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SISD voters approve both bonds, Texas says yes to 13

Salado ISD students should occupy a new high school in Aug. 2026 after local school district voters overwhelmingly approved a \$235,960,000 bond proposition on Nov. 7. SISD voters also narrowly approved \$34,490,000 proposition for a new stadium complex.

Work on the current high school to convert it to an elementary/intermediate school will take place during spring and summer 2026 to re-open in August 2026.

Work on Thomas Arnold Elementary will begin in summer 2026 and finish in 2027 or 2028, according to Superintendent Michael Novotny.

Construction of the new stadium is not "contingent on any of those projects, but is contingent on when we will have enough band capacity to sell those bonds," Dr. Novotny said.

Statewide, voters approved all but one of the 14 propositions on Nov. 7.

Below are the results of the Nov. 7 general election. PROPOSITION A

issuance The \$235,960,000 of bonds by the Salado Independent School District for a new high school; renovations at Thomas Arnold Elementary school; repurpose existing high school for an intermediate school; information technology infrastructure and HVAC replacements and levying the tax in payment thereof. This is a property tax increase.

FOR 1,880 **AGAINST** 1,084 PROPOSITION B

The issuance of \$34,490,000 of bonds by the Salado Independent School District for a new stadium complex and levying the tax in payment thereof. This is a property tax increase.

1,511 **AGAINST** 1,462

Texans voted on 14 proposed amendments as a part of the November 7 Election. Below is the ballot order as drawn.

Proposition 1 – HJR 126 "The constitutional amendment protecting the right to engage in farming, ranching, timber production, horticulture, and wildlife management."

STATEWIDE

2,022,396 **FOR AGAINST** 536,734 **BELL COUNTY** 21,139 FOR **AGAINST** 3,831

Proposition 2 – SJR 64 "The constitutional amendment authorizing a local option exemption from ad valorem taxation by a county or municipality of all or part of the appraised value of real property used to operate a child-care facility."

STATEWIDE FOR

1,626,303 **AGAINST** 884,196 **BELL COUNTY** 15,645

"The constitutional amendment prohibiting the imposition of an individual wealth or net worth tax, including a tax on the difference between the assets and liabilities of an individual or

family." **STATEWIDE**

AGAINST

FOR 1,709,653 **AGAINST** 808,980 **BELL COUNTY** 18,416 FOR

6,217

Proposition 4 – HJR 2 from the second special session "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to establish a temporary limit on the maximum appraised value of real property other than a residence homestead for ad valorem tax purposes; to increase the amount of the exemption from ad valorem taxation by a school district applicable to residence homesteads from \$40,000 to \$100,000; to adjust the amount of the limitation on school district ad valorem taxes imposed on the residence homesteads of the elderly or disabled to reflect increases in certain exemption amounts; to except certain appropriations to pay for ad valorem tax relief from the constitutional limitation on the rate of growth of appropriations; and to authorize the legislature to provide for a four-year term of of-

districts." **STATEWIDE**

FOR 2,118,086 **AGAINST** 420,537 **BELL COUNTY**

fice for a member of the board

of directors of certain appraisal

FOR 21,576 3,338

Proposition 5 – HJR 3 "The constitutional amendment relating to the Texas University Fund, which provides funding to certain institutions of higher education to achieve national prominence as major research universities and drive the state economy."

FOR

1,619,618 **AGAINST** 897,405 BELL COUNTY FOR 14,610 **AGAINST** 9,963

Proposition 6 – SJR 75 "The constitutional amendment creating the Texas water fund to assist in financing water projects in this state.

STATEWIDE

1,966,508 FOR **AGAINST** 566,241 **BELL COUNTY** 19,451 AGAINST 5,300 **Proposition 7 – SJR 93**

"The constitutional amendment providing for the creation of the Texas energy fund to support the construction, maintenance, modernization, and operation of electric generating facilities."

STATEWIDE 1,641,453 FOR AGAINST 886,991 **BELL COUNTY**

FOR 17,042 AGAINST 7,684 **Proposition 8 –** HJR 125 "The constitutional amendment speed broadband access and assist in the financing of connectivity projects.'

STATEWIDE

1,747,713 **AGAINST** 768,928 **BELL COUNTY**

16,836 **AGAINST** 7,791 **Proposition 9 – HJR 2, reg**ular session "The constitutional amendment authorizing the 88th Legislature to provide a cost-ofliving adjustment to certain annuitants of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas."

STATEWIDE

2,141,913 AGAINST 416,191 BELL COUNTY

FOR 20,644 AGAINST 4,303 Proposition 10 - SJR 87

The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation equipment or inventory held by a manufacturer of medical or biomedical products to protect the Texas healthcare network and strengthen our medical supply chain."

STATEWIDE

1,368,072 FOR AGAINST 1,119,878 **BELL COUNTY**

FOR 13.821 **AGAINST** 10,708

Proposition 11 – SJR 32 "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit conservation and reclamation districts in El Paso County to issue bonds supported by ad valorem taxes to fund the development and maintenance of parks and recreational facili-

ties." **STATEWIDE**

FOR 1,524,137 **AGAINST** 882,008 **BELL COUNTY** 14,440 9,285

Proposition 12 - HJR 134 "The constitutional amendment providing for the abolition of the office of county treasurer in Galveston County."

STATEWIDE

FOR 1,210,650 AGAINST 1,076,247 BELL COUNTY

11,852 FOR **AGAINST** 11,176 Proposition 13 - HJR 107

"The constitutional amendment to increase the mandatory age of retirement for state justices and iudges."

STATEWIDE

FOR 931,115 **AGAINST** 1,564,688 BELL COUNTY

FOR 9,071 **AGAINST** 15,479

Proposition 14 – SJR 74 "The constitutional amendment providing for the creation of the centennial parks conservation fund to be used for the creation and improvement of state

parks. STATEWIDE

AGAINST

FOR 1,925,767 **AGAINST** 591,128 BELL COUNTY 18,802

5,813

creating the broadband infra-**AGAINST** 8,944 **Bowl is Nov. 11** Empty

Salado Family Relief Fund invites you to come enjoy a bowl of soup at their annual Empty Bowl Project 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Nov. 11 at the Salado Middle School Caf-

"The Empty Bowl Project is our annual fund raiser for the SFRF," states Tina Fults SFRF Chairperson for the Empty Bowl Project.

The funds raised go to providing services throughout the year to families in need, including help with rent/mortgage, help with utilities and help with minor medical expenses. The SFRF also contributes to Salado ISD lunch fund for students who are in need and do not qualify for the free lunch program under federal guidelines. It also provides gas cards of up to \$25 for travelers through the area who show the need for help.

All the soup is donated by local restaurants and individuals.

In year's past donations have come from The Barton House, Chupacabra, Inn on the Creek, The Shed, Cathy's Boardwalk CAFÉ, McCain's

Bakery & Café, Stagecoach Inn and Johnny's with bread sticks furnished from The Pizza Place.

Bowls donated from students from UMHB and Salado High School along with professional throwers from Mud Pies, Titia Arledge. Prices for children 10 and under is \$5, a bowl of soul is \$12 for either eating in or togo. \$22 for a Bowl and Soup.

Pearls Place will be on site providing microchipping for \$15.



The Scots are coming! (Courtesy PHOTO)

Scottish Gathering, Highland Games this weekend

The 62nd Salado Scottish Gathering and Highland Games will be held Nov. 10-12 at the Thomas Arnold Elementary School grounds in Salado, Texas. Heralding all things Scottish, this landmark event is the oldest Scottish festival in Texas and has been sponsored continuously

by the Salado Museum since 1961. All proceeds from the three-day event benefit the museum, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization (saladomuseum.org).

The weekend's activities include bagpipe bands, athletes Tossing the Caber, Highland dancing, Celtic musicians, the popular Bonniest Knees Contest, Dog Costume Contest, a Celtic marketplace, food trucks, and more. The Clan Village is the largest gathering of Scottish Clans in Texas where members from 40

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BoA approves infrastructure work

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Work will begin on two infrastructure projects after aldermen approved the low bidders at their Nov. 2 meet-

Aldermen approved the \$499,986.50 bid by Royal Vista, Inc. for the drainage improvement project at Stagecoach Circle. The proposed improvements include replace of several driveway drainage culverts on Chisholm Trail and installation of a subsurface drainage pipe on Stagecoach Circle.

The cost estimate by the Village Engineer for the project was \$535,248. The project will be funded with \$322,190.20 remaining in the America Relief Act Funding, along with \$177,796.30 from the Village fund balance.

Eight other contractors submitted the following bids: WR Utilities, LLC, \$696,219; Yoko Excavating, LLC, \$1,271,124; SJ&J Construction, LLC, \$1,191,456; J&L Construction LLC, \$1,081,156.82; Bell Contractors, Inc., \$852,834.22; Nelson Lewis, Inc., \$1,042,062; Central Texas Site Prep, LLC; \$1,142,606.90; Adams Materials & Excavation, LLC, \$693,133.85.

The contractor was approved on a motion by alderman Jasen Graham, receiving a second by alderman Paul Cox (remote). Alderman Bert Henry joined Graham and Cox in voting in favor while Mayor Pro Tem Rodney Bell and alderman Jason Howard voted against.

Aldermen also approved Blacksmith Ventures, LLC to overlay Center Circle at a cost of \$169,923. Also bidding were Bennett Paving, Inc., \$204,830 and Texas Materials, \$221,689.

Approval came on a mo-

tion by Bell and second by Graham. Henry voted against.

PID Developments Aldermen took two actions concerning Public Im-

provement Districts during the meeting. Aldermen approved FMS

Bonds as the bond underwriters for the bonds to retire debt for the Sanctuary PID and the Sanctuary East administrator Village

Don Ferguson told the board that the bond underwriter is responsible for analyzing the developer's capacity to retire bond debt, acquiring bonds, taking them to market, marketing bonds and selling bonds to potential investors.

Sanctuary PID, according to the agenda packet and minutes of the Feb. 2, 2023 Board of Aldermen meeting, is composed of 49.43 acres at the southeast corner of I-35 and FM 2268. The total amount of PID bonds to fund improvement projects is \$7.4 million.

Sanctuary East PID, according to the Feb. 2, 2023 agenda packet and minutes, is composed of 188.85 acres located to the north of FM 2268, south of Royal St. and east of IH-35. The total amount of PID bonds to fund improvement projects is \$15 million.

Ferguson told aldermen that all four of the firms under consideration "have outstanding reputations. They are all excellent candidates.'

He added that the decision to recommend FMS Bonds came down to three things: "Experience in the region and understanding the market, efficiency, and competitive bond rates."

"They are the gatekeeper," Ferguson said. "They represent us, not the developer."

According to P3Works,

a city's PID debt is non-recourse to the city. The bonds are backed only by the assessment on property within the PID. All costs to the city incurred as a result of creating the PID, including staff, legal, engineering and consultant costs, should be paid by the developer via a cash escrow deposit with the City and are reimbursable from bond proceeds when the bonds sell.

According to P3Works, the issuance of PID debt by the city does not reduce the city's bonding capacity. Also, the city keeps all of its ad valorem and sales tax revenues. However, in the case of Sanctuary, the development agreement allows for the developer to keep half of the city ad valorem taxes, half of the sales taxes and half of the Hotel Occupancy Texas generated by properties within the PID boundar-

According to law, a PID may seek bonds totaling 1/3 of the value of the improved properties within the PID boundaries.

Aldermen approved FMS Bonds as the bond underwriter on a motion by Cox receiving a second from Graham. It passed 4-1 with Howard voting against.

The board approved a proposal to require all current and future PIDs to post signage at all entrances informing potential property owners that there is a PID assessment for all properties within the PID along with a phone number to the PID advisor for more information on the impact of that assessment. Howard gave the motion requiring the further public disclosure on PID assessment, receiving a second from Henry. It passed unanimously.

Fed signals U.S. return to reasonable, sustainable rate of economic growth

fundamentally flawed, U.S. stock market indicator, the S&P 500 Stock Index (SPX) turned in one of its typical counterintuitive weeks as it took off like the proverbial scalded cat for the week ending on November 3, as the Index rose a whopping 5.85% to 4358.34! If you are keeping score, that rise took it right out of any suspicion of being in a correction and returned it to bull market status. It is now up 13.51% this year, about 22% from last October, and 95% higher than it was in March of 2023. Of course, we must admit that the SPX is still down about 9% from its record high at the beginning of 2022. Not to be outdone by its older, larger sibling, the CRSP US Mid-Cap Value Index, our other followed market indicator, rose 6.28% for the week to 2278.76, although it is still down 2.6% for the year as well as being about 12% lower than at the beginning of 2022. A bit of hope was added to the picture as Morningstar reported that their models suggest that the U.S. stock market is significantly undervalued considering its recent decline and the unexpectedly high earnings reports coming in for the third quarter.

Once more, the bond market was the center of attention as the yield on the 10-year U.S. Treasury note fell to 4.57% from last week's top of just over 5%. The Treasury yield curve remained solidly inverted with the less than 1-year maturities remaining around 5.5%. In a distinct surprise, West Texas Intermediate crude oil short-term futures fell to \$80.89 per barrel heralding the hope for lower fuel prices as we approach the holiday season.

The Economy

The week was chock full of economic reports from both private and government agencies, not to mention a meeting of the Federal Reserve Board. The stock market breathed a sigh of relief on Wednesday as, de-

Market & Economic Update

by Jeffrey W. McClure



spite the upbeat news for the U.S. economy, it elected to hold interest rates steady for the near future in a range of 5.25% to 5.50% in a unanimous vote. There was real fear that the 4.9% annualized U.S. GDP growth rate reported last week would shift the Fed into a rate increase. In the news conference following the meeting, Chairman Jerome Powell said he expects the economy to soften in the months ahead and was willing to let the higher longer-term rates do their work without an increase in short-term rates. Over the last year, prices have risen between 3.4% and 3.7%, depending on which measure one uses, but recently inflation has steadied at an annualized rate of between 1.2% and 2.4%, about where the Fed wants it to be. Based on their public comments over the past month, Federal Reserve Board members have shifted their focus away from raising rates to the issue of leaving rates at their 22-year high for much longer than many commentators have anticipated.

As if to echo the Fed's assurance that the economy has or is returning to a reasonable, sustainable rate of growth, the Labor Department reported on Friday that U.S. employers added 150,000 jobs in October, half the unexpectedly high job growth reported in September. At the same time, the household survey indicated that the unemployment rate rose to 3.9%, very close to the theoretically sustainable rate of about 4%. In the same report was the counterintuitively encouraging news that the job creation estimates for August and September were revised downward by over 100,000.

To us, the most significant report of the week

also came from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), one of our favorite government agencies. As a result of labor costs not rising as fast as unit production, the third quarter 2023, preliminary estimate of nonfarm business sector labor productivity increased at an annualized rate of 4.7%! For those unfamiliar with this obscure statistic, high labor productivity allows profits, and our Gross Domestic Product, to rise without creating inflation. U.S. workers are increasing production of goods and services at a rate 4.7% higher than labor costs are rising.

Tempering all the good news, were the reports from the Institute for Supply Management (ISM) on their Purchasing Managers' Index for services and for manufacturing. In that index, numbers above 50 indicate growth and below 50, contraction. The Services PMI came in at 51.8 suggesting reasonable, sustainable growth, while in the manufacturing sector, the index was reported to be 46.7. The key to understanding those numbers is to recognize that manufacturing is only about 11% of the U.S. economy while about 78% is composed of services. The remaining 11% of economic contribution is composed of business investment, net exports of goods and services, and government spending.

There was good news all around for the first business week in November as the Fed held steady, job creation appeared to return to a good, sustainable rate, inflation seemed to remain within the Fed's target range, and U.S. labor productivity soared. It is good to see our optimistic view from the beginning of this year validated.

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Water Symposium Nov. 14

Lower & Central Basin Re-

The 22nd Bell County Water Symposium will be held at the Cadence Bank Center (formerly Bell County Expo) in Belton on Nov. 14, sponsored by the Clearwater Underground Water Conservation District (CUWCD). The theme of this year's event is "Water Resiliency and the Never Ending Drought".

The legacy partners of the annual event are the Texas AgriLife Extension Service in Bell County, the Bell County Engineers Office, and the Bell County Commissioners Court.

The Keynote of the Day will be delivered by Dr. Hal Needham, an Extreme Weather and Disaster Scientist located in Galveston Texas. Dr. Hal has been an extreme weather and disaster scientist with 15 plus years' experience conducting data-driven risk analysis for disaster-prone communities. He specializes in science communication to both professional scientists and the public on extreme weather such as floods and drought. He hosts the Geo-Trek podcast https://www. geo-trek.com/podcast ranked by FeedSpot as the #1 podcast on natural disas-

Dr. Hal is also an international expert on coastal flooding and directs the U-Surge Project, which provides the first comprehensive coastal flood data for the United States, Australia, the Philippines, Bangladesh, and India. He is lead scientist for Flood Information Systems, where he develops address-based flood risk tools. He resides in Galveston, Texas, site of the deadliest natural disaster in U.S. history. He has obtained a B.S. from Penn State University and M.S. and doctoral degrees from Louisiana State University.

Bell County Judge David Blackburn, will welcome the day's attendees and give an update and understanding of the growth in Bell County. Judge Blackburn represents the county's interest in the Regional Water Planning Group known as Brazos G which participates in the State Water Planning Process

The first speaker of the morning will be Mr. Tony Smith, Associate Vice President of Carollo Engineers in Austin. Tony states that he has been fortunate to work with and lead experts on various multi-disciplinary projects in many states. He has served as the Project Manager for the development of 2016, 2021, and now the 2026 North East Texas Regional Water Plans. He is the Project Manager for the 2026 Brazos G Regional Water Plan of which CUWCD General Manager Dirk Aaron and Judge Blackburn serve and represent Bell County inter-

sts.
Brad Brunett, BRA's

gional Manager, will follow Smith with an update on BRA's Water Management Strategies including but not limited to the recent announcement of the "Belhouse Drought Preparedness Project". This project is a planned water transport system linking Lake Belton to Stillhouse Hollow Lake. He will also provide an indepth update of the Allens Creek Reservoir which is a water supply storage reservoir planned for construction near the City of Wallis in Austin County. The reservoir is planned to be "off-channel," meaning it will be built near the Brazos River on Allens Creek, a tributary of the Brazos. A permit to build the reservoir was originally issued to Houston Lighting & Power Company (HL&P - a predecessor of NRG) in 1974 to provide cooling water for a proposed nuclear power plant. The power plant was not built, and eventually, HL&P allowed the water rights permit for the reservoir to expire.

The Brazos River Authority and the City of Houston purchased the 9,500-acre Allens Creek Reservoir site from Reliant Energy in 2000. For the past several years, the reservoir project has been on hold. However, due to the increasing need for water supply in the Brazos River basin, the Brazos River Authority purchased full rights to the reservoir from the City of Houston and the Texas Water Development Board in May 2022. The BRA will be the sole developer/owner of the reservoir moving forward.

Aaron, CUWCD Board

President Leland Gersbach and the District's Geoscientist Mike Keester will present an update on the groundwater resources across the county and provide specifics on current uses of groundwater, pending permits and status of the groundwater resources across the region. "We will present updated data per our most recent studies conducted and funded by the district to address many of the new understandings of the depletion of artesian pressure in the Trinity Aquifer in the most southwestern portions of our County," Aaron said. "An update on the Edwards BFZ aquifer will also be highlighted as the resources and permitees have reduced pumping the last two years due to the persistent drought of 2022-

Dr. Hal will give the keynote address during lunch.

Following a catered lunch, two very important panels of experts will specifically address "Aquifer Storage & Recovery the New Reservoir" by a seven-member panel of ASR experts and those pursuing the need for this invisible

reservoir for Bell County. Planned and implemented strategies for the county will be laid out by the panelists. "We have been discussing this since 2019 and the time has arrived for the public to know the specific facts and ingenuity being applied by science experts and the regulatory community," Aaron said.

The final presentation will be one of the most important aspects of this year's symposium. "New and existing homeowners have expressed consternation and disbelief that public and private water use needs curtailment in times of drought," Aaron said. "The district, while empathetic to private investment in landscape, the future is upon us that use of potable water for landscape is coming to a major shift thus Rainwater Catchment is a strategy we all must do to protect our outdoor areas and trees." Allan Standen is the recipient of the 2023 Texas Water Development Rain Catcher Award recognizing his excellence in design and implementation of rain catchment in his home. He received this award on October 5, 2023.

The Standen residence was designed and built with rainwater harvesting in mind since municipal water service is unavailable in the neighborhood. The design provides for 100% of the household water needs by maximizing the 4,000-square foot metal roof collection area while minimizing the conveyance distance between roof eaves and storage tanks. The two 10,000-gallon storage tanks are located underneath an exterior deck, allowing the system to conform to the natural slope of the lot while keeping the tanks out of sight. By collecting and capturing rainwater, Standen has conserved local groundwater resources by avoiding the need to drill a well, minimized erosion, and provided water back into the watershed through an underground overflow

Allen will present on how he has adapted his entire home to rainwater use. "His originality and innovation and knowledge of how to adapt by innovation is key to his success," Aaron said. "Standen is not new to Bell County, because, as a professional geoscientist, he has overseen the development of the 3D visualization of the County for Clearwater, which has brought great discernment on how managing the resource is being affected by the geologic structure of the County and the influence of overuse in Williamson County has affected the resource in such a negative way that is now insurmountable to sustain the resource in the next decade."

Scots

clans share information on Scottish history and genealogy. (saladoscottishfestival. com)

Events begin on Nov. 10 with a presentation, The Scottish Fiddle - Its Journey of Influence from Scotland to the USA, by Scottish fiddler and storyteller Colin MacLeod at 1 p.m. in the Salado Museum with a suggested donation at the door. The Calling of the Clans torchlight ceremony is held at 6 p.m. on the banks of Salado Creek just north of the museum and is open free to the public. A ticket-

ed Social follows at the museum that includes a whiskey tasting with offerings from Texas-based Modisett & Sons Distillery.

Festival grounds are open 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Nov. 11. Opening ceremonies are held at noon with the Bands and Clans Parade and a massed bands presentation. The parade starts at Main Street and North Pace Park Road and moves west on Thomas Arnold Road to the festival grounds. The day's activities include live Celtic music by fiddler Colin MacLeod, singers Jil

Chambless and Dan Vogt, and Celtic band Murder the Stout featuring button accordionist Hugh Morrison.

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Grounds open 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Nov. 12 with the Kirkin' o' the Tartan at 9 a.m. The day's activities include a performance by the Silver Thistle Pipes and Drums and the Hill Country Highland Dancers. The Wee Scots Gift Shop is open all three days at the Salado Museum on South Main Street. For ticket prices and more information, www. saladoscottishfestival.com or call 254-947-5232.





Some enjoyed Trick or Treat on MonsterStreet, some made a strategic retreat.



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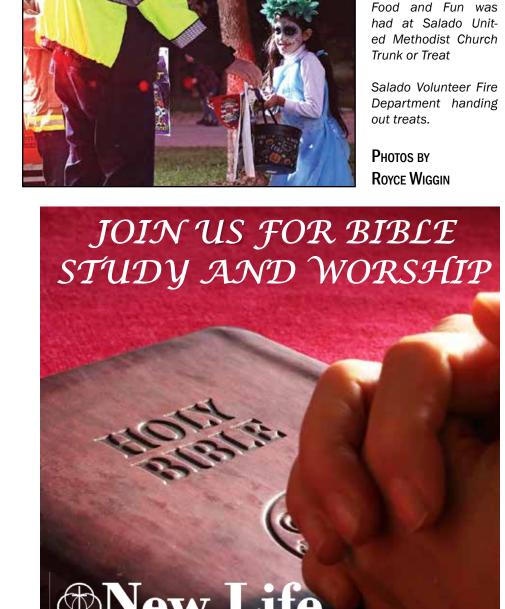


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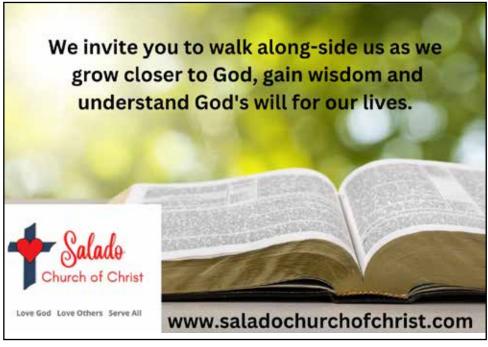
Meeting at the Salado Museum, 423 S Main Street, in down-

town Salado. (Across the street from the Stagecoach Inn)

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6:00p - Student Midweek (7th-12th)

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Rep. Buckley will install SARW officers Nov. 16

Salado Area Republican Women will install new officers and share all the awards they received from both the national and state organizations 11:30 a.m. Nov. 16 at the Salado Civic Center.

State Rep. Brad Buckley, District 54, will be the speaker. He will install the 2024 officers and give an update from the Texas Legislature.

The following women were elected last month: President, Brenda Howard; First Vice President, Sherril Gardipee; Second Vice President, Katherine Krska; Third Vice President, Barclay McCort; Secretary, Evelyn Matthews and Treasurer, Nancy Norris. The cost



State Rep. Brad Buckley

for the luncheon is \$20 and reservations are needed for food and seating by Nov. 10 to Sherril.gardipee@gmail. com or 254 217-4390. Everyone is welcome to attend and hear about the activities in the Texas House.









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Sweeden **Wadford** exchange marriage vows Nov. 5

Brandy Sweeden and Art Wadford, both of Salado, were united in holy matrimonty at their home in Salado on Nov. 5, 2023 in a ceremony officiated by Sandy Jacobsen of Salado.

The bride was given away by her father Don George, of Salado.

She wore an ivory long sleeved lace Blanche dress.

The bride was attended by her sister, Malena Mick.

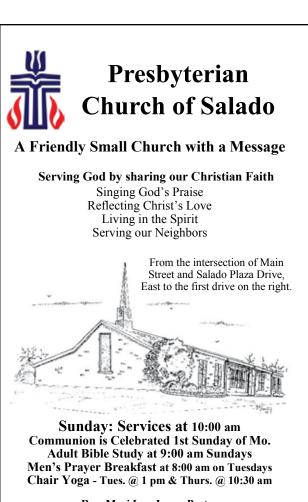
Brian Arnett, of Salado, a lifelong friend of the groom, served as Best

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at their home with perfect weather to accompany good food, good music and good friends and family, including the bride's children Steven, Joslyn, and Alyson Sweeden and the groom's children Victoria and Kaitlynn Wadford and his grandchildren Willow

and Lycan. The bride is employed by Still Austin Whiskey Co. The groom, a retired submariner, is employed by the Internal Revenue

The couple will continue to make their home in Salado.





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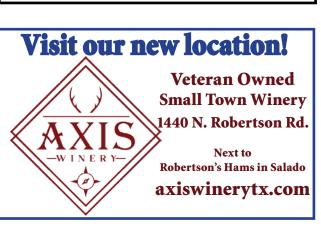
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108 Royal Street



The home of Roy and Deanna Robinson at 248 Van Bibber Rd. will be part of the Salado Historical Society Tour of Homes on Dec. 2. PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER

Texas Farmhouse style home of **Robinsons will be on Christmas Tour**

The home of Roy and Deanna Robinson at 248 Van Bibber Rd. will be part of the Salado Historical Society Tour of Homes on Dec. 2.

The traditional farmhouse style home was built by the Robinsons in 2021.

The home will be deco-

The land that the two-story home sits on is traceable back to the original land grant from Mexico to S.C. Robertson the to his son E.S.C. Robertson and then to the Hamblen family,

rated with antiques and re-

stored items the Robinsons

have collected over the year.

which donated the property for the original red brick schoolhouse built in 1924.

A restored 1955 For F-100 pickup truck will be decorated and parked beneath the windmill in front of the house as a prop/backdrop for photos.

Other stops on the tour

include these: Sam and Rhonda Dowdy, 9 Salado Commons, David and Lauren Patterson, 461 Van Bibber, Grear and Stacy Howard, 181 OW Lowrey, Jim and Lisa Gurno, 708 Whispering Oaks and the historic cabins on Van Bibber.

Tickets can be purchased at centraltexastickets.com.

Shoppes on Main Holiday Open House Nov. 10

Shoppes on Main invites you to a special Holiday Open House with entertainment, culinary delights, and the opportunity to make a meaningful impact on Hearts & Hands Ministries.

The Holiday Open House will be 5-8 p.m. Nov. 10 at Shoppes on Main, 22 N. Main St. in Salado.

This festive event will feature live music from Salado's own Wayworn Traveler, setting the stage for a memorable and enjoyable atmosphere. Guests will have the opportunity

to savor delectable complimentary food and beverages catered in-house by Marketplace Café & Crêperie.

"In the true spirit of giving, we encourage attendees to bring non-perishable food items and new unwrapped toys, which will all be donated to Hearts & Hands Ministries," Lara Tracy said. "Guests may also purchase toys from donated. Every contribution, no matter how small, will make a significant difference to support this com-

munity cause."

During this Holiday Open House Shoppes on Main will also have a giving campaign. As a unique offering, guests can purchase any number of "Pick a Package" gifts, including ones containing select Kendra Scott pieces, where a percentage of the proceeds will be donated directly to Hearts & Hands Miniswithin our store to also be tries. There will also be an opportunity for guests to make their own charitable donation.

"We cordially invite

you to join us for this special event, which combines entertainment, delicious food and beverages, and the chance to make a positive impact on Hearts & Hands Ministries," Amy Young said. "Your participation and support are invaluable as we come together to spread goodwill and cheer during this festive season."

For more information about Hearts & Hands Ministries, please visit: heartandhandsministries.

Cricket games will be part of Salado's **Scottish Gathering, Highland Games**

Play Ball - The Scottish Way. The Scots are a sports-loving people and one of the sports they enjoy is the venerable old game of cricket, which is a fairly popular summer team sport throughout the country (the Scottish national team will

Cricket World Cup, to be jointly hosted by the United States).

Visitors to this year's Salado Scottish Gathering and Highland Games will have an opportunity on Nov.

be participating in the 2024 this aspect of Scottish culture by joining in short, informal cricket games conducted by American cricket player and author, Tom Melville from 10am to 2pm.

The cricket games are open to everyone. Absolute-12 to personally experience ly no experience required. So come and discover what "play ball" means to the Scots!

The 62nd Scottish Gathering and Highland Games take place in Salado November 10-12. For details, visit www.saladoscottishfestival.com.



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Harbuz retiring, closing Angelic Herbs

CJ Harbuz has announced her retirement and the closing of Angelic Herbs in Salado.

"It is with mixed emotions I announce the closing of Angelic Herbs Retail Store," Harbuz stated. "After over 27 years of serving our community, the time has come for me to close this chapter of my life. I am truly grateful for the loyalty and support of my customers and the community throughout the years."

"I am offering exclusive retirement sale discounts on all retail lines excluding supplements," Harbuz said. "This is your chance to take advantage of unbeatable prices on the high-quality purchases you enjoy. My inventory is limited, so act fast to secure the artisan

pieces, cards, and spa lines you enjoy before they are gone. This is also a great opportunity to stretch those Christmas dollars or treat vourself to something you have been wanting."

"Most of all I cherish the memories we have made together. I hope you will stop by to visit or re-visit my store, to share some of your memories, and to perhaps add another," Harbuz said. "I am looking forward to creating the next chapter focusing on my passion to help people make better wellness choices. I have the outline and will share the chapter once it is ready for release. Until then, I look forward to seeing you around the village and wherever our paths may cross."



Village of Salado Calendar of Events

Mondays

Salado Senior Center open 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Mondays at 650 Royal St. (Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activity Center). Coffee Corner and Game Time, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Pickleball Courts open, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Chair Yoga with Joette Grieco, 9-10 a.m.; Dominoes 42, 10 a.m.-noon; Stretching (Beginner Yoga) with Gary, 10:15 a.m.; Bridge, 12:30-3 p.m.

Village Artists- knitters, crocheters and stitchers meet, 1-4 p.m. Salado Village Artists' red building behind the Civic Center.

Bikes & Brews, 6:30 p.m. for a no-drop ride, Barrow Brewing Co.

Floor practice at Salado Masonic Lodge #296, 95 S. Church St., 6:30 p.m. except on Stated Meeting nights.

Open Mic with Ryan White, at Chupacabra, 7 p.m. Tonkawa Chapter Native Plant Society of Texas meetmonth, Barrow Brewing Co. Second Monday Book Club meets at 7 p.m. at Śalado Winery, 841 N. Main St.

ing, 6 p.m., first Monday of

Salado Democrats meet the third Monday of each month, 7 p.m., in the conference room of Salado Public Library.

Tuesdays

Village Artists- artists and crafters meet 9:30-11:30 a.m. Salado Village Artists' red building behind the Civic

Knitting Group at Salado Public Library, 10 a.m.

Storytime with Ms. Mia at Salado Public Library, 11 a.m.

Tuesday Night Prix Fixe at Alexander's Craft Cocktails + Kitchen. \$16.95 for entree, dessert and glass of wine. Prix Fixe menu changes weekly. Visit Alexander's Facebook page for weekly updates on Prix Fixe. Reservations encouraged.

Trivia with Rockin Rick, at Chupacabra, 7-9 p.m.

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Wednesdays

Guest food truck day at Barrow Brewing Co., 4-9 p.m. Game Night at Barrow Brewing Co., 4-9 p.m. Trivia with Chad on second Wed.

Wine Down Wednesday at Alexander's Craft Cocktails & Kitchen, 5-7 p.m., Half price on select bottles of wine, featured wine by the glass and feature cocktail specials change weekly.

Grief Share support group program, 6:30-8 p.m.14-week fall session at Grace Church of Salado. The program is non-denominational and feature biblical concepts for healing from a person's grief. Cost is \$20 for workbook. For further information on the Grief Share program in Salado, please contact Mary Hendrix at 858-232- 4692. Last session is Nov. 1.

Karaoke, 7-10 p.m. at Chupacabra.

Thursdays

Salado Senior Center open 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Thursdays at 650 Royal St. (Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activity Center). Coffee Corner and Game Time, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Exercise class with Alice Cooper, 9 a.m. Chair Tai Chi with Rich Trautman, 10-11 a.m. Learn to Play Mah Jonng, 10 a.m.-noon; Dominoes 42, 10 a.m.-noon. Mah Jongg, 12-3 p.m. Beginner or Refresher Bridge, noon-2 p.m. Bridge, 12:30-3 p.m. Bingo 1-2:30

Pint night at Chupacabra, 4 p.m.-midnight.

Vinyl Nite with Shannon at Barrow Brewing Co., 5 p.m. Teen Writing Group, Sala-

do Public Library, 6 p.m. Barrow Cycling Club, 6 p.m. for a no-drop ride.

Weekly curated wine tasting hosted by Hannah Hendrick 6-8 p.m. at Salado Winery, 841 N. Main St. Tickets available online through Salado Winery Eventbrite https:// bit.ly/3MLXXOA. Call 254-947-8011 or check Facebook for more information.

Maxx Carter at Chupacabra, 6-10 p.m.

Bikes & Brews, 6:30 p.m. for a no-drop ride, Barrow Brewing Co.

Run4Beer Group, 6:30 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co. Family Night at The Shed,

specials on beer and pizzas change every week. The Bell County Master Gardener Association holds a free monthly seminar on the third Thursday of each month

at 6:30 pm at the Texas Agril-

ife Extension Office, 1605 N.

Main in Belton. **Fridays**

Storytime with Ms. Mia, Salado Public Library, 11 a.m. Live Music at Axis Winery,

3-6 p.m. Live Music at Chupacabra Craft Beers, 7-11 p.m.

Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co. 7 p.m.

Saturdays

Farmers' Market, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. every Saturday, Barrow Brewing Co.

Asanas and Ales, 9 a.m. every Saturday in the taproom at Barrow Brewing Co.

Live Music at Axis Winery, 2-5 p.m.

Live Music at Barrow Brewing, 7 p.m.

Live Music at Chupacabra Craft Beer, 8 p.m. Sundays

Live Music at Barrow Brewing Co., 4 p.m.

November 9 Tween Book Club, 2:30

p.m., Salado Public Library. November 9

Teens/Young Adult Crafter's Workshop, 4 p.m. Salado Public Library .Register at front desk.

November 9 Live Music and Veteran

Vendor Market at Barrow Brewing Co. begins at 4 p.m. with Back of the line Band, Lilly Mildford at 7 p.m. November 9

Adults True Crime Book

Club, 6 p.m. Salado Public Library.

November 9 The Three Musketeers by Ken Ludwig, Salado High School Theater Arts, 6:30 p.m. Salado High School,

doors open at 6 p.m. November 9

Let's Talk Music networking event, sponsored by Salado Music Friendly Community, 6 p.m., at The Shed, 220 Royal St. The event is open to all musicians, music venues and businesses and music fans and supporters. Speaker will be Steven Meiman of G-Dawg

Audio. November 9-10

Starfire Trunk Show at Susan Marie's of Salado, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

November 10

Shoppes on Main Holiday Open House benefiting Hearts & Hands MInistries, 5-8 p.m. at the shop, 22 N. Main St. Live music from Wayworn Traveler, complimentary food and beverages. Bring an unwrapped toy or non-perishable food items for Heart & Hands MInistries. You can purchase toys from the Shoppes to donate as well.

November 10

Live music at Chupacabra, 7 p.m. Kelany Brent.

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Brewing Co., 8 p.m., Murder the Stout.

November 10-11

Blow-Your-Own Pumpkin Event Pumpkins (\$70) - Ages 3+. Friday 3-5 p.m. & Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Reserve your spot at saladoglassworks. com.

November 10-12

Annual Highland Games and Gathering of Scottish Clans, grounds of Thomas Arnold Elementary, benefiting Salado Museum and College Hill Park. Visit https://saladomuseum.org/scottish-gathering-and-highland-games/ for tickets and information.

November 11

Third Annual Warrior Angels in Boots 5K, 8-11 .m., Barrow Brewing, benefiting Boot Campaign. Boot Campaign helps our military and Veterans with their physical and mental wellbeing. .99 cents out of every dollar goes to someone in need and 100% of the proceeds from this 5K will be donated to them. Register today at www.RunSignUp.com/WarriorAngels.

November 11

Empty Bowl Project benefting Salado Family Relief Fund, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Sal-ado Middle School. Bowls donated by students from UMHB and Salado High School along with professional throwers from Mud Pies. Pottery. Cost is \$5 for children 10 and under; \$12 Soup Only (16 oz.); \$12 Soup To Go (16 oz.) and \$22 Soup and Bowl. Pearls Place will be on site to microchipping for \$15.00

November 11

Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., Kent Hargett Scottish Band at 3 p.m., Murder the Stout at 8 p.m.

November 11

Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. Kyle Mathis.

November 11-12

Salado Market Days 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall 721 Stagecoach Road. Salado's original Market Days

November 12

Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 4 p.m., Cade Baccus.

November 13

Monday Book Club, 2 p.m., Salado Public Library. November 15

Music Munchkins, 10 a.m.,

Salado Public Library. November 15

Mini Makers, (age3-7), 11 a.m., Salado Public Library

November 15

Adult Bingo, 1 p.m., Salado Public Library. November 15

Barrow Brewing Co., guest

food truck, 4-8 p.m., Check-

point Germany. November 16 Thursday Book Club, 3 p.m. Salado Public Library.

November 16

Teens/Young Adults Crafter/s Workshop, 4 p.m. Salado Public Library. Regis-

ter at front desk. **November 16**

Adults Thanksgiving Centerpiece Craft, sessions at 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Salado Public Library.Register at front desk.

November 16

The Three Musketeers by Ken Ludwig, Salado High School Theater Arts, 6:30 p.m. Salado High Śchool, doors open at 6 p.m.

November 16

Village of Salado Aldermen meeting, 6:30 p.m. 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting will be cast via Zoom. Link will be posted at saladotx.gov 72 hours before meeting. November 17

Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m., Deuce Bennet. November 17

Live music at Chupacabra, 7 p.m. Chad Anderson.

November 17-19

Blow-Your-Own Ornament Event at Salado Glassworks. Basic Ornament (\$60) - Ages 3+, Fridays 3-5 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Fancy Ornament (\$70) - Âges 3+, Saturdays 2-5 p.m. and Sundays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Registration opens October 18. Register online at saladoglassworks.com.

November 18

Heart & Hands MInistries annual Thanksgiving Community Meal, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Thomas Arnold Elementary SChool Cafteria. Entire community is invited. Come in and sit down with the volunteers of Heart & Hands Ministries No drive-up this year. Carry out is limited to two plates.

November 18

Greenfield Coffee Cocktails Barrels and Brew better tlate than never Grand Opening. Live music and Texas grill master Arturo Ramon II open fire food cheff featured on the Travel Channel, Cooking Channel and Destination America. BBQ noon-9 p.m. Live Music 10 p.m. Tickets for Live Fire BBQ available at Eventbrite or calll 254-444.7854.

November 18

Teens/Young Adults Switch Games, noon, Salado Public Library.

November 18

Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m., Anna Larson Band. **November 18**

Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m. DeAnna Wendolyn. November 19

Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 4 p.m., Welsh Avenue.

November 21

The Texas Water Resources Institute, TWRI, will host a free Texas Riparian and Stream Ecosystem Education Program workshop from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Nov. 21 at Salado Museum and College Park, 423 South Main St. Attendees must RSVP by Nov. 13 at tx.ag/salado2023, or by email Alexander Neal at Alexander.Neal@ag.tamu.edu.





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The Nov. 21 workshop in Salado will focus on the Salado Creek watershed.

Salado Creek riparian, stream ecosystem workshop set for Nov. 21 at Museum

The Texas Water Resources Institute, TWRI, will host a free Texas Riparian and Stream Ecosystem Education Program workshop from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Nov. 21 in Salado for area residents interested in land and water stewardship in the Salado Creek watershed.

Co-hosted by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Texas Riparian Association and TWRI, the workshop will include a morning session at the Salado Museum and College Park, 423 South Main St., and an afternoon session with a walk and presentations along Salado Creek.

Attendees must RSVP by Nov. 13 at tx.ag/salado2023, or by email Alexander Neal, TWRI program specialist, Bryan-College Station, at Alexander. Neal@ag.tamu.edu.

The program will also include a lunchtime presentation with a catered lunch being offered for \$15 or participants can bring their own lunches. The catered lunch price also helps cover the coffee and snack breaks.

"Riparian education workshops motivate informed landowners and local residents to adopt and support practices to better manage riparian and stream ecosystems," Neal said. "Not only are water quality and quantity directly benefitted by the proper management, protection and restoration of these critical areas, but also enhanced are the soundness of stream banks, fish communities and aquatic habitats, just to name a few."

Workshop focuses

ON WATERSHED EFFORTS The Salado Creek water-

shed is the focus of water quality improvement efforts by stakeholders.



(PHOTO COURTESY OF PETE DIAZ)
Salado Salamander.

"Stakeholders recognize successful water quality improvement requires implementing a variety of management strategies," said Whitney Ingram, AgriLife Extension agent in Bell County. "The riparian and stream workshop is an educational event supporting this effort."

Neal said the workshop will focus on the nature and function of stream and riparian zones as well as the benefits and economic impacts from properly functioning riparian systems.

"Riparian areas — the green vegetated land areas adjacent to the bank of a stream, creek, bayou, river or lake — are unique and important ecosystems that provide many benefits including habitat and forage," Neal said. "The goal of the workshop is for participants to better understand riparian and watershed processes, the benefits of healthy riparian areas and what resources are available to prevent degradation while improving water quality."

Workshop presentations will be given by representatives of TWRI, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service, AgriLife Extension, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the Texas A&M Forest Service and the Texas Riparian Association.

Neal said they can offer the workshop at no cost thanks to program funding provided through a Clean Water Act nonpoint source grant from the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS OFFERED

Ricky Linex, wildlife biologist retired from the Natural Resources Conservation Service, Weatherford, said participants will receive a certificate of completion and appropriate continuing education unit certificates at the conclusion of the training.

The workshop offers many types of continuing education units, including three units - two general and one integrated pest management — for Texas Department of Agriculture pesticide license holders. Foresters and professional loggers can receive six hours from the Texas Forestry Association, six and a half hours from the Society of American Foresters, and eight hours from the International Society of Arboriculture. It offers seven credits from Texas Floodplain Management Association, seven hours for certified crop advisers, and six hours for Texas Nutrient Management Planning specialists. The program may also be used for continuing education units for professional engineers and architects.

The riparian education program is managed by the Texas Water Resources Institute, part of Texas A&M AgriLife Research, AgriLife Extension and the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences at Texas A&M University.

Contact Neal at Alexander.Neal@ag.tamu.edu for more information, or visit texasriparian.org or facebook.com/TexasRiparian-Association.

Let's Talk Music at The Shed Nov. 9

The Salado Music Friendly Community is hosting the next "Let's Talk Music," networking event at 6 p.m. Nov. 9 at The Shed, 220 Royal Street.

The event is open to all musicians, music venues and business, and music fans and supporters.

This "Let's Talk Music" will cover information on sound for performances. Our speaker will be Steve Meiman of G-Dawg Audio and will cover what are the requirements for venues and musicians, who provides the sound for performances, and what is needed based on the size of the audience. Musicians are encouraged

to bring their instruments for a jam session after the meeting, and everyone is invited to stay after and enjoy the music.

For more information about the Salado Music Friendly Community, visit https://www.saladotx.gov/music-friendly-community.

The "Let's Talk Music" networking events are aimed at bringing the Salado music community together to discuss topics related to the industry, including booking procedures, social media management, what questions to ask when accepting a performance, and more. The networking events are held

every other month at various venues in Salado.

The purpose of the Music Friendly Community Advisory Board is to promote music in Salado by connecting and supporting musicians, songwriters, venues, and vendors and advising the Village of Salado on strategies and goals to address opportunities and challenges in the local music industry.

Advisory Board meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 4 p.m. at the Salado Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Road. All meetings are open to the public.

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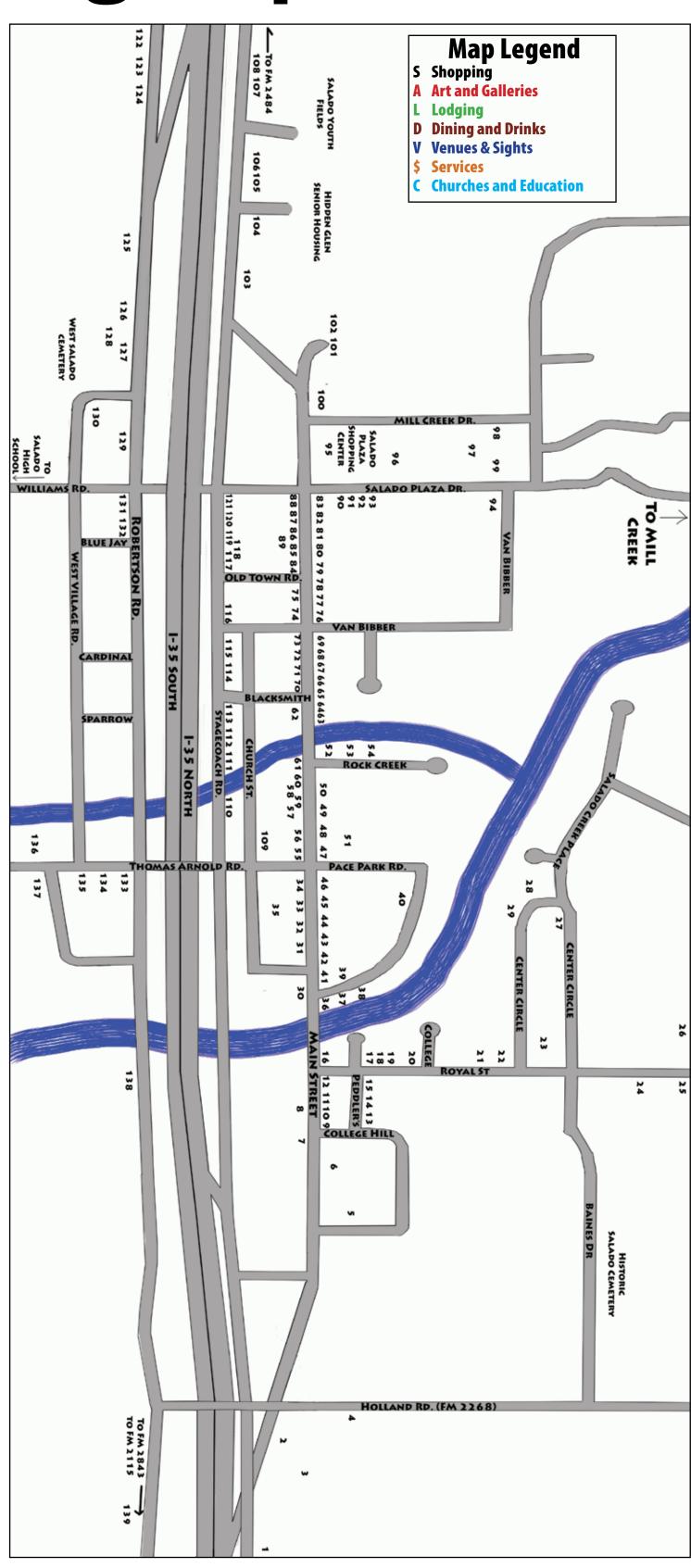




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Historical Markers in Salado

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- Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn)
- Main Street Bridge
- Barber-Berry Mercantile
- 23. The Baines House 24. Historic Dipping Vats
- 25. The A.J. Rose Mansion
- 26. Old Methodist Chapel
- 27. Caskey-Hendricks House
- 28. Dr. McKie Place (Twelve Oaks)
- 29. Alexander's Distillery
- 30. First Baptist Church
 - 31. The Tyler House
- 35. Salado Masonic Lodge #296

The Norton-Orgain House

55. The Armstrong Adams House

45. The Anderson House Old Saloon

The Barton House

51. The Levi Tenney House

- 49. The Vickrey House
- - 76. Boles-Aiken & Denman Cabins
 - 77. The Robert B. Halley House 79. The Reed Cabin
 - 100. The Josiah Fowler House

61. Historic Lenticular Bridge

Lady Eagles place third at state XC

Salado Lady Eagles placed third in the UIL 4A State Cross Country Meet Nov. 4 at Round Rock's Old Settlers Park.

The girls team placed behind Canyon Randall, which was anchored by two freshmen, Nayomi Granados and Brooke French, who placed second and third with identical times of 11:17.6 and Fredericksburg, which had two seniors and a sophomore place fifth, sixth and seven. Salado had a team score of 103. Canyon Randall had a team score of 50 and Fredericksburg had a team score of 61,

The Salado girls were led by sophomore Cade Harris, who placed fourth overall with a time of 11:23.7. The girls division was won by Canyon sophomore Addyson Bristow, who had a time of 11:08.5.

Junior Penelope Anderson placed 17th overall with a time of 12:04.6.

Freshman Sydney Engleking placed 20th with a time of 12:10.6.

Junior Alexa Williams placed 30th with a time of 12:21.7.

Junior Zoie Adcox placed 32nd with a time of 12:23.6.

Also running were juniors Anna Redelsheimer, 12:35.9, 41st and Ally Ihler, 12:47.6, 50th.

The girls are coached by Corey Baird.



Salado Lady Eagles Cross Country (I-r): Coach Corey Baird, Addison King (alternate), Cade Harris, Sydney Engleking, Anna Redelsheimer, Ally Ihler, Alexa Williams, Penelope Anderson, Zoie Adcox. (Photos By Royce WIGGIN)







Penelope Anderson



Sydney Engleking







son, Camden Aycock, Morgan Hauck, Luke Anderson, Brody DeLukie, Jonathan Brauchle. (PHOTOS BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

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Eagles place fifth at state

Salado Eagles cross country team placed fifth in the UIL 4A State meet Nov. 4 at Round Rock's Old Settlers Park.

The Eagles had a team score of 169 to place behind Canyon, first, 56; La Feria, second, 105; Boerne, third, 127 and San Elizario, fourth, 138.

The boys were led by Sophomore Coulson Boyd, who placed 13th with a time of 16:21.5 over the three-mile course.

Junior Luke Anderson placed 20th with a time of 16:38.3.

Freshman Daniel Anderson placed 33rd with a time of 16:54.5.

Junior Camden Aycock placed 49th with a time of 17:25.0.

Senior Morgan Hauck placed 54th with a time of 17:33.5



Also running for the Eagles were Sophomore Brodie DeLukie, 66th, 17:46.1 and Junior Jonathan Br-



auchle, 100th, 18:44.3.

The boys team was coached by Michael Goos.



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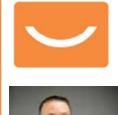
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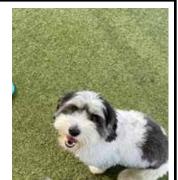


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Eagles fall to Madisonville

By Larnce Barker SPECIAL CONTRIBUTOR

The Salado Eagles traveled to Mustang Stadium in Madisonville to play their final game of the year. Both teams struggled offensively in the first drive of the 1st quarter but both defenses played well to force each team to punt.

Madisonville's second possession started at their own 40-yard line and drove the ball down the field with their speedy backs and receivers down to the Salado 1 yard line. The next play the Mustang QB punched the ball over the goal line for the first score of the game and the PAT was good to make the score 7-0 Madisonville.

The Salado Eagles offense struggled in their next drive to go 3 and out and punted the ball back to the Mustangs. The Mustang offense attacked the middle of the Eagles defense and scored on a 38-yard TD run at 10:26 in the 2nd quarter and the PAT was good to increase the score 14-0 Madi-

The Mustang defense would continue to stifle the Eagles offense after giving Salado their first 1st down of the game and got football back after a Salado punt. Madisonville 4th offensive drive would end up with a TD run up the middle of the defense again to bring the score 21-0 after the PAT.

Madisonville would kickoff to the Eagles when Kase Maedgen returned the kick-off to the Salado 41 yard-line. #8 Lincoln Hossfeld took the helm at QB and brought some spark to the Salado Offense. On 3rd down, Hossfeld had to scramble and connected with #2 Brendan Wilson for a 59-yard catch and run where Wilson kick in another gear to score the Eagles 1st touchdown of the game. After the PAT the score was 21-7 Mustangs.

The Eagles kick-off to the Mustangs where they returned the football to their 47 yard line. On their 1st play, the Mustang QB would connect with a wideopen receiver for a 53 yard TD and the PAT the score increased to 28-7 Mustangs.

This would be the halftime time score.

The Mustangs took the 2nd half Eagles kick-off and set up their offense and drove down the field when they scored on a 8 yard TD run and the PAT would increase their lead to 35-7 Mustangs. The Eagles would take their next possession and drive down the field with QB Hossfeld had a 30-yard run then finally scoring from 12 yards out to make the score 35-14 with the Mustangs still with

The Mustangs would score two more TD on offense to make the score 49-14. The Eagles QB Hossfeld threw a Pick 6 TD return and after the PAT the score would become 56-14. The Salado Eagles would end their Football season at 2-8 for 2023.

the lead.

Salado JV Eagles lost to Madisonville 14-22.

Salado junior high teams swept their Madisonville counterparts: Eighth Grade 22-20; Eighth Grade B, 20-0; Seventh Grade A, 14-6; Seventh Grade B, 14-0.

Annual Warrior Angels in Boots 5K set for Barrow Brewing Nov. 11

The 3rd annual Warrior Angels in Boots 5K is returning again to support the Boot Campaign beginning at 8 a.m. Nov. 11 at Barrow Brewing Co.

Kimmie Turk, founder of Warrior Angels in Boots,

said the event began when

the heart-wrenching events that occurred at the Kabul airport in Afghanistan, August 2021 undoubtedly made an impact on our nation's freedom fighters, veteran community and patriots who support them. "I was inspired to take action and do whatever I could to honor our military and Veterans." Kimmie would like to thank the Salado and Bell County area sponsors and community who have already donated and registered. FSR (roofing) has also donated 20 family registrations so if you'd like

a free registration, contact

Kimmie at warriorangelsin-

boots@gmail.com. All ages are welcome.

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Lady Eagles survive Gateway for Region berth

By TIM FLEISCHER EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado Lady Eagles survived a five-set match against Gateway College Prep Nov. 7 at University of Mary Hardin-Baylor and will face Huffman Hargrave in the Region Semi-Finals 6 p.m. Nov. 10 at Bryan High School.

Hargrave beat Bridge City to earn their berth in the Regional tournament.

China Spring, runner up to Salado in District 23-4A, will also play in the Regional tournament after having swept Burnet this week. Salado beat China Spring in both of their matches during district play. China Spring will face the 39-6 Spring Hill Panthers in the late game at 8 p.m. Nov. 10.

The winners will face off in the Finals at noon Nov. 11 with the winner heading to the State Tournament Nov. 16 and 18 at Curtis Culwell Center in Garland.

Salado lost to Huffman Hargrave last year in the Region Semi-final. Hargrave lost in the state semi-finals to state champion Canyon Randall.

Texas Volleyball Insider ranked Salado #3 in state at the end of the regular season. Top-ranked Davenport will face Calallen in the Region IV semi-finals at 5 p.m. Nov. 10 at Littleton Gym. Floresville and Wimberly (ranked #11 and #12 respectively) will face off at 7 p.m. Nov. 10.

On the other side of the brackets, Randall and Glen Rose and West Plains and Stephenville face off in the semi-finals of the Region I tournament, while Celina and Lindale and Aubrey and Sunnyvale face off in the Region II semi-finals.

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Salado Lady Eagles bounced back from their worst single set loss of the entire season to beat Gateway Preparatory High School 15-10 in the fifth decisive set Nov. 7 at University of Mary Hardin-Baylor. Salado took a two-set lead, but the Lady Gators dominated all aspects of the game in the third and fourth sets.

Momentum appeared to be on their side, until Elsie Law hammered a kill to end a sustained rally and put Salado up 4-3 in the fifth set. Law and Livia Niu blocked a shot and Law blocked another shot to put the Lady Eagles up 6-3, forcing Gateway to call time out and regroup.

Niu fed Kael Wilcox for a cross-court kill and 7-3 lead before Gateway broke Grace Clemons' service. The two combined again to put Salado up 8-5. Niu stuffed a kill at the net to put Salado up 10-6.

Gateway called time trailing 11-6 and closed the lead to 11-9 when coach Clint Brown called time.

Niu set up Payton Ortega for a kill and 13-9 lead before Gateway scored their last point of the set, match and season. Niu fed Wilcox for a cross court kill to break serve. Ortega and Law combined on a block for the 15-10 win.

Niu led the girls with 5 service aces, followed by Macy Morris, 1.

Wilcox led the girls in attacking with 12 kills, followed by Haley Brown, 9, Macy Morris and Wilcox, 7 each, Law and Niu, 5 each, Reese Rich, 2, and Clemons, 1.

Law stuffed the net with 7 blocks, followed by Niu. 6, Morris, 5, Clemons and Ortega, 2 each and Brown and Wilcox, 1 each.

Niu spread the ball around with 37 assists, followed by Clemons, 3, and Sara Ellis, Brown and Rich, 1 each.

Rich had 20 digs, followed by Clemons, 11, Niu, 9, Shelby Hollywood, 8, Ortega, 6, Ellis, 5, Brown, 4, and Morris and Wilcox, 2

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Salado won their Area volleyball match against the Taylor Lady Ducks in four matches (a rarity for the girls who have been blowing through their competition this year), winning 25-16, 20-25, 25-22 and 25-18.

Salado recorded aces in the match by Grace Clemons, Sara Ellis and Macy

Kael Wilcox led the girls in attacking the net with 13 kills, followed by Elsie Law, 11, Haley Brown, 9, Morris, and Payton Ortega, 6, and Clemons, 1.

Morris had 8 blocks to lead the girls, followed by Livia Niu, 7, Law, 6 and Brown, 2.

Niu had 29 assists to lead the girls, followed by Reese, Rich, 2 and Brown, Clemons and Morris, 1 each.

Rich led the girls with 21 digs, followed by Shelby Clemons, 15, Hollywood, 11, Ortega, 8, Niu, 7, Ellis, 6, Brown, 4 and Wilcox, 3.



Kael Wilcox defends against Gateway College Prep at UMHB. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Sara Ellis digs the ball in the Regional Quarterfinals. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN) MORE PHOTOS AT SALADOVILLAGEVOICE.COM

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



Congratulations to Salado High School senior Rebekah Booth

Congratulations to Salado High School senior Rebekah Booth for her success at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Archery Competition last month. There were three flights of shooters consisting of 300 archers competing in four different classes (Compound, Recurve, NASP Genesis and Barebow). Each student shot twenty rounds of three arrows in their flight.

Rebekah competed in

NASP Genesis, Senior Female Division. At the conclusion of her flight she was in the top four of her division with a score of 256, which qualified her to advance to the finals. She had the highest score in the finals round and won a \$1000 Scholarship, drink cooler, belt buckle and a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo "H." We are very proud of Rebekah Booth and her dedication to the archery team these past five years!

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Elly Wade serves against Taylor. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

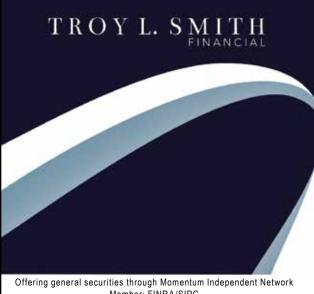




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In tournament bridge, you run into all kinds of bidding systems. Players are generally permitted to use any system or convention they want to, provided it can be readily explained to their oppo-

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Many years ago, when I was playing in a national tournament, we ran into a pair who announced they were playing "Goldschmidt." This was a brand-new one to us. They started to explain the convention, but we suggested that they hold the explanation until the situation to which Goldschmidt applied actually

It never did. On the first deal, our opponents overbid their values a bit, got doubled and went down four vulnerable - 1,100 points. On the second deal, the one shown, they wound up in one notrump doubled.

I was East. I won the diamond lead with the king and returned the three. My partner cashed the J-A and led the five to my seven. I shifted to the jack of hearts, not bothering to cash my fifth diamond. West took South's queen with the

king and returned a heart, my nine forcing the ace. Declarer led the king of clubs to my ace, and I cashed two hearts and a diamond.

On the diamond, South, who by now had only the K-J-10 of spades and the queen of clubs left in his hand, was squeezed. My partner at this point had the A-Q-9 of spades and jack of clubs. When South discarded a spade, my partner discarded his club. A spade lead then gave us the rest of the tricks. So the outcome was that South took

only one trick, the ace of hearts. He went down six — 1,100 points (1,400 in today's scoring) - again! We never did find out about Gold-

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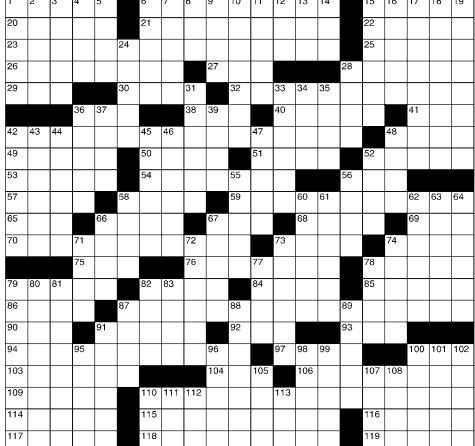
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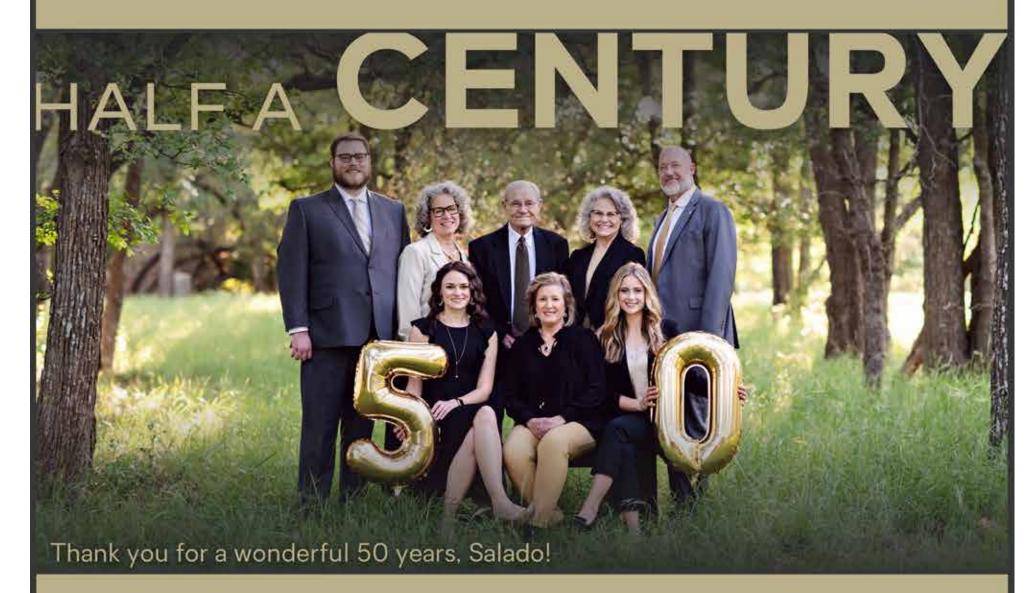




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EXHIBIT C-2 SALADO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

		10	50		98
Data					Total
Contr	ol	General	Debt	Other	Governmental
Codes	3	Fund	Service Fund	Funds	Funds
REV	ENUES				
5700	Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 14,022,815	\$ 7,846,402	\$ 1,513,752	\$ 23,382,969
5800	State Program Revenues	7,990,663	136,127	281,587	8,408,377
5900	Federal Program Revenues	121,555	-	1,845,314	1,966,869
5020	Total Revenues	22,135,033	7,982,529	3,640,653	33,758,215
EXPI	ENDITURES				
0011	Instruction	11,745,154	-	1,091,519	12,836,673
0012	Instructional Resources & Media Services	212,214	-	13,347	225,561
0013	Curriculum & Instructional Staff Development	81,067	-	26,406	107,473
0021	Instructional Leadership	296,507	-	-	296,507
0023	School Leadership	1,020,181	-	2,071	1,022,252
0031	Guidance, Counseling & Evaluation Services	691,680	-	203,083	894,763
0032	Social Work Services	26,423	-	-	26,423
0033	Health Services	160,468	-	58,674	219,142
0034	Student Transportation	1,151,170	-	1,219	1,152,389
0035	Food Services	-	-	956,053	956,053
0036	Extracurricular Activities	1,659,792	-	1,077,566	2,737,358
0041	General Administration	710,264	-	-	710,264
0051	Facilities Maintenance and Operations	2,061,802	-	201	2,062,003
0052	Security and Monitoring Services	328,933	-	4,100	333,033
0053	Data Processing Services	865,149	-	-	865,149
0071	Debt Service - Principal	290,662	1,550,000	-	1,840,662
0072	Debt Service - Interest	96,929	2,400,375	-	2,497,304
0073	Debt Service - Bond Issuance Costs	-	14,125	-	14,125
0081	Facilities Acquisition and Construction	1,199,332	-	197,281	1,396,613
0093	Payments to Fiscal Agent of SSA	35,256	-	-	35,256
0099	Other Intergovernmental Charges	199,181	-	-	199,181
6030	Total Expenditures	22,832,164	3,964,500	3,631,520	30,428,184
1100	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over				
	(Under) Expenditures	(697,131)	4,018,029	9,133	3,330,031
OTH	ER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
7913	Proceeds from Right to Use Leased Assets	184,759	-	-	184,759
7080	Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	184,759			184,759
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance	(512,372)	4,018,029	9,133	3,514,790
0100	Fund Balance - Beginning	6,956,582	7,247,255	1,075,896	15,279,733
3000	Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 6,444,210	\$ 11,265,284	\$ 1,085,029	\$ 18,794,523

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



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