Church of 9 p.m., Eucharist, 10 p.m.

> Christmas Candlelight Service at 3C Cowboy Church will be held at 5 p.m. Dec. 24.

First Cedar Valley Baptist Church News Year's Eve Watch Night Service, 7 p.m. Dec. 31. After a potluck supper at 10 p.m., there will be more gospel singing leading up to Midnight. Special guest the Latimers from Burleson will be here, and other great singers.

Presbyterian Church of Salado will have a New Year's Eve service with a social hour beginning at 6 p.m. The Lord's Supper will be served at a 7 p.m.

On Jan. 1, St. Stephen Catholic Church will hold New Year's Day Mass (Holy Day Of Obligation), 9 a.m., Spanish Mass 10:30 a.m.







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"Том" THOMAS RUNYON

Frank Thomas "Tom" Runyon age 85 of Salado passed away December 11, 2013.

Services were held Dec. 15 at the Chapel of the First Methodist Church of Salado with Margaret Clemings of Odyssey Hospice officiating. Interment follow at Lakeland Hills Memorial Gardens in Bur-

Runyon was born on December 9, 1928 in Cedar Rapids, IA to Frank S. and Ethelyn B. Runyon. His siblings were Ann Whanger and John Run-

He married Mary Bernice Hughes on June 16, 1951. He and Mary were married for 54 years when she passed away.

Runyon earned a bachelor in business from the University of Iowa.

A verteran of World War II, Runyon was honorably discharged from the U.S. Nacy. He retired as the purchasing manager for Texas Instruments in

He was a lifetime member of the PTA. He was also active in the Meth-

odist church, volunteered with the Corps of Engineer parks in Temple and Belton and volunteered at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple.

He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law Paul and Janice Runyon of Salado, daughter and sonin-law Delinda amd John Thomas of Taylor, daughter Ruth Wenzel of Buda, daughter and son-in-law Sally and Rip Phillips, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren with another on the way. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews and friends.

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Mill Creek ownership busy on expansion, improvements

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Over the winter months, when golf slows down, Mill Creek Country Club will be pressing forward with a new golf pro expected to be hired within the next month and an expansion of the grill and pro shop itself.

David Preston, golf operations manager for Mill Creek, said that the board has interviewed two Professional Golf Association pros with experience as head pros and will interview a third finalist in the coming week.

"Each of them brings their own skills to the position and are excited about the opportunity to come to Salado," Preston said. "They see the potential we have here and want to build on what the new ownership has started."

"They are students of some of the finest teachers in the nation" Preston said.

The new golf pro will be "integral to the promotion of golf in the community and around the state," Preston said.

Mill Creek is working with lodging facilities to partner together on Stay and Play packages.

"We are also going to have a huge emphasis on junior golf. The golf pro will be working more directly with the schools and coaches to get young players on the course," Preston

"We want them to compete at every age level and develop a love for the

game," he added. Another demographic

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for the country club will be mothers of school age children. "If we can teach a group of them how to play better, they will want to come out and play more often and we have added some natural foursomes regular," Preston said.

Since a group headed by Billy Helm purchased Mill Creek earlier this year, the membership has grown from under 100 to more than 170.

"The board feels that with the expansion of the grill and pro shop and the improvements to the pool area over winter that we will be able to grow our family memberships," Preston said.

Building permits were issued in November for the expansion of the grill. Preston said the work will take six to eight weeks. The old deck will be torn out and the building will be extended toward the pool. At the same time, the pool will get a face-lift, Preston said. "It will be resurfaced and re-tiled and a fence will give the pool privacy from golfers passing by. It will be a more family-friendly sphere by summer time."

The golf shop will be expanded by about 30 percent, but the floorspace will be redesigned to allow 50 percent more merchandise space. "This will reflect an emphasis on selling Mill Creek and golf merchandise to customers," Preston said.

In addition to the expansion of the pro shop and grill, the club will also reline the pond over the winter months.

Then the work will begin on holes #1 and #9 on the Creek 3 set of holes.

The greens will be repaired and ready for grass to be planted by late April so that the grass will have a chance to grow over the warm summer months.

Completing repairs on these two holes is important to give Mill Creek a contiguous 18 holes of golf

With the Creek 2 and Creek 3 holes in play, efforts can then be focused in 2015 on the Creek 1 holes that were so devastated by the 2010 flood.

Preston said that the greens of Creek 1 will be resurfaced with TIF Dwarf in June-July 2015.

"In the meantime, we will be maintaining those holes," Preston said. Until the Creek 1 holes

can be added back into the rotation of play, some of those holes will be used to practice short game.

The Club will pursue a three-year plan of re-seeding all 27 holes with TIF Dwarf grass to provide for a most consistent play.

Plans are to have Creek 2 greens resurfaced in 2016 to bring all 27 holes to the TIF Dwarf grass.

Returning to a 27 hole golf course is the long range goal of the new ownership because it will give the course freedom to host large golf tournaments and groups, as well as balancing the desires of daily players with Stay and Play traveling golfers and the needs for day-to-day maintenance.

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Tuesday, December 24 **Christmas Eve Candlelight Services** 5:00 pm in Main Sanctuary, 6:30 & 8:00 pm in Historical Chapel

Church office will be closed December 24-27 and December 31 and January 1.

Merry Christmas to all!!!! Remember <u>He</u> is the reason for the season!



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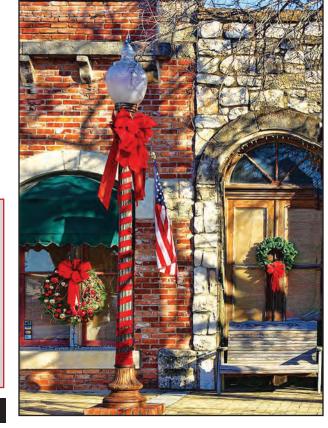
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Salado Shops Open Late for Christmas shoppers this weekend

Salado shops and restaurants will be open late this weekend to give Christmas shoppers one last chance at finding the perfect Christmas gifts. Due to forecasts of ice and dangerous sleet, traffic for the first weekend of the Stroll was less than half what a usual Stroll has. Travelers who typically come from the metro areas stayed home in droves as Dallas was iced in for several days. Local shops are hoping that the forecasts for this weekend continue to hold with highs in the 60s and 70s and that final weekend shoppers will discover all that Salado has to offer. Some shops and restaurants will have live music or other entertainment for the weekend.

Newspaper closed for holidays

Salado Village Voice newspaper will be closed on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, Christmas Day, Dec. 25 and New Year's Day Jan. 1.







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Forensic speakers qualify for Tournament of Champions

Salado High School Speech and Debate Team competed in the 2013 University of Texas Longhorn Classic on Dec. 6-7 against 103 schools from across the nation. More than 1,400 students participated in the meet.

Over 200 students competed in both foreign and domestic extemporaneous speaking. Rachel Evans reached the semi-final round in both extemp categories and Sydney Walter reached the semi-final round in domestic extemp.

Because the girls reached the top 18, they both received additional bids to the TOC in Ex-

One hundred, twentytwo students competed in Championship LD Debate. Isaac Hopkins reached the octofinal round of competition (top 16) and Abigail Sullivan reached the double-octofinal (top 32).

Debaters win in Capitol

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team won the Third Annual Capitol Congressional Debate Contest at the Texas State Capitol on Dec. 5. A competitive field of 213 students from across the state competed in this prestigious event. Salado's team was composed of Rachel Evans, Tyler Hubbs, Robert Cortes and Sydney Walter. The team is coached by Tim Cook. Pictured left to right: Rachel Evans, Tyler Hubbs, Robert Cortes and Sydney Walter.



Salado Youth Soccer Association spring recreational league signups will continue through Feb. 4 for children as young as age 3 and as old as age 14.

Registration forms can be found online at saladoyouthsoccer.com. They can be mailed with payment and to Salado Youth Soccer Association, PO Box 1000, Salado, TX 76571 or

turned in with payment by check at the Thomas Arnold Elementary or Salado Intermediate School front office. A copy of the player's

birth certificate is required for all registrants. Practices will begin on

Feb. 7 and Games begin on March 1.

For some players there may be scholarship available. To find out more about scholarships, email saladoyouthsoccer@gmail.

Teams for U6 through U14 will play a minimum of eight games in the sea-

Teams for U4 will play a minimum of six games in the season.

Following are the age divisions and costs.

U4 (born after 8/1/09): \$65 per player.

U6 (born Aug. 1, 2007-July 31, 2009): \$75 per player.

U8 (born Aug. 1, 2005-July 31, 2007): \$75 per player.

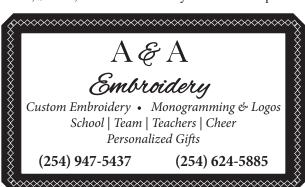
U10 (born Aug. 1, 2003-July 31, 2005): \$75 per player.

U12 Local: (born Aug. 1, 2001-July 31, 2003): \$75 per player.

U11 Travel: (born Aug. 1, 2002-July 31, 2003): \$110 per player.

U12 Travel: (born Aug. 1, 2002-July 31, 2002: \$110 per player.

U13-U-14 Travel (Aug. 1, 199-July 31, 2001):\$110 per player.



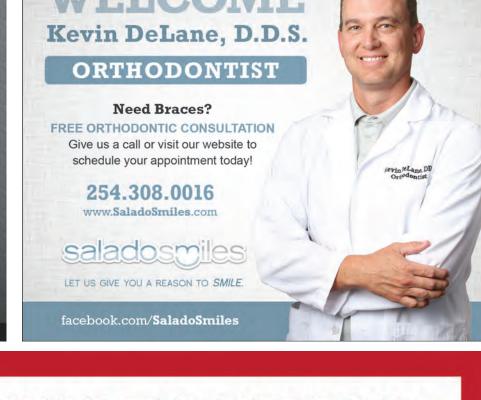


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Drew Mitchell shot a total of 147 over the weekend to win the Mill Creek Country Club Championship held Dec. 14-15. Mitchell shot a 75 on the first day and a 72 on the second day. Trey Little was runner-up with a two-round total of 157. Little shot an 82 for the first round and a 75 for the second round. Cy Long won the Net with a total of 147, followed by Brent McCallum with a net total of 156.

Eagles win Hamilton Tournament

Eagles crowned Tournament Champions at the Ted Jones Memorial Tournament in Hamilton Dec. 13-14, sweeping through Lampasas, Gatesville and Goldthwaite.

Kase Spears was named tournament MVP and Kyle Heiner was named All Tournament.

Eagles Lampasas **40**

Salado ran past the Lampasas Badgers in the first round, outscoring them 31-26 in the first half. In the fourth quarter, Salado scored 19 points, 7 of them from the free

Kyle Heiner and Dane Hankamer each scored 21 points to lead the Eagles. Heiner shot almost perfectly at the free throw line, scoring 11 of his 21 points there on 12 attempts. He hit 9-of-10 free throws in the second quar-

ter alone. Hanker scored 8 of his 21 points at the free throw line, shooting 75 percent.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Tyler Ramthun, 6 points, Preston Rosebrock, 5 points, Kase Spears and Chris Deal, 4 points each and Justin Tatum, 2 points.

Eagles 47 Gatesville

In the second round of the tournament, Salado took a commanding 32-23 halftime lead over the Gatesville Hornets and extended it to 49-33 in the third to take a 60-47 win into the championship game

Spears led the team with 16 points, followed by Heiner's 12 point effort and Hankamer's 11 points.

Others scoring in the game were Rosebrock, 7 points, Kole Hearne and Ramthun, 6 points each and Deal, 2 points.

Eagles Goldthwaite 52

Goldthwaite was able to keep close to Salado in the first quarter, trailing 16-14 but the Eagles scored 19 second quarter points to extend their lead to 35-29 at half. Salado added 19 points in the third and 14 in the fourth for the 68-52

Hankamer poured in 17 points in the second half to lead the Eagles with 20

Spears and Heiner also had double figures with 14 points and 11 points re-

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Also scoring for the Ealges were Ramthun, 9 points, Rosebrock, 8 points, Deal, 3 points, Hearne, 2 points and Justin Tatum, 1 point.

Eagles Moody **28**

Prior to the Hamilton Tournament, Salado crushed Moody in a nondistrict game Dec. 10, winning 76-28.

The Eagles scored more points in the second quarter with 29 points than the Bearcats did in all four. The Eagles took a 44-23 lead at the half.

Hankamer had 23 points to lead Salado, followed by Spears, 14 points and Heiner, 12 points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were Rosebrock, 7 points, Ramthun and Hearne, 6 points each, Deal, 4 points and Tatum and Ty Stewart, 2 points

JUNIOR VARSITY Salado JV Boys 60 Moody

Salado JV Boys beat Moody Dec. 10 prior to the Hamilton Tournament.

Dalton Hankamer led Salado in scoring with 18 points. Followed by Garrett Lightfoot, 14 points.

Also scoring for Salado JV Boys were Peyton Kyburz, 9 points; Josh Buckley, 6 points; Tyler Armstrong, 4 points; Trevor Stump, Paul Hutchinson, 3 points each; Zach Hoover, 2 points; Ryan Marriott, 1

HAMILTON TOURNAMENT Salado JV Boys 58 Clyde

Salado JV Boys defeated Clyde in the first game of the Hamilton Tourna-

Hankamer led Salado in scoring with 17 points. Followed by Buckley, 12

Also scoring for Salado were Armstrong and Kyburz, 7 points each; Ryan Dunnahoo, Hutchinson and Lightfoot, 4 points each; Coby Chambliss, 3 points.

Salado IV Boys 41 Lampasas 42

Salado JV Boys fell a point short in a loss to Lampasas in the second game of the Hamilton Tournament.

Hankamer led Salado in scoring with 12 points. Followed by Kyburz, 11 points.

Also scoring for Salado were Buckley, 9 points; Lightfoot, 6 points; Dunnahoo, 3 points. Salado JV Boys 57

Clifton Salado JV Boys jumped

back from the loss to Lampasas to crush Clifton in game three of the Hamilton Tournament.

Hankamer led Salado

in scoring with 13 points. Followed by Dunnahoo, 12 points and Lightfoot, 11

Also scoring for Salado JV Boys were Hutchinson, 6 points; Chambliss, 4 points; Hoover, 3 points; Kyburz, Marriott, Buckley and Armstrong, 2 points each.

Salado JV Boys 59 Meridian

Salado JV Boys beat Meridian in the fourth game of the Hamilton Tournament.

Hankamer led Salado in scoring with 15 points. Followed by Dunnahoo, 11 points.

Also scoring fro Salado were Lightfoot and Kyburz, 8 points each; Armstrong, 5 points; Hutchinson and Chambliss, 4 points each; Buckley and Marriott, 2 points each. Salado JV Boys 55 Clyde

Salado JV Boys beat Clyde in the Consolation Championship game of the Hamilton Tournament.

Salado scored 19 points in the first and 13 in the second to enter the half leading 32-20. Salado JV Boys scored 14 points in the third quarter to make the score 46-28 going into the fourth. Salado added 9 points in the fourth for a final of 55-43.

Lightfoot led Salado in scoring with 16 points. Followed by Kyburz, 13 points and Josh Buckley,

Also scoring for Salado were Hankamer and Armstrong, 5 points each; Marriott, 4 points.

HAMILTON TOURNAMENT Freshman Boys 20 Eastland

Salado Freshman Boys lost to Eastland in the first game of the Hamilton Tournament.

Stump led Salado in scoring with 7 points. Followed by Markham, 5

Also scoring for Salado were Wall, Drake, Fischer and Lightfoot, 2 points each.

Freshman Boys 33 52

Salado Freshman Boys were beaten by Clyde in the second game of the Hamilton Tournament

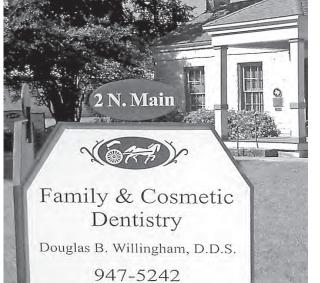
Stump, Wall and Mitchell led Salado in scoring, each with 8 points.

Also scoring for Salado were Lightfoot, 6 points; Markham, 3 points. Freshman Boys 35

Clifton Salado Freshman Boys defeated Clifton in the third game of the Hamilton

Tournament. Mitchell led Salado in scoring with 15 points. Fol-

lowed by Wall, 8 points. Also scoring for Salado were Stump, 6 points; Drake, 3 points; Lightfoot, 2 points; Markham, 1 point.



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Lady Eagles follow district opening loss with victory over Florence

Salado Lady Eagles opened District play last week, splitting games with Rogers and Florence. **Lady Eagles**

Rogers

Salado Lady Eagles were outscored 19-9 in the first quarter of their road game against the Rogers Lady Eagles and could not overcome the deficit, losing 41-56 in the opening district contest on Dec. 10.

Salado matched Rogers point for point in the second quarter to trail 32-22 at the half, but managed only 9 third quarter points as Rogers pulled away for a 46-31 lead going into the fourth.

The Lady Eagles shot only 20 percent at the free throw line, making three of 15 shots. Salado also committed 20 fouls, giving Rogers 33 attempts from the free throw line, of which the home team Lady Eagles converted 13.

Tori Atwood led Salado with 16 points, all from the field. She scored 10 first half points.

Taryn Kornegay followed with 12 points, including one of the team's two three-pointers.

Ashley Adams had the other shot beyond the arc, as she scored 9 points in the game.

Sarah Kelarek and Peyton Dreitz each had 2 points.

52 **Lady Eagles 26** Florence

Salado bounced back from the loss to bull over the Florence Lady Buffs 52-26, winning at home on

The Lady Eagles started slow with 10 points in the first quarter, but allowed just 5 from the visiting Lady Buffs.

Salado extended the lead to 28-9 by the end of the first half.



(PHOTO BY RON LEGUIN) Taryn Kornegay (#32) and Sarah Kelarek (#3) defend against the Florence Lady Buffs in the Salado Lady Eagles' convincing 52-26 district win.

Kornegay hit three three-pointers on her way to a game-high 16 points.

Atwood followed with 12 points, all coming in the first three quarters.

Adams had 10 points, all from the field.

Dreitz, Kelarek and Becca Carroll all had 4 points in the game and Jaylee Sebek had 2 points.

Salado will host Rosebud-Lott Dec. 20 before competing in the Thorndale Tournament Dec. 27-28 over the Christmas break.

JUNIOR VARSITY JV Girls #1 **Rogers** 33

Salado JV Girls Team 1 lost to Rogers Dec. 10.

Salado JV Girls trailed 8-10 in the first quarter and scored 3 in the second to enter the half trailing 11-19. Salado scored 9 points in the third to make the score 20-25 going into the fourth. Salado scored 4 points in the fourth for a final of 24-33.

Vick led Salado in scoring with 12 points. Followed by Hearne, 9 points.

Also scoring for Salado was Combs, 3 points.

JV Girls #2 23 Rogers

Salado JV Girls Team 2 beat Rogers Dec. 10.

Salado fell behind 2-7 in the first and scored 7 points in the second to enter the half trailing 9-12. Salado outscored Rogers 12-6 in the third to enter the fourth with a 21-18 lead. Salado added 11 points in the fourth to secure the win 32-23.

Perez led Salado in scoring with 17 points. Followed by Wilk, 7 points.

Also scoring for Salado were Truelove, 4 points; Ortiz and Lowrance, 2 points each.

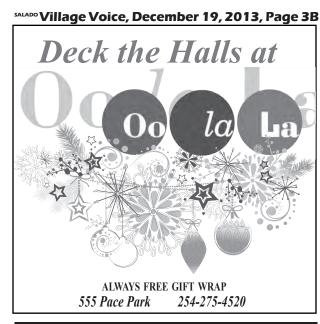
Salado JV **Florence**

Salado JV Girls combined team trounced Florence Dec. 13.

Salado led 13-2 in the first and scored 8 in the second to enter the half with a 21-7 lead. Salado JV Girls outscored Florence 18-2 in the third to extend the lead to 39-9. Salado added 13 points in the fourth for a final of 52-13.

Washington led Salado in scoring with 12 points. Followed by Vick, 11 points and Hearne, 10 points.

Also scoring for Salado JV Girls were Lowrance, 6 points; Vrooman, 4 points; Perez. 3 points: DeKay. Wilk and Combs, 2 points



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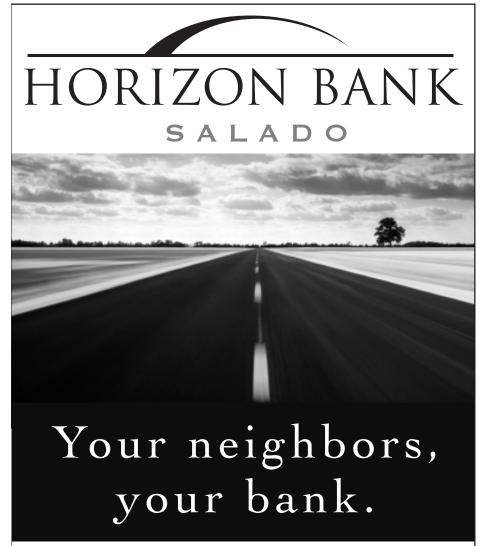


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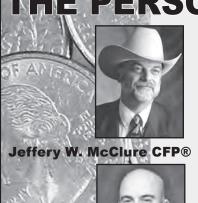
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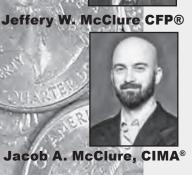
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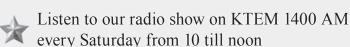


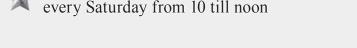
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Eagles are Champs at Hamilton



The Eagles were crowned Tournament Champions at the Ted Jones Memorial Basketball Tournament in Hamilton Dec. 12-14. Kase Spears was named tournament MVP and Kyle Heiner was named All Tournament. Front: Matt Garcia, Kase Spears, Justin Tatum, Kyle Heiner and Chris Deal. Back: Coach Kenny Mann, Preston Rosebrock, Chase Kelly, Kole Hearne, Tyler Ramthun, Dane Hankamer and Ty Stewart.

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Eagles Basketball					
Date	Opponent	9th	JV	Varsity	
11/15	@ Lorena			49-26	
11/19	@ Taylor	14-55	29-42	57-42	
11/23	@ Mexia	29-45	39-56	54-68	
11/26	Lampasas	30-42	33-34	64-44	
11/29-30	Fantasy of Lights	Secon	d Place	3-1	
12/5-7	Coach Smith Tournament	Secon	d Place	4-1	
12/5-7	Burnet Tournament				
12/10	@ Moody	5:00	6:15	7:30	
12/12-14	Hamilton Tournament	1-2	4-1	First	
12/17	*@Lexington		6:15	TBA	
12/20	*Rosebud-Lott		6:15	7:30	
01/3	*@Jarrell	6:15	5:00	7:30	
01/7	*Academy	6:15	5:00	7:30	
01/10	*@Cameron	6:15	5:00	7:30	
01/14	*Rogers	6:15	5:00	7:30	
01/17	*@Florence		6:15	7:30	
01/21	*Lexington		6:15	7:30	
01/24	*@Rosebud-Lott		6:15	7:30	
01/28	*Jarrell	6:15	5:00	7:30	
01/31	*@Academy	6:15	5:00	7:30	
02/4	**Cameron	6:15	5:00	7:30	
02/7	*@Rogers	6:15	5:00	7:30	
02/11	*Florence		6:15	7:30	
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SALADO JUNIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL					
Date	Opponent	7th B	8th B	7th A	8th A
11/14	@ Jarrell	11-8	4-2	21-35	8-35
11/18	Academy	8-14	4-9	29-6	17-35
11/21	Salado Tourney			2-1	
11/23	Salado Tourney				2-1
11/25	@ Florence	23-8	26-7	23-3	25-36
12/2	Lexington	32-6	25-18	15-2	18-39
12/9	@Rosebud-Lott	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30
12/12	Cameron Tourne	y			
12/14	Cameron Tourne	y			
01/09	Rogers	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30
01/16	@ Cameron	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30
01/23	Jarrell	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30
01/30	@ Academy	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30
02/03	Florence	4:30	5:30	6:30	7:30





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02/4	**Cameron			5:00	6:15		
SALADO JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL							
Date	Opponent	7th B	8th B	7th A	8th A		
11/14	Jarrell	12-6	10-17	33-4	8-33		
11/18	@ Academy	6-12	2-11	14-30	12-28		
11/21	Salado Tourney				1-3		
11/23	Salado Tourney			1-2			
11/25	Florence	14-5	2-0	35-10	19-12		
12/2	@ Lexington			36-9			
12/9	Rosebud-Lott			48-10	31-15		
12/12	Cameron Tourney						
12/14	Cameron Tourney						
01/09	@ Rogers	5:00	5:30	6:00	7:00		
01/16	Cameron	5:00	5:30	6:00	7:00		
01/23	@ Jarrell	5:00	5:30	6:00	7:00		
01/30	Academy	5:00	5:30	6:00	7:00		
02/03	@ Florence	5:00	5.30	6.00	7:00		

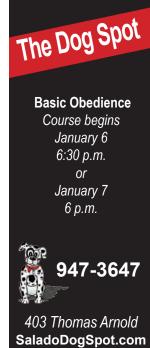


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Dear Santa,

How is rodalph? Is he okay? Is it cold in the cold in the north pole? It nice to be santa? Santa Claws I want a few toys, for Christmas. All I want for cristmas is a game and a transformar and a lot of other doth.

Sincerely, James

Dear Santa,

How was your year been? I hope that we don't ahve a fire that night. We might have a home alone marothn. For Chirstmas I would like Madden 13 for Wii. I would like it because it has RGIII.. Andrew Luck, and Tim Tebow. I would also like video cam to film a video on youtube. I would also like a RC Heilapter to put in the video. I would also like a baltormore Raven Jersey that says McLane #52. I would like because I love the Ravens. Is Mrs. Claus good? How was your summer? I hope it was good. Have a Merry Christ-

Sincerely, Dray

Dear Santa, How are you and Mrs. Clause doing? I would like beyblades, Pokemon and bakugan for Chistmas. Beyblades are awesome toys. They are fun to play with. Pokemon are awesome cards. Bakugan are balls that turn into monsters. Hope the elves are working I have a bigger list. I will leave cookies and milk. If I was an elf I would come with you on the trip around the world giving toys away. Hope you are safe for the trip.

Sincerlty, Aidan

Dear Santa,

How have you been? When you get to my house you're going to like the cookies that me and my mom are going to make for you. There is going to be Angel cookies, Gingerbread man cookies and Christmas tree cookies too. The gifts that I want are Disney Infinity for the PS3 so I can play it with my brother and SkyLandersGaints for the 3DS so I can show my brother how to plaw. Have a very good Christmas Ho Ho

Sincerly, Draven

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I hope you make a lot of presents. I wanted to know if you could get me a lot of presents. I wanted to konw if you could get me a lot of candy. Like Reeses the candy the 4 cuped ones. And if you could also give me a Crazy Loom Braclet set like the with glowin-the dark bands. Thats all I want to say have a safe trip to my house, down my chimney and to my tree

Sincerely, Tia

Dear Santa,

I hope you will be ready for all those cookies and milk I hope the elves are working hard. I can't wait until Christmas morning the town will be full of snow because I'm going to New Mexico. Here are the things I want for Christmas. I want a ds 3d because I will take good care of it. I want anything horse because I love horses. I want arts and crafts I love arts and crafts. I also want a airplane. I love airplanes.

Love, Haley

Dear Santa,

How are the elfs getting evertying done? I promoise no one iwll ever touch Clyde (my elf.) Santa, can please get me a phone that is green? I would also like a Lego Friends Cruise Ship that is so lean it sparcles! I would also love a kitten that is a tan-peach color. I hope Clyde is doing good! Sincerely, Kate

Dear Santay, How are you feeling? How big is your sleigh? For Christmas I would like Anikin, Obi-wan, 2 clones, 2 droids, General Grevious, and Darth Maul. All of those are lego mini figures. Oh! And also with Anikins Lego ship. The droids are regular. So are the clones. If you have Rodlph on your sleigh, please don't let any reindeer taunt him. Have a safe trip!

Sincerly, Noah

Dear Santa Clause, How are Rudolph and Mrs. Clause doing? I won't froget to put out Christmas cookies. For Christmas I want a Duck Dynasty bobble head, because Duck Dynasty is my favorite show. I also want bubble gum, to try to break the world record for the longest time chewing gum. I also want some Duck tape to make a wallet and flower out of Duck tape. How do you fit so many toys in one bag? How do you get through the chimney if its on fire? Hope you have a safe trip.

Sincerely, Naysa

Dear Santa,

How many presents do you deliver to children every

For Christmas I would like a real camera so can take pictures of special occassions like Christmas.

I would also like telescope so I can look at the stars at night. Maybe a microphone with some speakers so I can tell my brothers and my sister to get out.

Last but not least a tv so I can watch television in my

Sincerely, Gavin

Dear Santa,

How do you know if kids are bad or if they are good? Well tell me when you get this. Now back to me. I don't want alot so let me tell you. I would like a makeup kit because I would like my mom to do it to me and my friends when they sleepover. I also a bunny for Christmas because they are cute and soft. I would love an art kit. I would just not like to know. Sincerely, Cooper

Dear Santa,

How are you magik? Is it cold int he north pole for you. I want a huge lego set with lego cars, and a cool videeo game. and xbox. and a lego marvle sooper hearo game with it. and a bord game. merry christmas and happy holadys, we might set out

cookies.

Sincerly, Cutter Dear Santa.

How are you? I hope vou can make it in time for Christmas is 2 things. One is impossible to make that you don't have to make, and the other is an ipad Air. The one that is impossible to make (that is not even real) is a time machine. Well, you don't have to get me it, that's fine, I have enough stuff. I just want my own something like a pet or a computer. I hope you have a nice flight!

Sincerely, Meagan

Dear Santa.

How is your wife and you of coursee. I can't sotp asking to give me his camras so i could put it up on the roof and by the three. I alwas wanted to ask you but i realy whant a big vershion of toohless. And it will have a fly buttin on it and a turn buttin too and a work and blast buttin pleas.

Sincerely, Damian

Dear Santa. How are you doing did you have a nice summer. I hope the weather is nice this year my list is short I only want three things this is what I want a Traxxas & it gose fast and a rc concktr set you hafe to bild it with bolts nuts & sckros the thrd thing I want to mack a rc porson it can hang on the silling ow I omost forgot what kind of coickes do you want.

From, Andrew

Dear Santa.

how are you doing? I will try to buy some cookie dow. I hope you come and all. I want to have is a miny durtbike and a backugon. Have a good

Sincerely, Zack

Dear Santa.

How is Mrs. Claus doing? Hope you have a safe trip. Can you get me an ipad mini with ap ink and green zebra striped case and blingy headhpones that go with it? I also want service on it. And how do you eat all those cookies? Í also want a chandiler for my locker that lights up and is black and white and black with red poka dots. And I would love a new artist journal. And I just want you to know I will be happy with whatever you give me.

Sincerely, Rylie Dear Santa.

I've liked having Sparkles, the elf on the shelf. I hope you're haveing fun. How have you been? How do you manage? Here are a few things I want, Magnets, and a Marble couse plus stunts. Thank you.

Sincerly, Brooke

Dear Santa. How are the reinder, the Elves, mrs. clause, and the Rudolph family going? I would really want them to give me my presents. Please alot of Elves working different shifts. I dont' celebrate christmas but I love looking at all the lights and decorations. I would like to have a Yorkie Terrier. If you don't know what I'm talking about. I tis a tipe of dog. I would like it because it is warm and cudely and I can watch tv with it. If you can get it for me I would love that. Have a Happy Happy Happy christmas. Sincerely, Elizabeth

Dear Saint Nickless, How are the redineer been doing? I made you

some cookeis please give mrs. clouse I don't want her to get left out please don't forget about the reindeer I made them some feed and of course you I made tasty cookeis remeber don't forget about your bueitieful wife. I know that christmas started when Juseus was born and it is very sweet of you to give all of the children presents some time I thank you and God and Jesuse are alike I want you to know you have a sweet kind Generouse heart. I wish to have a cheata spotted bike with a basket I wish to have it because I love cheata's and I need a new bike. I also wish to have a hrose but I think that won't happen. There is one more think I want that is to have a merry christmas. have a good christmas.

Dear Santa,

How much food do you feed the Raindeer? I want a Republice gunship because I need somewhere to put my clones. I want a nerf mega to fight. my dad in battle. can I have a wiiu to play new games. Can youg et me a chace macan game to go with

Love, Katelyn.

the wiiU. Sincerely, Dylan

Mrs. Oborski's Class

Dear Santa,

How are your Elves doing? Hope thir doing well. How many presents do you think the elves make? This Christmas I want a Kindle fire HDX, Lego Marvel Superherows, Disney infinidey. BB gun, Air gogs apmosphere. and a remot controol hlicopter that has wheels,

Your friend, Jon

Dear Santa,

How have you been doing? Does your sleigh really fly How do you get down the chimny? How do you get under the grownd at the North Pole? How many elves do you think you have? May I have a DS because my mom does not want me to play on her phone can I have a xbox 360 for Christmas? Because my dad took his with him. I hop you have a mary chrismas. Senserley, Matthew

Dear Sant,

How do you get the magic on the reindeer? What I want for Christmas is a xbox one, the golden box of pokemon, cat and a Lamberginie adveter for Christmas. I hope you can get all of thowes things for Cristmas. If you can come to my house on the 25. Have a safe trip around the world.

Sinserly, Jett

Dear Santa, How are your reindeer. I want a dirt bike, Ipad, Iphone 5c. The dirt bike size needs to be a 125. That will be the height. How do you get down the chimney? Can you set me two dirtbikes please. The other size needs to be a 100. I want a machine gun and a ninja star and a lamborghini inventor and a spray painter and 100,999,999,999 of dol-

Sincerely, Cayden

Dear Santa,

I hope that you can fit down the chimney. And make sure you eat and Drink all of cookies. Wut I want is every kid even the kid's in the orphanage to get presits. Evey one shod not alone on Christmes I would like for no one to be done on christmas and I all so want something els thos mehy drums, gift cards,

money Santa, have a holly dolly christmas. Sincerely, Wriley Dear Santa. Hi, how are you doing? How do you get down a chimney if there is no chimney? I ho-ho-hope I get a pogo stick. I want it because I tried it when I was in softball. Also it's fun. Icould use some

make up, because my sister and I like to do make overs. Could you drop of a barbie dream house. Also I want some red beat earphones. I hope you have a Merry Christmas. Thank you!

Your friend, Angel

Dear Santa. Did you ever got attack when you were lifting off? By a poler beor? Did you think of makeing the sleigh a diffrint color? What I would like for Christmas is a new bike. How many elfs do you have? What is your favorite reindeer? My favorite is Roudolph. Why does he has a red nose? Who is your favorite

Sinceley, Logan

Dear Santa,

I am very happy that you do this for us. Cristmis is the best holaday ever to me. I would like to ask you something. How do you get through the chimney? I would like a remoat control air plaing a mirror for a locker, a white angry bird that makes nois, and a phone.

Your frend, Greyven

Dear Santa.

Do elves throw present off the sleigh? I hope you have a ringling dingling chrismas. I want a cellphone, a gun, lego, fighting robots with remote control and an xbox 360 with live. I hope you have a safe trip. Sincerly, Logan

Dear Santa.

How old are who santa? you must eat a lot of cookies on cristmas. I would love to have these presents! I would like jenga for Christmas! I would love if I got gooie Louie from you! last, but not least I would like to have scrable flas. I hope you have a nice

Sincerley, Nolan

Dear Santa.

How did Rudolph get his red nose? I hope you don't get sick from those cookies and glasses of milk! Hopfuly that weather won't be so bad just a thought wear warm cloths!

Santa can I have a Kindle because i neeed something that has lots of games that I can play. Also I would like an Amazon gift card so I can get games on the Kindle cheaper. Oh, I would also like some american girl doll cloths for my american girl doll's!

Thank you sooo very much for my presents from the past!
Sincerely, Holly

Dear Santa.

How are the reindeer? hope that you and Mrs. Clawse are ok. If I had a Xbox 360 I would shar it with my famly. I have been dreaming about having an iPad. If I had one I would shar it with my dad for his bisnas. Ok I have to say that you are great. Sincerely, Reanna

Dear Santa.

How is Rudolph, I ho ho hope you can fit in my chimney it is very small. I have got cookies for you. The raindeer will get raindeer food. If that is ok? my christmas tree is huge. What I want for christmas is an American Gril Doll and a horse to fit it. Also some cloths for her. Thank you Santa. Your friend, Camille

Dear Santa. How do you get in the

house if there is no chimney. I have an elf ont he shelf. His name is fred. Is he on of your favoirte elfs. For Christmas this year I want a tablet. Becouse on road trip you can watch movies. I also want a barbie dream house. It is so big that it has two elvetors. Oh and some new cow girl boots. Mine are broken. I would also like head phones that wrap around your ear. hope you have a safe trip. Sincerly, Carissa

Dear Santa Claws,

How are your elves? I'm going to make you some deliciouso cookeis and milk. I would like to have spy gear, makeup, nail polish. I hope this is not much asking. I hope you have a merry christmas. I love you Santa Claws. Thank you for everything.

Love, Heather Dear Santa Clause,

How are your reindeer? want an Ipod because i want to listen to music, then i want a pair of reebok shoes because if i get my red and black shoes dirty i got a back uplain, i would like cleets because i play baseball I want Si RObinson Jase Robinson house slippers because i love si and Jase of Duck Dynasty i wowld also like a dumbugy because sometimes i want to go to my pond and hot walk. hope you have a save trip and your reindeer.

Sincerly, Braydon

Dear Santa,

How did Ruddph get his red nose? I hope you like the cookies and milk that I set out for you. I would like A Tablet because my brother can get so annoying somtimes and that way i could just sit back put my headphones in and play games. I would like some neon green beats please because the look awesome and also realy cool! I would also cute stuff for my puppy because it will look so cod and cute.! The last thing is a big light bright because it lights up and it looks awsom for my room. I hope you have a Merry Christmas!

Sincirely, Reese

Dear Santa,

What do you feed your reindeer? I want a Ipad air really badly and I mean badly. I also want one w bike. The brand is mongoose. I actually believe in you. Althogh I am 8 years old... I still believe in you. Oh by the way I also want a really cool rubber band shooter. Have a safe trip!

Sincerely, Jeffrey

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? Well have a merry Christmas and here are a few things I would like. I would like a Wii. Legos, and an automatic airsoft gun. I'd like to get the Wii the most because i have a broken one and I have a ton of games for it. I hope you have a saf trip. Hopefully you don't crash.

Sincerely, Wyatt

Dear Santa,

How have you and Mrs. claus doing I bet the North Pole is very cold I hope you get all your favorite cookies and milk. This Christmas I would like a puppy I want her to be a labrador retriever thats golden and white whith all pink supplies and some seasonal clothes. I would also like some new stuff for my room. Have a safe trip.

Sincerely, Alexandria

Dear Santa,

How did you get to the north pole? I hope you have a safe trip. Santa these are three things I would like for Christmas. I want clothesnot a lot. Then what I would like for Christmas is a real puppy. last but not least shoes. Thank you.

Sincerely, Kylie

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Clause doing? I ho ho hope you can fit in my Grammys chimney. I wold like a Lad for Christmas I wold shar it with my sisters. I wold like a Germen Sheperd I wold play with him all the time. i ho ho hope you have a safe trip. Sincerely, Paityn





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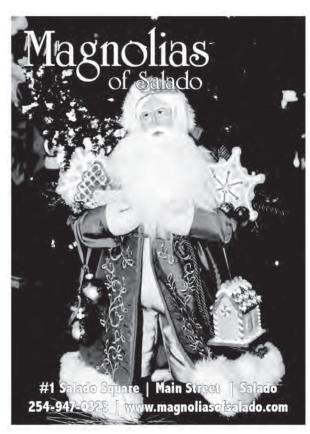
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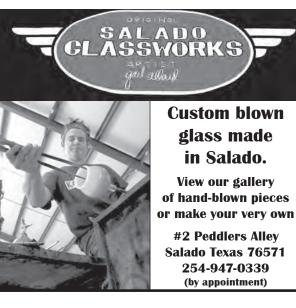


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Mondays

Salado Masonic Lodge #296 practice, 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge 90 N. Church St.

Mondays

Children's Story Time at the Salado Public Library, 11-11:45

Mondays

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

FIRST MONDAY

Salado Athletic **Booster Club meeting,** 7 p.m. in the Salado High School Library.

FIRST MONDAY

Salado FFA chapter meeting, 6:30 p.m. in the ag shop classroom at Salado High School.

TUESDAYS

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

Adult game day at **Presbyterian Church of** Salado, 10 a.m.

TUESDAYS

Salado Rotary Club luncheon meeting, 11:30 a.m. at Johnny's Steaks & Bar-Be-Que meeting hall.

TUESDAYS

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

TUESDAYS

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

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Trudy's Closet, 1-3 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church FIRST WEDNESDAY

Adult craft group meets at Salado Public Library, 10 a.m.-noon. THURSDAYS

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

SECOND THURSDAY

Sip and Knit, 5 p.m. at Salado Wine Seller, informal gathering of

needle artists for fellowship and wine. Bring a project to work on.

FIRST & THIRD SATURDAY

Trudy's Closet, 8 a.m.. at Grace Baptist Church

SATURDAYS

Recycling program, 9 a.m.-noon at 113 Salado Plaza Drive behind Salado Creekside. Glass is accepted. Electronics recycling will be accepted on the Saturdays of Feb. 23, 30, March 7 and March 14. Visit www. keepsaladobeautiful.com to find out how you can volunteer.

SATURDAYS

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

SATURDAYS

Jazz on the Creek, 9-11 p.m. at Alexander's Distillery at Inn on the Creek.

SUNDAYS

New open discussion Al-Anon Meeting in Salado, 6 p.m. Salado at United Methodist **Church in the Youth Activities Building in the**

DECEMBER 19

Salado Chamber of **Commerce Board of** Directors meeting, 8:30 a.m. in the Salado Visitor's Center.

DECEMBER 19

Salado Aldermen meeting, 6 p.m., Municipal building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting is open to the public.

DECEMBER 16

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

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First Course Selections

Crab Salad with citrus on Asian spoons

Black-eyed pea caviar with tortilla chips

= Second Course Selections =

Warm Spinach salad with bacon, hard-boiled egg, toasted Pine Nuts, Mushrooms, Honey mustard vinaigrette

French Onion Soup, Gruyere, Croutons

Entree' Course Selections

Roasted Leg of Lamb and Grilled Lamb Chop over Tuscan Spiked White Beans, Braised Kale And Piquant Sauce

Crispy Stuffed Shrimp and Filet of Beef combination, Dauphinoise, Vegetable potage, Lemon Butter & Brandy Peppercorn Sauces (add \$6)

Pan Seared Sea Bass with Black Lentils, vegetable potage and fennel slaw

Vegetarian Option

Housemade pasta puttanesca with fresh grated Parmesan reggiano

Dessert Selections

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DECEMBER 24 - 25 Salado Public Library closed.

DECEMBER 24

Christmas Eve Services, at Salado United Methodist Church. Times: 5 p.m. Main Sanctuary, 6:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. in the Historic Chapel.

DECEMBER 24

Christmas Candle Light Service at 3C Cowboy Church, 5 p.m.

DECEMBER 24

Christmas Eve Mass at Saint Stephen Catholic Church, 5:30 p.m. and Midnight.

DECEMBER 25

Christmas Mass at **Saint Stephen Catholic** Church 9 a.m., Spanish Mass at 10:30 a.m.

DECEMBER 31 First Cedar Valley

Baptist Church News Years Eve Watch Night Service, 7 p.m.

JANUARY 1

New Year's Day Mass (Holy Day Of Obligation), 9 a.m., Spanish Mass 10:30 a.m.

January 4

Downloading E-Books from Overdrive Class, 1-3 p.m. Salado Public Library. Learn how to download ebooks from the library. **Registration required** 947-9191.

January 4

Music at Salado Creek Winery, 5 - 8 p.m., Jazz Standards with Kat Kaliski singing and Franke Garcia on keys. No Cover

January 6

Tablerock Young Writers Contest, info: tablerock.org.

January 6

Basic Obedience Course begins at The **Dog Spot on Thomas** Arnold Road, 6:30 p.m. **Registration required** 947-3647.

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Reading of Ramon Carver's new play Now and Then, and Again and Again, 7 p.m. at the Salado Public Library. JANUARY 17

Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.

JANUARY 17

Wii tournament for ages 10 - 18 (Teens), 3-5 p.m. at Salado Public Library meeting room. No reservations required. info: 947-9191

January 23

Salado Area Republican Women, Meet the Candidates Forum, 6 p.m. at Tenroc Ranch. January 25

Burns Night at Stagecoach Inn, hosted by Central Texas Area Museum, 7-10:30 p.m. The Museum will join with Scots around the world in remembering and honoring Scotland's most famous poet Robert Burns. Tickets are \$55 per person and include traditional "Piping in of the Haggis" and and the ode "To A Haggis" followed by a formal dinner. Cost of the event is \$55 per person. For information call (254) 947-5232 or email office@ ctam-salado.org.

February 1

Deadline for submissions for the Central **Texas Poetry and Prose** anthology Cat & Dog Tales. Info: Tablerock1@ aol.com

February 6

Central Texas Poetry and Prose Readings, 7 p.m. at Tablerock. This 7th annual gathering of poets for the 2014 anthology titled Cat & Dog Tales will feature guest master of ceremonies Thom the World Poet. Info: Tablerock1@aol. com.

February 8

Salado On The Rocks, visit Salado.com for info.

February 8 & 9

Auditions for Salado Legends, 3 p.m. at **Tablerock.** Auditions for over 100 men, women and child actors. Technical and behind the scene work also. Rehearsals begin June 9. No compensation, college scholarships available. Director: Donnie Williams254-947-0717or mr.duck@embarqmail.

FEBRUARY 15

The 20th Annual **Baylor Women's Schol**arship Brunch, 9 a.m. at The Venue by Inn on the Creek. Speaker will be Alice Starr, wife of Baylor University President Kenneth Starr.

February 15

Baylor Women's Reunion, The Venue by Inn on the Creek, dinner at The Stagecoach Inn, Salado.

February 17

Salado ISD school holiday.

February 21

Antique Auction to benefit the programs of the Salado Ladies Auxiliary, 7 - 9 p.m. at Stagecoach Inn Conference Center.

FEBRUARY 22-23

Salado's Treasures of **Texas Past Antique show** hosted by the Salado Ladies Auxiliary, Sat 9-4 p.m. Sun 12-4 p.m., 108 Royal Street.

February 23

Chapel Music Series Event at The Chapel at Caliber Oak. Details to follow, www.CaliberOak.

February 28

Salado ISD end of grading period - noon release.

March 10 - 17

Salado ISD spring break.

March 17

19th Annual Denver Mills Golf Tournament at Mill Creek Golf Course, Shotgun start 1 p.m. ,\$80 entry. Cash prizes. Info: (254) 541-4830, (254) 913-3890 or 947-9205.







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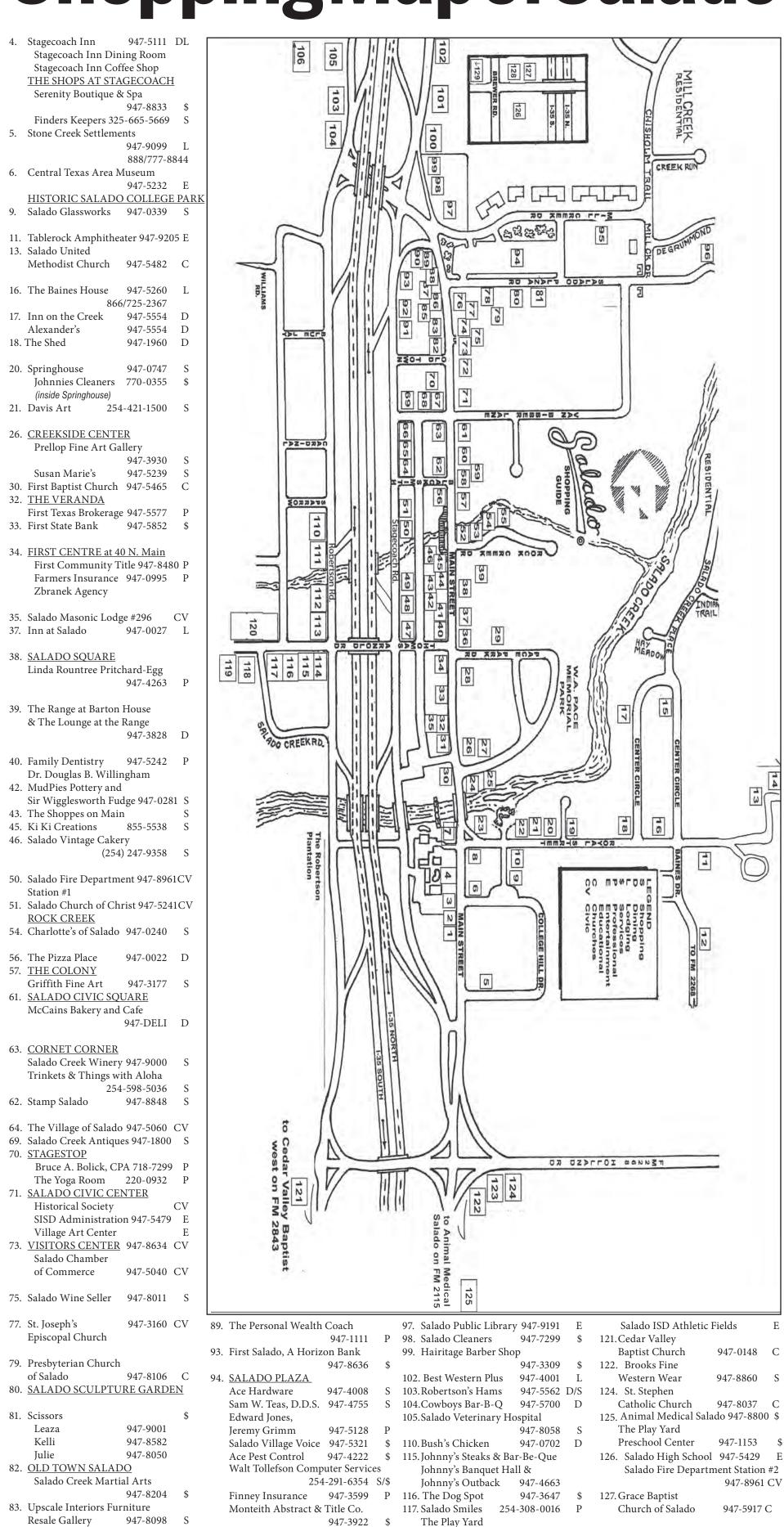
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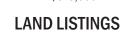
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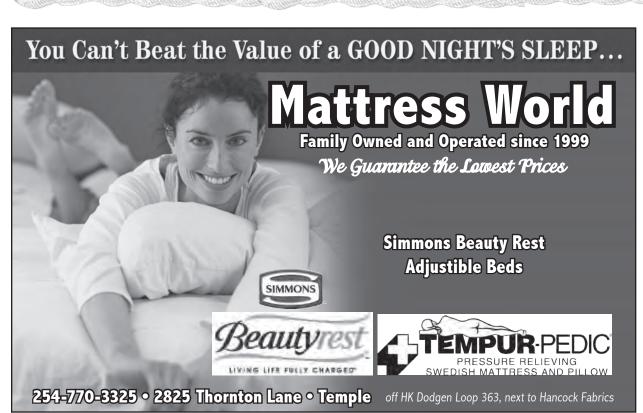


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Dec. 9

1:46-1:53 a.m., SB I-35 Exit 284. Disabled/Abandoned Vehicle. Not blocking, tagged for two. Clear.

5:43-5:50 p.m. 815 N. Stagecoach (Horizon Bank). Business alarm, night drop. Arrived on scene to find building secure ground level. J.P. and Constable Office secure also. No keyholder en route per dispatch. Clear.

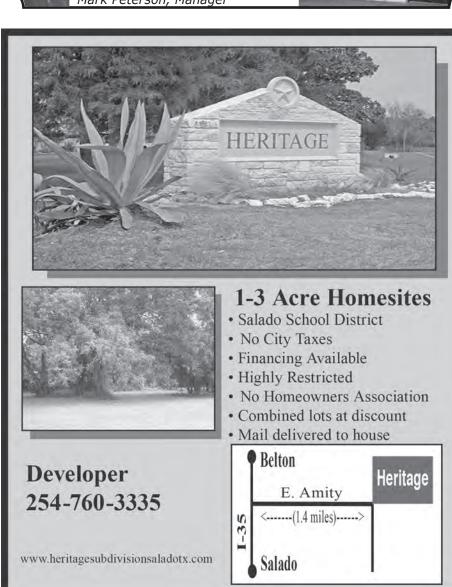
8:37-8:51 p.m., SB I-35 Exit 284. Traffic Control, wrecker on scene towing vehicle that had been red tagged yesterday. DPS called for the wrecker. Traffic control provided while the vehicle was load-

ed. Clear.

9:17-9:27 p.m., 1400 Block Old Mill. Domestic, dispatched as verbal only. Arrived on scene to find two family members in dispute of civil issue. No violence occurred. Parties

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involved resolved their issue for the night. Clear. Dec. 10

6:36-6:42 a.m., 300 Block N. Stagecoach. Business Alarm, notified of alarm at City Hall, Clear.

9:27-9:36 a.m., 1500 Block Old Mill. Medical, assisted FD with medical call. Clear.

9:35-9:41 a.m., 400 Block S. Main. Business Alarm, notified of alarm at above address. Clear.

10:38-11:02 a.m., 1400 Block Old Mill. Credit Card Abuse, complainant stated her credit card number had been compromised. Report on fileclear.

5:10-5:24 p.m., 301 N. Stagecoach (Police Department). Sexual Assault, walk in complainant seeking information about filing a report of Sexual Assault involving his daughter from five to six years ago. Complainant stated more than one incident occurred over a period of time at an address inside city limits. Stated daughter

had just recently reported the incidents to him. Complainant stated he would bring his daughter in to give a statement at a later date. Complainant and daughter no longer live in the area. Clear.

5:30-5:52 p.m., 2300 Block Smith Bluff. Animal Disturbance, dispatch advised caller found a yellow lab in her back yard. Animal located in 2400 block of Smith Bluff. Male dog with orange collar. Picture posted to PD facebook page. Animal left in care of a local resident for the night. Clear.

10:48-11:01 p.m., 1000 Block Brookhollow. Residential Alarm, zone 1, front door. Arrived on scene and made contact with resident who had just armed the system prior to it sounding. Unknown what set alarm off. Will contact alarm company in the morning. Clear.

Dec. 12

7:20-7:51 a.m., 2200 Block Buff Circle. Alarm (Residential). No

home, secure.

7:51-8:40 a.m., 1100 Block North Ridge. Sus-Circumstance, unknown person removed electric meter from the outlet. Was electric company. No problems.

11:25-11:40 p.m., 700 Block Old Mill. Medical, SVFD needed assistance on a fall victim call. Cleared.

11:15-11:25 p.m., 2100 Block Chisholm Tr. Welfare Concern, daughter was talking to elderly mom and phone went dead. Checked on elderly mom's welfare. Phone problems. Code-4, Cleared.

Dec. 13

7:55-8:25 p.m., 2484

at I-35. Assist Other Agency, drove up on a 2 vehicle crash. Assisted DPS. Cleared.

8:45-8:55 p.m., 500 Block Mill Creek. VCO Violation, a truck tractor was parked in front of his residence. No VCO Violation. Cleared.

Dec. 14

9:07-9:14 a.m., 284 SB. Disabled Motorist, 18 wheeler with brakes locked down. Was able to move it to service road where he called his corporate office. Clear.

Dec. 15

9:32-10:32 a.m., PD. Statement, took statements from 3 individuals for an investigation. Clear.

10:32-11:11 a.m., 1300 Block Old Mill. Medical, assisted EMS/FD with medical call. Clear.

11:41-11:53 a.m., 283 NB. Agency Assist, all DPS units were busy and asked if PD could get a mattress out of the roadway. Clear.

1:05-1:14 p.m., 200 Block S. Main. Business Alarm, audible alarm was activated, made contact with keyholder. Clear.

6:30-7:34 p.m., Center at Royal. Crash, dispatched as one vehicle crash with no injuries. Arrived on scene to find one vehicle that had backed into a ditch and was unable to get out. No damage to vehicle. Wrecker was called for and

removed the vehicle from the ditch. Clear.

10:20-10:41 a.m., 1800 Block Kelvin. Medical, assisted FD and EMS with Medical Call. Clear.

2:49-2:56 p.m., 1200 Block Mill Creek. Medical, assisted FD and EMS with a medical call. Clear.

7:20-7:37 p.m. 2100 Block Bluff Circle. Structure Fire, dispatched as possible fire in the chimney. Arrived on scene to find embers coming from the top of the chimney. Checked interior walls upstairs where the chimney runs for hot spots. None located. Clear with SVFD on scene conducting more thorough search.

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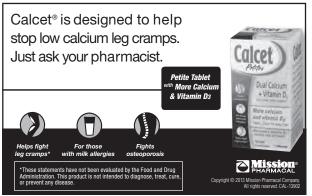
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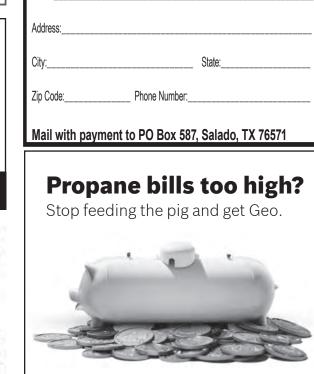
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Dec. 9

9:56-10:19 Brush Fire (Control burn). Cleared. 2 units, 4 personnel.

Dec. 10

9:26-10:08 a.m., 1500 Block Old Mill Rd. Patient unconscious, Scott & White transported. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

8:53-9:18 a.m., 280 MM I-35 SB. Male having chest pain. Patient care given to BMS. 2 units, 2 personnel.

Dec. 11

9:11-9:48 a.m., 1200 Block Creekview. Pregnant patient bleeding, Scott & White transported. Dec. 12

Block Cedar Valley. Structure Fire, supplied Killeen FD with water. Cleared. 2 units, 3 personnel.

4:04-5:35 p.m., 2484 p.m., at 5260. MVC 2 vehicles with major damage and 1 gravel truck with minor damage. 1 transported. 4 units, 7 personnel.

11:04-11:38 p.m., 1700 Block Old Mill Rd. Lift assistance, cleared. 2 units, 2 personnel.

Dec. 13

2:23-3:00 p.m., Salado FD Station 1. Snake bite victim, patient stated she was bit on ring finger by a rattle snake. FD cut ring off and monitored patient. Scott & White Medic took over patient care, transported to Scott & White. Cleared. 7 personnel.

3:21-3:15 p.m., 600 12:42-2:20 p.m., 15000 Block S. Robinson Rd. vehicle through a fence and power pole. ONCOR Electric company on scene.

Cleared. 2 units, 2 person-

5:11-5:17 p.m., 600 Block S. Robertson Rd. Line down, line arching from earlier MVC. Electric company on scene. Cleared. 2 units, 3 person-

7:58-8:29 p.m., FM 2484 and I-35 Service Rd. Two vehicle accident, medic obtained no transports. 1 unit, 2 personnel. Dec. 14

10:30-11:06 a.m., 1300 Block Old Mill Rd. Illness, Scott & White transported. 2 personnel. Dec. 15

10:15-10:41 a.m., 1800 Block Kevlin Trail. Patient that had blistering skin. Scott & White transported. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

2:47-3:15 p.m., 1200

Block Mill Creek. Sick person, care given to Scott & White. 1 unit, 5 person-

6:32-6:46 p.m., FM 2115 and Hackberry Rd. Unfounded grass fire, checked the entire area about 4 miles all ways, cleared. 4 units, 9 person-

7:19-7:45 p.m., 2100 moderate damage. Belton Block Bluff Circle. Chimney Fire, nothing seen from the outside. Set up ladder on house and checked chimney, no fire found. Homeowner said they had a starter log and it broke then it seemed like all the ashes and flames were exiting the chimney. No fire hazards found all units cleared. 4 units, 13 personnel.

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