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2020: Time to meet your newspaper staff

The Salado Village Voice newspaper was founded by the late Dayton Kelly with the first edition on February 17, 1979.

The newspaper has seen four decades of service to the Village of Salado.

For three of those decades, Tim and Marilyn Fleischer have been at the helm of the Salado Village Voice.

Salado Village Voice newspaper has always been a family affair, since its founding by Dayton Kelly in 1979. After Dayton's death, his sons Dennis and Bill operated the newspaper until the Fleischer family purchased the newspaper in 1988.

Salado Village Voice is locally owned and operated. "We are vested in Salado and invested in Salado," says publisher and editor-in-chief Tim Fleischer.

As we begin 2019, Salado Village Voice staffers would like to re-introduce themselves to the community they serve.

Salado Village Voice has a staff of four full time and one part time, including publishers Tim and Marilyn Fleischer.

Other staffers are Stephanie Hood, advertising composition and Royce Wiggin, office assistant and Shelby Kabler, archivist.

In addition to individual awards by staff members, Salado Village Voice has been honored by the community and state. The newspaper was the first-ever Business of the Year, awarded in January 2003 by the Salado Chamber of Commerce.

For more than 25 years, Salado Village Voice has Salado Chamber of Compublished Salado: A Jewel in merce in 1998 and treasurer the Crown of Texas, a quarterly magazine.

The newspaper also maintains an active website at www.saladovillagevoice. com and has electronic editions of the newspaper available for subscribers.

The newspaper joined the Texas Press Association in 2010.

Tim Fleischer

Tim Fleischer has been a newspaperman since he was 16, working for both weeklies and daily newspapers. "I got the Devil's Ink at an early age and haven't been able to get rid of it," he said of his 35 years in the newspaper industry.

For 30 years, he has been the editor of the Salado Village Voice.

But his love for Salado has been for more than three decades. "I came to Salado with my parents for the Art Fair and Gathering of the Clans when I was growing up in Coryell County," he said. "I drove through it every day on my way to run a small newspaper in Florence."

Tim and Marilyn Fleischer have published the newspaper since 1988. During that time, the newspaper has grown from an eight-page tabloid to a fullsize broadsheet newspaper

"We have grown with the community and are a reflection of it," he said.

paper has won several awards from the Texas Community Newspaper Association, where Salado Village Voice competed against newspapers from San Antonio, Dallas, Houston, Austin and around the state.

Tim has won several TCNA awards: advertising design (third in state for large ad format and third in state for advertising series); editorial work (first in state for editorial writing, third in state for editorial writing, third in state for column writing) and second in state for community service (for articles during the incorporation election).

In 2019, he and Royce Wiggin won a Texas Press Association award for Feature Photography in 2019.

Fleischer has been named to the Texas Association of School Boards Media Honor Roll several times during his tenure at the helm of the newspaper, including the 2019 Honor Roll. Media are recommended and nominated for the Honor Roll by local school boards for their coverage of schools.

community in a variety of capacities, including four different terms on the board of directors of the Salado Chamber of Commerce and six years on the board of directors of the Institute for Humanities at Salado.

for two years of the Institute

Fleischer was Chairman of the Salado Chamber of Commerce in 2015.

the inaugural board of the Salado Community Founda-

He was also on the first board that established the Mentoring program

Tim is a Mason and twice Past Master of the Salado Masonic Lodge #296. He served as District Deputy Grand Master for Masonic District #48 in 2011-12 and is the current Secretary for the Salado Lodge. He is the Lodge Flag Committee

chairman. Tim was installed on Dec. 28 as the Eminent Commander of the Temple Commandery #41 of Knights Templar, an appendant Masonic body.

Pace Park advisory board for the Village of Salado.

He is known to great grandson Nate Timothy Potter as DoDo (like the

with four sections.

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He and wife Marilyn share responsibilities at the newspaper. "She runs the office and makes the busiSalado Village Voice newspaper celebrates 41 years of service to the community of Salado. (Photo by Ken Reynolds) ness decisions and I make editorial decisions," he said.

The Fleischers are voering their third generation of Salado kids. "We are recognizing the last names of the kids of those kids we covered in the late 80s and early 90s," Tim said. "Not very many newspapermen can say that they are covering multi-generations of families in a community."

"A community newspaper should be both a cheerleader and a conscience for the town it serves," he adds. "We celebrate our successes whenever we can."

"Because we live here, pay taxes here and serve in our community, we feel a responsibility to holding local officials accountable for their actions," he adds. "This is not always an easy thing to do, but we owe it to the taxpayers, businesses and residents to do this."

"The one thing I try not to do is to tell my readers what to think," he adds. "This is why we have not officially endorsed or opposed a candidate for school board or board of aldermen. We try to present, in as fair a manner as I know how, as much information as possible for the residents and voters to make up their own minds. This is why we have presented the questions and answers forums over a series of weeks leading up to local

elections." Marilyn Fleischer

Marilyn got the Devil's Ink in her blood after meeting Tim 31 years ago.

She is managing editor and advertising manager of Salado Village Voice.

She worked in the corporate world prior to the purchase of the Salado Village Voice in 1988.

She also owned and operated a business in the Killeen/Copperas Cove area for several years while raising her three children.

During their years in Salado, Marilyn has served the community in many

"I think I have been most satisfied with my work with the Salado Family Relief Fund," she said. For her birthday in 2017, Marilyn asked her friends to contribute to the Salado Family Relief Fund, raising more than \$1,000.

In addition to her work to establish the Family Relief Fund, Marilyn has also been Art Fair chairperson for multiple years, and served three years as a Chamber of Commerce Director.

She served two three-year terms on the Salado Civic Center board of directors.

She was on the founding board of the Salado Community Foundation.

She has also won awards from the TCNA. She has twice been honored. She won second place for Best Feature Photo and second place for Community Service for her work with the Salado Family Relief Fund.

The Fleischers helped to establish what became known as the Public Arts League of Salado and the Salado Ambassador Program.

The Fleischers' children Royce Wiggin and Jenny Potter, both graduates of Salado High School -- have grown up in the eye of the community. Royce graduated in 2007, beginning in second grade in Salado schools. Jenny began her school career as a kindergartner at Thomas Arnold Elementary School graduated in 2009.

Marilyn welcomed her ninth grandchild to the world in 2015. Beren Crow Baggett was born on August

26, 2015. Great-grandparents Nate Potter, they are eagerly looking forward to the arrival of twin great-grandchildren in 2020.

Royce Wiggin

Royce Wiggin is one of those rare species: a native of Salado, born here on July 5, 1989.

His first home was the historic Levi Tenney House in Salado's Pace Park. He has attended school in

Salado since second grade graduating in 2007.

While in high school, he was a trumpet player in the Salado Eagle Marching

He began work at the newspaper over the summer of his junior year in high school.

The Salado Village Voice newspaper staff Editor-in-Chief Tim Fleischer, Managing Editor Marilyn Fleischer, Composi-

tion Stephanie Hood, Archivist Shelby Kabler and Sports Photographer Royce Wiggin. With the arrival of 2020, the

His responsibilities include photography and reporting, classified advertising, placing and rotating ads on pages, directing phone calls in the office, proof reading, typesetting and a myriad of other duties.

This year, Royce has been the staff sports photographer, traveling to games on Tuesdays and Fridays to shoot football, volleyball, basketball, cross country, soccer and in the spring, track, baseball and softball.

He is the son of Tim and Marilyn Fleischer, owners of the newspaper, and is glad to finally get paid for all the hours he spends at the newspaper office.

He attends Temple College while working full time at the newspaper.

Stephanie Hood

girl at heart and a third generation graduate who is raising a fourth generation of Eagles.

"I am a country kid, I was 'raised here' as they say. The history of Salado and Bell county is intertwined with the history of my family. With that comes a certain respect for the old buildings, farms and the old timers who built the community we now call Salado."

"The creek was the favorite swimming hole when I was a kid and not just for Salado," she said. "The tree lined banks were the perfect place to find a cool retreat from the sun. You had to behave though, if you acted up your parents would get a phone call before you even thought about going home."

Stephanie joined the newspaper in 2006 as the composition person. With a background in photography and documentary style videography she excels at conveying ideas with concise images.

Stephanie is an active community volunteer, recently serving on the board of Salado Historical Society and the Public Art League of Salado. She also volunteers

as a superintendent for the Bell County Youth Fair, coordinating judges and checking in entries.

She enjoys spending time with her granddaughters Roselynn Rogers and Sarah Trujillo. "It is nice to have them close enough to spoil. I grew up with my cousins nearby and it is nice to see that kind of family connection continuing."

Shelby Kabler Shelby Kabler

While not a resident of Salado, has Saladoan grandparent, Philip Kabler, whom she used to visit as a child. Her mother recently lives in Salado, while her siblings attend Salado schools. Shelby graduated from Temple High School in 2013; she joined the newspaper in 2018 after an assortment of jobs and recently 2 years at Scott & White as an Insurance Verification Specialist. Stephanie is a hometown Shelby also pursues her passion as an illustrator attending conventions, and continues to do so alongside her work at the newspaper. She enjoys creating content and perfecting her trade as well as dabbling in programming in her free time. Shelby has archiving the 40+ years of Salado Village



Coco Chanel

Coco Chanel became a part of the Fleischer home thanks to Bill Hall's auctioneering skills 10 years ago at the Cattlemen's Ball. She is the office mascot and will demand petting when you visit the newspaper office at 213 Mill Creek Dr. #125.

pbell's **Branch closes**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will close Main street at the FM 2268/Main Street Bridge at Campbell Branch in downtown Salado on Jan. 5.

The closure will allow the contractor to begin the demolition and replacement of the bridge at that location.

Northbound and southbound Main street traffic will detour via the I-35 frontage road to streets that access businesses north and south of the Campbell Branch Bridge.

The adjacent pedestrian bridge crossing at Campbell Branch will remain open throughout the project.

The Main Street bridge structure replacement is currently scheduled for completion by the end of March

The \$5.2 million bridge replacement project began in May of 2019 and includes sidewalks and pavement upgrades at various locations along Main Street within the project area.

Work generally takes place between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, with some overnight work when the bridge is actually being replaced.

The ultimate project completion is scheduled for early Summer of 2020, weather permitting.

TxDOT urges residents to be cautious and watch for construction personnel and equipment in the work area.

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An Open Exchange of Ideas

The times they are a changing

To the Editor:

The times really are "a

changing": Older generations often recall the past as being better times. Some call this "selective memory". I admit to this malady; however, a recent question set me toward an assessment of U.S. trends: My son asked if they still made pickup gun racks. They do, and after looking for one for my UTV and seeing none in trucks today, I was afraid they would stop making them, so I bought two. In 1964, I bought a new pickup - it cost \$2500. (Today's replacement would be \$60,000.) The only accessory I bought was a gun rack. Then almost every truck sported one, and usually there was a long gun in it - and often a fishing rod. Like mine, even parked all day at Belton's square, those trucks were seldom locked. Unlike today's massacres, the rare shooting was personal and between belligerent individuals.

As did almost every schoolboy, I carried a pocket knife, and knife games were played before school and at recess. I don't recall anyone getting stabbed or cut. When a freshman, my eighth grade teacher asked me to speak to her class about transition to high school. When I finished my talk, she gave me a present - a pocket knife. Check out today's school rules on pocket knives.

I built on my ranch in 1966. The entry gate was a sagging "wire gate" of netting and cedar staves and closed by a wire hoop. My wife and I would often be gone for several nights and days, but nothing was locked. Now we lock up, and I keep a loaded shotgun beside my bed. Last year total strangers from El Paso and Killeen came onto my place and shot more than 100 pistol rounds before

<u>Your Voice</u>

Letters to the Editor

being caught. Older Texans knew a fence meant "keep

We are assailed by multiple daily phone calls from crooks - foreign and domestic; a drug that sold for \$40 in 2001 now costs almost \$40,000; a banana taped to the wall sold for \$120,000; opiate dealing drug makers kill thousands and walk away with a hand slap and billions of dollars; church leaders abuse children, and the "church" protects the abusers; politicians "lie" the U.S. into a never-ending war and an economic collapse that still threatens the world's economies, and then they are rewarded with taxpayer money and enhanced position. Big polluters pay lip service to saving the planet while subsidizing "climate change deniers". When elected president, Jimmy Carter had to sell his peanut farm. Today's president flaunts his position to enhance his wealth. Bill Clinton was impeached for lying to Congress - a consortium of liars - about a sexual relationship. The current president is a proven habitual liar, and his admitted sexual indiscretions are legendary, yet his party rallies around him as he trades U.S. interests for his personal benefit. In 1952 retiring President Truman drove himself unescorted back to Missouri. This president's golf trips are projected to cost taxpayers \$340 million. Some church leaders excuse Trump as anointed, salvific and doing "God's work" although he is dramatically unlike the more admirable emissary represented in the Christ story.

Politicians and business folks take every opportunity to invoke the "Deity" - in words only, not deeds. Televangelists and "influencers" lead people around like lemmings - often fleecing them in the process. Like cattle feeding at a trough before slaughter, today's U.S. citizenry seems willing to accommodate almost anything so long as their individual cult's philosophy prevails.

I am not naive. I also remember the hard times - the dissent, the demonstrations, the friction, even poverty with its ragged clothing that now days appears to be a status symbol. But then folks in the U.S. could hold their heads up on the world stage. I am not sure that's the case now. Yes, the times are "a changing", but it's not for the better.

Tom Curb Salado

To the Editor:

As we move forward in to a new decade, I can imagine the opportunity for us all to enjoy a more perfect vision of all Salado has to offer. Looking at the calendar and seeing the first Saturday being 1-4-2020, I smiled and thought, what can I do as 1 for Salado in 2020? It is an opportunity for all of us to have a refreshed clearer vision of what makes Salado the special community it is, ways we can improve what we enjoy and what our visitors see when they come to vis-

Our Main Street improvements should be completed mid year and it is not too early to start start "cleaning the windows"

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and planning festivities to show off our home. It's time to start looking at what is being done with excitement. Imagine the beautiful street lights and sidewalks. I loved the Historical Society's Poster inviting people to enjoy the Magic of Christmas in Salado. Why not work together to to enjoy the Magic of Salado all year?

As a Shop Owner, I like others who have a walk-in business environment, have endured the complaints of the past. In 2020, I challenge each of you to come up with things you will do to help build on the Magic

of Salado in 2020. We need everyone working together, property owners, businesses, residents, Chamber, Tourism, City, Churches, Civic Organizations and even school groups. Get the picture? Are you willing to step up? Seriously friends, it takes all of us.

Many of my friends my age have retired or are retiring. I am happy for them and realized they are retiring from a job. I, like many of my merchant and business friends, do what I do because I enjoy being a part of the business community in Salado, serving my community and my customers who become my friends. I want to be a part of adding to the Magic of Salado and welcome any of you to stop by my business to share ways you would like to help add to the Magic

as well. Let's get this 1 for Salado in 2020 movement going! Happy New Year Salado!

C.J. Harbuz

Angelic Herbs To the Editor:

I want to thank all the financial contributors to the Gateway sign as well as the BOA and the City Adminstor in completing a project that ran into a four year endeavor.

I also would like to thank the Salado Community Foundation for holding the funds and accounting.

It was a difficult and trying experience in dealing with TXDOT and other restrictions.

Please go see the Gateway signs at night and you will be proud of them. They are one a kind.

Merle Stalcup Salado



he Victim President

President Donald Trump's impeachment letter to Nancy Pelosi is nothing if not sincere.

The missive establishes, if there were any doubt, that Trump hates impeachment with a passion, and he expresses his contempt in his own inimitable voice -- scornful, hyperbolic, colloquial, on brand (Russia Witch Hunt, Do Nothing Democrats, etc.) and, above all, aggrieved.

We've never had a president in the modern era who has actively cultivated an image of victimhood, a posture that once would have been considered whiny and weak, but that Trump has, through his personal alchemy, made into a kind of political strength.

It is inevitable that a president -- carrying out impossibly weighty responsibilities, in a very public capacity, while the opposition and press fasten on every peccadillo -- is going to feel besieged, misunderstood or otherwise unfairly treated.

This naturally often leads to private venting, brooding, plotting and perhaps even an overly defensive or peevish outburst in public.

The Prussian statesman Otto von Bismarck captured what might have been the experience of more than one president when he reportedly told his personal assistant one morning, "I

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could not sleep, I hated all night."

With the exception of, most notably, Andrew Johnson, who openly raged against his partisan enemies, the presidential mode is to try to keep feelings of persecution under wraps. But not Trump, who unashamedly airs these feelings and uses them as a weapon.

This has been his practice his entire adult life, and it has worked for him. He sought to outlast and wear down anyone in a dispute, unwilling to be, as he sees it, cheated of money, attention or glory.

As he put it in an interview early in the Republican nominating contest in 2015, "I am a whiner and I keep whining and whining until I win."

One of his favorite words is "unfair."

Part of the strength of Trump's bond with his base is that his voters feel sneered at and attacked, and so identify with his plaints. A passage in his letter to Pelosi that truly lands is his bitter account of the Russian investigation, during which the FBI abused its powers, the most outlandish speculation was routine fare

on cable news, and a special counsel investigation blighted the first couple of years of his administration.

He's right to point out that impeachment is, essentially, an extension of this episode. It might be the best example since Hillary Clinton's "deplorables" line of an affront that both Trump and his voters can take personally.

Trump will wave the bloody flag of impeachment until November as an example of how Democrats tried to get rid of him -- and disregard his voters. The timing on the cusp of an election year means impeachment works perfectly for this argument both looking backward and forward; it (partly) invalidates the 2016 election, while also short-circuiting the 2020

Still, Donald Trump occupies the most powerful office in the world, bedecked with all the majesty and pomp and circumstance that a republic can muster. The media hangs on his every word, and his name, long after his buildings are gone, will remain part of American history.

This is not the profile of anyone's victim, and Trump would do more honor to the office if he brooded more and vented less. Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

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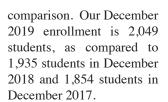
SISD Trustees recognize Cattlemen's sponsors

The Salado ISD School Board met on Monday, December 16. The following is a summary of that meeting:

- The Board recognized the following sponsors of the Salado Education Foundation Cattleman's Ball: Deborah and Logan Beene, Auctioneer Bill Hall, Indeco, Johnny's Steaks and BBQ, Rich Services, Salado Village Voice, Bill Smith-Custom Tenroc Ranch, Toyota of Killeen, Century 21-Bill Bartlett, L&N Auto Sales, and Quarles Construction.
- The Board recognized the following students for helping the Bell County Sherriff's Department catch two individuals allegedly involved with car burglaries: Konnor Baird, Travis Carter, Brian Chavez, Horacio Huerta, Wyatt McMichael, Joe Sampson, and Ethan Scott.
- The Board reviewed the three-year enrollment

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



- The Board reviewed the monthly financial reports.
- The Board discussed an update regarding the district goals, including the number of students achieving College, Career, and Military Readiness.
- The Board discussed the progress regarding the construction of the middle school, softball field, baseball field, tennis courts, parking areas, connection to the Village of Salado sew-

er system, elementary roof, junior high school roof, and high school roof.

- The Board approved the minutes from the November 18 and November 22 school board meetings.
- The Board approved an interlocal agreement with the Central Texas Purchasing Alliance.
- The Board approved budget amendments.
- The Board reviewed the Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas (FIRST) report. Our district received a score of 98 out of a possible 100 points and the highest possible rating of "supe-

• The Board reviewed Local Policy CDA: Other Revenues: Investments.

The next regular school board meeting will be 6 p.m. Jan. 13 at the Salado ISD Civic Center, located at 601 North Main Street.



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Kingdom Kids (K-6) 6 p.m. 6 p.m. Bible Drill (4-6)

ESL 6 p.m.

6:15 p.m. MIDWEEK MEAL (YOUTH)

6:45 p.m. High School MIDWEEK

Markets: higher profits despite lower earnings

Despite the hoopla about daily record closes, the S&P 500 Stock Index (SPX) ended the week only 0.58% higher than last week at 3240.02, another record high close. The index is up 3.15% for the last month and 9.39% for the trailing three months. The stock market continues its series of record-high closes in hopes of better profits in 2020 despite lower earnings at this point than a year ago. The SPX price-to-earnings ratio (P/E), a measure of just how high the market really is, rose to 24.27, certainly well above the index's long term mean of 15.77, but not wildly out of bounds. Still, when the P/E ratio gets around 25, historically it has marked a countdown to a market correction that will take it back to much nearer the long-term mean (average). The P/E ratio is the

last year's earnings. Another measure of the "real" level of the stock market is to measure the dividend yield. When the SPX dividend yield is above that of the ten-year Treasury note, the market is considered by that measure to be "underpriced." On the other hand, when the tenyear Treasury is paying a high-interest rate than the market is in dividends, the SPX is "overpriced." The SPX current yield is 1.44% while the ten-year T-note is yielding 1.878%, suggesting the market is a bit rich.

current price divided by the

Indeed, the 10-Year U.S. Treasury note closed out the week yielding 1.878%, down about 2.1% from its close last week. For reference, the yield is still almost a full percent lower than it was a year ago. West Texas Intermediate crude oil rose about 0.7% for the week to close at \$61.72.

The Economy

Economists have been puzzled as the unemployment rate in the U.S. fell to record levels while wages

Market & Economic Update

By Jeffrey W. McClure

paid to rank and file workers has barely outpaced inflation over the past several years. 2019 may mark the turning point for that anomaly. According to the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, pay for the bottom 25% of hourly wage earners rose 4.5% in November from last year at this time. Across the board, non-supervisory wages have risen 3.7% from

last year. The Christmas shopping season has turned out to be even better than expected for on-line stores if less than exciting for the traditional brick and mortar variety of businesses. Total U.S. retail sales for November through Christmas Eve rose 3.4% from a year earlier, according to Mastercard Spending Pulse. What was notable was that the same source reported that online shopping rose 19% in the same period. In-store sales rose only 1.2% despite extensive discounting. Not too surprisingly, major department stores like Macy's and Nordstrom saw total sales

fall by 1.8%. As usual, the retail good news was somewhat offset by manufacturing weakness. Orders for long-lasting factory goods made in the U.S. fell a seasonally adjusted 2% in November versus October. New orders for non-defense capital goods, excluding aircraft, gave a glimmer of hope as they rose 0.1%. The sector remains weak as the year over year gains in that sector were only up 0.7% but at least they rose.

Despite the tariff assist to U.S. Steel manufacturers United States Steel Corporation announced it was idling most of a mill near Detroit as company losses are increasing. The same tariffs that raised the price

of imported steel appear to have put the crunch on domestic manufacturers who use steel, dropping demand and with it, lowering steel prices. A large part of the problem seems to have come from domestic steel plants expanding on expectations of a permanent rise in prices and in doing so created a surplus in supply. The result is that more modern, more automated plants can turn out steel at a lower price with fewer workers. Tariffs have indeed made the industry more competitive, but ironically, resulted in net job losses for steelworkers. Those workers may not have much difficulty finding new employment, but often that employment is with a significant wage reduction.

After sagging for most of the year, U.S. car and light truck sales surged upward 1.9% in November. The reason appears to be record sales of commercial vans to package delivery companies in anticipation of the online sales boom that hit during the Christmas season. Yearover-year, passenger car sales fell 9.8% while sales of light-trucks, including delivery vans, rose 3.4%. Overall the auto industry sales declined 0.8% for the trailing twelve months.

The bottom line remains the same. Retail sales are growing but the underlying part of our economy that produces things to sell continues to shrink. The market is pushing its upper limits and the beginnings of the market euphoria that historically ends a bull market may be showing its head. In many ways, it looks a lot like the end of 1999 but only time will tell.

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community Life

Marie Grigsby weds Brandon Denson

Marie Grigsby, daughter of Bill Grigsby of Salado and the late Carolyn Grigsby Wallace, became the bride of Brandon Denson of Pittsburg, TX, the son of the late Wirth and Jean Denson.

The couple were united in matrimony on December 28, 2019 at the Chapel in the Woods at Summers Mill Retreat in Belton in a double rin ceremony officiated by Jeff Miller.

Tricia Cunningham of

Salado and sister of the bride served as the Matron of Honor

Bridesmaids were Ashleigh Grams, niece of the bride of Thorndale and Ali Clair Denson, daughter of the groom of Moody.

Alan Denson, of Mount Pleasant and brother of the groom, served as his Best Man.

Groomsmen were Nathan Denson, also of Mount Pleasant and brother of the groom, and Donnie West, of Mount Pleasant and brotherin-law of the groom.

Landri Kate Shumate, great niece of the groom, of Mount Pleasant, was flower girl.

Case Delaney, great nephew of the bride, of Thorndale was ring bearer.

Cole Taylor, nephew of the bride, of Salado, and Blake Denson, nephew of the groom, of Mount Pleasant, served as ushers.

The couple hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Yellow Rose Event Center at Summers Mill on Dec. 27.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Yellow Rose Event Center.

Following a honeymoon trip to the San Antonio Riverwalk, the couple will reside in Belton.

The bride is a 1996 graduate of Salado High School. She holds a BBA from UMHB and a M.Ed. from Lamar University. She is an



Marie Grigsby becomes Mrs. Brandon Denson. (Photo courtesy Maggie

assistant principal at Jarrell High School.

The groom holds a B.S.

from McMurry, and a Masters in Physical Education from Tarleton University.

He is a teacher and coach at Shoemaker High School in Killeen.

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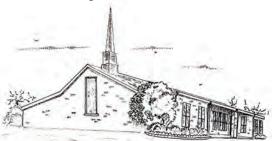
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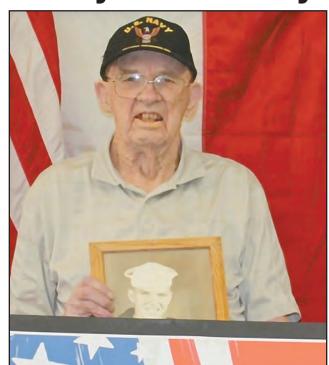
Happy 100th Birthday to Navy Veteran Lyndoll Hurley

BONHAM. Chairman of the Veterans Land Board George P. Bush asked the community for help in ensuring WWII Navy Veteran Lyndoll Hurley receives 100 birthday cards for his centennial birthday.

It's not every day that a WWII Veteran turns 100 years old. On Wednesday, January 8, WWII United States Navy Veteran Lyndoll Hurley will turn 100 years young. Lyndoll Hurley proudly served in WWII in the Navy. Please help us celebrate this momentous occasion by sending a birthday card to Lyndoll Hurley's home at the Clyde W. Cosper Texas Veterans Home, run by the Veterans Land Board. Let's make sure he receives all 100 birthday cards!

Birthday cards should be addressed to: Lyndoll Hurley c/o Clyde W. Cosper TX State Veterans Home 1300 Seven Oaks Road, Bonham, TX 75418

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Navy Veteran Lyndoll Hurley celebrates 100 years

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Spring semester registration resumes at CTC

Central Texas College (CTC) administrative offices will Jan. 6 and continue registration for spring 2020 semester classes at its central campus in Killeen.

Returning students can register through CTC's online WebAdvisor system at ctcd.edu.

First-time students must complete admissions and academic advisement before registering. Spring semester classes start Jan. 13.

Students interested in online courses may also register on WebAdvisor now through Jan. 10 for classes starting Jan. 13. Registration for online classes with a start date of Jan. 27 ends Jan. 23. Friday classes in the Evening/Weekend College program start Jan. 17 and the final day to register for these classes is Jan. 16. And students have until Jan. 17 to register for Saturday

classes which start Jan. 18. Students can find class offerings for the spring semester under the "Class Schedules" link on the CTC website. For brief descriptions of each available course, students can use the "Search Courses and Section" link under the Student Tools tab.

To assist with the advisement process, students can view their degree plan, explore other programs and register for classes required by their degree plan online using the "Student Planning" tool on WebAdvisor. After logging in to WebAdvisor, students should click the "Eagle Self-Service" icon, go to "Student Planning" and then click the "My Progress." Students will find their automated degree plan listing all the required courses, completed courses and those classes still needed.

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PIPER RANDOLPH, KONNOR BAIRD AND BREIGH OLIVER READY TO SIGN LETTERS OF INTENT TO PLAY DIVISION 1 COLLEGE BALL. (PHOTO BY COREY BAIRD)





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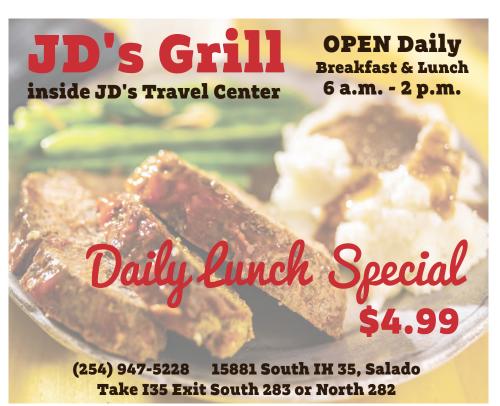
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Three Salado seniors sign letters of intent to play ball at Division 1 Universities

As Salado students were about to be released for the Christmas break, three Salado seniors signed their Letter of Intent to play college sports on the NCAA National Signing Day on Dec. 18: Konnor Baird, Breigh Oliver and Piper Randolph.

Konnor Baird

Konnor Baird signed a letter of intent to play Division 1 baseball at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, which is a member of the WAC (Western Athletic Conference). UTRGV were the 2019 WAC Cham-

Baird is a four-year varsity letterman in baseball for

the Salado Eagles. He was named the First

He led district 27-4A in throwing strikeouts. He was named a 2019

for the District 27-4A as

a unanimous selection in

Rawlings Pre-Season All-American.

In 2018, he played in the 2018 Prep Baseball Report Futures Games as a pitcher for Team Texas, playing in Indiana, where he struck out four of the six batters he

He also pitched in the 2019 Prep Baseball Report All-State Games and had highest speed fastball of the event at 91mph.

Konnor is the son of Paul and Corey Baird of Salado.

Team All-District pitcher tor at Salado High School and Corey is the girls Cross Country and Track Coach.

Breigh Oliver

Breigh Oliver signed her letter of intent to play Division 1 softball for Tarleton State University, which will be a member of the WAC (Western Athletic Confer-

She was a team captain, along with Piper Randolph for the 2019 Salado Lady Eagles Softball Team.

She is a four-year Varsity Letterman in Softball and a three-time All-District Team First Teamer. She is also a three-time Academic All-District Team Member.

She is the two-time All-District Offensive MVP in Softball.

Breigh is the daughter of Jennifer and James Avery of Salado.

PIPER RANDOLPH

Piper Randolph signed her letter of intent to play Division 1 softball for Texas State University, which is a member of the Sun Belt Conference.

Piper was a 2019 Team Captain of the Varsity Lady Eagles softball team, along with Breigh Oliver.

She is a four-year Varsity starter and has been the lead-off batter for the Lady Eagles all four years.

She is a three-time first team All-District player, as well as a three-time Academic All District.

She is a two-time District 27-4A Defensive Player of the Year.

She stole 59 bases as a sophomore and 52 bases as a junior.

She is the three-time Lady Eagles team MVP (offensive, defensive and team).

Texas State softball coach said of Piper: "Piper will add speed to our lineup very early in her career and she's stolen a lot of bases in the last few years. She's also a utility player that can play up the middle of the field for us and we look for her to do that early in her career."

Piper is the daughter of Stacy Randolph and Mark Brown.





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Freshman Haley Piatak fights for the ball for Salado. Salado Lady Eagles are getting ready for the soccer season with a scrimmage tournament on Dec. 27 where they outscored teams from Manor, Lorena, Waco and Hutto. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Lady cagers take 2nd in Thorndale tourney

Salado Lady Eagles took second place in the Thorndale basketball tournament Dec. 27-28, beating Academy, Groesbeck and Thorndale and falling to Rogers in the final game.

Academy 18 33 **Lady Eagles**

Salado Lady Eagles outran Academy 33-18 in the first round of the tournament Dec. 27.

Scoring was spread out among nine players. Kaia Philen led with 6 points, four rebounds, an assist, four steals and three deflections; Abby Rembert, 5 points, two rebounds; Katie Law, 4 points, four rebounds, an assist, a steal, a deflection and a block; Maddy Wade, 4 points, five rebounds, an assist, a steal and a block; Janiah Del Rio, 4 points and a steal; Megan Manibusan, 3 points and a rebound; Reese Preston, 2 points and a rebound; Kenslee Konarik, 2 points, seven rebounds, an assist, a steal and a block; and Amanda Cantu, 1 point, a rebound, an assist, a steal and a deflection.

Groesbeck **Lady Eagles** 75

In a high-flying game, Salado outscored Groesbeck 75-50 in the second round of the tournament Dec. 27.

Salado scored 25 point in the third quarter to pull away from Groesbeck.

Four girls got double fig-

Katie Law led the girls with 17 points, eight rebounds, an assist, a steal and two deflections. Kenslee Konarik had a double-double with 11 points and 15 rebounds. She also had five steals, a deflection and two blocks. Kaia Philen scored 11 points, eight rebounds, four assists, four steals and a deflection. Reese Preston had 10 points. two rebounds, an assist, two steals and a block.

scoring were Amanda Cantu, 8 points, a rebound, seven assists, four steals and a deflection; Priscilla Torczynski, 8 points, five rebounds and two steals; Abby Rembert, 5 points, three rebounds, two steals and two assists; Megan Manibusan, 3 points, and Julie Booker, 3 points.

Thorndale Salado

Salado Lady Eagles scored 17 points in the third quarter to come from behind and beat Thorndale 38-33 in the third round of the tournament Dec. 28. The Lady Eagles trailed 20-17 at the half.

Kaia Philen led Salado with 15 points. She also had 10 rebounds, two assists, four steals and four deflec-

Amanda Cantu followed with 14 points, two rebounds, two assists, four steals and two deflections.

Also scoring for the girls were Abby Rembert, 3 points, Priscilla Torczynski, 2 points, four rebounds, two steals, two assists and a deflection and Katie Law, 2 points, three points, an assist, a steal, a deflection and three blocks.

Rogers 51 **Lady Eagles**

Salado fought back from a halftime deficit of 12 points, but could not finish off Rogers in the final round of the tournament Dec. 28. Salado trailed 18-26 at the half and 32-42 before scoring 17 points in the fourth while holding Rogers to 9 points, allowing Rogers

to win 51-49. Kaia Philen led the girls with 17 points. She also had five rebounds, two assists. two steals, a deflection and a block.

Amanda Cantu followed with 12 points, a rebound, three assists and three steals.

Also scoring were Katie Law, 8 points, 11 rebounds, a steal, a deflection and a block; and Kenslee Konarik, 4 points, and eight re-

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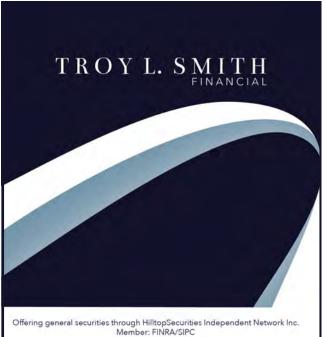
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Salado High School National Honor Society inducted its newest members in December. They are shown above: (front row, from left) Laura Willingham, Kymberleigh Deen Kailonee Razo, Makenzy Ferguson, Anne Gilmore, Molly Simmonds, McKenzie Hawkins, Kaitlyn Casper; (second row, from left): Anna Lesley, Morgan Mays, Avery Fossum, Hailey Fariss, Aubrey Watkins, Darci Pryor, Ashlyn Fosett, Nikki Grace, Sophia Olivarez; (third row, from left) Renee Roche, Michaela Aycock, Savannah Oyler, Emory Craddick, Caelen Teer, Brian Rose, Sam Gist, Matthew Faulkner; (fourth row, from left) Sean Edwards-Sarver, Carson King, Daniel Cunningham, Hunter Foster, Cooper Chambliss, Jackson Arnett, Garrett Gay. National Honor Society (NHS) elevates a school's commitment to the values of scholarship, service, leadership, and character. These four pillars have been associated with membership in the organization since its inception in 1921. Learn more about these four pillars of membership here. Today, it is estimated that more than one million students participate in NHS activities. NHS chapters are found in all 50 states, US Territories, Canada, and around the world. Chapter membership not only recognizes students for their accomplishments, but challenges them to develop further through active involvement in school activities and community service. As such, NHS chapters and students are in schools that care not only about student achievement, but also community engagement. (Courtesy Photo)

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2019-20 Salado Eagles Basketball

l	DATE	O PPONENT	LOCATION	9 TH	JV	VARSITY
l	Nov. 9	Cameron Scrimmage	Cameron		TBA	TBA
l	Nov. 12	Glenn Scrimmage	Glenn			TBA
l	Nov. 19	Florence	Home	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	76-25 W
l	Nov. 22	Lorena	Home	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	53-42 L
l	Nov. 26	Thrall	Home			83-35 W
l	Dec. 5-7	Coach Smith Tournament	Salado	Eagles are	Champions	of Tourney
l		Dec. 5	Jarrell			58-36 W
l		Dec. 6	Gatesville			64-32 W
l		Dec. 6	Rosebud-Lott			54-34 W
l		Dec. 7	Thorndale Cha	ampionship	Game	66-44 W
l	Dec. 10	Llano	Away	39-26 W	39-23 W	69-31 W
l	Dec. 12-14	Jarrell Tournament	Jarrell HS	TBA	TBA	2nd place
l	Dec. 16	Waco Connally	Away	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	46-64 L
l	Dec. 27-28	Fredericksburg Tourney	F'burg			TBA
l		Rosebud-Lott Tourney	R-Lott		TBA	
l	Dec. 31	Wall	San Antonio			TBA
l	Jan. 3	Madisonville	Home	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 7	St. Andrews	Away	5:15 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	8 p.m.
l	Jan. 10	Giddings	Away	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 14	Gatesville	Away	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 17	* Liberty Hill	Here	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 21	* Taylor	There	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 24	* Burnet	Here	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 28	* Lampasas	Here	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Jan. 31	* Eastside	Here	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Feb. 4	* Liberty Hill	There	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
l	Feb. 7	* Taylor	Here	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
I	Feb. 11	* Burnet	There	6:15 p.m.	5 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
I	Feb. 14	* Lampasas	There	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
I	Feb. 18	* Eastside	There	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
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2019-20	Salado	Eagles	Soccer

Head Coach Kenny Mann

* Denotes District 27-4A Game

ZUL	2019-20 Salado Eagles Soccei											
Date	Opponent	Location	9th	JV	Varsity							
Dec. 13	Temple	Salado	5 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	8 p.m.							
Dec. 17	Harker Heights	Harker Heigh	ts	5 p.m.	6:30 p.m.							
8 p.m.												
Dec. 28	Salado Alumni	Salado		5 p.m.	7 p.m.							
Dec. 30	Salado Scimmage	Salado	TBA	TBA	TBA							
Jan. 2-4	Georgetown Tournament	Georgetown			TBA							
Jan. 9-11	Dripping Springs Tourna	ment	Dripping S	prings								
TBA												
Jan. 14	Connally	Here			5:30 p.m.							
Jan. 16, 18	Waco JV Tournament	Waco ISD		TBA								
Jan. 23, 25	Salado JV Classic	Salado	TBA	TBA								
Jan. 24	Georgetown	Georgetown		5 p.m.	7 p.m.							
Jan. 28	* Academy	Academy	4 p.m.		7:30 p.m.							
Jan. 29	Ellison	Salado		5 p.m.								
Jan. 31	* Jarrell	Salado		4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.							
Feb. 4	* Florence	Florence			7:30 p.m.							
Feb. 7	Wimberley	Wimberley		5 p.m.	7 p.m.							
Feb. 11	* Liberty Hill	Salado		4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.							
Feb. 14	* Lampasas	Salado		4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.							
Feb. 18	* Burnet	Salado		4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.							
Feb. 21	* Academy	Academy		4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.							
Feb. 25	* Jarrell	Jarrell		4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.							
Feb. 28	* Ellison	Ellison	5 p.m.	5 p.m.								
Feb. 28	* Florence	Salado			5:30 p.m.							
Mar. 3	Abilene Wylie	Salado		5 p.m.	7 p.m.							
Mar. 6	* Liberty Hill	Liberty Hill		4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.							
Mar. 9	* Lampasas	Lampasas		4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.							
Mar. 17	* Burnet	Burnet		4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.							
Mar. 20	Midlothian Heritage	Midlothian H	thian Heritage 6 p.m.									
	* Denotes District 27-4A	Head Coach Jared Cruddas										

2019-2020 Salado Junior High Boys Basketball

DATE	O PPONENT	Location	7 тн В	7 тн А	8тн B	8тн А
Nov. 14	Lampasas	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Nov. 21	Marble Fall	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Dec. 5	Llano	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Dec. 12	Burnet	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 9	Wimberley	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 11	Jarrell Tournament		TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan. 16	Lampasas	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 23	Marble Falls	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 25	Georgetown Tourname	ent	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan. 30	Llano	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Feb. 6	Burnet	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Feb. 13	Wimberley	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.

201	9-20 Lady	Fagle	Ras	keth	all
Date	Opponent Opponent	Location	9th	JV	Varsity
Nov. 2	Scrimmage	TBA	10 a.m.	10 a.m.	10 a.m.
Nov. 4	Thorndale Scrimmage	Thorndale	4 p.m.	4 p.m.	4 p.m.
Nov. 8	Jarrell	Home	4 p.m. 5 p.m.	5 p.m.	4 p.m. 41-39 W
Nov. 9	Jarrell JV Scrimmage	Jarrell	TBA	TBA	41-37 W
Nov. 12	Lorena	There	5 p.m.	20-43 L	41-39 W
Nov. 12	Gatesville	Here	5 p.m.	38-32 W	41-39 W 47-41 W
Nov. 19	Grandview	There	5 p.m.	40-23 W	44-48 L
	Polk Key City Tourney	THEIC		40-23 W	44-40 L
1101. 21-23	Nov. 21	Stevens			33-43 L
	Nov. 22	Abilene			48-52 L
	Nov. 22	Olney			59-13 W
	Nov. 23	Clide			62-23 W
	Nov. 23	El Paso Franl	klin		49-46 W
Nov 21 2	3 Manor JV Tournament	Manor	TBA	CHAMPS	
Nov. 25	Academy	Here	110/1	26-15 W	55-44 W
Dec. 3	Llano	TICIC		55-8 W	69-20 W
Dec. 5-7	Coach Smith Tournamen	t		<i>33</i> 0 W	07 20 11
Dec . 5 7	Dec. 5	KIPP			54-20 W
	Dec. 5	San Saba			40-59 L
	Dec. 6	Rogers			53-39 W
	Dec. 6	West			31-33 L
	Dec. 7	Snook			30-31 L
Dec. 10	Waco Connally		5 p.m.	5 p.m.	57-48 W
Dec. 13	Leander Glenn		5 p.m.	5 p.m.	41-36 W
Dec. 17	China Spring		5 p.m.	5 p.m.	45-48 L
Dec. 27-28	3 Thorndale Tournament		•	1	2nd
Jan. 3	LaGrange	There	1 p.m.	1 p.m.	2:30 p.m.
Jan. 10	* Lampasas	There	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 14	* Eastside	There	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 17	* Liberty Hill	Here	7:45 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 21	* Taylor	There	7:45 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 24	* Burnet	Here	7:45 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
Jan. 28	* Lampasas	Here	7:45 p.m.	5 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
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201	9-20 Lady Eagles	s Soc	cer	
Date	Opponent	Location	JV	Varsity
Dec. 12	Copperas Cove	There	6-0 W	3-0 W
Dec. 14	Alumni Game Soccer Family BBQ	Eagle Stac	lium	11 a.m.
Dec. 27	Salado Scrimmage Tournament	Salado	TBD	TBD
Dec. 30	Fredericksburg	There	Noon	2 p.m.
Jan. 2-4	Panther Cup	Liberty Hi	11	TBD
Jan. 6	Cameron	There	Noon	
Jan. 9-11	Midlothian Frostbite Tournament	Midlothia	n TBD	TBD
Jan. 14	Belton	There	4 p.m.	
Jan. 16-18	Salado Eagle Classic	Salado		TBD
Jan. 24	Weiss	There	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Jan. 23, 25	Salado JV Tournament	Here	TBD	
Jan. 28	* Academy	There		5:30 p.m.
Jan. 31	* Jarrell/ Belton JV	Here	4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 4	* Florence	There	4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 7	Wimberley	Here	5 p.m.	7 p.m.
Feb. 11	* Liberty Hill	Here	4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 14	* Lampasas	Here	4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 18	* Burnet	Here	4 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 21	* Academy/Belton JV	Here	4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 25	* Jarrell	There		7:30 p.m.
Feb. 28	* Florence	Here	4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Mar. 6	* Liberty Hill	There	4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Mar. 9	* Lampasas	There	4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Mar. 17	* Burnet	There	4 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Mar. 20	Pleasanton	There		5 p.m.
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Head Coach Diane Konarik

6:15 p.m.

2019-2020 Salado Junior High Girls Basketball

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Nov. 9	Salado A Team Tourna	ment		TBA		TBA
Nov. 14	Lampasas	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Nov. 21	Marble Falls	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Dec. 5	Llano	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Dec. 12	Burnet	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 9	South Belton JH	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 11	Jarrell Tournament	Away	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan. 16	Lampasas	Home	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 23	Marble Falls	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Jan. 30	Llano	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.
Feb. 6	Burnet	Away	6 p.m.	5 p.m.	5 p.m.	6 p.m.













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You can enjoy tastings from 10 central Texas wineries, including Salado Winery Co., during the Texas Stagecoach Wine Trail Jan. 24-26.

Texas Stagecoach Wine Trail includes two stops in Salado

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As a holder of a Texas Stagecoach Wine Trail ticket you will have the opportunity to taste three complimentary wines at each of the 10 wineries on the trail. Also, you can create a special photographic memory at each of 10 wineries in ad-

dition to a commemorative glass.

This package deal is valued at more than \$95, but tickets are just \$29.95 per person and can be found online at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/texas-stagecoach-wine-trail-january-2020-tick-ets-56429148101

Designated Drivers can participate in the special photographic memory as well.

You will have three days to visit the ten wineries and enjoy your tastings.

Check in to all 10 wineries on social media, using #TxStagecoachWineTrail & #TxWine and you may be entered for a prize.

Business hours vary among wineries so please verify their business hours as you plan your route. You may check in at one of many wineries in order to receive your Texas Stage-coach Wine Trail commemorative glass. You may select which winery to start at when you purchase your ticket

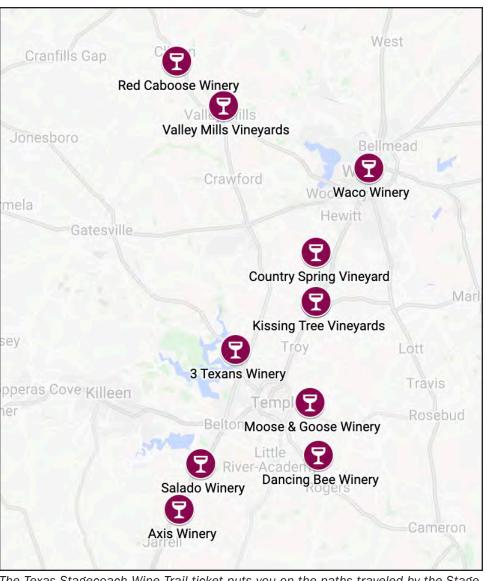
At each winery, there will be plenty of opportunities to purchase additional wine tastings, and buy cool souvenirs, so bring your wallet. You must present your tickets to receive your tastings at each winery.

Participating wineries include Salado Winery Co., Axis Winery, 3 Texans Vineyard, Country Spring Vineyard, Dancing Bee Winery, Kissing Tree Vineyards, Moose and Goose Winery, Red Caboose Winery Clifton, Valley Mills Vineyards and Waco Winery



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The Texas Stagecoach Wine Trail ticket puts you on the paths traveled by the Stage-coaches of the 1800's as you savor Texas wines at Texas wineries. MAP COURTESY GOOGLEMAPS



Events in the Village of Salado

JANUARY 2

Winter Break Movie: Abominable, 1 - 3 p.m. at Salado Public Library

January 2 KidZone: Marshmal-

low Snowman Craft, 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library

January 2

Teen Advisory Board, 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library

January 2

The Run 4 Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow **Brewing Co**

January 3

Coloring with Karen, 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. come and go at Stamp Salado

JANUARY 3

Winter Break Movie: How to Train your Dragon: The Hidden World, 1 - 3 p.m. at Salado Public Library

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January 3

Live Music: Keith Hickle, 7 p.m. at Chupacabra

January 4 **Super Smash Bros**

Tournament - age 13+, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Salado **Public Library**

January 4

Classes at Stamp Salado: Vintage Love Notes at 10:30 a.m. or Shimmering **Alcohol Ink Earrings at** 1:30

January 4

Abraham Soblet Chapter, Daughters of the **American Colonists meet**ing, 1 - 3 p.m. at Temple **Public Library. Program: Old Remedies**

January 4

Around The World Dinner Series: Bordeaux, France, Sold Out

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GREAT CLASSES

Live Music: Kyle Mathis, 8 p.m. at Chupacabra

January 5

Coffee with Christ Bible Discussion Group, 9 a.m. at Dion Room of The **Stagecoach Inn**

January 6

Coloring with Karen, 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. at **Stamp Salado**

January 6

Public Arts League of Salado Board Meeting, 9 a.m. at the Salado Village **Artist Building**

January 6

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

January 6

Salado Historical Society board meeting, 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library

January 6

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

Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church of Salado January 7

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

at Salado Village Artist building

JANUARY 7

Sit & Knit, 10 a.m. at Salado Public Library January 7

Salado Community Chorus practice, 6 p.m. Salado Civic Center JANUARY 7

Salado 4-H Club meeting, 6 p.m. at Salado High **School Cafeteria**

January 8

Story Time: Penguins & Craft, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library

January 8

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

JANUARY 8

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

January 8

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

JANUARY 9

KidZone: Penguin Craft, 4 p.m. at Salado **Public Library** January 9

The Run 4 Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow **Brewing Co**

January 9

2020 Epiphany Series: Father John Williams, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow **Brewing Company** January 10

Fandom Friday, 5:30 p.m. at Salado Public Library (grades 6 - 9) JANUARY 11

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

JANUARY 11

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

JANUARY 11

Gaming Kids, 3 p.m. at Salado Public Library (grades 3 - 8)

January 11

Live Music: Wayworn Traveler, 7 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Company JANUARY 11

Live Music: Tristan Inman, 8 p.m. at Chupacabra

January 12

Coffee with Christ Bible Discussion Group, 9 a.m. at Dion Room of The Stagecoach Inn

January 13

FFA Meeting at SHS January 13

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

January 14

Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church of Salado January 14

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

at Salado Village Artist building

JANUARY 14

Salado Ladies Auxiliary meeting, 9:30 a.m. at Salado Church of Christ **Activity Center**

January 14

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

January 14

Town Hall Meeting for Salado Business Owners, 6:30 p.m. at Salado Municipal Building

January 15

Story Time: Hats, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library

January 15

Salado Rotary, 11:30 a.m. at The Barton House JANUARY 15

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

January 15 ESL Classes, 6 p.m. at the Creekside Cottage

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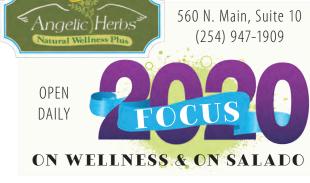
Kidzone: Paper Strip Polar Bear, 4 p.m. at Salado Public Library January 16

The Run 4 Beer Group, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow **Brewing Co**

January 16

2020 Epiphany Series: Pastor Gerry Harrow, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow **Brewing Company** January 18

Bros & Bricks, 2 p.m. at Salado Public Library Bring your favorite dude for Lego Brick building



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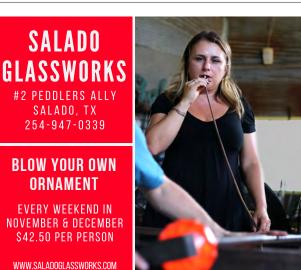
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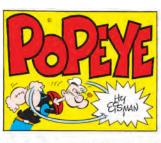






















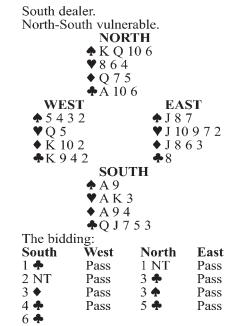






Contract Bridge

FAMOUS HAND



The 1987 world women's team championship was won by the United States after a nip-and-tuck struggle with France in the final. This deal was instrumental in the American victory.

Opening lead — two of spades.

The bidding shown occurred at the table where Judi Radin and Kathy Wei were North-South for the U.S. The opening one-club bid indicated

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

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proved a bit premature.

West's opening spade lead went to the jack and ace, and Wei's hopes brightened considerably when a club to the ten held the trick. But when she returned to her hand with the ace of hearts and finessed the queen of clubs, East showed out, saddling declarer with a sure club loser. Since she also seemed certain to lose either a heart or a diamond, the slam appeared doomed.

There was still a chance, however, and Wei pursued it unerringly. She cashed the ace of clubs and the K-Q-10 of spades, discarding a heart and a diamond on the last two spades as West followed suit. Next came the king of hearts, after which she exited with a club to West's king.

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16 points or more, and the one-notrump response promised eight to 13 points. Four rounds of bidding later, Wei found herself in a tenuous sixclub contract that appeared headed for down one. However, this assessment

As Wei hoped, West had nothing but diamonds left and so was forced to lead a diamond from the king, handing declarer her 12th trick with dummy's queen. Making the slam yielded a sizable pickup for the Americans, as the French pair at the other table rested quietly in three notrump, making five.

by Steve Becker

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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Super Crossword

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1. TELEVISION: What were the names of the villainous agents in "The Adventures of Rocky and Bullwinkle"? 2. MUSIC: Which rock group produced the album "Shout at the Devil"

3. LAW: What was the subject of the Georgia?

4. MEDICAL: What is a more common name for dyspepsia?

GENERÁL KNOWLEDGE: What does a lepidopterist study? 6. LITERATURE: How many ghosts appear in Charles Dickens' "A Christ-

mas Carol"? 7. LANDMARKS: What lies around

the feet of the Statue of Liberty?
8. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Canada's Northwest Territories? 9. MOVIES: What was "Flipper" in the 1996 movie?

10. U.S. PRESIDENTS: What was Richard Nixon's middle name?

- Answers 1. Boris Badenov and Natasha Fatale
- 2. Motley Crue 3. Capital punishment
- 4. Indigestion 5. Butterflies and moths
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by Linda Thistle

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Historical Markers in Salado

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- 8. Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn)
- 8. Main Street Bridge

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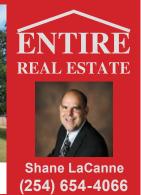
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- 77. The Robert B. Halley House
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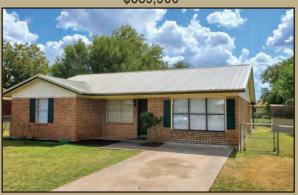
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which prohibits fences in the front yard of any

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variance from the Zoning Ordinance, Section

4.1G4c, which prohibits an accessory building

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Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 3 Medical Alarm 12:04-12:09 p.m. 1300 Block Windy Hill Rd Apparatus: 2 / Personnel: 5 Canceled En Route

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