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Village withdraws rezoning of Mill Creek, to mull CUP

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

The Village of Salado withdrew its plans to rezone the Mill Creek Country Club after it received an application for a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) to operate the golf course on the property that is currently zoned Single Family Residential.

Village administrator Don Ferguson told Salado Village Voice that the Village received the application for the CUP hours before an executive session meeting with its village attorney to discuss the rezoning proposal.

The CUP will now go through the proper process, which will include notifying adjoining properties and conducting public hearings at the Planning & Zoning Commission and Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen will be the ultimate body to decide whether a CUP will be issued to Mill Creek Country Club and what, if any, conditions will be required under the CUP.

Because the Village is withdrawing its request to rezone the golf course property, the public hearing and vote planned for Feb. 7 will be unnecessary.

The process for the CUP will take about the same amount of time (40 days) as the rezoning request due to requirements for public notice hearings.

No dates are set for the

but will be published in the Salado Village Voice as the newspaper of record.

Aldermen were set to conduct the public hearing on the rezoning of the Mill Creek Country Club at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 7 and then to vote on the proposed rezoning.

The meeting follows the public hearing and vote by the P&Z on Jan. 22 in which commissioners voted 4-1 against the rezoning of the Mill Creek Country Club property. K.D. Hill, Tom McMahan, Susan Terry and Ronnie Tynes were all opposed to the rezoning while Larry Roberson was in fa-

During the P&Z public hearing on the Golf Course rezoning proposal, a dozen people spoke with the majority of speakers opposed to the rezoning.

Following the hearings, aldermen will vote on each of the rezoning proposals brought forth by Village

Village staff will work to bring the CUP request on the Mill Creek golf course to the P&Z Commission and Board of Aldermen.

The Zoning Map currently designates the golf course property as Single Family Residential, within which golf course is a land use that is permitted by Conditional Use Permit.

Operations of Mill Creek Country Club precede incorporation by more than two decades and its continued

public hearings for the CUP, operation as a golf course would be considered a preexisting non-conforming use according to the Zoning Ordinance definitions.

While the BoA will not conduct a hearing on rezoning the golf course, it will conduct public hearings to rezone Pace Park and Sirena Park as Public Facility. The properties are currently zoned as Historic District. which allows Parks as a land use by right.

On Jan. 22, P&Z voting against the rezoning proposal for both park properties.

A handful of speakers, all opposed, addressed the parks rezoning during the P&Z public hearing.

However, how much weight the recommendation of the P&Z Commission will carry with Aldermen remains to be seen. Aldermen voted unanimously to add the Private Recreation zoning district designation to the Zoning Ordinance, even though the P&Z voted 3-2 against adding the new designation.

Discussion of the zoning designations came up last year when the Village of Salado was meeting with ownership group of Mill Creek Country Club to consider the possible purchase of the golf course by the Village of Salado.

Following that meeting, Mill Creek ownership withdrew from any further discussions with the Village about the purchase of the golf course.



BCYF Grand Champion Heifer

Cooper Free, Salado had the Grand Champion Heifer at the Bell County Youth Fair and Livestock Show this week with his C2 British Heifer. For more Bell County Youth Fair results, turn to page 4B this edition. (Courtesy PHOTO)



Stuart Lastovica with WB Lucy. (Courtesy PHOTO)

With filing deadline just over week away, ballots not yet full

With just over a week left before the deadline, no new candidates have filed for the Village of Salado Board of Aldermen election.

Three two-year terms on the board will be decided on May 4. However, as of presstime no incumbents have filed for re-election to the Board of Aldermen.

Michael McDougal, who has served three terms on the board, told Salado Village Voice via email that "I haven't decided as yet about filing for another alderman term."

One-term alderman Andy Jackson replied last week that he will likely file for re-election, but "may change my mind before the deadline, but right now I am planning on filing."

John Cole and Rodney Bell have both filed for election to the Board of Aldermen.

Fred Brown resigned last year from the Board of Aldermen and the seat was left vacant by the board.

Salado ISD will have a contested race for two threeyear terms on its Board of Directors. Jeff Kelley, who has served terms on the SISD Board of Trustees has filed for re-election.

Darrell Street, who has served five terms on the board, announced that he is not going to run for reelection to the SISD school board.

Amy McLane and Brand Webb have both filed for the school board.

Three two-year terms on

the Salado Public Library District Board of Directors will be decided in May as well. Those positions are currently filled by Joycelyn Miller, Bobbette Bell and Patricia Rehm. Last time we checked, Miller is the only candidate to have filed for election. Bell announced to the Library board that she would not file for re-elec-

Filing in the three local races will continue until 5 p.m. Feb. 15. The deadline to file as a write-in candidate is 5 p.m. Feb. 19.

CORRECTION:

Last week, we incorrectly printed that Feb. 29 is the deadline to file as a write-in candidate. The deadline is Feb. 19.

Lastovica wins Int. Heifer Champ at FW Stock Show

Stuart Lastovica, from Salado, captured Intermediate Heifer Champion with WB Lucy in the Junior Angus Heifer Show at the 2019 Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo on Jan. 28.

The 2019 Show is hosting junior breeding beef exhibitors from across Texas competing for awards and \$36,210 in premiums.

Of the 33,000 entries at the nation's longest-running livestock show, the livestock exhibited by the more than 11,500 junior exhibitors are among the best market ani-

Fort Worth: 4-H student mals in the country. While the livestock are impressive, one of the Show's main objectives is to support the professional and leadership development efforts offered by the 4-H and FFA programs in Texas. Bonuses for the livestock show total \$18,750 while the Agricultural Development Fund has committed more than \$79,000 in additional premiums to the barrow, breeding sheep, dairy cattle, wether lambs, wether goats, youth rabbits, youth poultry and youth dairy goats since 2015. An additional \$8,000 in premi-

ums has been added in 2019 for barrows, breeding sheep, dairy cattle, wether lambs and wether goats, for a total of \$106,150 in support.

"The Stock Show serves as a nurturing point for these future business and civic leaders," said Stock Show President and General Manager Brad Barnes. "This commitment is a founding principle of the Stock Show and we remain humbled with the number of Texas youth who choose to exhibit in the many events at the legendary Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo."

PALS Tastes of Salado set Feb. 26 at Stagecoach

Public Arts League of Salado (P.A.L.S) will offer a live auction at their annual "Tastes of Salado" fund raiser 6-9 p.m Feb. 26 at the Stagecoach Inn in Salado.

A number of Salado restaurants will offer tastes of their signature dishes. Confirmed restaurants and shops participating in the Taste of Salado are Ramble restaurant, Stagecoach Inn, Chupacabra Kitchen, Cowboys Barbecue, Lively Coffeehouse and Bistro, Lynette's Bakery, McCains on Main, Silvia's Cafe and Strawberry Patch.

The auction will include

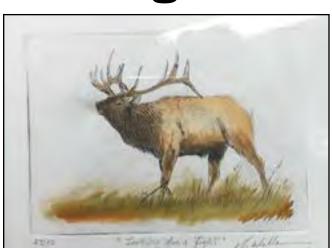
unusual items paired in thematic packages. Some of the packages contain recipes from Salado families that have never been shared, fruit trees with fruit that can be used in the recipes, six months of homemade cookies, an e-Bike tour of historical Salado sites, a two-day Galveston Condo rental, a wildflower package that includes a Charles Allen wildflower sculpture, Salado art and much more. These items will be available for viewing at the event.

Auction items have been donated by the following:

Art- Larry Prellop, Charles Allen- flower sculpture, B Herd - Art, Sirril Art Gallery, Troy Kelley - art, Jill and Johnny Shipman- art, Kay Griffith - art, Merle and Karen Stalcup - theater tickets, Mill Creek Golf Course - golf packages and swim passes, Rick and Shannon Ashe - condo time share, Richard Paul Thomas - Home Concert, Yellow House B and B gift certificate, Jill Shipman and Debbie Harrison - Dinner for six, Cathy and Larry Sands - two dozen Homemade cookies delivered for

six months (once a month), Johnny's Steaks & Barbeque - dinner and concert, Lone Star eBikes - Historical Bike Tour, Brookshires Bros Texas Gift Basket, Lynette's Bakery - baked goods, Linda Griffith - lemon pie and lemon tree family recipe, Tyler Fletcher - books, Salado Glass Works, Mud Pies - fudge and pottery, Angelic Herbs and 21 Main.

Tickets are \$30 per person, are limited and available from P.A.L.S board members, at the Salado Visitors Center and centraltexastickets.com.



Looking for a Fight, framed limied edition print by Ronnie Wells is among the items donated for the Public Arts League of Salado annual Tastes of Salado auction on Feb. 26. (Courtesy Photo)



Village took right step in withdrawing rezoning

Salado Board of Aldermen have taken the right step in withdrawing its request to rezone the 135+ acres of Mill Creek Country Club within its own boundaries, but there is more to

Just hours before an executive session with its lawyer, the Village received an application for a Conditional Use Permit to operate the property as a golf course, one of the Land Uses allowed within Single Family Residential zoning districts by CUP.

The Village should never have gone into the process of rezoning the property in an effort to make the Future Land Use Map (FLUP) and Zoning Map match each other. By this flawed logic, the Village would then have to pursue dozens of rezoning issues, particularly within the Historic District where there are so many different land uses operating in harmony.

The FLUP is a blueprint for the future, not something to be used to beat existing properties over the head. It should guide the P&Z Commissioners and Aldermen on what we want our Village to look like in 20 years, or 30 years.

Wanting more green ace through parl s and recreational spaces like a golf course is a laudable pursuit. We commend the Village for wanting this.

However, its heavy handed approach was short sighted and will end up being costly as it now has to go through a process of conducting P&Z and Aldermen public hearings for a CUP for the course.

The Zoning Ordinance and original Zoning Map are products of a 14-yearold Comprehensive Plan prepared by Dunkin-Sefko Associates. During the process, Dunkin-Sefko defined two special zoning districts and allowed many uses within them: the Historic District and Local Retail.

All of the Zoning Districts were defined in the most recent amended (2013)

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version of the Zoning Ordinance as the following: A Agriculture; SF-21 Single Family Estate Residential; SF-7 Single Family Residential; SF-PH Single Family Patio Home; SFA Single Family Attached, MF-1 Multi-Family Residential, O Office, LR Local Retail, RR Regional Retail, MU Mixed Use, BP Business Park, C Commercial, HD Historic District, PD Planned Development, WS West Side Overlay and the regulations of CUP Conditional Use Permit.

In addition, the Zoning Ordinance has eight pages of single line Land Uses categorized by Agriculture, Residential, Office, Personal & Business Services, Retail, Transportation Services, Amusement and Recreation, Institutional and Governmental, Commercial & Wholesale and Light Manufacturing.

Aldermen created a brand new Zoning District that doesn't make much sense at all: Private Recreation. The Land Uses allowed within that newly created zoning district are already addressed within every other Zoning District on the books.

If the Village had stuck to its guns and over-ruled the P&Z advice and voted to rezone the property, it would have allowed land uses on that property that are incompatible for property that is in the heart of and surrounded by Single

Family Residential district. Wanting to keep the golf course a golf course is the right position for the Village to take. It will keep property values higher than they would be otherwise.

However, we think there are other measures the Village could -- and should-pursue to support the golf

If they really want to help insure that the property will remain a golf course, they can do some of the fol-

• Get out of the way. Private business always does better without the interference of government at any

ullet Show support. Through the use of Hotel Motel taxes, the Village of Salado could support the golf course by offering to partner with it in promotion of Salado as a golf destination. We mean more than just the lip service it gets now. Years ago, Mill Creek was advertised in regional, state and national golf magazines. Stay and play packages were a key part of Mill Creek's marketing campaign. But this was done when the ownership of Mill Creek also owned and operated dozens of the old guest houses for weekend stav and when Stav and play packages included dinners at the now-defunct restaurant. With some innovative marketing, stay and play packages could be developed and advertised in niche golf publications and websites that would partner Mill Creek to local lodging, restaurants and other activities (i.e. shopping, arts, his-

• Update the Village website to include information on Mill Creek that can be used by local businesses and real estate professionals to promote the value of this

Certainly, if the Village does these things, Mill Creek will benefit more than some other specific businesses. However, the identity of Salado has been so closely linked with that of Mill Creek that if the Village will help raise the tide of this ship, all others stand a chance of following

Reinvigorating, reinvestre-marketing and re-partnering are part of the solution. Let's try that.

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An Open Exchange of Ideas

If you have the flu, stay away from Salado schools!

The Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimates that between October 1, 2018 through January 19, 2019 there have been 9.8 to 11.4 million flu illnesses, 4.6 to 5.4 million flu medical visits, and 113,000 to 136,000 flu hospitalizations.

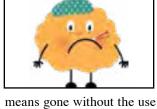
How do you prevent the flu? The best way is to get vaccinated. Have you heard of herd immunity? In this case it's relying on everyone else to get the vaccine so you don't have to. Do not rely on herd immunity!

If you get sick with the flu, or any other illness, do not come to school or work! No one at your school or office wants what you have. Do not come back to school or work until 24 hours after your fever is gone, and that

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny





of fever-reducing medicine.

Flu vaccines are not perfect. They don't cover every possible flu virus, just the top three or four that research suggests will be the most prevalent this season.

There are ways to protect yourself from those relying on herd immunity and those

who come to work sick. Wash your hands frequently and use hand sanitizers. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth, especially after contact with someone that may be sick.

For more information about the flu go to the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) website regarding Influenza (Flu) at www.cdc.gov/flu/index. htm or their main website at www.cdc.gov/ and then click on "Diseases and Conditions" and then "Flu (In-

U.S. economy adds jobs for 100 straight months

Our dear old Standard and Poor's 500 Stock Index (SPX) turned in a respectable week, rising 1.57 percent to 2706.53. More impressive was the 7.87 percent rise for the month of January, the best first month of the year since 1987, and the biggest monthly rise since 2015. In December the SPX fell 9.18 percent, and for the 4th quarter was down 14 percent, so January's impressive rise doesn't get us back to even but is still welcome. The Index and the broad market are still down over 2 percent from this time last year and down 7.75 percent from their peak values last September.

The drivers behind this slow but impressive recovery have been a gradual backing off by the Federal Reserve on future interest rate guidance and a steady stream of optimism from the President on his expectations for ending the trade war with China. The headwinds that have so far prevented a full recovery are the same President's earlier threats to wage the trade war and a growing fear that Europe and Asia may not

be doing well economically. Amid all the good news from the stock market, little attention was paid to the benchmark 10-year U.S Treasury note. It closed out the week at 2.68 percent, having risen from 2.63 percent mid-day Friday, but the 5-year note has sagged. The interest yield curve is now nearly flat out to five years at 2.44 percent. You may remember that in early November the 10-year note was yielding 3.24 percent and was predicting large-scale future economic growth. The nearly 1/3 decline in yield since then is a warning that the bond market is not so optimistic for the economy two or three years from now.

West Texas Intermediate Crude Oil put in a good

Market & Economic Update By Jeffrey W. McClure





showing for the week, rising 3.38 percent to \$55.35, up nearly 14 percent for one month but still down 12.5 percent for three months and down 6.47 percent from a year ago. Gold rose 1.06 percent in sync with the stock market to \$1,322.60 and is now up over 6 percent for 90 days but down 3.25 percent from a year ago. The dollar (WSJ Index) declined 0.15 percent on Fed's interest rate announcement but remains up 6.32 percent from a year ago.

The Economy

The headline news was that the U.S. economy has been adding jobs now for 100 consecutive months, the longest such period on record. According to the Labor Department, nonfarm payrolls rose a seasonally adjusted 304,000 in January. Perhaps more importantly, average wages were up 3 percent from a year ago, marking sixmonths of wage increases significantly above inflation. The unemployment rate rose to 4 percent but that appears to be a quirk of the government shutdown. The biggest gains were in education, health, and construction. The construction gains were another anomaly as they were mainly in home improvement, not new construction.

Some major companies, previously in the lead of the bull market, including Apple and Caterpillar, reported declining earnings for the 4th quarter of 2018 while others such as Facebook and Amazon turned in record profits. In another indication of a maturing bull market, smaller companies were where the earn-

ings growth appears to be concentrated for the quarter and for the full 2018 year, while the larger, more familiar companies reported spotty gains. The big picture is that overseas economies are exhibiting slowing growth but that was more than offset by the quarter's rise in U.S. domestic consumer spending. Employers are continuing to report a critical shortage of qualified workers available to be hired as the most significant obstacle to more growth. With 45 percent of SPX companies reporting, Index earnings are up about 12.5 percent from a year ago, about half the 25.5 percent gain the Index has averaged over the past three quarters.

Members of the Federal Reserve Board suggested in speeches that further shortterm interest rate increases were likely on hold until mid-summer. Keys to that decision are the uncertainties associated with Brexit and trade policy. A "hard Brexit" in which the United Kingdom exits the European Union with no negotiated agreement would seriously reduce trade with the U.S. because our trade agreements are with the E.U. and not the U.K. As we have written before, there is a consensus among economists that imposing a 25 percent tariff on Chinese imports could trigger a recession. Coupling tariffs with a hard Brexit could make that recession more severe. With the European Union teetering on the edge of recession, China's growth rate slowing, and the political risks piling up, it makes sense that the Fed would hesitate to hit the brakes on the U. S. economy.



FORUM

No rezoning for golf course; athlete thanks coaches

Dear Editor:

It is my opinion that Mill Creek Golf Course should not be rezoned. It has been zoned residential since its' inception and the Planning and Zoning Committee has twice recently recommended the BOA leave it be. The BOA has led the public to believe that rezoning will automatically mean that there will always be a golf course at Mill Creek. The ONLY thing that will insure the course remains open is participation and support from the public. So many people who have all the answers are individuals that have never even been to the Club ... much less support it. Yet the course "must stay a golf course". "It's the only reason we moved to Mill Creek". Nothing can remain the same without support. How many businesses do you know that can operate and thrive and keep their doors open without the support of the public?

The BOA offering to buy the Golf Course at a very reduced price is an insult to

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the group of investors who stepped up to help bring the golf course back to its present condition. I can't imagine anyone owning a business (or a home for that matter) who buys a depressed property, invests mega money and time to restore, then want to sell and would be willing to sell for half the value.... And, by the way, throw in two pieces of property that the prospective buyer says are worth nothing. BOA, if they have no value, why do you want them?

As a property owner of several properties in the Village and on the golf course, I also hope and pray that the Golf Course remains. However, if ever shutting it down is ever the answer, I would rather see some nice homes built in the areas that are not in the flood plain than

to see weeds growing 2 feet tall and having the grounds become a dump ground for everyone's tree limbs like it did after our 2010 flood. Just remember that it will still be private property and not a public park or walking trails!

It has been public knowledge from the onset that the owner wasn't interested in being a long time owner but more interested in getting the course back to a beautiful playing condition and preserving the property values of our Village.

Our Village is so torn apart by many BOA actions. It almost seems that their agenda is to try to tear us apart. We are all bigger than this and it needs to be realized sooner than later.

> Tommye Prater Salado, TX

To the Editor:

I am writing this letter as a part of a communications requirement, an Eagle merit badge. I want to bring up a group of people that have guided me and countless others towards not only success on the field, but in players more opportunity life. These are the football coaches of Salado high will not hesitate to come up school to the school on weekends

This coaching staff not only works on the skillset and athleticism of the team but puts an emphasis on having good character so players can be better prepared for life's obstacles.

These coaches stay later than they have to to give

players more opportunity to improve themselves and will not hesitate to come up to the school on weekends or late in the day to open up the weight room for those who want to go. Without these men I certainly would not be of the same mindset in life and the value of hard work, serving others, and persevering through challenging obstacles that arise Sincerely, Connor Cook

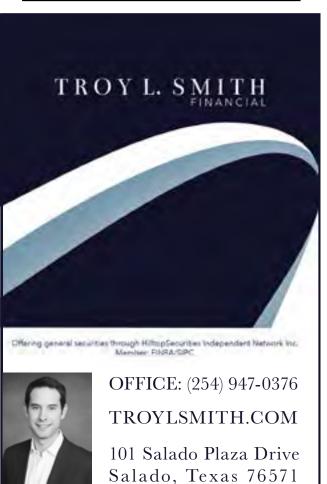
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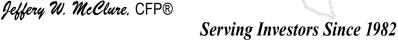


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Belton Senior Activity Center scheduled events for February

The Belton Senior Activity Center has set the following events for February:

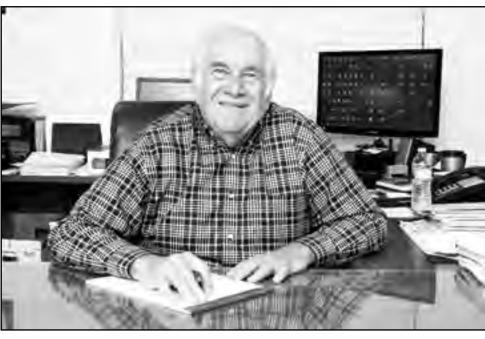
Country Western Dance 6:30-9:30 p.m. on Feb. 7 with Short Grisham & Friends. Cost is \$5 per person. Bring a snack dish to share.

Pot Luck Dinner will be 5:30 p.m. Feb. 25. The Youth Advisory Council

for the City of Belton will host Trivia Night with great prizes.

The Better Business Bureau will teach seniors how to Avoid Being Scammed at 11:30 a.m. Feb. 27.

The Belton Senior Activity Center is located at 842 S. Mitchell Street.



Alton Thiele, P.C

Cowboy Fellowship

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www.3ccowboyfellowship.org

Follow events on our website calendar

Alton Thiele CPA to discuss tax code Feb. 14 Auxiliary meeting

Alton Thiele will discuss recent changes in the tax code at the Feb. 14 meeting of the Salado Ladies Auxil-

The Salado Ladies Auxiliary meets at the Salado Church of Christ Activity Center, 225 N. Church Street. Coffee and light food will be served at 9:30 a.m. with the meeting commencing at 10 a.m.

The February program will feature Alton Thiele, P.C. Thiele is a CPA located in Belton. He has many

years of experience in the accounting field and is well known in this area. Thiele and his staff are experts in all facets of tax preparation for individuals and businesses. He'll be informing the group of changes in the tax code for the fast approaching April 15 tax deadline. Auxiliary members and guests are encouraged to attend this informative program.

The Salado Ladies Auxiliary strives to provide events and activities which

enhance, improve and promote the community of Salado. The organization also offers programs and activities that are educational and inspirational as well as social. Membership is open to anvone interested in volunteering their time and talent to promote organizational goals. Membership dues are \$15 annually and the Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at the Salado Church of Christ

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New officers for the Bell County Historical Commission are (front, I-r) Kathy Taylor, Holland, treasurer; Nancy Kelsey, Belton, chairperson; Jalenn Ellis, Temple, corresponding secretary; (back, I-r) Gloria Harris, Harker Heights, reporter; Sandy Wicker, Salado, recording secretary; and Judy Tyler, Killeen, assistant chairperson. PHOTO BY TERRY TYLER

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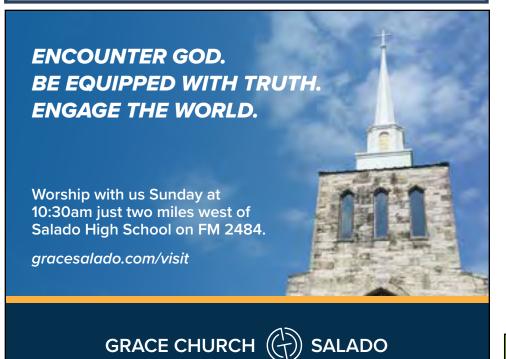
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Newly appointed Bell County Historical Commissioners hold meeting Feb. 25 in Belton

The Bell County Histor- BCHC also pairs with other ical Commission kicked off 2019 with a business meeting in the historic first-floor courtroom at the County Courthouse in downtown Belton, January 28.

The group, currently made up of 16 members, works to preserve and promote the county's historical heritage in accordance with Texas state laws and under the direction of the Bell Commissioners County Court. Projects set for 2019 include assisting in obtaining historical designation for various county cemeteries, locating little-known cemeteries, compiling detailed directions to those hard-to-locate cemeteries, and being available to assist residents and visitors with directions to county facilities, cemeteries and other places of interest. The

organizations on historical projects. Most recently, it has partnered with the Bell County Sheriff's Work Release Program to clean and maintain neglected cemeteries.

"This most satisfaction I've gotten during my almost ten years of working with the Commission has been to locate, identify, and maintain the neglected cemeteries in our county ... and we've still got more to do!," smiled Chairperson Nancy Kelsey, who lives in Belton and has been part of the commission for about ten years. Kelsey has also authored and co-authored several books on Bell County history.

"I have tremendous appreciation for history," explained Assistant Chairperson Judy Tyler, who hails

from Killeen. "I love learning all aspects of history the good, the bad, and the ugly. As a sixth generation Texan, I joined the Commission to do whatever I can to promote and protect Bell County's rich history." The February meeting, 7 p.m., February 25, in the Courthouse first-floor courtroom, will feature a program presented by Carol Wilson, author of "The Stage Stops Here: The Stagecoach Inn Salado, Texas."

Persons interested in more information or becoming a member many contact the BCHC office on the first floor of the courthouse in Belton. The office is staffed by volunteers most days Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The telephone number for the office is 254-933-5917.

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Community

Jim Messina a talented guitarist and music legend comes to Temple

Temple, TX---The Cul-Activities Center opens the 2019 Texas Music Series Feb. 9, with Jim Messina. Messina is widely known from Loggins & Messina, Poco and Buffalo Springfield. Messina's band was inducted in the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, and is credited with creating Country Rock. The Concert begins at 7:30pm in the Frank W. Mayborn Auditorium and is sponsored Purifoy & Company Insurance. Also the night of the concert, BBQ Chips Smokin' BBQ will be out front on the CAC porch for dinner option.

Jim Messina began working with the legendary band Buffalo Springfield in 1966 as a recording engineer on their second album Buffalo Springfield Again. In 1967, at the request of the group and Atlantic Records founder and president Ahmet Ertegun, Messina was asked to produce the band's third and final album. Shortly thereafter, he replaced Bruce Palmer, the bass player, touring and recording with the band up until completion and release of their album Last Time Around.

After the disbandment of Buffalo Springfield, Messina signed a contract with Epic Records and formed Poco along with fellow Buffalo Springfield member Richie Furay. On the band's, self-titled second album, Poco (also released in 1969), Messina both produced and penned the band's first hit single "You Better Think Twice" which has endured as one of the group's signature songs. A copy of the Poco album now hangs in the Country Music Hall Of Fame in Nashville. After producing three albums for the band, Pickin' Up The Pieces, Poco and



Deliverin' (recorded live in 1970 and released in 1971) - Messina departed and signed on as an independent producer with Columbia Records.

In the next few years, a series of albums would follow in rapid order:1972's Loggins & Messina, 1973's Full Sail, 1974's double-live On Stage, the same year's Mother Lode, 1975's cover song set So Fine and 1976's Native Sons. The Best of Friends greatest hits collection followed later that year and in 1977 another live album fittingly called Finale. When the dust had settled, Loggins & Messina had sold sixteen million albums, become one of rock's biggest live draws, and cemented their legacy as one of the most successful recording duos ever.

Following the split with Loggins, Messina recorded four critically acclaimed solo albums: 1979's sublime Latin rock with a touch of jazz album Oasis; 1981's

Karen Williams received Doctor of Nursing at University of Alabama

TUSCALOOSA, (02/04/2019)-- Karen Williams of Salado, has received a Doctor of Nursing Practice from The University of Alabama.

UA awarded 2,065 degrees during its fall 2018 commencement Dec. 15, 2018.

The University of Alabama, the state's oldest and largest public institution of higher education, is a student-centered research university that draws the best and brightest to an academic community committed to providing a premier undergraduate and graduate education. UA is dedicated to achieving excellence in scholarship, collaboration and intellectual engagement; providing public outreach and service to the state of Alabama and the nation; and nurturing a campus environment that fosters collegiality, respect and inclusivity.

Fundraiser style show and luncheon benefits 4-H participants

Bell County Extension Education Association's 14th annual Luncheon with Style Show, "Step In To Spring with Style," will be held Saturday, 11 a.m. March 16 at the Temple College Pavilion (126 East Marvin Felder, Temple, TX 76504).

A baked potato and salad luncheon will be followed by style show fashions provided by Cochran, Blair, and Potts of Belton. 4-H members with winning creations as judged in 4-H competition along with BEEA members will be the

featured models.

Funds generated from the show will be used for Bell County 4-H scholarships and projects, the Bell County Youth Fair and community service and education.

Advance tickets are available before March 11 (\$15, under age 5 free) by calling the Bell County Extension Office (254) 933-5305, BEEA Chairman Nancy Urbantke (254-985-0145), Polly Elizondo (254-913-7111), or Laurie Veatch (254-931-4034).

eponymous Messina featuring guest performances by Jeff Pocaro, Joe Pocaro and Victor Feldman; 1983's One More Mile; and 1996's re-imagined retrospective of concert favorites Watching The River Run Revisit-

Messina reunited with Poco for the 1989 album Legacy, and established the Songwriters' Performance Workshop whose purpose, explains Messina, "is to empower the amateur to let go of the fear and embrace the joy of writing and performing their original music."

Tickets to this concert are \$45 for CAC Members and \$50 for non CAC Members. The box-office will open; 1 hour prior to this event as well as concessions, and the food truck. Tickets in advance can be purchased at cacARTS.org.

The Cultural Activities Center, located at 3011 North Third Street in Temple, TX, offers music and entertainment, classes, and programs for all ages throughout the year. The CAC is a nonprofit arts organization in Temple which strives to promote understanding of and par-

RSU Announces Fall 2018 Honor Roll

CLAREMORE, Okla. (January 31, 2019) - Rogers State University has announced its President's and Dean's Honor Rolls for the fall 2018 semester.

To qualify for the Dean's Honor Roll, students must complete a minimum of 12 credit hours with a 3.5 grade point average (no grades lower than a "B").

Drew Allen Van Winkle of Salado was named to the Dean's Honor Roll.

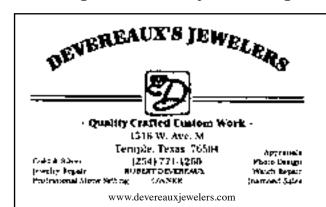
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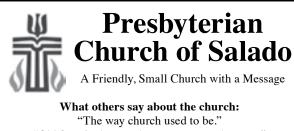
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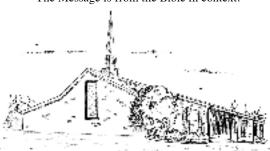
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State Senate, House roll out property tax reform bills tities, excluding those that

By Richard Lee Senate News Service

(Austin) After promising meaningful property tax reform throughout the first weeks of session, state leadership unveiled a plan to slow the growth of property taxes on Jan. 31.

"People desperately need property tax reform, our businesses need property tax reform, and we have set out, on this date, early in session...with a major piece of legislation," said Lt. Governor Dan Patrick. "We are setting the tone for the rest of the session on this issue."

He was joined by Governor Greg Abbott, House Speaker Dennis Bonnen, as well as two key lawmakers, Houston Senator Paul Bettencourt and Lubbock Representative Dustin Burrows, who will carry the bills in their respective chambers.

Both bills, designated SB 2 and HB 2, are identical and would put a 2.5 percent cap on annual property tax growth absent voter approval.

The current property tax "rollback rate" is 8 percent per year. If a taxing entity other than a school district approves a rate increase beyond that, under current law, citizens can trigger a rollback election if they can collect the signatures of seven percent of the registered voters in that taxing jurisdiction. Rollback elections for local school property tax rate increases are triggered automatically if they exceed the rate, and SB 2 would make that the law for all taxing entities. The 2.5 percent rollback rate would also apply to all taxing encollect less than \$15 million annually. "The vexing problem facing taxpayers is that tax bills are going up at least two or three times faster than they can handle," said Bettencourt. "I think that the concept of having a two and a half percent rollback rate across the board means there's a universal solution." In addition to authoring SB 2, Bettencourt chairs the Senate Property Tax Committee, which will begin hearings on the bill next week.

Also last week, the Finance Committee continued work on crafting the Senate version of the state budget, hearing testimony from a number of different agencies. Monday, as the Department of Public Safety appeared before the panel for its usual budget presentation, frustration at the agency's handling of the issuance of drivers licenses came to the forefront, with multiple members demanding to know how the DPS was going to fix the problem. The Sunset Advisory Commission found during the interim that wait times at DPS license offices are getting longer despite more and more money being added to the agency's budget for that purpose. "This is one of the few places where everyone in Texas of drivers license age and above interacts with their state government," said Friendswood Senator Larry Taylor at Monday's hearing. "When it's this dysfunctional, it doesn't look good on the whole state."

DPS Director Steve McCraw said his agency is seeking \$420 million in additional funds to hire 1900 more staff and open 15 more license offices to finally address this issue. "I'm convinced it would be a shining example of state services if we had those resources," he told lawmakers. As it stands now, the Sunset recommendations for DPS would move license services to the Department of Motor Vehicles, a relatively young agency only carved out of the Department of Transportation to handle car title and registration services in 2009. Texas is one of only eight states that doesn't issue licenses through a DMV, but that would change in 2021. Sunset Commission Chair Senator Brian Birdwell, who will carry the DPS Sunset bill this session, said that the Legislature can decide whether that's soon enough. "This is not a 'study whether we should transfer this or not'," he said. "It's going to move. If this committee wants to move it faster, we can do that."



Salado High School winners of the Tablerock Poetry Festival poetry contest. (Photo by Terri Seaton)

Tablerock Poetry, Prose Reading is Feb. 7

Thom the World Poet will host the 25th Annual Central Texas Poetry and Prose Reading 7 p.m. Feb. 7 at Tablerock's inside stage.

Invited Central Texas poets and writers of prose will grace Tablerock's inside stage to read five minutes of their works. The invited readers are: Nancy Fierstien from Dripping Springs, Richard Egg from Salado, Donna Bowling from Temple, Steve Brooks from Austin and Sandi Horton from Waco. Salado High School Poetry Contest Winners from Terri Seaton's English class on Poetry will also read their winning poems. An open microphone at 8:15 encourages new poets and writers to read two minutes of their work.

All participants in Central Texas Writers of Poetry and Prose must read from their original work or have a designated reader. The writer's works may be published or unpublished. A table will be provided for writers to display published works, sell books or tapes. Poets wishing to add their poem to the Tablerock Poet's Annual Anthology, "Animal Tales", may submit three poems about animals to tablerock1@aol.com for consideration. Please use Tablerock's submission guidelines.

There is no admission fee for the Festival on Feb. 7. Refreshments are available.



Thom the World Poet from Australia and Steve Brooks, composer/singer from Austin,



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Covering Salado students from Thomas Arnold to SHS

February 7, 2019

SHS Film Squad sends 5 to Filmmakers State Quarters

Salado Film Squad had five films reach the quarter finals of the UIL Young Filmmakers Festival. Salado High School was the only school to have a film advance in each category.

DIGITAL ANIMATION

Catpucchino by Cuyler Aycock: Catpucchino follows Mocha the cat as he tries to make a cup of coffee for a customer with his Coffee Machine.

Movie can be viewed at https://www.voutube.com/ watch?v=I4bourG20Og

DOCUMENTARY

Furever Home by Mor-

gan Mays and Gillian Moszer: "Furever Home" tells the story of Austin Animal Center and how the volunteers save precious cats and

View film at https:// www.youtube.com/ watch?v=clM4vPzq-g8

Voiceless by Roxi Thrasher: "Voiceless" is a documentary that tells the journey of a human trafficking survivor in Texas and how we can prevent it from spreading.

Film can be viewed https://www.youtube. com/watch?v=8TEachpH-8Qc&t=11s.



Catpucchino by Cuyler Aycock, entered in Digital Animation. (FRAME CAPTURE)



Furever Home by Morgan Mays and Gillian Moszer, entered in Documentary. (Frame Capture)



Voiceless by Roxi Thrasher, entered in Digital Animation. (Frame Capture)



Pencil by Rayne Polkowski, entered in Narrative. (Frame



Scratch Paper by Mathew Faulkner and Jesse Laverdiere, entered in Narrative. (Frame Capture)

are coached by Tim Cook.

In 2018, Salado High School won the D1 Narrative with the film 5. In 2017, SHS won D1 Narra-

tive with The Red Rose of Texas. In 2014, SHS won D1 Documentary with The Heroes at Home: The Untold

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Narrative

Pencil by Rayne Polkowski and Rachel Moore: Two people go on a journey of life and love through the metaphor of a pencil.

Can be viewed at https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=8LbY31D2haQ Traditional Animation

Scratch Paper by Mathew Faulkner and Jesse Laverdiere: A young piece of construction paper has one dream - to become a paper puppet. After multiple attempts on her own, she meets Noah, a tiny pencil

an older piece of paper. After some encouraging words from him, she attempts one more time. Succeeding in that attempt, Noah pitches in his hand, ushering a little girl to construct the young paper into a paper puppet. Thus, fulfilling a scratch papers dream.

topper who introduces her to

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The State Finals are March 5, 2019 at the Paramount Theatre, Austin.

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Lady Eagles face Fred'burg in playoffs

The Lady Eagles will finish as the fourth place team in District 27-4A. They will face Fredericksburg, the first place team out of District 28-4A. No date or time has been set, but the first round of playoffs will be Feb. 11-12.

Salado Lady Eagles bounced back from a district loss to Liberty Hill to trounce Taylor Feb. 1.

Salado **Taylor**

Salado Lady Eagles secured a lead in a high scoring first quarter 21-20. Salado scored another 11 to take a 32-26 into the half.

Salado added 11 points coming out of the half to maintain 43-35 lead at the end of the third. The Lady Eagles put Taylor away in the fourth outscoring the Lady Ducks 19-6 for a 62-41 win.

Lorena Perez led the Lady Eagles in scoring with 16 points. Followed in scoring by Katie Law, 12 points and Kaia Philen, 11 points.

Also scoring for Salado were: Lexie Lima, 8 points, Jasey Goings, 8 points, Amanda Cantu, 3 points, Priscilla Torczynski, 2 points, Reese Preston, 2 points.

Lady Eagles Liberty Hill

Salado Lady Eagles were overcome at home in the second half by Liberty Hill



The 1998-99 Lady Eagles were honored at the halftime of the Lady Eagles' game versus Liberty Hill on Jan. 29. They were State Finalists. (From left to right) Asst. Coach Cindy Mewhinney, Kathy Tautenham (Matthews), Melissa Bahnmiller (Matthews), Dr. Lindsay Fultz (Quirk), Nikki Jackson, Hope Buchanan, Sarah Welch (Buchanan) and Robyn Womac Fortin. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Jan. 29.

The Lady Eagles held a slight 13-11 lead in a competitive first quarter. Salado extended that lead in the second quarter outscoring Liberty Hill 12-4 for a 25-15 lead at the half.

Salado Lady Eagles were outscored 17-13 in the second half to fall 42-45.

Philen led the Lady Eagles in scoring with 13 points. Followed by Perez with 9 points.

Also scoring for Salado were: Lima, 5 points, Law, 5 points, Maddy Wade, 4 points, Cantu, 3 points, Preston, 3 points.



The 2008-09 Salado Lady Eagles were honored during the halftime of the Lady Eagles' game against Liberty Hill. They went to the State Semi-Finals. They were coached by Randy Henderson. Shown are Jenna Sebek, Abby Zimmerman (Frazier) and Hadley Joiner.



8th grade girls A team: Coach Jodee Preston, Ellie Mescher, Harley Drouillard, Katey Bartek, Brooke McLaurin, Brooke Ellithorp, Reese Witmer, Cooper Meyer and MaKayla Bush. (Courtesy PHOTO)



7th grade girls A team: Middle, from left: Coach Jodee Preston, Madyson Rosamond, Paige Fariss, Kaelyn Houston, Allison Alcozar, Alee Fowler, Sawyer Roach; Back, from left: Brianna Waters, Elly Wade, Hannah Hudson. (Courtesy Photo)

Jr. High A girls teams win Jarrell

Salado seventh and eighth grade girls A teams both won their divisions in the Jarrell basketball tournament held recently.

The eighth grade girls beat Florence 27-12 with Reese Witmer scoring 8 points and Harley Drouillard scoring 6 points.

The eighth grade girls also beat Jarrell 29-20, led by Katey Bartek, 12 points.

The seventh grade girls beat Florence 34-9, led by Ariel Cebreco with 16 points. The beat Jarrell 23-21 as Cebreco scored 12 points, followed by Elly Wade and Brianna Waters, 5 points each.

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Jr. High boys basketball results

Jan. 24 Salado 8th A 29 Llano

Leading scorers: Darius Wilson, 17 points, Seth Reavis, 11 points.

Salado 8th B 32 Llano

Leading scorers: Isaac Pettigrew, 13 points, Dray Mc-Clane, 6 points, Matt Rose, 6 points, Jake Rechfertig, 6 points.

Salado 7th A 22 Llano

Leading scorers: Luke Law, 14 points, Kase Maedgen, 12 points.

Salado 7th B Llano

Leading scorers: Alex Hauck, 2 points, Brendan Wilson, 2 points, Cody



Seventh Grade Boys B team won the Academy and Jarrell tournaments recently. Shown are Front Row: Jack Ingrum, Nathan Johnson, Easton Mendenhall, Brendan Wilson, Brody Naegele, Corde Ramsey; Back row: Zane Roche, Cody Roquemore, Caden Jacobus, Alex Hauck, Drew Baker, Tate Franks, Matthew Macek, Houston Thomas, Coach Michael Gunter. (COURTESY PHOTO)

Roquemore, 2 points, Zane Roche, 2 points. Jan. 17

Salado 8th 64 Lampasas 35

Leading scorers: Noah Self, 16 points, Seth Reavis, 15 points, Darius Wilson, 11 points.

Salado 7th 56 10 Lampasas

Leading scorers: Peanut Brazzle, 17 points, Kase Maedgen, 15 points. Jan. 10

Salado 8th A 36 32 Burnet

Leading scorers: Darius Wilson, 8 points, Noah Self, 8 points.

Salado 7th A Burnet 31

Leading scorers: Luke-Law, 14 points, Peanut Brazzle, 7 points. Ian 17

Salado 8th B Lampasas

Leading Salado in scoring were: Matt Rose, 6 points, Isaac Pettigrew, 4 points, William Messner, 4 points.

Salado 7th B 46 33 Lampasas

Leading Salado in scoring were: Tate Franks, 8 points, Alex Hauck, 7 points, Brody Naegele, 6 points.



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Salado Eagles lost to Taylor in a district game Feb. 1.

Salado Eagles jumped out to a 21-13 first quarter lead over the Taylor Ducks. Taylor outscored Salado 19-8 in the second to leave the Eagles trailing 29-32 at the half.

Salado added 14 points in the third to make the score 43-53 going into the fourth. The Eagles put up 29 points in the fourth quarter falling short 72-77.

Eli Pittman and Shane Roche led the Salado Eagles in scoring, each with 14 points.

Also scoring for Salado were Jeremy Jarvis, points, Zack Shaver, points, Cade Scallin, 6 points, Sammy Brown, 4 points, Peyton Miller, 3 points, Cayden Meyer, 3 points. Reece Brown, 2 points.

Salado Eagles **Liberty Hill 74**

Salado Eagles beat the top-10 ranked Liberty Hill Panthers 79-74 Jan. 19.

Salado led Liberty Hill 18-16 in the first quarter and scored 19 points in the second to enter the half tied 37-

The Eagles broke away in the third outscoring Liberty Hill 21-15 to take a 58-52 lead going into the fourth. Salado secured the win in the fourth scoring 21 points for a 79-74 win.

Shaver led Salado in scoring with 21 points. Followed by Pittman, 17 points and Roche, 17 points.

Also scoring for the Eagles were: Miller, 12 points, Reece Brown, 9 points, Sammy Brown, 3 points.



Zack Shaver blocks a shot. (Photo by Christie Shaver)

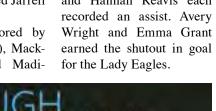
Allison Carnahan kicks the ball for Salado. Ladies beat Jarrell 4-0

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The varsity Lady Eagles soccer team defeated Jarrell 4-0 on Feb. 1.

(PHOTO BY JANET MADDUX)

Goals were scored by Aubrey Heffner (2), Mackenzie Miller, and Madisyn Maddux. Sam Vargas and Hannah Reavis each



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agles beat Jarrell in District soccer

The Eagles Varsity boys soccer team defeated the Jarrell Cougars 2-0 Feb. 1 to remain undefeated in District play.

The first goal came midway through the first half and was scored by Freshman Toby Rios on an assist by Sophomore Nicholas Lemus. The second goal was scored by Nicholas Lemus assisted by Junior Brian Chavez midway through the second half.

The shutout was credited to Sophomore Lucas Morvant but the defensive work rate from all players won the game.

The Junior Varsity defeated the JV Cougars 5-3.

The JV boys were down 2-1 at halftime but surged back to take the victory out scoring Jarrell 4-1 in the second half.

Sophomore Ayham Chtay tallied 2 goals and Ryan Havelka ended the night with his first hat trick of the year.



Caleb Chambliss chasing down the ball during the Salado Eagles 2-0 win over Jarrell.

Boys powerlifters win Jarrell meet

erlifting won the Jarrell meet Jan. 29 against Jarrell and Pflugerville Hendrick-

114 lb. Weight Class: Keegan Mantanona, first place, 205 squat, 100 bench, 205 dead, 510 total.

123 lb. Weight Class: Horacio Huerta, first place, 280 squat, 150 bench, 300 dead, 730 total.

148 lb. Weight Class Daniel Frisby, third place, 285 squat, 165 bench, 335 dead, 785 total.

Cooper Scott, 4th place, 285 squat, 165 bench, 275 dead, 725 total.

165 lb Weight Class: Hunter Turk, second place, 410 squat, 250 bench,

375 dead, 1,035 total. Baldermore Rodriguez, fifth place, 205 squat, 185

Salado varsity boys pow- bench, 315 dead, 705 total. 181 lb. Weight Class:

Hunter Seymore, second place, 300 squat, 200 bench, 365 dead, 865 total.

198 lb Weight Class

Connor Cook, first place, 535 squat, 325 bench, 550 dead, 1,410 total, 420 lbs. more than second place in weight class and heaviest overall in all classes by 55

Walker Hawkins, third place, 335 dead, 200 bench, 345 dead, 880 total.

220 lb. Weight Class

Blake Madden, second place, 415 squat, 270 bench, 385 dead, 1,070 total.

Kofi Stoglin, third place, 370 squat, 245 bench, 405 dead, 1,020 total.

Avery Womack, fifth place, 300 squat, 225 bench, 325 dead, 850 total.



Varsity powerlifters won the Jarrell Meet. They are (font row, left to right) Gavyn Keyser, Ryan Poe, Connor Cook, Keegan Mantanona, Horatio Huerta, Blake Madden; (back row, left to right0 Kofi Stoglin, Hunter Seymore, Nicholas Sibbitt, Baldermore Rodriguez, Daniel Frisby, Joe Sampson. (Courtesy Photo)

242 lb Weight Class: Tommie Barker, first

place, 465 squat, 320 bench, 460 dead, 1,245 total.

Ryan Poe, second place, 440 squat, 295 bench, 435 dead, 1,170 total.

Nicholas Sibbitt, fourth place, 315 squat, 220 bench. 300 dead, 835 total.

Super Heavyweights: Gavyn Keyser, second, 320 squat, 280 bench, 425 dead, 1,025.



The AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) class at Salado Junior High received new recycling bins from the Keep Salado Beautiful organization. Students in the AVID Program learn the skills needed to successfully complete college level classes on writing, critical thinking, teamwork, organization and reading skills. The instructor is Sandi Tucker.Back Row: Taylor Cunningham, Caleb Dockray, Peyton Cunningham, Caleb Lowery, Sean McEndree & Drew Humphries; Front Row: MaKenzie Castorena, Bethany Dodson, Ariana Arango, Anahi Alvarado, Isabella Dworaczyk, Silvestre Ortiz, Olivia Kelley, Jacob Berg, Landon Sellers & Miguel Martinez. (Соиктему рното)



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Bell County Youth Fair & Livestock Show results for SISD FFA, 4-H kids

Bell County Youth Fair is in full swing this week. Salado students in Salado FFA and Salado 4-H are competing in a variety of areas. The following are for competitions held through Feb. 4.

Cattle

HEIFERS

Class 2 British

Cooper Free, FFA, Breed Champion, Grand Champion.

Cadence Harris, FFA,

Cooper Free, FFA, 3rd. Class 3 British

Alexandria Harris, FFA, Reserve Breed Champion, Reserve Champion.

Kensley Free, FFA, 2nd.

Market Steers Class 1 American

Sydney Hasha, FFA, Reserve Breed Champion. **Class 2 British**

Maria Husung, 4-H, Reserve Breed Champion

Alexandria Harris, FFA, 4th

Alexandria Harris, FFA, 5th.

Class 3 AOB

Jackson Husung, 4-H, 2nd.

Alexandria Harris, FFA, 3rd.

Cadence Harris, FFA, 4th.

Class 5 AOB

Maria Husung, 4-H, 4th Jackson Husung, 4-H,

Jackson Husung, 4-H, 7th.

Class 6 AOB

Sydney Hasha, FFA, 3rd.

Family & Consumer Sciences

FASHION REVIEW

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Grace Tipping, 4-H, Reserve Champion.

Halle Curb, 4-H, Reserve Champion.

Horse

ENGLISH DIVISION

Hunter Showmanship, Jr. Kerris Luedeke, 4-H,

Mea Fuller, FFA, 3rd. English Walk/Trot, Jr. Mea Fuller, FFA, 1st.

Kerris Luedeke, 4-H,

Hunter Under Saddle, Jr.

Kerris Luedeke, 4-H, 3rd.

English Equitation, Jr. Mea Fuller, FFA, 1st.

Kerris Luedeke, 4-H, 3rd.

HALTER DIVISION Registered Mare, 5+

Mea Fuller, FFA, Re-

serve Champion. Sam Fuller, FFA, 2nd.

Grade Mare 5-Josie Stone, FFA, 2nd.

Registered Gelding, 5+

Kennedy Moffatt, FFA,

Ainslee Morris, 4-H,

Grade Gelding, 5+

Kennedy Moffatt, FFA,

STOCK HORSE DIVISION Stock Horse Pleasure, Sr.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H, 1st. Stock Horse Trail, Sr.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H, Reserve Champion. Stock Horse Horseman-

ship, Sr. Ainslee Morris, 4-H,

2nd. Stock Horse Showmanship, Sr.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H, 2nd.





Camryn Cole, Reserve Breed Champion Duroc, Middleweight Duroc.

TIMED EVENT DIVISION Cloverleaf Barrels, Jr.

Savannah Dean, 4-H,

Cloverleaf Barrels, Sr.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H, 1st.

Straight-Away Barrels,

Kennedy Moffatt, FFA-3rd.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H. 4th.

Stakes Race, Sr.

Ainslee Morris, 4-H, 1st.

Western Division Western Walk/Trot, Jr. Mea Fuller, FFA, 2nd.

Western Pleasure, Jr. Mea Fuller, FFA, Re-

serve Champion Western Horsemanship,

Mea Fuller, FFA, 3rd.

Trail, Jr.

Mea Fuller, FFA, 4th.

Swine

Breeding Swine Hampshire

Brazos Farr, FFA, 3rd. Yorkshire

Tyler Matl, FFA, Breed Champion.

Light OPB

Tyler Matl, FFA, 3rd. Trace Medlin, FFA, 4th. Dark OPB

Kelli Darling, FFA, 6th. Crosses

Trace Medlin, FFA, 3rd.

Market Swine **Heavy Weight- Crosses**

Kamryn Cole, FFA, 3rd. Grant Sellers, FFA, 7th. Kamryn Cole, FFA, 8th. **Heavy Weight - Dark OPB**

Landon Egbert, 4-H, Tyler Matl, FFA, 8th.

Heavy Weight - Yorkshire Ryder Egbert, 4-H, 2nd. Avery Fossum, FFA, 3rd.

Sophia Patton, 4-H, 8th. Heavy Weight - Light

Trace Medlin, FFA, 2nd. Avri Wells, FFA, 4th.



Trace Medlin, FFA, Light Heavyweight Duroc, third.

Light Heavy Weight -Crosses

Brody Cole, FFA, 2nd. Presley Farr, FFA, 4th. Trace Medlin, FFA, 10th.

Light Heavy Weight -Dark OPB Mia Patton, FFA, 1st.

Kelli Darling, FFA, 7th. **Light Heavy Weight - Du-**

Clayton Zak, FFA, 1st. Trace Medlin, FFA, 3rd. Brazos Farr, FFA, 7th. **Light Weight - Crosses**

Logan Taylor, FFA, 1st. Macie Pittman, FFA,

Light Weight - Dark OPB Kaitlyn Combs, FFA,

Light Weight - Durocs

Avri Wells, FFA, 3rd. Emaly Vrooman, FFA,

Light Weight - Hampshire Rebekah Sutton, 4-H, 6th.

Avery Fossum, FFA,

10th.

3rd.

Light Weight - Yorkshire Kelli Darling, FFA, 9th. **Middle Weight - Crosses** Brody Cole, FFA, 5th. Ryder Egbert, 4-H, 8th.

Middle Weight - Dark OPB Jessica Knight, FFA,

Middle Weight - Durocs Kamryn Cole, FFA, Reserve Breed.

Avery Sutton, 4-H, 8th. Rebekah Sutton, 4-H,

Middle Weight - Hampshire Jessica Knight, FFA,

6th. Middle Weight - Light

Brody Cole, FFA, 3rd. Middle Weight - York-

Avri Wells, FFA, 2nd. Clayton Zak, FFA, 8th. Landon Sellers, FFA, 9th.

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Entrée

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Pasta Siciliano - Italian Sausage tossed with Red Bell Pepper and Onion in Marinara with Penne

Chicken Piccata - Sauteed Chicken Breast topped with Lemon Caper Sauce

Beef Bolognese al Forno - Beef Bolognese tossed with Marinara and Rigatoni topped with Mozzarella and Oven Baked

Sides

Basil Pesto Green Beans Honey Citrus Carrots Piccata Meatballs Farfalle Alfredo

Penne Marinara

Desserts

Tiramisu Limoncello Mascarpone Italian Crème Cake Brownies with Nutella Creme

Includes Tea and Water



RpT's Library will host radio show Feb. 10

RpT's Library in Salado will hows another live radio show for broadcast in Switzerland on Feb. 10 when the Sarah Pierce Trio and The Flyin' As come here to per-

The radio show is entitled Touring Texas Songwriters and features live recordings of songs by the artists along with an indepth interview during each 50-minute episode.

These free concerts re held with only space for 25 attendees plus the musicians, video and audio technicians.

Bruno Michel (The Long Tall Texas), Radio Personality at Country Radio Switzerland (CRS) from Kempner, will interview the artists. Bruno Michel, 64, has conducted interviews with Texas artists since the late 1980's. To this date, he has recorded more than 200 in-person interviews.

Richard Paul Thomas (his friends call him RpT) is a Texas based Songwriter who has lived in Salado for more than three decades with his wife Linda Griffith, who traces her roots here back to its earliest

Sarah Pierce - Sarah Pierce Trio, acoustic guitars, mandolins, ukuleles, cajon, and other percussion instruments. Stories, songs, three part vocals, amazing solos...and a whole lot of fun. Come see The Sarah Pierce trio in action at RpT's Library.

The Flyin' A's - The Flyin' A's perform Americana with a Texas Kick. This husband and wife duo hails from Austin, Texas. You can hear their Texas roots in all they do. This high energy duo is famous for their top notch songwriting, breathtaking harmonies,

Salado remembers **Grace February 14**

On the most romantic of days, enjoy fashions from an era of romance, grace and sophistication during the Grace Jones Retrospective Fashion Show at the Salado Museum on Main Street, beginning at 8 p.m. on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14.

The glamorous night

honors Salado's legendary Grace Jones. The Fashion Show will features some of the ageless couture designs that were featured in Grace's annual fashion shows during the 40 years that she operated the dress shop at #1 Royal Street.

Village of Salado Calendar of Events

FEBRUARY 7

Coloring, Crosswords and Coffee, 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library

February 7

KidZone: Valentine's Slime!, 4 p.m. at Salado **Public Library**

February 7

Chisholm Trail American Business Woman's **Association meeting 6** p.m. at First Presbyterian **Church of Salado**

FEBRUARY 7

Village of Salado Board of Aldermen meeting 6 p.m. at Municipal Build-

February 7

The Run for Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

February 7

Around the World themed diner: Baja, 6:30 p.m. by reservation at Alexander's Distillery

February 7

Central Texas Poetry and Prose Readings, 7 p.m. at Tablerock. 12th annual gathering of poets for the 2019 Animal Tales Anthology. info: Tablerock1@aol.com

February 8 - 9

Blow Your Own Valentine's Day Event or Blow Your Own Date Night **Event at Salado Glass**works

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Bikes & Brews, 7:30 a.m. at Barrow Brewing

FEBRUARY 9 - 10 Salado Market Days, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Salado **Antique Mall**



Salado Public Library will begin hosting Coloring, Crosswords and Coffee Thursdays at 1 p.m. this month. Supplies will be provided.

February 9

Heart and Hands Ministries food and clothing pantry 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Plaza Shopping Center February 9

Asanas and Ales 10 - 11 a.m. at Barrow Brewing Company

February 9

Classes with Jenice at Stamp Salado 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.

February 9

Read with Murphy, 10:30 a.m. at Salado Public Library

February 9

Children's Story and Craft Time: Dental Health, 11 a.m. at Salado **Public Library**

FEBRUARY 10

Open discussion Al-Anon Meeting 6 p.m. Salado United Methodist **Church Youth Activities** Center

FEBRUARY 11

Children's Story and Craft Time: Valentine's Party, 11 a.m. at Salado **Public Library**

FEBRUARY 11

Salado Village Artists meet: Knitters 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists **Building**

February 11

Public Arts League of Salado open board meeting 5 p.m. at the Visitor's Center

February 11

Salado Masonic Lodge Floor practice is 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge every **Monday except Stated Meeting. Stated meeting** is 7:30 p.m. Monday on or before Full Moon.

February 11

Salado Chapter of Songsmith, 7-9 p.m. at Salado Public Library

FEBRUARY 11

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

February 12 Men's Prayer Break-

fast, 8 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church of Salado February 12

Salado Chamber of **Commerce Friendship** and Coffee networking opportunity, 8 - 9 a.m. at the Visitor Center.

February 12

Salado Village Artists: brush art crafting and needle work, 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Village Artist building

February 12

Salado Ladies Auxiliary meeting 9:30 a.m. Social and 10 a.m. Meeting at Salado Church of **Christ Activity Center**

February 12

Sit and Knit 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library

February 12

Salado Rotary Club 11:30 a.m. at Johnny's **Steaks and Barbecue**

February 12

Salado Community Chorus practice 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center

February 12

Texas Moon Domino Tournament, 6 - 9 p.m. at **Barrow Brewing**

February 13

Salado Lions Club 11:30 a.m. Salado Civic Center

February 13 - 14

Blow Your Own Date

Night Event at Salado Glassworks February 13

Choir Rehearsal, 5:30

p.m. at the Presbyterian

Church of Salado FEBRUARY 13 ESL Classes, 6 p.m.

at the Creekside Cottage of Salado First Baptist Church February 14

Coloring, Crosswords and Coffee, 1 p.m. at Salado Public Library

February 14

Valentines Day Dinner at Alexander's Distillery. Reservations: (254) 947-3828

February 14

Grace Jones Retrospective Fashion Show and Fundraiser, 8 p.m. at Tickets: \$60/person or \$100/couple available at Fletcher's Books, Barrow Brewing Co., Salado Winery, Sirril Art Gallery and the Salado Museum

February 16

Bikes & Brews, 7:30 a.m. at Barrow Brewing

February 16

Trudy's Closet 10 a.m. - noon at Grace Church

February 16

Classes with Karen at Stamp Salado 10:30 a.m.

or 1:30 p.m. February 16

Children's Story and Craft Time: Whales, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library

February 16

TeenScene: Make a Fleece Pillow, 3:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library

February 17

Open discussion Al-Anon Meeting, 6 p.m. **Salado United Methodist** **Church Youth Activities** Center

February 18

Bad Weather Day Salado ISD

February 18 Children's Story and Craft Time: Dragons, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library

February 18

Salado Village Artists Knitters, 1 - 3 p.m. and Stitchers, 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Salado Village Artists **Building**

February 18

Salado United Methodist Women, 5:45 p.m. at **Salado United Methodist Church Room 117**

February 18

Salado Masonic Lodge Floor practice is 6:30 p.m. at the Lodge every Monday except Stated **Meeting. Stated meeting** is 7:30 p.m. Monday on or before Full Moon.

February 18

Salado Democrats 7 p.m. at Salado Public Library

February 18

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

February 19

Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church of Salado February 19

Salado Village Artists:

brush art crafting and needle work, 9 - 11 a.m. at Salado Village Artist building

February 19

Sit and Knit 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library

February 19 Salado Rotary Club

11:30 a.m. at Johnny's **Steaks and Barbecue** February 19

Salado Community Chorus practice 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center

February 19

Bell County Genealogical Society Meeting 6:30 p.m. at Temple Public Library

February 20

Mah Jongg, 10 a.m. -2 p.m. at Salado Public Library

February 20

Choir Rehearsal, 5:30 p.m. at the Presbyterian **Church of Salado** February 20

Informational Meeting

on Becoming a Foster Parent, 10 a.m. at Lighthouse Family Network, 213 Mill Creek Drive suite 175

February 20

ESL Classes, 6 p.m. at the Creekside Cottage of Salado First Baptist Church

Thur 4-9:30 PM HAPPY Fri 4-10 PM PIZZA SAT 12-10 PM Sun 11 am-8 pm No Diggity - Cheese Pizza \$9.47 Margherita - Classic Pizza \$9.47 Pilot - Pepperoni Pizza \$10.16 Holla Back - White Pizza \$9.47 Big Don - Bacon Lovers Pizza \$1 3.16 Bel-Air - Supreme Pizza \$13.16

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Denny Cullinan, 1:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

February 15

Haley Cole, 7 - 9 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co

Jon Napier and Wes Perryman, 7 - 9 p.m. at **Barrow Brewing Co**

February 17 The Chalkboard Poets, 3 p.m. at Barrow Brewing





Barrow Brewing hosts Margo Clicker & The American Forest (left) Feb. 9 and Denny Cullinan (right) Feb. 10.

Live Music Venues: Barrow Brewing Company on Royal barrowbrewing.com

John Thompson Flint

Have Salado historians inadvertently slighted him?

BY CAROL WILSON LOCAL HISTORIAN

Saturday, November 13, 1869, was a day of merriment in Waco, Texas. A large crowd, including dignitaries and members of the press, swarmed the banks of the Brazos River in anticipation of the first official crossing of the town's newly completed, massive suspension bridge. Among the notables attending the festivities that day was Salado founder E. S. C. Robertson, a close friend of the man at the center of the celebra-

The bridge was a marvel. The landmark structure, three years in the making, was the longest single-span suspension bridge west of the Mississippi. The 475foot expanse stood eight feet above the river's high water mark and was supported by cables weighing two tons each, attached to towers that rose over 90 feet above. The materials used included a staggering 2.7 million bricks. (Today the bridge is the oldest suspension bridge still standing in Texas and remains open to foot traffic.)

Waco's Silver Cornet Band played as the procession stepped forth, led by the founder and president of the Bridge Company, John T. Flint, the chief engineer, Thomas M. Griffith, and Colonel Robertson. With spectators following behind them, the men walked to the center of the bridge where



A rare shot from the North side of the house taken before it was enlarged. Although it is commonly called the Tyler House, it was built by John Thompson Flint.

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they paused long enough for Mr. Griffith to present Mr. Flint's fourteen-yearold daughter Mary, with a commemorative ring. The crowds roared, ALL HONOR TO PRESIDENT FLINT. A Houston newspaper, reporting on the celebration the following day, lightheartedly stated that the structure had passed public testing without a

John Flint deserved the praise. He had organized the Bridge Company, gone to great length and distance to locate the best bridge-building firm, and raised the substantial capital necessary to complete SEE JT FLINT, PAGE 6C



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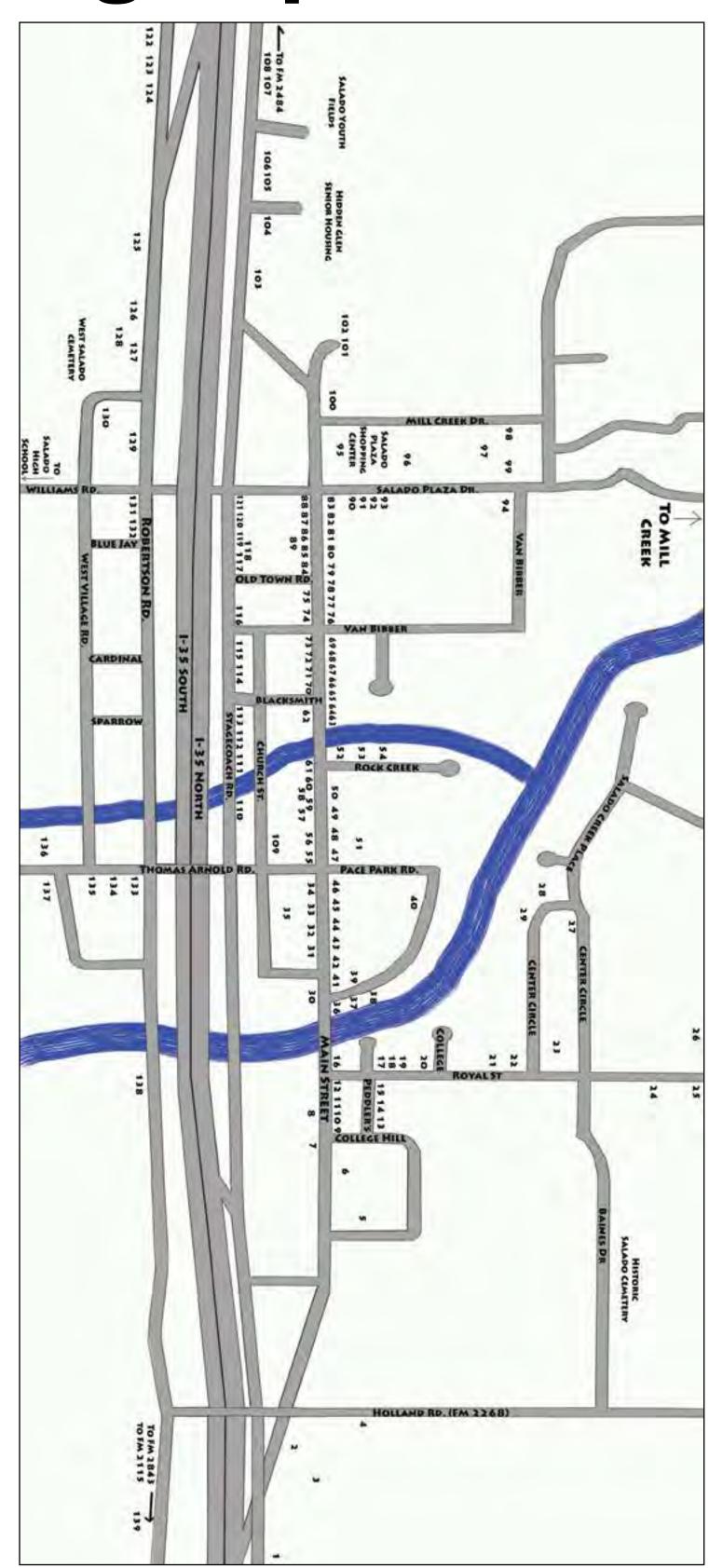
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Historical Markers in Salado

- Salado Historic College Hill
- Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn) Main Street Bridge
- Barber-Berry Mercantile
- The Baines House
- 24. Historic Dipping Vats
- 25. The A.J. Rose Mansion
- 26. Old Methodist Chapel
- 27. Caskey-Hendricks House
- 28. Dr. McKie Place (Twelve Oaks)
- 29. Alexander's Distillery
- 30. First Baptist Church

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- 31. The Tyler House
- 35. Salado Masonic Lodge #296 45. The Anderson House
- 48. The Norton-Orgain House
- 50. The Barton House
- 51. The Levi Tenney House
- 55. The Armstrong Adams House 61. Historic Lenticular Bridge
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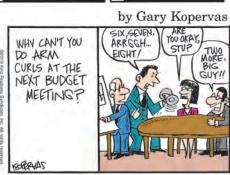
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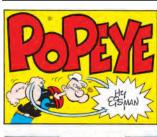
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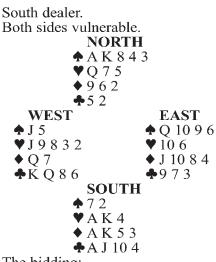






Contract Bridge

HOW WOULD YOU PLAY THIS ONE?



The bidding: South West North East 1 • Pass 1 🏚 Pass 3 NT 2 NT **Pass** Opening lead — three of hearts.

On most hands, declarer's best line of play is determined by comparing the merits of two or more different approaches. He then selects the one that offers the highest probability of success.

Take this case where South started with eight sure tricks and several possibilities of developing a ninth. He knew that the chance of a 3-3 division of six missing cards was about 36 permy's queen and led a club to the jack. West won with the queen and returned a heart to South's ace. Declarer crossed to the spade king, led a club and finessed again. After the ten lost to West's king, South could not recov-

While it's true that South ran into some bad luck, the fact remains that he should have played the hand differently. The best plan is to win the first heart with the king, lead a low spade and play low from dummy!

Let's assume a heart return by East, taken by South with the ace. Declarer next cashes the A-K of spades and plays a fourth spade, establishing dummy's eight of spades as his ninth trick. The queen of hearts serves as South's entry to the game-going trick.

that it allows declarer to make the contract not only when the opposing spades divide 3-3, but also when they are divided 4-2 (48 percent), yielding a combined chance of success of 84 percent. This is obviously much better than a 75 percent chance, and that is a good reason for declarer to choose this line of play.

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cent, and that the chance of winning either of two finesses was about 75 percent. For that reason, he decided to try two club finesses rather than depend on the spades or diamonds splitting 3-3.

So he took the heart lead with dum-

er, and he finished down one.

The advantage of this approach is

■ by Steve Becker :

Super Crossword

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nuclear reactor? 4. TELEVISION: In what year did "Monday Night Football" debut?

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the Grinch Stole Christmas!" 7. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president was the first to campaign by tele-

8. MOVIES: Which war was the setting for the musical "South Pacific"? 9. PSYCHOLOGY: What fear is represented in the condition called logo-

10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Which animal is the symbol of the World Wildlife Fund? Answers

- 1. Standing still 2. Seven
- 3. Enrico Fermi
- 4.1970
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- William McKinley 8. WWII
- 9. Fear of words

10. The giant panda

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Answer

Meekly SUDOKU

Weekly **SUDOKU**

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by Linda Thistle

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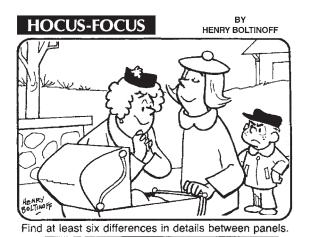
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JT Flint

the project, taking no remuneration for his services. The bridge stimulated commerce and created growth but it was not Flint's first major undertaking toward that goal in Waco. He had performed a similar feat in bringing the first railroad line to town. In later years he operated a large dairy. The list of Flint's accomplishments was long and impressive, so much so that the Dallas Morning News described him as one of the most remarkable men in Texas.

John Thompson Flint was born in Schoharie County, New York in 1827. He moved to Ohio about 1850 where he taught school, studied law and married. In 1852 he moved to Austin where he worked for a short time as a journalist before his aptitude for writing shorthand earned him an elected position as reporter in the State Senate. In 1853 John and his wife Lavina relocated to Bell County where Flint set up a private law practice in Belton. In 1855 Lavina gave birth to daughter Mary, the first of three children that would later complete the Flint family.

Over the dozen years that followed, John Flint seemed to have one foot in Belton and the other in Salado. He invested in land in both towns and invested in Bell County via civic participation. In addition to operating a law practice that specialized in land transactions and estate settlement, Flint partnered with David Chamberlin in establishing one of Belton's early banks. John Flint was also among the men who deserve credit for establishing Salado College. He signed the articles of association for the school and drew up the lengthy bill that sought (and secured) a charter for the school. Flint was a member of the Bell County Rovers, minutemen who offered their services as local scouts against Indian depredations. He was also an overseer of roads and a charter member of the Bell County Agricultural Club.

In November of 1860, when tensions rose over Lincoln's election, a group of Bell County men came together to denounce the election, plan their resistance, and to make their objections known to the governor of Texas. John Flint led the group; even the popular E. S. C. Robertson was subordinate to Flint in that endeavor. Although Flint

was born in New York, he proclaimed that he was a northerner by birth only—a southerner by choice. When the war broke out, Flint served both as a soldier in the Twentieth Texas Confederate Infantry, and as a member of a support group for other units.

Mary Harrison Hodge and Charlene Ochsner Carson named Flint in their 2014 book titled Salado, as one of the men who built a grand home near the center of town.² George Tyler's book on the history of Bell County also lists John T. Flint among the first families that moved into the (then) new town and put up homes after the celebrated college tent meeting.³

Despite his many accomplishments, John Flint has received little recognition relative to other Salado pioneers. The oversight is somewhat understandable. We have no photo of Mr. Flint and he is not buried in Salado Cemetery. Even though Flint had impressive homes in both Belton and Salado, the record is cloudy as to the number of years and the dates the family actually lived in Salado. This excerpt from George Tyler's book, History of Bell County, tells us that Flint owned considerable property in Belton, but offers no dates.

His residence stood on the west side of present north Pearl Street at the intersection of Seventh Avenue. He had something like 72 acres enclosed and this included all of the present Baylor College grounds and Santa Fe Railway track was of Main Street.⁴

The 1860 census confirms that the Flint family, then consisting of three, resided in Belton. The report was compiled in June.

The imposing house that John Flint built in Salado still stands but it is known as the Tyler House. This misnomer was certainly an unintended error made by locals long ago when they named the house for O. T. Tyler alone. A historical marker on the premises does not mention John Flint.

Empresario's Son: E. S. C. Robertson of Salado, a new book by the late Michael Kelsey, Nancy Graff Kelsey and Ginny Guinn Parsons, furnished a new clue about the Flint house that helps to partially bridge the gap between the time that John Flint and O. T. Tyler lived there. E. S. C. Robertson's diary contained these entries dated late Jan-

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uary 1864:

"Judge O. T. Tyler came down to hunt a place to move to where he can send his children to school...

and: "He [Tyler] has leased Major Flint's house and premises for one year and boards the family of Flint. Tyler will move down in April.⁵

It is curious that the Flint family needed to board with anyone and not clear whether that arrangement took place in Belton or Salado. It leaves open the question of who lived in the Salado house between 1860—when we know the Flints lived in Belton—and 1864, when we know the Tyler's took up residence there under a lease.

O. T. Tyler eventually purchased the house and lived there for twenty years before he sold the home to Marion Robertson and returned to Belton. According to the deed, Tyler sold the house, including lot, yard, orchard, garden, outbuildings and grass pasture, to Robertson for \$3,500 in 1884. The association between the house and Tyler is certainly not inappropriate but it is unfortunate that a footnote was not added to the state marker that included Flint's name. He was a key player in Bell County during a dozen of its formative years and proved his historical significance to Texas further after he moved to Waco.

A marker similar to the one that stands at the Flint/ Tyler house today, if erected to honor Flint, might read:

John Thompson Flint (1827-1897) — teacher, journalist, State Senate stenographer, pioneer, lawyer, land agent, banker, Indian scout, Confederate leader and soldier, Baylor University trustee, bridge builder, railroad developer, dairyman, founding member of Salado Masonic Lodge #296 and long-time friend to E. S. C. Robertson.

John Thompson Flint, once touted as one of the most remarkable men in Texas...perhaps we can do more to honor him.

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Belted Kingfisher

Belted Kingfisher nests in a shoreline burrow

As humans, if we do an activity long enough, we become creatures of habit. Take for example the routes in which one drives to work on a daily basis. During this habitual trek there can be multiple living or non-living things observed that can become almost familiar. One such thing for me is a specimen of a particular species of bird known as the Belted Kingfisher.

Kingfishers Belted (Ceryle alcyon) inhabit bodies of standing freshwater throughout much of North America, with the inhospitable northern rim of Canada being the exception. Throughout the eastern two-thirds of Texas, this species can be observed year-round, while in the Trans-Pecos it is seen only during the winter months of November through February. This lack of permanency in the Chihuahuan Desert is undoubtably due to the lack of areas of consistent freshwater areas.

This conspicuous species of bird is mid-sized, with the body length approximately twelve inches, while the wingspan can approach two feet. It is primarily blue on the upperparts, and unlike the vast majority of birds in North America, the female is actually more colorful than the male. Both sexes have an elongated, thick black bill, as well as a

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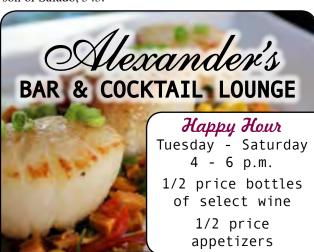
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crest on top of the head that can best be described as "bed-head", for the feathers are quite shaggy-looking and un-kept in appearance. The head is separated from the body by a broad white collar, and there is a blueish gray band across the chest. Males have white underparts, while the more colorful female has a chestnut band across the belly, which is much more noticeable while she is in flight. The legs in both sexes are very short.

Kingfishers are very conspicuous while perching on high-wires and trees right along the waterways as they visually scan the water for the small fish that make up their diet. After they see an opportunity to dine, they will often hover in a figure eight motion 20 feet or more above the water, waiting for the right moment to plunge headfirst into the water in an acrobatic dive to obtain their prey. This specialized activity is what the nomenclature of kingfisher alludes

During the majority of the year, this species of bird is quite solitary. However, during the breeding season, females will select a mate and they remain in a monogamous relationship throughout that particular time. The pair work together to build the unique nest along the banks of the shoreline in a horizontal burrow that is usually three to seven feet deep. While this nest typically has no lining of which to speak, it can often be observed rather easily by all of the debris of undigested fish scales and bones located at the entrance to the burrow. The white eggs, which number from five to eight, are small (1 inch by 1inch) and are laid once or twice a year. Both parents incubate the eggs for the 29 days until they hatch. The young stay in the nest and are fed by both parents up to another month before they leave to nest to fend for themselves.

As with many birds that feed on fish, this animal was persecuted because it was believed to have a serious impact on the fishing hobby due to its propensity to eat small game fish. Many times, this species was shot on site at many of the fish hatcheries across this state. However, this myth has been expelled, and now many fisherman have come to appreciate this loud competitor.



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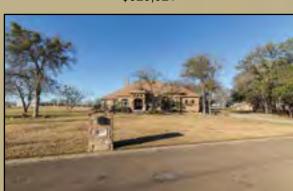
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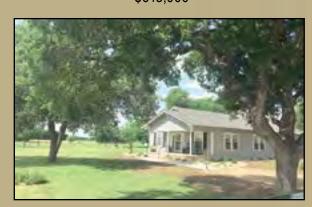
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However, the change to chloramines can cause problems to person's dependent on dialysis machines. A condition known as hemolytic anemia can occur if the disinfectant is not completely removed from the water that is used for the dialysate. Consequently, the pretreatment scheme used for the dialysis units must include some means, such a charcoal filter, for removing the chloramine prior to this date. Medical facilities should also determine if additional precautions are required for other medical equipment.

In addition, chloraminated water may be toxic to fish. If you have a fish tank, please make sure that the chemicals or filters that you are using are designed for use in water that has been treated with chloramines. You may also need to change the type of filter that you use for the fish tank.

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