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Straw poll to be sent to District voters

SISD investigates possible bond issue

The Salado school district is considering making plans for a bond election next year. Before moving ahead, however, the Board would like to get a general idea, from Salado voters about what type of building program if any, they would support in the near future.

The Board and Administration are beginning this planning process because of a substantial increase in students enrolled in Salado schools this Fall. There are approximately 106 more students in Salado schools than there were at this time last year. That is an increase in student population of about 13 percent. Currently, that increase is being absorbed by using 16 portable classrooms, and other measures. However, if this enrollment rate continues, the district will need to find other solutions for the growing student population.

In addition, there are a number of capital improvements needed at both existing campuses involving additional cafeteria, library, nursing, lab and storage space, as well as roofing, air conditioning and parking lot repairs.

For these reasons the administrative team believes that the district needs some sort of building program funded by bonds. However, before taking any action, the Board and Administration want to find

out how voters feel about this issue. Therefore, the District is conducting a straw poll to find out whether or not voters would support a building program

this time, and if so, whether they would favor building on the present site or at another, as yet unspecified location away from the present campus.

The District has made no plans regarding what could be built or where it might be built. There are many possibilities, ranging from building a new campus off-site, to building a new one on-site, to adding onto or renovating the present campuses, to many variations in-between. These decisions will be based on the outcome of the straw poll and the recommendations of the Building Program Advisory Committee.

In the next few days all Salado registered voters will be receiving a letter asking them to vote in a straw poll to determine the direction the school district should take in coping with it's increased enrollment and capital improvement needs.

This straw poll is an effort to involve as many people as possible in the planning process for this proposed election every step of the way.

The school district is urging voters to take this re-

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McKenzie Brown was crowned 1996 Salado High School Homecoming Queen by 1995 Queen Jackie Alcozer. Brown was named Homecoming Queen during ceremonies before the Salado-Liberty Hill game Sept. 20. She is a senior at Salado High School and is active in Salado FFA among other activities. (photo by Marilyn Fleischer)

Salado invited to Meet the Artists Sept. 26

The public is invited to Meet the Artist 7-9:30 p.m. Sept. 26, at the Salado Civic Center. This open house will afford everyone the opportunity to view the work as well as afford time to visit with the professional artists living in Salado.

Artists on the evenings agenda include Troy Kelley, Bill Shaw, Sandy Johnston, Roberta King, Jim Sim Benton, Ann Benton, Doug Spiller, Karen Kinnison, Linda Griffith, Vicki Allen, Joe Pehoski, Sandra Edwards, Tisha Dunn, Alice Kolb and Jim Dale.

Troy Kelley

Artist Troy Kelley, best known in Salado for the life-size bronze of "Sirena" the mermaid that sits in the spring just behind Grace Jones shop, will be on hand.

Kelley through his many travels has always studied art. While in Germany he attended the Kuntz Art Academy in Stuttgart and while in Europe took the opportunity to see as much art as possible. After settling in Salado in 1984 he became an intricate part of the artist community.

Kelley also created a series of 18 sculptures and six paintings titled "The Humane Condition" for the Institute for the Humanities' Symposium on "Closeness".



Troy Kelley

Currently Kelley is working on "The Salado Children" which he would like to see placed on the grounds of the Salado Civic Center. A clay model is on display at the Civic Center.

Jim Dale

Jim Dale owner of Salado Pottery moved to Salado in 1993 with his family.

Jim received his bachelor of fine arts degree with a concentration in ceramics from North Texas State University in 1984. After graduation he moved to Austin where he worked for Clarksville Pottery, producing a wide range of high-fired stoneware. After maintaining studios in Bastrop, Austin and Martindale, Jim and Cindy Dale have chosen Salado as home.

Salado Pottery located in the log cabin next to the Stagecoach Inn Restaurant showcases a wide selection of Jim's handcrafted pottery. Filling the space are



Jim Dale

pieces ranging from bowls, mugs, lamps and large decorative vases in an array of colors. All pieces are high-fired in a 40 cubic foot propane fire kiln located across the street in Jim's studio.

He and his wife Cindy and two children, Schuyler and Tyler are excited about their future in Salado.

This gathering of artists is sponsored by the Salado Village Artists, Inc. Light refreshments will be served. This is an opportunity to meet the professional artist of Salado and view their works of fabric, bronze, oil, watercolor, photography, clay, and all manners of woven magic.

Parents are invited to bring your children and vice-versa.

SISD straw poll

- I support a building program at the **present campus location.**
- I support a building program **off-site, at a new location.**
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Tax reformers sock it to consumers one more time

The Governor's Committee on School Property Tax Relief finished its work last week and after umpteen hearings in as many Texas communities, the group ended up almost exactly where it started - with the eternal commandment to:

"Tax The Other Fellow". Governor Bush has had the feeling for some time that there is a school property taxpayer revolt brewing and to head it off decided to take on the mammoth task of reforming this part of the State's mighty

tax system - something that many have tried and few succeeded.

First it should be noted that the reason the property tax has sky-rocketed, and again we are only talking about school taxes, is because the number of dollars assigned to education by the state has been in a free-fall for years.

School districts with climbing enrollments make up for the short fall by increasing their only other source of revenue - the local ad valorem (property) tax.

FEW OPTIONS

The Property Tax Relief Committee heard thousands of complaints along with a sprinkling of reasonable alternatives to the property tax.

Farmers, ranchers and home-owners, for once on the same side of a tax issue, jumped into a leaky lifeboat - by urging business to shoulder the burden of taxation through the implementation of either a "Business Activity Tax" or a "Gross Receipts Tax".

Utility companies joined in this hunt since they would be exempt, for some reason, from this sort of commercial levy.

Off the Record

by Ken Clapp



The third type of taxation under consideration is the **Sales Tax** which now stands at a state level of 6.25 percent on the dollar.

Texas municipalities have been given the authority to increase that amount, through local elections, up to two more percentage points.

Advocates for the poor as well as those representing the average consumer are gearing up to fight any increase in the sales tax saying: "The sales tax expansion is a bad idea since it unfairly rests on the back of the middle to low income family - percentage-wise"

And not to be forgotten is the major admonition by the governor **that a state income tax is not only "off the table" but never to be mentioned in polite society.**

Therefore the thrust of the year long tax relief study concerns only the replacing, in part or in full, some \$10 billion in school ad valorem taxes with one or all of these three measures.

BUSINESS TAXES
The Business Activity

Tax, unlike the value added tax (VAT), is inserted at the final point in the economic process rather than at each step in the production and distribution of a good or service.

A company would note its total income and subtract all costs associated with the product or service it sells. A tax would then be placed on the difference. It is more like a corporate income tax than a VAT and is disliked by most companies.

They do, however, like it better than the Gross Receipts Tax which does not take into consideration any expense factors - only income. This they will fight against to the death in the legislative arena.

15 CENT SALES TAX?

Increasing the sales tax from its current state base of 6.25 percent to a number that would bring in the billions required to offset the property tax loss **would require a total tax of about 15 cents per dollar spent!**

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Family Festival postponed to Oct. 5

Due to recent heavy rains, the Salado Family Festival was postponed until Oct. 5.

This means there is still time to buy your ducks, if you have postponed the easy decision.

With games for kids of all ages, an art area, free hot dogs, popcorn and drinks, the Salado Family Festival 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Oct. 5 is sponsored by the Salado Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the Salado Youth Association, Salado Lions Club and Salado Rotary Club.

Kids games, including egg toss, three-legged race, balloon race, sack race and balloon stomp, will start at 11 a.m.

A dunking booth will be manned by Salado school administrators and coaches, giving students, parents and athletes a chance to dunk their favorites.

Salado Pottery, owned by Jim and Cindy Dale, is again sponsoring the KidArt Area, with activi-

ties such as clay, jewelry making, sun prints and sand art for all ages.

The Kids Art Table last year was a tremendous success and gave the children attending something to take home with them.

A soccer kick area will test how fast someone can kick a soccer ball.

The Salado Family Festival is sponsored by the Salado Chamber of Commerce to raise funds for the Salado Youth Association and its "Field of Dreams."

Plans for the Salado Field of Dreams include a third, smaller baseball field, three soccer fields and an international regulation-size soccer field, tennis courts, a swimming pool, a youth gymnasium and center and walking paths.

The Salado Chamber of Commerce donated over \$9,000 to the Salado Youth Association from the proceeds of the first Family Festival, held in 1995.

The Salado Family Festival will raise funds

through the dunking booth and the duck race.

The duck race will float up to 1,000 ducks down Salado Creek, with super prizes going to the top 10 finishers.

The top prize in the Duck Race will be a \$3,000 travel package. Second place will be a \$1,500 shopping spree in Salado with gift certificates from the generous Salado shopkeepers. Third place will be a framed print by well-known Salado artist Ronnie Wells.

A complete list of prizes appears elsewhere in this issue of *Salado Village Voice*.

Tickets are now available for purchase for \$25 for one duck, five ducks for \$100 or a flock of 12 ducks for \$200 from any committee member or Chamber of Commerce director.

To buy duck tickets or for more information about the Family Festival, call the *Salado Village Voice*, 947-5321 or the Chamber of Commerce, 947-5040.

Lawmakers should declare gambling moratorium

by Ken Camp
Texas Baptist Communications
Lawmakers should declare a moratorium on any expansion of legalized gambling until the results of a national study on gambling's impact are known, according to a spokesman for Texans Against Gambling.

In August, President Clinton signed into law a bill establishing a panel to study the effects of gambling on American society. The National Gambling Impact Study Commission Act provides for a nine-member commission to examine the social and economic effect of gambling on government, communi-

ties, businesses, families and individuals.

"Now is the time to ask for a moratorium on any further expansion of gambling in Texas until the study is completed and the findings reported," Blankenship told a Sept. 9 "Action Luncheon" at Prestonwood Church, Dallas.

He asked participants at the luncheon to join Texans Against Gambling in surveying all candidates before the November election regarding their views on the continued expansion of legalized gambling in Texas.

Grey, a United Methodist minister and Vietnam combat veteran who was nicknamed "Riverboat Rambo" for his role in fighting riverboat casino gambling in his native Illinois, compared anti-gambling activists to "Gideons Army" in the Old Testament.

Though outnumbered and under-financed, Gideon's army can win the fight against the gambling special interest because they have an effective weapon.. "the truth," grey said.

"We are not prohibitionists," he said. "We simply are for just economics, good government and quality of life."

Straw Poll

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quest seriously and fill out a prepaid, self-addressed postcard and drop it in the mail within the next ten days. It is not necessary for people to identify themselves on the postcard.

The District also wants voters to know that this straw poll is not binding. The indication of a preference on the postcard will in no way affect a later vote if an election is held. If, for some reason you

are a registered voter and do not receive your postcard in the mail by Oct. 2, clip the adjacent form and send or bring it to the school administration office.

After the results of the straw poll are known, and assuming the vote is to go forward with the election process, a Building Program Advisory Committee will be formed immediately. This committee will be made up of citizens from every interest group in the

community. This committee will be charged with studying the District's needs, the two existing campuses, and the layout of the current site plan, to determine the best and most cost-effective plan to put to the voters in a bond election. Any voter wishing to serve on the Building Program Advisory Committee is asked to contact the District or indicate this by signing the straw vote postcard.



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The tournament held in memory of Redge Priest, who died in November 1992, will benefit the debt retirement fund of the First Baptist Church of Salado. Redge was chairman of deacons at First Baptist Church at the time of his

death.

The format for the tournament will be a scramble (selected shot) with four or five member teams. This year, women are welcomed to play and will be placed equally in the teams.

To sign up, fill in the entry blank and mail to First Baptist Church Salado, RR 2, Box 7A, Salado, TX 76571 or Jim Ashworth, 1406 Tres Vis-

tas, Salado, TX 76571.

All checks should be made payable to First Baptist Church for \$50. The cost covers green fees and carts. Prizes will be awarded for longest drive and closest to the pin on selected Par 3. Also, the first place winning team will be awarded prizes.

For more information, call Jim Ashworth, 947-5662. The sign-up deadline is 5 p.m. Oct. 10.

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Salado ISD sets free shot clinic Sept. 28

Salado ISD will hold a Free Shot Clinic at Thomas Arnold Elementary, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sept. 28.

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Ewell is service member of month

The ability to work with computers is an important asset in almost any job. To the Argonauts of VFA-147 Personnelman Petty Officer Third Class Chad D. Ewell is the "fix-it person for computer glitches."

It is this knowledge, combined with Ewell's job performance that has earned him recognition as September's Strike Fighter Wing Service Member of the Month. Not surprisingly, he has also been honored previously as squadron Sailor of the Month (twice) and Sailor of the Quarter.

Ewell was born in Utah, but because his father spent 20 years in the Army, the family lived in Germany, Colorado, Louisiana and Texas. It was in Copperas Cove, Texas that Ewell's family settled when his father retired.

"Copperas Cove is a small army town about the size of Lemoore," said Ewell. He attended Copperas Cove High School, where he met his high school sweetheart Jenny. The two were married shortly after graduation in 1991, and not long after they were expecting their first child.

Ewell, who presents himself as an extremely responsible young man, decided to enlist in the Navy in order to provide financial



Petty Officer Third Class Chad D. Ewell accepts his award as Strike Fighter Wing Service Member of the Month.

stability for his new family's future. "I didn't have any college prior to entering the Navy, and I wanted to get my foot in the door (to a good job)," he said. "I wanted to be able to buy things we needed like a couch and a car."

The Ewells are both very family oriented. Jenny works with children all day at the Child Development Center. Chad whose leisure time activities include collecting comic books, skateboarding, enjoys including his family in his interests. "They like to go with me when I go to ride my skateboard," he said.

Ewell said one of the most memorable experiences since he's been in the Navy happened while he was away at boot camp in Orlando. Jenny had stayed behind in Texas and was due to have their baby right about the time that Ewell was supposed to graduate.

"The day before I graduated I got a Red Cross message saying that my wife was going to have the baby the next day," he said. "I got my leave approved and got on a plane as soon as I could, but I arrived in Texas, too late." Natalie, now four year old, made her debut just three hours before her father arrived.

The Ewells also have a

two year old daughter, Violet, who was born at Naval Hospital Lemoore. "I was with her there through the entire event," Ewell said proudly.

"I want to give my family everything I can," said Ewell, who credits his wife for her support through two WestPacs. Jenny is awesome. She's helped me through everything. She supports me 100 percent. If it weren't for her, I probably wouldn't still be in the Navy."

Ewell says his long term plan now is to stay in the Navy. "I'd like to make chief and put on khaki. I'd also like to get my college degree in business and one day own my own business."

What's the formula for success? Ewell says it's important to set realistic goals for yourself. "If you really want something, you have to be willing to work hard to get it. Every situation has good and bad things about it. It's up to you to make it."

Later this year, the Ewell family will be stationed in Hawaii. Congratulations!

Chad is the son of James and Ramona Ewell of Copperas Cove.

Jenny is the daughter of Tim and Marilyn Fleischer of Salado.

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Supt. Steven Ervin discusses growth of schools Sept. 25

Salado Lions will hear from Steven Ervin, superintendent of Salado ISD at its Sept. 25 meeting 11:30 a.m. at the Mill Creek dining room.

He will discuss the growth of the district this year, the Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS) from TEA and future growth and building plans.

Supt. Ervin has served the Salado Lions Club as an officer and director and is a past President of the Club. He currently is responsible for special fund raising activities of the club.

He has been the superintendent of Salado schools since June 1990.

Salado Community Service Center meets, plans fund-raiser

The Salado Community Service Center Board of Directors met at the home of Grace Jones recently.

Present for the meeting were Darwin Britt, Mike Cameron, Grace Jones, Darrell Street and Natalie Tolley.

Reports were presented from the Fund-raising and Building Committees. Each offered reports on their respective efforts, as well as plans for future initiatives.

The Board will sponsor a Phantom Party in October to raise additional funds and contribute to the overall effort of bringing the Service Center to fruition. Additional information as well as invitations to the Phantom Party will be published in the near future.

Individuals and organizations interested in learning more about the Salado Community Service Center should contact any board member. Articles concerning the Service Center will be published in the *Salado Village Voice*.



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Keeping an eye on Texas

Cash value in nuisance crop

Although farmers try to get rid of it, and some ranchers use it as feed for cattle during dry spells, Texas landowners may want to see the potential of prickly pear cactus as a cash crop. The fruit and cactus pads, which are becoming popular food items throughout the Southwest, currently are imported from Mexico.

Prickly pear
Grows naturally on 70 million acres in Texas

Fruit, called 'tunas,' used in jams, jellies and flavoring for drinks. Cactus pads, called *nopalitos*, eaten with eggs, sautéed or in salads.



SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Texas A&M University, and *Natural History* magazine.

Salado weight loss moves to St. Stephen

The weight loss support group which has been meeting at Salado Medical Clinic will move to St. Stephen Catholic Church.

The group will meet Thursday evenings at 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call 947-5657 or 947-5331.

Record

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taxes, the hike would be in the neighborhood of 7.75 cents for a grand total of 15 cents!

This would be the highest sales tax rate in America and according to most economists would stifle state growth patterns due to a decrease in general sales across the board.

INSIDE INFO

A confidential source inside the state capitol told this writer late last week that the master plan currently being considered by the top elected officials, who will be dealing with this "hot potato" issue soon after January's legislative kickoff, will combine all three of the tax supplements outlined above, to give at least partial property tax relief.

The very "hush-hush-plan" will include, according to our informant, a two cent hike in the sales tax plus enough increases in the two business taxes (BAT and GRT) to equal \$5

billion in new revenue.

In turn, the State will allocate these dollars to school districts who must pass them on to property owners on a "dollar-for-dollar" basis.

This means the deal will be "revenue neutral" which is a fancy way of saying there will be no skimming off the top of this income bonanza at the state or school district levels.

In theory, if the state collects \$5 billion in new taxes and passes it on to the over 1000 school districts in the State, through some sort of formula basis - these same districts must reduce their property taxes by a like amount.

If all this should ever come to pass, current ad valorem levies would be cut in half, all across Texas!

Chances are this plan will cost taxpayers more under the proposed "relief" scheme due to the sales tax jump plus all pass-through costs that will be added to the prices of goods and services. That has been the

traditional track record with tax relief plans over the years.

It is always a matter of shifting the burden from group to group with the ultimate consumer - you and me - picking up the tab.

FORGET REFORM TRY ABOLISHMENT

If those in charge of our fortunes at the state and national level really want to help ease the tax burden - they should think in terms of the abolishment of certain taxes rather than reform (spelled shifting).

Governor Bush plans to give property taxpayers some relief with a hardy "college try" and should lawmakers fail to go along, he can at least hit the re-election campaign trail next year with an almost honest report that he did the best he could.

MORE FOR LESS

Citizens always want more government for less money.

However, don't be led astray by those gentle souls who say: "Fewer services, less public servants and in general less 'gummint' at all levels is better and will result in less taxes".

Sure, they say it - but they really don't meant it! At least not completely.

Take a local example. For a time we had fewer post office employees here in Salado - hence a lower payroll. Less government and money saved, Right?

Actual result - complaints by the hundreds because the mail was not put up and delivered on time!

About all we can truthfully say about this volatile subject is that we will always have **"Death and Taxes" - both of which will bite us in the end!**

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Salado Presbyterian history

by Jean Teal

In March 1996, when Billy P. Smith, Presbyterian minister, and LaGreta Reed announced plans to organize a Presbyterian Church in Salado, they were not thinking about Salado's past but Salado's future. Salado was growing and Smith and Reed saw the opportunity to make a Presbyterian Church part of that growth. The congregation held its first worship service on March 10, 1996, in Allen Meeting Hall on Pace Park Drive behind the Inn at Salado. It was a beginning for the present Presbyterian congregation but not the first Presbyterian Church in Salado. The Presbyterian Church has its place in Salado's past.

According to George W. Tyler's *History of Bell County*, early as 1854, a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, Finis E. Foster was holding services and sharing space with the Methodist circuit rider, Thomas Gilmore. Not much is known about this first Presbyterian congregation, but it is a matter of record that when the Salado College Joint Stock Company incorporated on February 20, 1860, it called a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, Levi Tenney, to be the first principal of the school and later the president of the college. The house which still bears his name, The Levi Tenney

House, was built c. 1859-60 and is listed as one of Salado's fine old historic homes. It is an interesting coincidence that the Levi Tenney house, next door (across the fence) from Allen Meeting Hall where the present church meets, is once again occupied by a Presbyterian minister. Marilyn Wedell-Legge, minister of Grace Presbytery, resides there with architect husband, Don Legge.

An event which might have changed both the history of Salado and the history of the Presbyterian Church in Salado took place in 1868. Tyler's history refers to it as "An interesting episode". According to Tyler, the Cumberland Presbyterian Church wished to establish a university in Texas and appointed a committee to search for a suitable site. On July 1, 1868 a petition with 80 signatures was presented to the Trustees and Stockholders of Salado College requesting that Salado be chosen as the location of the university. A resolution was offered giving the president the authority to enter into negotiations with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The resolution did not pass when Col. E. S. C. Robertson voiced his opposition on the grounds that Salado College had been established as non-sectarian and should remain so. The

Presbyterian Church did not establish its university in Salado. Instead, Tehuacana Springs in Limestone County was chosen as the site. That institution, which later became Trinity University, was eventually moved to San Antonio where it is located today.

However, various religious organizations did use the college facilities. Tyler's account states that the community had grown to 150 families by 1859 and supported four churches: Baptist, Christian, Cumberland Presbyterian, and the Methodist. All of these congregations worshiped in the auditorium of the college on alternate Sundays of the month and shared a union Sunday school.

What happened to those first Salado Presbyterians? Are there descendants of those early Presbyterian families still living in Salado? The newly organized Presbyterian Church in Salado seeks to establish a link to the past as well as establishing a place in Salado's future.

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The Salado Lady Eagles Volleyball teams have been busy lately, competing in two tournaments and playing Bartlett last week.

The Varsity Lady Eagles placed fourth in the Florence tournament, winning one match, losing three. Kathy Matthews was selected to the All-Tournament Team.

The Lady Eagles lost to Holland, 12-15 and 10-15, though they played well in both games. Lori Matthews was top scorer with points scored on her serve.

The girls lost to Florence 13-15 and 5-15. They played well in the first game, but Florence gained momentum after scoring a point on a long, hard played rally. From there, they took control of the match, closing out Game 1 and easily winning game 2. Lori Matthews was the top server. Katy Punchedard had a good game spiking the

ball in key situations.

Salado beat Hico 15-9, 12-15, 15-11, playing extremely well in all three games both offensively and defensively against a hard-hitting team. Kathy, Lori and Melissa Matthews and Katy Punchedard had good games offensively while Sommer Wilson played well on the back row.

Salado lost its match with Moody 4-15, 8-15. They did not serve well in Game 1 with four service errors. The Lady Eagles came out and played tough defense to stay in the game. They held tough at 6-8 before Moody scored five straight points.

The Lady Eagles lost to Bartlett last week 3-15, 8-15. Bartlett's tough serving kept the girls on the defensive. They were not able to get into a good offensive attack.

Both the Varsity and JV teams competed in the Granger Tournament.

The Varsity team lost 6-15, 4-15 to Dime Box and 13-15, 15-5 and 7-15 to the Taylor JV in the double-elimination tournament.

The girls were unable to get going against Dimebox.

Game 1 against Taylor was a close, nip and tuck affair. Melissa Matthews and Sarah Sommers were top offensive players. Melissa had five kills in the game.

Game 2 was a Matthews affair with Kathy scoring the first 8 points on her serve. Lori closed out the match scoring the last 7

points.

Playing 11 games in the past week took its toll on the Lady Eagles in their final contest with Taylor JV. Sommer Wilson and Amanda Morris played well defensively, getting too many balls to keep rallies alive.

The Lady Eagles JV team lost to Bremond 10-15, 11-15 and to the Holland Varsity 5-15 and 2-15 in the Granger Tournament.

The JV girls really stepped up their performance, playing inspired ball against the Bremond varsity.

Sarah Buchanan, Lauren Quirk and Nikki Jackson had an outstanding offensive game, combining for 13 kills for either points or side outs. Crystal Edmondson had a good game setting the ball and serving.

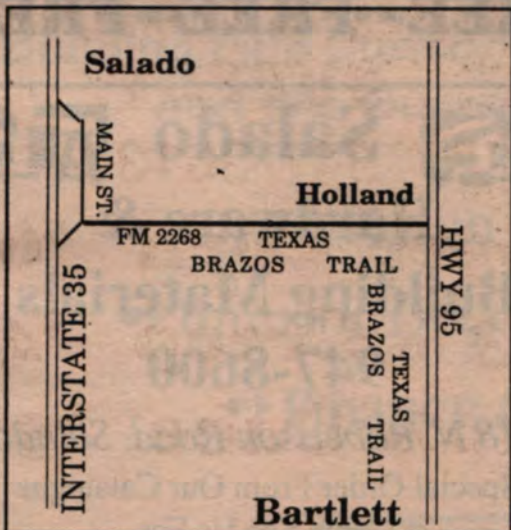
The Lady Eagles JV hustled in the second game, running down balls and forcing Bremond to play extremely well. Salado was up 11-5 before Bremond's top three servers came up to close out the match.

The JV did not go down without a fight against the Holland Varsity, which had already beaten Salado's varsity earlier in the year. They worked hard, causing Holland to play harder than they expected.

The JV did a good job siding out, but were unable to score on their own serve.

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Salado FFA holds meeting, plans other activities

by **Lauren Quirk**
 Salado FFA Reporter

The Salado FFA chapter recently held its September meeting.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Evelyn Jez, a representative for the Health Department (WIC), who discussed nutrition and dietary requirements. Pamphlets were presented to the 4-Hers.

Awards were presented to those members who participated in the Bell County Cen-Tex Fair. They were: Josh Koch, Abby Sparks, Jared Quirk, Cody Quirk,

Lindsay Quirk, Chad Britt, John McLaughlin, Chrystin Coe, Holly Koch, Megan Burson, Shellie Fellabaum, Karrie Pruet, Kasey Prueh.

The membership decided "Goat Day" would be Oct. 12. "Goat Day" is a fund raiser held annually by the 4-Hers.

The next club meeting is 3:30 p.m. Oct. 20, at the Elementary School Cafeteria.

FFA officers are President Nicole Hill, Vice President Chad Britt, Secretary Crystal Edmondson, Treasurer Lindsay Quirk, Reporter Lauren Quirk.

Even if your drinking water is fluoridated, many dentists recommend children under 13 have fluoride applied to their teeth every year as their enamel is still forming.

JV, JH teams sweep Liberty Hill

Salado JV

The JV Eagles shut-out the Liberty Hill Panthers 18-0 to keep their undefeated record.

Michael Schoepf scored on an exciting 75-yard punt return in the first quarter. The two-point conversion was a pass from Ryan Gillespie to Andy Giudici.

Matthew Fleck returned a pass interception 40 yards to score in the second period. The PAT kick by Schoepf was good to give Salado a 15-0 lead at the half.

Schoepf finished the scoring with a 32-yard field goal in the fourth quarter.

Schoepf was the star of the night, scoring 10 of the 18 points allowed by Lib-

erty Hill.

Troy Hutton, Jimmy Thompson and Larry Whitt were the defensive leader.

8th graders

The Salado 8th graders improved to 1-1 beating Liberty Hill 18-14 last week.

Chris Ray scored in the first quarter on a 7 yard run. Garlan Hennig caught a 25-yard touchdown pass from Chris Ray in the second quarter. The PATs failed and Liberty Hill led 14-12 at the half.

Joseph Califano scored on a 65-yard run in the fourth quarter to win the game.

Califano, Hennig, Ray, Michael Mang, and Saul

Friare led the offense.

Brian McKee, Harley Davidson and Colt Williams were defensive stand-outs.

7th Grade

The Salado 7th graders routed the Liberty Hill Panthers 38-0 to improve to 1-1.

John Kirk started the scoring with a 48 yard TD run. Gordon Smale followed with a 30-yard sweep. Smale and Kirk added touchdowns in the second half.

Offensive stand-outs were Kirk, Jeremy Grimm and Miles Wallace for his blocking.

Andrew Hanson, Sam Silvers, Aaron Gonzales and Alex Torres.



SPAT volunteers at the benefit golf tournament are pictured above: Linda Lilly, Joanna Williams, Miriam Ervi, Sandra Fritsch, Vonda Marley, Jeannie Joiner. First place team was Mitch Brown, Packy Young, Bill Piper and Lance Cox. Second place team was Les Slack, Bob Haddock, Doug Trainer and Albert Mondrik. Third place was Rod Stockstill, Sara Mackie, Andy Hobson and Don Mackie. (photo by Marilyn Fleischer)

Bartlett Friendship Days

It is time once again for Bartlett Friendship Days, Sept. 28 and a day of family fun. With a parade, arts and crafts, food, good music and the barbecue cook-off plus a multitude of other festivities from which to choose.

The day begins with parade registration at 8 a.m. Judges will be selecting the winners of entries in the parade at 9 a.m.

Parade time is set for 10:30 a.m. Followed by he Cedar Knob gunfighters performing shows throughout the afternoon.

Beginning at 11 a.m. there will be a barbecue lunch with all the trimmings at town hall sponsored

by the Bartlett Alumni Association. Desert will be sold by the Bartlett Historical Society.

Also during the day, you will find many food and game booths sponsored by school classes and organizations to raise money for their projects. There will be arts and crafts vendors displaying their wares for sale. The many Antique and specialty shops in the downtown area will also be open for shopping and browsing.

After the parade, several musical acts will perform followed by the 4th Infantry Division Country and Western Band from Ft.

Hood. During the afternoon, the Austin Road Riders Association will have their motorcycles on display.

At 4:30 p.m., judging results from the barbecue cook-off will be announced.

Sponsored by the Bartlett Area Chamber of Commerce, the Friendship Fest is an annual fun-filled day in the country. Bartlett is a rural farming community 12 miles east of IH35, situated half-way between Taylor and Temple on Highway 95. The downtown area is graced with red brick streets and is a registered National Historic District.

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Salado Eagles up-end a Liberty Hill running back. (photo by Tim Fleischer)

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The Salado Eagles gave the Liberty Hill Panthers their first win of the year as they turned over the ball six times, including a 35-yard interception for a touchdown, and committed eight penalties for 95 yards.

The Salado Eagles carried the ball for more yardage than the Panthers could muster from the total offense.

Salado had 197 yards rushing, led by Cody Hall with 58 yards and David Berumen, 57 yards. Jon Phelps had 45 yards and Trey Hutton had 32 yards on the night.

Phelps also completed 12 passes for 127 yards. Chris McGregor nabbed seven catches for 87 yards on the night.

Salado's only score came in the first half on a 15 yard run by Berumen.

Liberty Hill scored on a 30 yard run by Lance Jordan and a seven yard touchdown catch by Nick Popovic in the first half.

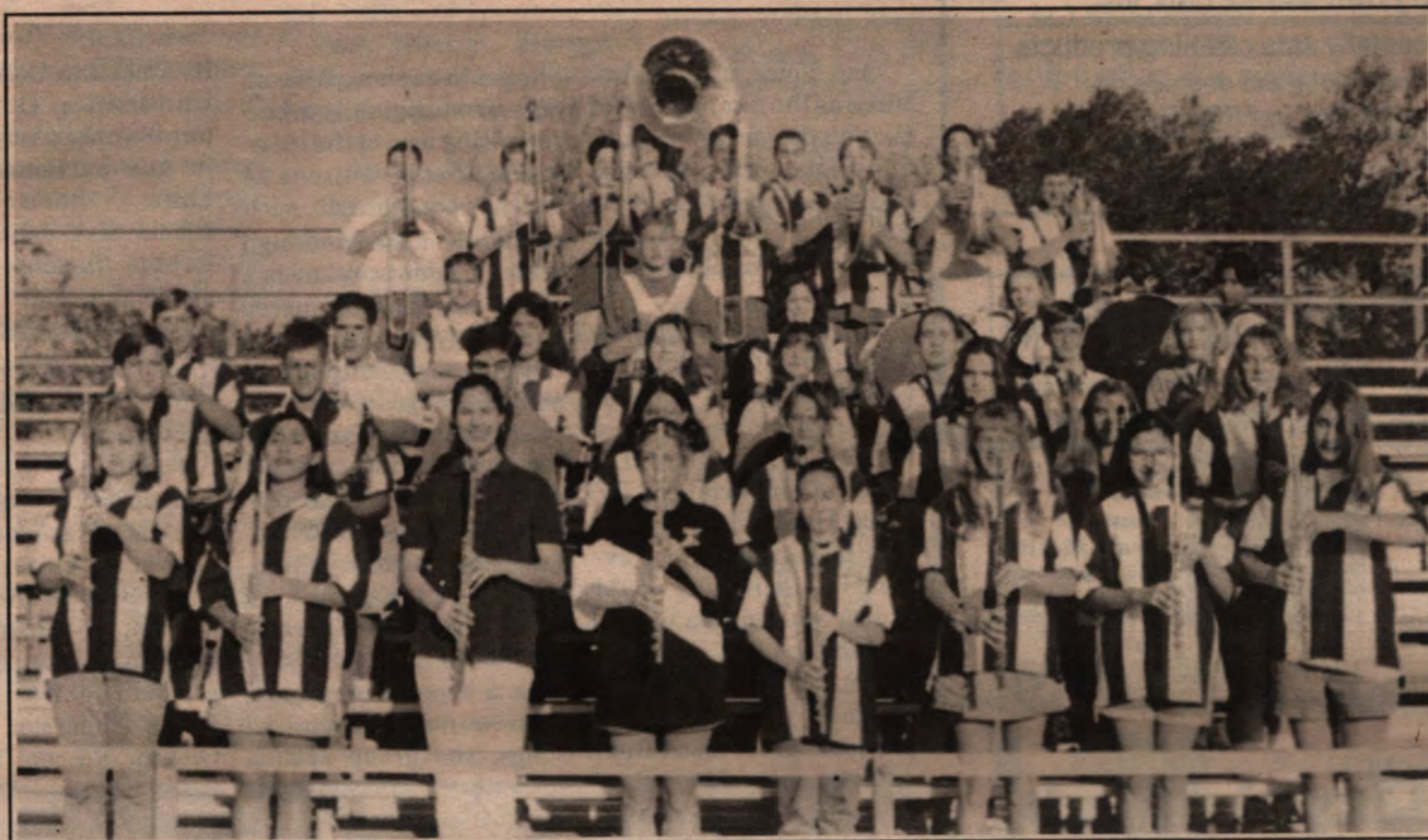
Charlie O'Dell intercepted a Phelps pass and returned it 35 yards for a touchdown with 5:50 remaining in the game.

Rusty Wasik led the defense with 13 tackles, followed by David Berumen, who had 12 tackles.

Salado will face Thorndale 8 p.m. Sept. 27. The Thorndale Bulldogs are 0-3, having lost to Italy, Bartlett and Crawford, all state-ranked teams.

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Date	Opponent	Place	Time
8/23	Franklin (scrimmage)	Home	6 p.m.
8/30	Crawford (scrimmage)	Away	6 p.m.
9/6	Riesel	Home	12-25
9/13	Moody	Away	7-21
9/20	**Liberty Hill	Home	6-19
9/27	Thorndale	Home	8 p.m.
10/04	Rosebud-Lott	Away	7:30 p.m.
10/11	*Rogers	Home	7:30 p.m.
10/18	*Florence	Away	7:30 p.m.
10/25	*Hutto	Home	7:30 p.m.
11/1	*Jarrell	Away	7:30 p.m.
11/8	*Holland	Home	7:30 p.m.

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JV, Jr. High Football Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	7th	8th	JV
9/5	Riesel	Away			24-18
9/12	Moody	Home	6-22	0-22	14-6
9/19	Liberty Hill	Away	38-0	18-14	18-0
9/26	Thorndale	Away	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/04	Rosebud-Lott	Home	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/10	Rogers	Away	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/17	Florence	Home	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/24	Hutto	Away	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
10/31	Jarrell	Home	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.
11/7	Holland	Away	5 p.m.	6 p.m.	7 p.m.

Head Football Coach Dan Wasik

Eagle Player of the Week

Chris McGregor had a great game against the Liberty Hill Panthers last week. He caught seven passes for 82 yards. Some of those catches were diving grabs in coverage. For his great hands, McGregor is the Player of the Week.



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One Voice from UMHB will perform Sept. 29 at Tablerock

One Voice will be featured as the final concert of the Salado September Sunday Night series. All ages are invited to attend Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. at the Tablerock Amphitheater off Royal St.

All young people will especially relate to the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor ensemble.

In 1976, Bill Elliott, Director of Financial Aid for Mary Hardin-Baylor College, had an idea for a traveling ensemble who would utilize musical talent to spread the word about the school. The idea found support in Dr. Bobby E. Parker, president of the institution and thus, in the Fall of 1976, a group was chosen and began to "travel on behalf of Mary Hardin-Baylor. The group was named, "The New Edition". In 1993, it was renamed "One Voice."

"One Voice" is a group of eight students chosen each year by a committee of faculty and staff who interview and audition each student who applies. Each member is chosen for musical talent, their ability to communicate on and off the stage, who are committed Christians, maintain a specified grade point average and be considered campus leaders. Brandon Tidwell, the 1996-1997 Student Body President, is a former member of the group.

The group ministers to

all ages even though it was organized originally to be a recruiting arm of the institution. Senior citizens as well as young people, such as middle school and high school students, relate to a great number of pieces which they perform in their concerts. Originally formed as a show group, over the past twenty years they have evolved into a ministry group. A typical program, however, will embrace contemporary Christian, southern gospel, as well as, traditional praise and worship. Choosing from a repertoire of more than two dozen memorized songs, the group seldom presents the same program twice.

The group is off campus three weekends minimum per month and sometimes several week nights and typically travels ten thousand miles per year. Those responsible for the group say that they have traveled over two hundred thousand miles and have performed before almost a half million people. Often more requests for performances are made than can be filled. In several churches it has become a tradition to have the group perform each year.

Gregg Wiltshire, a UMHB staff member in the Recruiting Department is director of the group. Mr. Wiltshire was a 1995 UMHB graduate from Lake Jackson, Texas, and was chosen for Who's Who

In American Colleges and Universities. Other directors from the past, not listed in any particular order, have been Todd Blackhurst, John Hollan, Robbie Jackson (former staff member of FBC Salado), David Guess, Harold Meeker, Don Smith and, of course, Bill Elliott, the founder,

The 1996-97 "One Voice" is comprised of the following UMHB students from all over the state of Texas, hometown is shown: Jenni Martin, Dickinson; Ivey Martin, Montgomery; Amanda Johnson, Belton; Karen Anderson, Austin; Glenna Roscoe, Schertz; Brian Givens, Rockwall; Kevin Fox, Vernon; Zechariah Baker, Marble Falls; Jonathan Feathers-ton, Belton; Justin Zebell, Duncanville; and Greg Bradford, Conroe.

Former members whom Saladoans should know are Zach Lang, former staff member at Salado First Baptist Church in the late 80's, his wife, Vickey Harvey Lang, and Jason Whisenant; presently a staff member at Salado First Baptist Church.

The heartbeat of the young men and women is worship. They will entertain, but come expecting mainly to worship.

All are reminded to bring lawn chairs or blankets to sit upon.

The concert is free and is sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Salado.

Military Mail now underway Humane Society sets Garage Sale

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The 14 member Country and Western Line Dance team called Harvest House RSVP Rodeo Rockers will be competing in the Texas Senior Games being held Sept 23-29.

The team from Harvest House entered the competition last year and placed first in the preliminaries bringing home a silver medal in the finals. If the group wins this year, they qualify for the '97 National Games to be held in Tucson, Arizona. Registration for the '96 Senior Games boast 1,800 participants.

Kay Short of Salado is the team captain and choreographer of this year's performance. She is also a volunteer line instructor at Harvest House Senior Center in Temple. Classes are held on Monday and Wednesday at 1 p.m. for seniors 55 plus. Kay and husband Les have lived in Salado since 1979. Margaret and husband Jack moved to Salado this year.

Kay, Margaret and Katie are members of R.S.V.P. - Retired and Senior Volunteer Program. The group entertains throughout the year to show people there is fun after 55.

The oldest member of the group is 85 year old, Fran Russell.

Other members of the group include: Lee Campbell, Elsie Carlson, Darlene Lauder, Velma Manning, Bobby McElroy, Ruth Mikeska, Barbara Parry, Fran Russell, Dorothy Symmank, Mildred Wade and Dana Wilburn.

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Our founding fathers came to this land for religious freedom as opposed to the tyrannical restrictions of other countries; however, the liberal court judges have construed this to mean anything of a Christian nature should not be expressed in the government, school, or public life. Their interpretation of the constitutional clause of separation of church and state is to keep religion out of government; whereas, the opposite was intended: keep the government out of religion.

During the composition of the constitution by the committee, we had Benjamin Franklin rising to say, "Gentlemen, we have labored hard and long at the task before us and yet, our efforts appear to be in vain. May I suggest we place our trust in our God in a prayer of praise, thanks and a petition for blessings in our great undertaking." There was unanimous agreement without a nay. As the world knows, the prayers were answered with the amazing document of historical renown. The motto of our nation "In God We Trust" is engraved on all of our coins. our national anthem request is for God's blessing upon our country. Then too, we have congress and all state legislative bodies opening proceedings prefaced by a prayer.

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New Subdivision in Salado

- Near Downtown Historic District
- Highly Restricted
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- Hilltop Views
- Owner Finance
- Underground Utilities



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Salado FFA students place high at Central Texas Fair

Salado FFA students place high at the Central Texas State Fair.

Marcus and Adam Williams exhibited six top ten lambs.

Raina Curry showed a second and third place lamb.

Other lambs were shown by Rajun Owen, David Kite, Jason Williams and Lindsay Owen.

In the Cattle division, Amber Preston had a Reserve Champion Limosine and second and fourth place

heifers. Dusty Camp had a fourth place steer and Kayla Atkins has a third place steer.

Chase and Brook Simpson placed in goats a second, fifth and seventh place. McKenzie Brown placed third in goats.

Other goats were shown by Rajun Owen, Raina Currey, Chad Britt Sam and Jodi Silvers.

Salado FFA also attended the annual Central Texas FFA Play Day at Seaton Star Hall on Sept. 21.

You are invited to a luncheon with The

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Laura Bush

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Troy Fraser

Thursday, September 26th • Noon

The Plaza Hotel, Killeen \$50 per person

Must RSVP by September 23, 1996

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Pol. Adv. paid for by Fraser for Texas Senate, P.O. Box 2058, Belton, TX 76513m Dian Graves Owen, Texas.

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A number of lots have already been sold, but others are available with prices ranging from \$25,000 to \$120,000.

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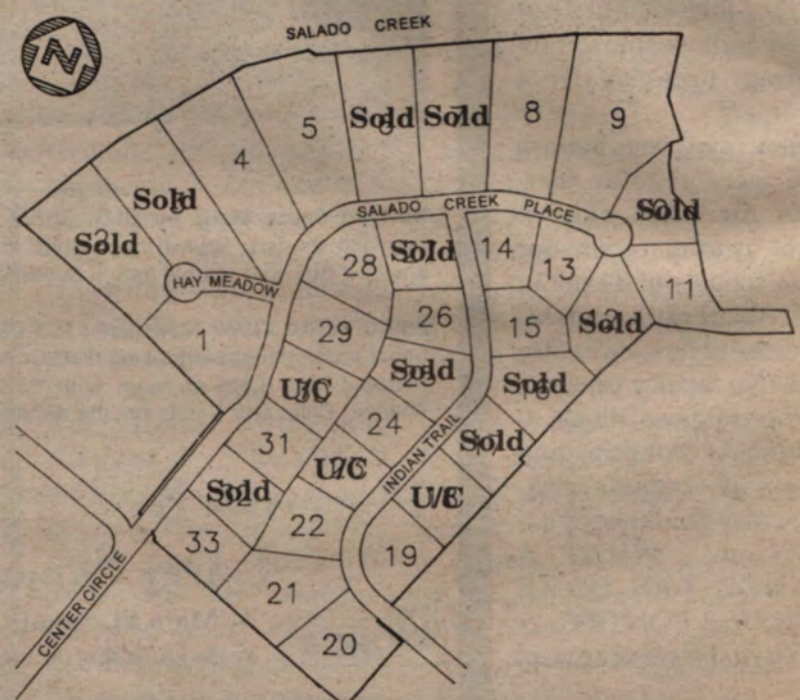
Stewart Smith, Listing Agent, 947-8140

Properties By Larry Sands



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on the grounds of the historic Barton House



Recycling collection comes to end, alternatives offered

Dear Editor:

Many thanks to all who have participated in our fight to reduce the burden on our landfills and preserve our natural resources. Unfortunately there will be no collection Saturday and very likely no more collection in the future.

We, your local volunteers are still eager to work but we have lost our hauler and no one wants to pay for the license, insurance or maintenance of the trailer.

So thank you again! No more second and fourth Saturday recycling will be held. To continue recycling in other possibilities contact: Karen Kinnison at 947-5552.

Karen Kinnison
Salado, TX

Recycling drop off centers are available in:

Jarrell at Clawson Disposal 512-746-2231 Curbside collection every Monday in Salado or drop off in Jarrell.

Temple: 770-5725 at 3015 Mama Dog Lane Always Open; at 31st and Ave. J. Friday and Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. No cardboard, steel and junkmail.

Temple Iron and Metal 773-2700 at 815 N. Katy; Mon. -Fri. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 8 a.m.-noon. No green glass. \$\$\$ for aluminum, cardboard and white paper.

Killeen: 817-554-7572 at Ave. F and 2nd St. Mon., Tues., Fri. 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Wed & Thurs. 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 8-noon. No Plastics.

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—Emily Dickinson

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On #2 Green in Mill Creek. Approx. 3,932SF. Beautifully landscaped with decks overlooking golf course. \$328,000.



Nice wooded lot, garden area. 3BR/2BA. \$88,521.



Lovely home on quiet Mill Creek cul-de-sac. 4BR/3BA, basement, much storage. \$179,000.



On 1.92 acres between Belton & Salado. 3BR/2BA, trees & fenced area ideal for livestock or horses. \$129,521.

View Salado Creek from your deck under the trees! 1 BR so large you could divide, 2 BA on .48 acre. \$80,021.

Two new homes on W. Armitage at Smith Dairy. 3/2/2 brick home with fireplace, \$82,500 & \$85,000.

4BR/2BA, freshly painted in and out. \$76,800.

Tastefully redecorated 3BR/2BA home in quiet Belton neighborhood. New appliances & floor coverings. \$87,521.

Near Stillhouse Lake, 4 BR/3BA, plus workshop. \$92,000.

New construction in Live Oak Estate. 3BR/2BA/2 car garage. Nice open floorplan. \$94,921.

Close to town. Two year old home with 3BR/2BA/ Vaulted ceiling in LR. \$95,000.

Trees shaded UNDER CONTRACT on large lot. 20X20 Workshop plus storage area. \$97,921.

Three year old home in top condition. Home Warranty. 3BR/2BA home on 1/2 acre lot. \$99,021.

Large 4 BR/2-1/2 BA with 2 living areas, atrium & office on 1.61 acres. Large oak trees & storage building. \$106,021.

Splendid view of valley. 25 acres fenced with well. 3BR/2BA home. \$119,021.

On FM 2484, 22+ acres, 2 barns, corral, fenced, with 3BR/2BA mobile home. Great for horses. \$119,021.

Immaculate home on 6.352 acres. 3BR/2-1/2BA. \$124,921.

Townhome with new carpet & vinyl. Lots of windows and decks. \$125,821.

Two story townhouse, floor to ceiling stone fireplace, hardwood floors. \$126,521.

Retreat to the woods. Private decks, architectural accents, old wood ceilings & beams, ash cabinets. \$129,921.

Overlooking the creek. 4BR/2-1/2BA. Condo, over 2,300 SF on Park Drive. \$138,000.

Home and Garden Beautiful! * Custom decorator drapes and wallpapers. Professionally landscaped. \$139,821.

Excellent location, Mill Creek Dr. Large home, excellent price at \$145,000.

At the entrance of Mill Creek. Four BR home on large lot. Shaded & fenced backyard. \$149,521.

A new home! Tree shaded backyard. Enjoyable deck extends from Master bedroom to living room. \$151,821.

Wooded 2+ acre lot with excellent floorplan. 3BR/2BA, \$159,521. Great Oaks.

A classy Victorian home! Hardwood floors, 3BR/2-1/2 BA. Victorian Oaks. \$169,500.

Wooded 2 acre lot. 4BR/2-1/2BA. Great Oaks. \$169,521.

Your own UNDER CONTRACT home on 10 fenced acres with pool & hot tub, barn & more. \$172,821.

On the golf course. Stone 3BR/2-1/2BA with office, large wrap-around deck. \$174,821.

Royal Oaks Jewel: 4BR/3BA, new home. 2,781 SF, large lot. \$215,000.

Old Mill Rd. over 3,600SF, 4 acres. View of golf course & creek. \$20,000 update allowance. \$340,000

208 acre ranch with 3BR/2BA brick home, guest farm house, barns, stock tanks. \$350,000.

Commercial Property

Main Street, Salado! Victorian style with wrap-around porch. Shop, apartment and office building. Approx. .56 acre, \$225,821.

Bed & Breakfast on Center Circle. Hardwood floors, 2 bedrooms with private baths. \$250,000.

Over 9,000 SF commercial property has superb architectural design. Good cash flow. \$398,000.

Historical Levi Tenney House on Pace Park Dr. Built in 1855 on 1.297 acre, cottage & barn. \$398,000.

4 duplexes on Royal St. in Salado, excellent cash flow, good financing, well-maintained.

Acreage Available

654 acres, woods, on FM 2484, owner finance.

93 acres between Holland & Belton, hilltop. \$1,175/acre.

82 acres on FM 2115, 4.5 miles SE of Salado. \$3,000/acre.

60 acres between Belton and Salado, All or part.

43.458 ac. Loop 121 across from Expo Center. \$3,950/ac.

20 acres 2 miles west of Salado, FM 2484 and Brewer Rd.

10 acres, 2 miles West of Salado, \$3,500/acre.

6, 10 & 21 acres on FM 2115. SE of Salado \$3,500/acre.

5.55 acre wooded homesite. Just off FM 2484, \$47,500.

5 acres Blackberry & Royal, \$26,000.

Residential lot in Mill Creek. Nice trees line lot. \$13,521.

Lot in Woods of Salado. Almost 2 acres. \$15,000.

1/2 acre lot in Salado Springs. \$9,000.

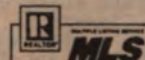
Chisholm Trail Subdivision, 3 lots, \$4,000 & \$6,000.

Royal Oaks Subdivision, near downtown Salado, restricted wooded lots.

Great Oaks Subdivision, off Blackberry Rd. 1.6 to 2.8 acre wooded lots,

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RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS

\$219,900: New Listing. Looking for four bedrooms and three baths? This one even has an extra room upstairs. Beautiful view off large deck. Choice lot in The Bluffs at Salado Creek. Quality built by Don Rogers, Inc.

\$199,500: Salado School District. Large 3/2-1/2/4 on 22 acres north of Salado. House overlooks pond and surrounded by huge live oaks. Formal and informal living and dining. Barn, workshop and coastal grass.

\$199,000: Wonderful 3-2-1 farm house on approx. 25 acres on FM 1123. Large family room, two bedrooms upstairs. Fenced, garden areas, fruit trees.

\$139,900: New Listing. Under construction in Salado Oaks. Beautiful Live Oak trees surround this 3-2-2 on quiet street. Formal dining and breakfast room. Don Rogers, Inc. builder.

\$139,500: Another quality home by Southwest Builders, located in Mill Creek. 3-2-2 brick with fireplace. Master bedroom opens onto deck. Pre-wired to be a computerized home.

\$110,000: Price reduced, owner transferred, ready to sell. Live Oak Estates. Like new 3-2-2 brick with split bedrooms, great kitchen has updated tile floor. Nice master suite, living area with fireplace. Large lot with live oak and pecan trees.



\$159,500: Quiet cul-de-sac hosts this large 4-3-2. Fourth bedroom could be game room. Formal and informal dining. Great fenced backyard has huge deck and hot tub.

New Homes by Horizon Homes

\$99,900: Salado Springs. This 3-2-2 brick home is complete and ready to move into. Large lot with pretty view. Top quality features include vaulted ceilings, beaded board, crown molding and ceiling fans.



\$110,000: Watch the cows graze just off FM 1123 on one acre. 3-2-2 brick with great floorplan. Easy access to IH-35. Belton schools.

\$99,900: Split bedrooms and pretty bay window in dining area accent this 3-2-2 brick in Salado Springs.

\$550/month P&I monthly payment for this super nice 3-2-2 brick on large lot. Pretty trees out back.

\$550/month P&I monthly payment for this new 3-2-2 brick with split BRs. Nice master suite. Ceiling fans, tile countertops, vaulted ceilings.

ACREAGE

Amity West Estates: 10 acres, \$37,500, Two 35 acres tracts, all wooded, \$80,700 each.

Summers Mill : Approx. 522 acres on FM 1123. Beautiful trees, creek.

Hwy 317 & Poison Oak Rd. : 26 acres of heavy woods. \$129,900

Woods of Salado: Many trees with lake view. \$39,900.

Atkins Road: 5 miles east of Salado. 52 acres at \$1,650/acre, owner finance.

Smith Dairy: 37 acres with seasonal creek, paved road. \$1,675 per acre.

Woods of Salado: 2.3 acres with many trees and great building site. \$20,000.

Woods of Salado: 2.389 acres with lakeview. \$25,000.

Hill Lane near Prairie Dr **UNDER CONTRACT** road. \$1,650 per acre.

FM 2268 east of Holland. 7 acre tract with stock tank, \$17,500. 7 acres with trees. \$14,000.

Belton: 20 acres fronting Nolan Creek. Large live oak trees with old home. \$139,000.

Rosanky Road, east of Holland. 289 acres with trees, creek, paved road. \$850/acre.

FM 1123: 25 acres, Lampasas River frontage, completely fenced. \$3,950/acre.

FM 2115: 19 acres, long road frontage, seasonal creek, excellent building site. \$2,200/acre.

Pea Ridge Rd.: 52 acres with small house. Mostly open, paved road frontage. \$125,000.

Fox Road: 22.44 acres with good coastal grass. \$2,200/acre.

FM 2843: 100 acres with trees and deer. Excellent homesites. \$1,750 per acre.

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4 acres fronting IH-35 south. Approx. 1,400 ft. of IH-35 frontage, located just south of roadside park. \$20,000.

7.6 acres Commercial Property east of McDonald's on F.M. 93 in Belton. \$99,900.

3 acres fronting I-35, one mile south of Salado, excellent building site. \$36,000.

Main St. 6 lots that includes 3 houses, \$210,000.

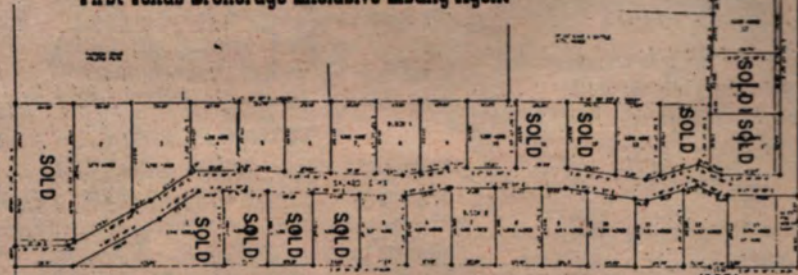
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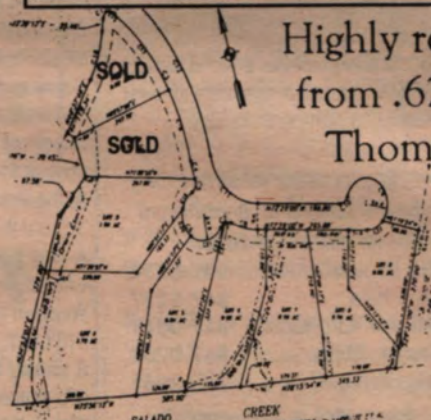


Highly restricted Homesites from .62 acre to 1.73 acre.

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Creekview Lots Available

SALADO

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Baylor's women's lunch set

The Central Texas Chapter of the Baylor Alumni Association announces its third annual Baylor Women's Luncheon to be held on 11 a.m., Sept. 28 at the Wildflower Country Club in Temple.

This yearly event raises money for the CTBC Scholarship which will be offered to an area high school student in the fall of 1997. The chapter has been working for several years and will reach its financial goal this year to serve area students.

The Silent Auction, offered again this year, is a highlight of the luncheon. Gift items are donated by the ladies of the Central Texas Board of Directors and area merchants.

Music will be provided by Lynda Keith McKnight, who returns by request of many participants. Mrs. McKnight, soprano, made her debut with the Metropolitan Opera in 1991. She received great critical acclaim in her international debut as Musetta (LA BOHEME) in Tel Aviv, Israel. She has travelled extensively across the United States and is considered one of the brightest young talents today. She was named Singer of the Year for 1994 by the National Association of Teachers of Singing Texoma. Region and for 1995 by the Shreveport Opera Company. She holds her undergraduate degree from Baylor University and a Master of Music and Artist's Diploma from The University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of



Lynda Keith McKnight

Music. She is presently a professor of Vocal Studies at Baylor.

Special guest speaker will be the First Lady of Baylor University, Sue Sloan, wife of President Robert Sloan. Mrs. Sloan graduated from Cisco High School, has her undergraduate degree from Baylor University and has done post-graduate work at Trinity College in University of Bristol-England and at the University of Mary Hardin-Baylor in Belton. She taught regular and special education classes in Waco Independent School District, Trenton, New Jersey, Lorena, Texas and most recently at Avalon Residential Treatment Facility for adolescent girls in Bruceville-Eddy. As a Mission Friends teacher and associational Missions Friends director in Fort Worth and Lorena, she also served as Children's Director and Sunday School Teacher.

Dr. and Mrs. Sloan have seven children (four girls and three boys): Charissa, their oldest daughter,



Sue Sloan

graduated from Baylor in 1995 and is now a graduate student. Bryan is a junior at Baylor and Eraina is a freshman. Michael, Alatheia, Sophia, and Paul are their other younger children, ranging from high school to elementary age.

The Distinguished Baylor Woman from Central Texas will be announced at the luncheon. Previous winners who will be recognized are these: Mrs. Mary Long, Dr. Beatrice Huston, Dr. Eva

Marie Dyke, Dr. Jean Kemp, Mrs. Jeannette Kelley, and Dr. Edna Bridges.

Tickets to the luncheon are \$25, with \$15 of each ticket going to the Scholarship Fund. Reservations may be made by calling Pam Dial Taylor, Central Texas Baylor Chapter President, at 939-5061 and must be called in by Sept. 26.

For additional information, contact board member Wynell and Jim Patterson, Jean and Tom Brunson and Tricia and Ken Norman, all of Salado.

Thieves target seniors in home

Senior citizens should be aware that they are often targeted by thieves who will pose as visitors to their home. Usually, one thief will lure the unsuspecting home owner, outside to discuss a product or service. While the home owner is distracted, a second thief will enter the home and

rummage through personal belongings looking for valuable items such as cash or jewelry. Usually these thieves will target single senior citizens who live alone.

While many legitimate companies provide valuable goods and services at

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Salado Alert

by Marissa Michalewitz
 Salado High School

Since water is a necessity for life, here are some facts about water in the United States.

Almost 8% of the nation's total, or 60 gallons per person per day, go to personal activities.

Leaving the water running while shaving wastes 3 gallons of water.

An average person uses 5 gallons of water per

minute taking a shower.

Doing the dishes for 3 meals requires about 10 gallons.

On the average, taking a bath requires about 10 gallons.

About 33% of the nation's total, or 600 gallons per person per day, go to farm and ranch operations.

Letting the water run to irrigate wheat long enough to produce one loaf of bread requires 150 gallons.

Egg-laying hens require 40 gallons of water each for them to become mature enough to lay eggs.

Raising cattle long enough to produce one pound of beef requires 2,500 gallons.

To produce one gallon of whiskey, 230 gallons of water are used.

So try to realize how precious our water truly is, and don't waste it.

The Salado Alert is a public service of the Salado Historical Society Creek Preservation Committee and the Salado Village Voice. For more information about Salado Creek testing, call 947-5526.



Magnolias on the square



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Salado Alert

by Tate Hunter
 Salado High School

Attempt to reduce the use of gasoline by walking or using mass transit when possible.

Learn more about diseases caused by domestic sewage.

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The style show and salad dinner will begin with dinner at 6 p.m. and the style show at 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$10 each with proceeds benefiting the Salado Untied Methodist Church Garden Guild.

Fashions by Cowgirls, Indians and Outlaws will be shown. Tickets are available from Cowgirls, Indians and Outlaws.

For more information, call 947-0322.

To most men, experience is like the stern lights of a ship, which illumine only the track it has passed.

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29. "____ That Peculiar" (Marvin Gaye)
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39. Feared one in fairy tales
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43. Postage-paid envelope (abbr.)
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48. ____ Zeppelin
49. Inherited property
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61. Implored
65. False witness
66. Discharges
68. Former Dutch colony
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70. O'Donnell of Broadway's "Grease"
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10. Vasco da ____, Portuguese explorer
11. Opaque gem
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37. Of the nose
40. Deletion
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The normal resting pulse rate for humans is about equal to the external temperatures they find most comfortable measured in degrees F—68 to 72.

LaJuan Shelton to model at Scott & White benefit

LaJuan Shelton of Salado will be featured as a model for the famous Scott & White Memorial Hospital Annual Benefit Luncheon and Fashion Show in Temple. The Oct. 15 event will support the Scott & White Women's Healthcare Research.

Established in 1994, the Scott & White Women's Healthcare Research Program has as its mission to enrich the lives of women by combining innovative clinical research with patient and professional education and personalized, comprehensive healthcare services.

The theme for this year's event is Farewell to the Southwest Conference, and men are especially encouraged to attend, to sup-

port women's healthcare and favorite Southwest Conference team.

The Annual Benefit Luncheon and Fashion Show has been a landmark fundraiser for 14 years in Temple, featuring beautiful fashions. Betty Thrasher, owner of The RoseBud boutique, will be the host for the event and give her commentary during the fashion show. The luncheon will be catered by Don Strange of Texas.

A fall and holiday collection will be presented at the show, including such designers as Burberry of London, Sansapelle and Renfrew. "The show will feature a wide range of fashions from casual day dresses to suits, sweaters, coats and clothing for special occasions," said Mrs.

Thrasher.

The 'Men-in-Tux', a group of about 100 volunteers from the business community, will be in appearance again this year, greeting guests and serving wine before lunch.

Invitations have been mailed this week. If you have not received one, and wish to make reservations, please contact the Scott and White Volunteer Office at 724-3199. Tickets to support the Women's Healthcare Research Program are \$40 per person, and tables of eight are available. The Benefit Luncheon and Fashion Show opens its doors at 11 a.m. Oct. 15 at the Frank W. Mayborn Center in Temple, with lunch served at 11:30 a.m.

More is not always better when it comes to kids' vitamin supplements

More is not always better, especially when it comes to supplementing children's diets with vitamins.

Over-the-counter supplements can be potentially toxic and megadoses can be harmful, warns Dr. Kathleen J. Motil at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center.

"Too much iron can be fatal, and there are cases where excess vitamin A and D can damage the kidneys heart, and brain," said Motil, an assistant professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine.

Vitamins are available in two forms: fat soluble and water soluble. Fat soluble vitamins include A, D, E, and K. Water solubles include B-1, B-21 niacin, B-6, B-12, and vitamin C.

Water soluble vitamins are easily absorbed by the intestinal tract and flushed out of the body during urination if not needed, Motil

explained. Fat solubles, on the other hand, are more difficult to absorb and tend to be stored in the body.

"The fat soluble vitamins are the worry," Motil said. "Reactions vary from person to person. Some people are more sensitive to fat soluble vitamins."

In general, Motil believes that vitamins are unnecessary if a child is healthy and consumers a well-balanced diet.

She suggests the USDA's food guide pyramid as a reference.

The pyramid recommends 2 to 3 servings a day from the milk group; 2 to 3 servings of meat, poultry, fish or eggs, 3 to 5 servings of vegetables, 2 to 4 servings of fruit, and 6 to 11 servings from the bread/cereal group.

"Even the most finicky eater will get enough vitamins and minerals with a varied diet including meat, dairy products, grains and

fruits and vegetables."

There are exceptions, however. Motil believes supplements are appropriate for premature infants, children on restrictive diets including vegetarian diets, and for children under the care of a physician for specific medical reasons such as a chronic illness, teen pregnancy, or eating disorders.

A pediatrician may also recommend a fluoride supplement, available alone and in combination with vitamins, if there is insufficient fluoride in the drinking water.

Motil urges parents to consult their pediatrician or a registered dietitian who specializes in children's nutrition if they are concerned about their child's eating habits.

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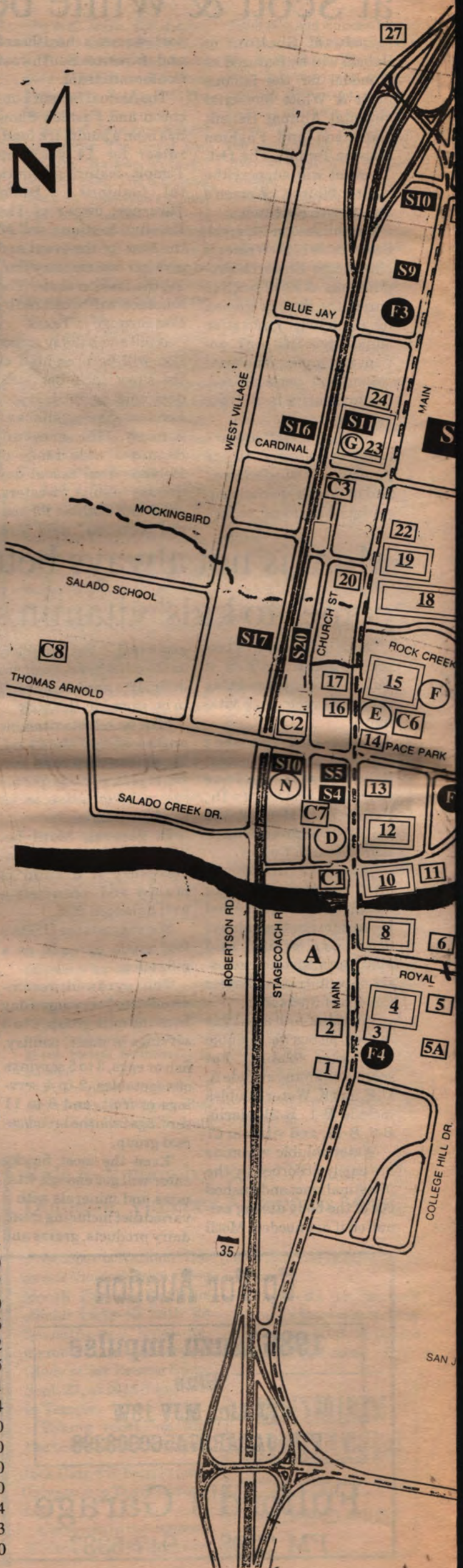
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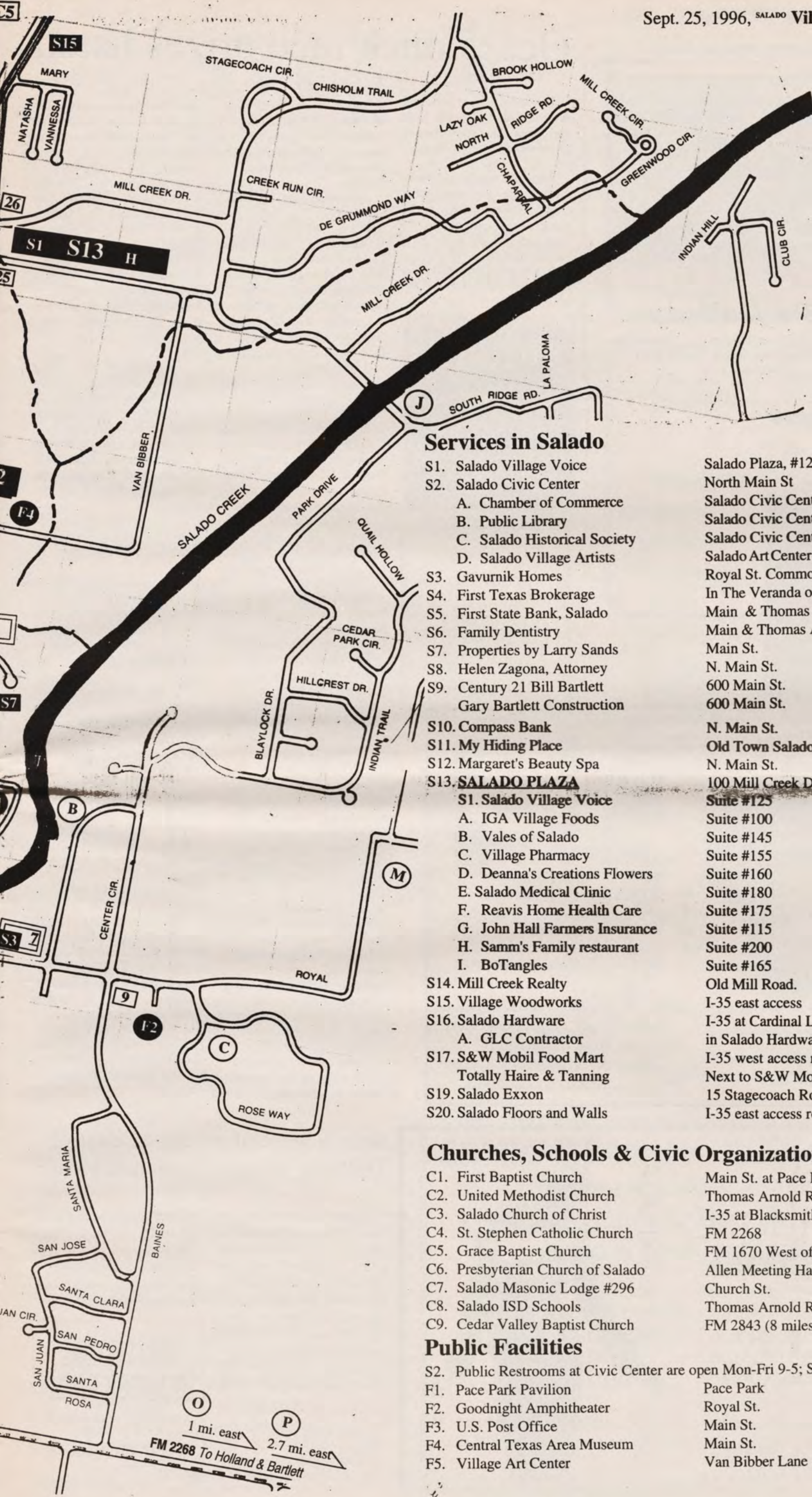
Shopping in Salado

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| 1. Wells Gallery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 817/947-0311 |
| 2. Salado Pottery | Next to Stagecoach Inn | 817/947-5935 |
| 3. Salado Galleries | Main Street | 817/947-5110 |
| 4. SHADY VILLA | Main St and Royal | |
| A. Gregory's | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-5703 |
| B. Salado Country Antiques | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8363 |
| C. Sweet Nut Things | Shady Villa on Main St. | 817/947-8088 |
| 5. The Dusty Rose | Royal St. | 817/947-9215 |
| 5A. Peddlers Alley | Behind Museum off Main | 817/947-9722 |
| 6. Spring House Antiques | Royal St. | 817/947-0747 |
| 7. ROYAL STREET COMMONS | Royal St. & Center Circle | |
| A. Red Barn Antique Mall | Royal St. Commons | 817/947-1050 |
| 8. ONE ROYAL | Royal St. at Main | |
| A. Grace Jones | One Royal | 817/947-5555 |
| B. The Royal Emporium | Main & Royal | 817/947-5718 |
| 9. Wishing Well Antiques & Things | 300 Baines St. | 817/947-1997 |
| 10. OLD MILL PLAZA | Main St. at the Creek | |
| A. The Gazebo | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-0075 |
| B. Accents of Salado | Old Mill Plaza | 817/947-5908 |
| 11. The Christmas Shop | Green House on the Creek | 817/947-5561 |
| 12. CREEKSIDE CENTER | Main St. at Pace Park | |
| A. Susan Marie's Boutique | Creekside Center | 817/947-5239 |
| B. Strawberry Patch | Creekside Center | 817/947-9955 |
| C. Bundle of Joy | Creekside Center | 817/947-0609 |
| 14. Christy's of Salado | 300 Main St. | 817/947-0561 |
| 15. SALADO SQUARE | Main St. | |
| A. Magnolia's on the Square | Salado Square on Main St. | 817/947-0323 |
| 1. Just for Him | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 2. Village Vintner | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 3. Penelope's | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 4. Papagayo | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| 5. Celebrate Salado | Magnolia's on the Square | |
| B. Cowgirls, Indians & Outlaws | Salado Square | 817/947-0322 |
| C. Main Street Place | Salado Square | 817/947-9908 |
| D. Another Day | Salado Square | 817/947-0300 |
| E. Barnhill-Britt Furniture | Salado Square | 817/947-3011 |
| F. Ticklish of Salado | Salado Square | 817/947-8089 |
| 16. Village Boutique | N. Main St. | 817/947-9100 |
| 17. Pink Rose Tea Room & Gift Shop | N. Main St. | 817/947-9100 |
| 18. SHOPS ON ROCK CREEK | Main St. at Rock Creek Dr. | |
| A. Sir Wigglesworth | Main at Rock Creek | 817/947-8846 |
| B. Seasons of Salado | Rock Creek | 817/947-8250 |
| 19. THE COLONY | North Main St | |
| A. The Royal Salamander | 221 N. Main St. | 817/947-1772 |
| B. Forever Texas | 227 N. Main St. | 817/947-4008 |
| C. Gowen Arts | 229 N. Main St. | 817/947-8010 |
| 20. Heirlooms Shopping Center | N. Main & Blacksmith | 817/947-0336 |
| A. Classic Antiques & Collectibles | Heirlooms Shopping Center | |
| 22. Hutchens House | N. Main St. | 817/947-8177 |
| 23. OLD TOWN SALADO | Across from Salado Civic Center St. | |
| A. The Store | Old Town Salado | 817/947-9000 |
| B. The Gallery | Old Town Salado | 817/947-9000 |
| C. MJ's Country Corner | Old Town Salado | 817/947-8885 |
| D. Aunt Granny's | Old Town Salado | 817/947-5520 |
| E. Roti-Chef | Old Town Salado | 817/947-4797 |
| 24. Salado Antique Mall | N. Main St. | 817/947-1010 |
| 25. Fletcher's Books & Antiques | N. Main St. | 817/947-5414 |
| 26. Olde Fowler House Antiques | N. Main St. | 817/947-0710 |
| A. Bears and Beyond | at Olde Fowler House | |
| 27. Robertson's Hams
& The Choppin' Block | I-35, Exit 285 | 817/947-5562 |

Dining & Lodging

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| A. Stagecoach Inn | I-35 exits 283, 284 | 817/947-5111 |
| B. Inn on the Creek | Center Circle | 817/947-5554 |
| C. The Rose Mansion | One Rose Way | 817/947-8200 |
| D. La Mansion De Salado | Main St. | 817/947-5157 |
| E. The Inn at Salado | Main St. | 817/947-8200 |
| F. Browning's Courtyard Cafe | Salado Square | 817/947-8666 |
| G. Cathy's Boardwalk Cafe | Old Town Salado | 817/947-8162 |
| H. Samm's Family Restaurant | Salado Plaza | 817/947-0015 |
| J. Mill Creek Country Club | Old Mill Rd. | 817/947-5141 |
| A. Mill Creek Guest Houses | | 817/947-5144 |
| K. Cowboy's Barbecue | I-35, west side | 817/947-5700 |
| L. HoJo Inn | I-35, west exits 284, 285 | 817/947-5000 |
| M. Green Gables Bed & Breakfast | 433 Royal St. | 817/947-0520 |
| N. Salado Burger King | 15 Stagecoach Rd. | 817/947-8060 |
| O. Brambley Hedge Bed & Breakfast | 1 mile east on FM 2268 | 817/947-1914 |
| P. Country Place Bed & Breakfast | 2.7 miles east on FM 2268 | 817/947-9683 |
| 17. Pink Rose Tea Room & Gift Shop | N. Main St. | 817/947-9110 |





Services in Salado

- S1. Salado Village Voice
- S2. Salado Civic Center
 - A. Chamber of Commerce
 - B. Public Library
 - C. Salado Historical Society
 - D. Salado Village Artists
- S3. Gavurnik Homes
- S4. First Texas Brokerage
- S5. First State Bank, Salado
- S6. Family Dentistry
- S7. Properties by Larry Sands
- S8. Helen Zagona, Attorney
- S9. Century 21 Bill Bartlett
Gary Bartlett Construction
- S10. Compass Bank
- S11. My Hiding Place
- S12. Margaret's Beauty Spa
- S13. **SALADO PLAZA**
 - S1. Salado Village Voice
 - A. IGA Village Foods
 - B. Vales of Salado
 - C. Village Pharmacy
 - D. Deanna's Creations Flowers
 - E. Salado Medical Clinic
 - F. Reavis Home Health Care
 - G. John Hall Farmers Insurance
 - H. Sann's Family restaurant
 - I. BoTangles
- S14. Mill Creek Realty
- S15. Village Woodworks
- S16. Salado Hardware
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- North Main St 817/947-8300
- Salado Civic Center 817/947-5040
- Salado Civic Center 817/947-9191
- Salado Civic Center
- Salado Art Center at the Salado Civic Center
- Royal St. Commons 817/947-3220
- In The Veranda on Main 817/947-5577
- Main & Thomas Arnold 817/947-5852
- Main & Thomas Arnold 817/947-5242
- Main St. 817/947-5580
- N. Main St. 817/947-8170
- 600 Main St. 817/947-5050
- 600 Main St. 817/947-5825
- N. Main St. 817/947-5051
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- Suite #200 817/947-0015
- Suite #165 817/947-4747
- Old Mill Road. 817/947-8800
- I-35 east access 817/947-0345
- I-35 at Cardinal Lane 817/947-8600
- in Salado Hardware 817/947-0600
- I-35 west access road 817/947-5470
- Next to S&W Mobil 817/947-0700
- 15 Stagecoach Road 817/947-5660
- I-35 east access road 817/947-0048

Churches, Schools & Civic Organizations

- C1. First Baptist Church Main St. at Pace Park 817/947-5465
- C2. United Methodist Church Thomas Arnold Rd. 817/947-5482
- C3. Salado Church of Christ I-35 at Blacksmith Rd. 817/947-5241
- C4. St. Stephen Catholic Church FM 2268 817/947-8037
- C5. Grace Baptist Church FM 1670 West of Salado 817/947-5917
- C6. Presbyterian Church of Salado Allen Meeting Hall 817/947-9935
- C7. Salado Masonic Lodge #296 Church St.
- C8. Salado ISD Schools Thomas Arnold Road. 817/947-5479
- C9. Cedar Valley Baptist Church FM 2843 (8 miles west) 817/947-0148

Public Facilities

- S2. Public Restrooms at Civic Center are open Mon-Fri 9-5; Sat 10-5, Sun 1-5
- F1. Pace Park Pavilion Pace Park 817/947-5040
- F2. Goodnight Amphitheater Royal St. 817/947-8887
- F3. U.S. Post Office Main St. 817/947-5322
- F4. Central Texas Area Museum Main St. 817/947-5232
- F5. Village Art Center Van Bibber Lane

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The list of prizes in the 2nd Annual Salado Family Fest and Duck Race continues to grow, according to organizers.

First place prize will be a \$3,000 gift certificate from travel agency, which can be used in any combination.

Second place prize is a Salado shopping spree, composed of gift certificates donated by the Salado merchants.

Those giving \$100 gift cer-

tificates were Heirlooms, Christy's and Susan Marie's.

The following merchants gave \$75 gift certificates: Strawberry Patch and The Gazebo.

Several shops gave \$50 gift certificates: The Royal Emporium, Salado Pottery, Bundle of Joy, The Chopping Block at Robertson's Hams, The Christmas Shop, Accents of Salado, Roti-Chef, The Village Boutique, Benton's Magnolia's on the Square, Main St. Place, Hutchens House and Cowgirls, Indians and Outlaws.

These shops have given \$25 gift certificates: Another Day, The Store at Old Town Salado, Salado Antique Mall, Salado Country Antiques, Seasons of Salado, Sweet Nut Things, Bird in Hand, The Village Potter, The Royal Salamander, Gowen Arts.

Andi's Attic and Forever Texas have given \$20 gift certificates while Aunt Granny's has given \$10 gift certificate.

The second place prize will include a night's stay at The Halley House and lunch for two with dessert at Browning's Courtyard Cafe.

The total value of the second place prize is approximately \$1,300.

The third place prize is a framed print by Salado artist Ronnie Wells, of Wells Gallery on South Main St.

Fourth place is a two-night stay at the YO Ranch in Mountain Home. The stay will include lodging, meals at the Chuckwagon restaurant, a driving tour of the 40,000-acre ranch and horseback riding. Guest at the YO Ranch will also enjoy the pool and jacuzzi tub as well as the rustic party lodge. The YO Ranch, owned by the Schreiner family for five generations, is well known throughout Texas for its exotic game and longhorns. This prize is given by Charlie and Mary Helen Schreiner, of Salado.

Fifth place includes a night's stay at George's cabin at The Rose Mansion Bed and

Breakfast and Sunday lunch for four at The Stagecoach Inn Restaurant. The winner will also receive a framed print by Bill Jaxon, entitled Leaving at Dawn, which features The Rose Mansion in the background. The print is given by First State Bank of Salado.

Sixth place will be a night's stay at The Inn at Salado Bed and Breakfast, a Lynn Haney collectible Santa Sculpture, given by Gregory's and dinner for two at The Inn on the Creek.

Seventh place is a golfing trip to Salado. This includes a night's stay at the Original Mill Creek Inn guest houses, given by Billy and Barbara Pipes, a round of golf for two with shared cart at Mill Creek Country Club and lunch for two at The Pink Rose Tea Room.

La Mansion de Salado will give a dinner party for up to 10 guests for the eighth place prize.

Ninth place will be a night's stay at Country Place Bed & Breakfast, a round of golf for two with shared cart at Mill Creek Country Club and dinner for two at The Inn on the Creek.

Tenth place prize is a night's stay at Green Gables Bed & Breakfast, Queen for a Day four-hour beauty treatment at My Hiding Place Salon valued at \$175.

In order to win, you have to buy at least a duck, which will be floated down Salado Creek Oct. 5. Thanks to recent rains, there is more than ample water to float the ducks.

You need not be present to win.

Duck tickets are \$25 each, five for \$100 or a flock of 12 for \$200. All profits from the Salado Family Festival will benefit the Salado Youth Association, which is raising funds for baseball and soccer fields for Salado's Youth.

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Ride to Remember Sept. 27 kicks off Domestic Violence Awareness Month

October is National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Families in Crisis official kicks-off with its Second Annual "Ride to Remember" in memory of Gladys Carr Reisner 5 p.m. Sept. 27, at 1016 South 9th in Temple.

Biking reception and Barbecue; Gladys's brother, Jack Carr will bicycle from Galveston to Temple in one day!

Come join in the memory of Gladys Carr Reisner and

all Victims of Domestic Violence.

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Congressman Chet Edwards Reports



THE FAMILY FARM AND BUSINESS PROTECTION ACT

All across Central Texas and this country are men and women who have spent a lifetime building small businesses and running family farms.

You can see their accomplishments in the thousands of services and goods they provide and in the millions of jobs they create.

Many of these small business owners have set their sights on leaving a successful small business or family farm to their sons and daughters to carry on the good work.

But as many parents and children discover, passing a family farm or business to the next generation is a real problem with the present federal tax laws.

Commonly known as estate taxes, these levies can literally eat up the assets of a small business or family farm.

Estate taxes are levied on the assets and property of the deceased small business or family farm owner. In some cases, these tax rates can be as high as 50 percent.

After the tax bite, there may be nothing left for the survivors but bills and expensive tax obligations.

Tragically, many small family businesses and farms that are left by the deceased parents to surviving children are destroyed by these steep estate taxes.

A parent who wants to pass along a family business to a son or daughter discovers that the tax bill will leave only a shell.

I believe it is unwise and unfair to wipe out thriving, job creating family farms and businesses with burdensome estate taxes.

That is why I successfully fought for including a proposal in the Democratic Families First Agenda that would remedy this unfair situation.

The "Family Farm and Business Protection Act" would provide estate tax relief for sons and daughters if they continue to operate their family farm or business.

The proposal would insure that the owner of a business would receive an estate tax exemption hefty enough to keep the family business or farm in the hands of the next generation.

Small businesses create over half of all new jobs in this country. They are the key to our economic future.

America cannot afford to cripple these tremendous job creators and create havoc for hard-working families.

The country needs to guarantee that family farms and businesses will be run by future generations and not run into ruin by short-sighted government policies.

Congressman Chet Edwards
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September 10, 1996

Pam Rhodes guest of honor at lunch at La Mansion

Pam Rhodes will be guest of honor at a luncheon at La Mansion on Oct. 4, beginning at 11:30 a.m. The public is invited. La Mansion has planned two menus. Both include drink, dessert and gratuity. The cost is \$8. To make reservations call 947-9560 prior to Oct. 4.

Pam is the wife of Rick Rhodes, who is candidate for State Senator, District 24, the seat vacated by Sen. Bill Sims. Both she and the candidate have been guests of several Salado families and have made numerous campaign trips to Bell County.

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*New Law Makes
 Health Insurance Portable*

Many a good hospital ought to have a recovery room next to its cashier's office. But thanks to the health-care reform bill signed into law last month, health insurance companies won't be needing the same facilities.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, the so-called Kassebaum-Kennedy" act, guarantees that most workers who change jobs or lose their jobs still will have access to health insurance. The following are answers to some frequently asked questions about how the new law will affect consumers.

Does the new law help me if I have a pre-existing condition? Yes, the act prohibits employers that offer health coverage and health insurers that offer coverage through employer-sponsored groups plans from excluding people with "pre-existing conditions" from coverage for longer than 12 months. Once the 12-month period expires, no new pre-existing condition period may ever be imposed on workers who have maintained continuous coverage of 63 days or more.

The act defines a pre-existing condition as a medical condition which was diagnosed or treated within the previous six months. So, if an individual experienced an illness or was treated for that illness prior to the six-month period before he or she enrolled in a new health plan, he or she may not be excluded from coverage because of that illness.

What is health-insurance "portability"? Portability means that when you move from job to job, your subsequent employer or insurance company will have to give you credit for prior continuous health coverage. It is helpful to think about insurance portability as similar to transferring college course credits from one school to another.

How do these credits work? When you leave your current job, the employer or insurer is required to give you a document stating how long you were covered while working at that job. You will then be required to present this information to your subsequent employer or health plan. If you were covered continuously for 12 months or more by a previous employer or health plan, you should be eligible for coverage from your next employer immediately, even with a pre-existing condition. Also, you may receive credit for earlier coverage of less than 12 months. For example, if you were previously covered for nine months, the exclusion would be limited to three months.

Will I be able to keep my health insurance if I have been laid off, or leave a job to start my own business? Yes, under current federal law, workers in firms with 20 or more employees must be offered continuing coverage under their employer-sponsored group health plan for up to 18 months after leaving a job.

Does the law include provisions to make health coverage more affordable for small employers? Yes, it permits businesses with 50 or fewer workers to set up medical savings accounts that accrue interest free for health care expenses. And it increases, over time, the amount of health insurance costs that self-employed individuals can deduct: from 40 percent in 1997, incrementally, to 80 percent in 2006.

These reforms, while modest and minimally intrusive, guarantee the health-care security of 25 million workers and their families. The 104th Congress has made it easier for Americans to obtain and keep health insurance regardless of their medical history.

*Redistribution of goods slated Oct. 26
 for Tablerock Festival of Salado*

You are cordially invited to participate in Tablerock's elite redistribution of goods (or garage sale, if you wish) 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Oct. 26 at Tablerock's Amphitheater Grounds on Royal Street in Salado.

Tablerock Board Member, the Honorable Jon McDurmitt, will host the redistribution of goods. He may be reached at 947-0213 for sales space reser-

vation. A limited amount of spaces are offered in size 8 ft. X 25 ft. for \$20 each. Mr. McDurmitt will also take reservations for transportation of goods from your Salado garage to Tablerock. Salado FFA Club will charge \$10 per pick-up truck load for the transportation service.

Enhancements to the sale will be drawings for

books, theater tickets and dinners at local restaurants. The silent auction will consist of luxurious items donated by Salado Merchants and items donated by individuals with impeccable taste. Refreshments of coffee, tea, cold drinks and dainty sandwiches will be available.

Dress is a must, hat and gloves optional.

Sponsors sought for Salado Legends

Tablerock Festival of Salado would like to invite you to be a Salado Legends sponsor in 1997.

One thousand and fifty eight people attended the three performances at Tablerock's Goodnight Amphitheater in 1996 and an Oklahoma tour bus group and a group of 50 people from Irving, TX who have requested reservations in 1997. The growing reputation and economic impact "Legends" has on our towns and villages in Central Texas is significant. The economic impact of the 1,058 attendance and combined ticket and tourists sales, is estimated to be \$301,360.

Please join us in 1997 as a **SPONSOR**. The sponsorship pledge deadline is December 1, 1996. Your pledge is needed by Dec. 1 to include your name on Tablerock's 10,000 brochures that will be printed in early January of 1997.

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You will also be listed as a sponsor in 20,000 July issues of Salado: Jewel in the Crown of Texas magazine and in 3,000 Salado Legends programs plus complimentary tickets to Salado Legend performances. You may mail your check for sponsorship (\$300 to \$5,000) anytime be-

tween January and June of 1997.

The Salado Legends cast and crew thank you for your support. We applaud you for your service to the many people in our area and commend you for helping to bring culture and the arts to Central Texas with your sponsorship.

Warning signs of childhood cancer

Childhood cancer is extremely rare, but parents can have a healthy awareness about possible symptoms by remembering the acronym CHILDREN.

"It cannot be emphasized enough that cancer in children is highly unlikely, with only about 6,000 cases diagnosed per year," said Dr. David G. Poplack, head of the Texas Children's Cancer Center at Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children's Hospital.

"However, some children do get cancer and it's always a good idea to see your pediatrician if you have concerns."

Parents can remember the eight warning signals of possible childhood cancer by thinking 'CHILDREN':

Continued, unexplained weight loss

Headaches with vomiting in the morning

Increased Swelling or persistent pain in bones or joints

Lump or mass in the abdomen, neck or elsewhere

Development of a whitish appearance in the pupil of the eye

Recurrent fevers not due to infections

Excessive bruising or bleeding

Noticeable paleness or prolonged tiredness.

According to the American Cancer Society, cancer is the number one disease-related cause of death among children ages 3 to 14.

"Childhood cancer can be difficult to recognize be-

cause the symptoms are similar to other childhood illnesses. Fortunately, most children who display these symptom do not have cancer," said Poplack. "However, if any of the eight warning signs persists, there could be a serious health problem."

Poplack advises regular medical checkups during the preschool and school years so that the pediatrician or family doctor can become familiar with the child's pattern of growth and development.

Dr. Scroggins resigns as medical director of Salado medical clinic

Reavis HomeCARE announced the resignation of Dr. Tim Scroggins as Medical director of Salado Medical Clinic. Dr. Scroggins has been at Salado Medical Clinic since July, 1995. He is leaving to pursue other medical practices.

Sandy Ribbick, CFNP will continue working in

the clinic with Laverne, the office nurse.

Clinic hours will remain Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM through the month of September.

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FBC has new youth minister

Jason Whisenant and wife Rachel arrived in Salado Sept. 1, to serve as Youth Minister at the First Baptist Church of Salado.

Jason Whisenant is a junior at the University of Mary Hardin Baylor majoring in religion. Originally from Robinson, Tx., he was licensed for the ministry by his home church Meadowbrook Baptist in Waco. He was a youth and college intern for 2 years at Meadowbrook and has recently worked for KLTD 101.7 FM a Christian radio station just before moving to serve on the church staff here.

Rachel, his wife, is a social worker and religion major in her sophomore year at Mary Hardin Baylor. Rachel comes from Victoria, Tx. where her home church, Northside



Jason Whisenant and wife Rachel.

Baptist Church is located. Rachel is working at the Child Development Center at First Baptist Church.

Jason and Rachel want to minister and counsel youth. Jason's emphasis is in evangelism while Rachel would like a private family

counseling practice.

Jason said, "I am very excited about the opportunity to be involved in the community with the youth of the area, and to be able to encourage and to minister to them."

Safe travel tips given

by Dan Morales
Texas Attorney General

PICTURE YOURSELF sitting in a hotel room late one evening. Exhausted after a long day of travel and work, you look forward to a restful night's sleep. Suddenly, you hear a knock at the door, and someone asks to enter. Do you answer or roll over?

Your answer might depend on the following fact. Increasingly, business and vacation travelers are becoming the targets of thieves, robbers, and thugs.

Safety a top priority

In a recent survey of American households, the safety of one's destination ranked as the top travel worry when people contemplated their business or vacation travel. In fact, four out of five respondents ranked safety concerns at the top of their list. That's why we at the Office of the Attorney General have put together these travel safety tips.

How to protect yourself

The first common-sense rule of travel is not to answer the door in a hotel or motel room if you do not know who is on the other side. If the person claims to be a hotel employee - and you didn't expect him

or her - call the front desk to verify if the hotel sent someone to your room

Other safety tips

Use the main entrance to the hotel or motel, especially late at night.

Whenever you are in your room, close the door securely, using all of the available locks.

Be sure not to lose your keys or room entry card and don't leave them out where they can be stolen, e.g., at the swimming pool, or restaurant.

Never let strangers in your room.

Don't wear expensive jewelry or flash large amounts of cash.

Don't leave your valuables in your room. Use the hotel's safe deposit box.

Do check to see that all windows, sliding glass doors, and connecting doors to other rooms are locked and secure.

Report any suspicious behavior or activity to management.

Outside your room

Don't restrict your vigilance to your room. When visiting another city, stay alert. Don't be an easy mark - leave your valuables at your hotel.

Remember, visitors seen standing around looking at maps will receive more at-

tention from hustlers and thieves than natives, so be aware. Ignore people who offer to sell you something cheap or hail you a cab or offer you a service you did not ask for. Be especially cautious around transportation hubs like airport terminals and train stations. In large cities, stick to licensed taxi cabs.

And although pickpockets aren't as active as they used to be, it is still wise to take notice when someone bumps or jostles you in a crowd, or taps you on the shoulder.

If you have a purse, tuck it tightly under your arm, and never hang it on a restaurant chair or in a restroom stall. If you are carrying a wallet, tuck it in your front pocket instead of the traditional back pocket.

Common sense rules

The best way to stay safe is to think ahead and use common sense. Ask the people at your hotel desk or the local chamber of commerce what places or areas of town to avoid. Leave all unnecessary credit cards at home and divide up your travelers checks between your family members or travel companions.

Be safe, be smart, and have a great trip.