

For more than 30 years SFRF has served Salado

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado Family Relief Fund, working with local individuals, churches, businesses and civic organizations, will make Christmas possible for more than 50 families and more than 150 children.

"We still have requests coming in," Basilia Lopez said.

Applications for the Christmas project are sent in early November through the school district to families that are identified as economically disadvantaged. The forms, printed in English and Spanish, include the child's age and requests for up to three gifts. SFRF sets a \$100 limit per child for expenditures.

The SFRF keeps a list of previous sponsors and assigns families or individual children through that list. Donors do not know the identity of the child they are adopting. Donors bring the gifts to the Presbyterian Church of Salado where the SFRF volunteers organize them by family and child for the pick up day.

"Salado United Methodist Church handles the requests each year for coats," Griffin said. "Salado Masonic Lodge #296 handles requests each year for bikes and helmets."

If you would like to consider adopting a child this Christmas, email Lopez at bflores@umhb.edu. You can also donate online at <https://saladofamilyrelief.com/product/christmas-gift-for-a-salado-child/>.

SFRF relies entirely on donations for the services it provides. The group held its annual Empty Bowl fundraiser on Nov. 16 at the Salado Middle School. Proceeds from the Empty Bowl benefit the Christmas project and other needs throughout the year.

The Christmas project is the oldest service project of the Salado Family Relief Fund. The other major service project is the Back to School drive each year. SFRF provides back-to-school supplies to economically disadvantaged Salado ISD children each year along with a new backpack. The back-to-school project serves pre-K through High School students.

"Through the years this project has blossomed into a community-wide fundraiser which covers all of the expenses for Back-to-School, the largest expenditure we have all year," SFRF Board President J.R. Lett said.

"Funds for this project are raised through the Project Backpack Fundraiser," Lett explained. "This began as a fundraiser at Salado United Methodist Church over 16 years ago that was intended to help SFRF's efforts by purchasing and donating backpacks."

Throughout the year, volunteer board members receive and respond to requests from individuals that are needing temporary assistance with rental payments, utilities, or other emergency needs.



(PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)

Salado Starlets and Sparklers dished up soup during the annual Empty Bowl Project benefiting Salado Family Relief Fund.

Current board members are President J.R. Lett, Vice-President Basilia Flores, Secretary Kim Wren, Treasurer Juli Bergstrom and Directors Brittani Broussard, Jessica Halfmann, who is the Salado ISD Communities in School Director, Marilyn Griffin, Laura Snyder, Denice Kemp, Janie Sawyer, Savannah Hennig, Debby Aldridge and Tina Lulfs.

Salado Family Relief Fund got its start three decades ago when Marilyn Fleischer saw two Salado school employees carrying used toys into the Salado fire station on the access road in December 1994.

"I saw the late Mary Ribeiro and Dana Britt, who both worked at Salado schools, hauling big trash bags of stuff into the fire station by the Salado Church of Christ," Marilyn said. "Being nosy, I walked over to see what they were doing. They were collecting used stuff animals, clothes and toys to give to the kids in the Salado school that they knew day-to-day who were in need. I did not know there was such a need and there was no real program to serve these families. I wanted to help, so for the next Christmas, we got a head start."

"Mary and Dana had been doing this collection of used toys and stuffed animals for quite a long time with help from the volunteer fire department," Fleischer said.

Working with Ribeiro and Britt, Marilyn promoted the Christmas gift project through the *Salado Village Voice* newspaper and contacted local churches and civic organizations like the Ladies Auxiliary and Salado Lions Club, this time for new gifts and clothes.

The first formal collection and distribution of gifts was December 1995 thanks to the Salado Volunteer Fire Department. "They held an open house and the late Wayne Rutherford invited the community to come see the fire equipment and donate new gifts for Salado school kids. The volunteer firefighters delivered those gifts that year on Dec. 23."

That year, the group served 42 elementary students. Dana Britt worked to serve the junior high and high school students.

"The response from the area churches and indi-

viduals was tremendous," Fleischer said. "We were able to build on the quiet charity that two Salado school employees showed and connected it to a wider community of givers."

Salado Family Relief Fund was founded on this loose coalition of volunteers and churches. It continues to work with churches, volunteers, civic groups and businesses to serve the Salado community. Salado Family Relief Fund became a 501(c)3 corporation in 1997 after the Jarrell tornado struck that community.

"We knew there was a bigger need at that time, so we worked to collect donations from local citizens and groups. It was more than we expected and we knew it was time to get organized," Marilyn said.

"Money was flooding in and we knew we had to become tax-deductible and incorporate," founding president Marilyn Fleischer said. "The Jarrell tornado was the catalyst."

That was when she worked with groups like the Ladies Auxiliary, Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Salado Rotary Club and local churches to formalize a board and an organization.

The late Eldon Miller did all of the legal paperwork to make the Salado Family Relief Fund a 501(c)3 charitable organization. He was the first Treasurer of the Board and Marilyn was the first President.

"It's interesting that the only time since then that SFRF has helped with this type of large community effort was the summer of 2022 following the tornado that struck Salado," advisor to the board Marilyn Griffin said. "Salado Family Relief worked with the organizers of Salado Strong to collect and distribute funds raised for victims of this storm."

Salado Family Relief Fund has had a dedicated board of directors ever since with many who have given of their time and treasure over the span of a quarter of a century. Leigh (Drake) Ihrle followed Fleischer as the second President. Mary Catherine Ervin was the third President. Renee Oas was the fourth. JR Lett is the current President of the Board of Directors that oversees and manages the annual projects of the Salado Family Relief Fund.



Salado soccer players Oscar Arango, Daniel Anderson and Seth Anderson decorate the light poles on Main St. as part of the annual project by the Salado Elves to beautify Salado for the Christmas holiday season. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Tablerock announces cast of A Christmas Carol

Tablerock Festival's 32nd annual performance of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," a central Texas Christmas tradition cast has been announced. Adapted for the stage by Harry Sweet and directed by Thom Wilson, the Tablerock production of "A Christmas Carol" is the wonderful tale of the transformation of Scrooge from a miserly old skinflint into a caring and giving soul - told in drama as Dickens wrote it.

Jimbo Moore returns as Ebenezer Scrooge. He is joined on stage with Tommy Prudhomme playing his poor clerk Bob Cratchit. Jack Cabaniss graces the stage not only as the Fiddler, but also as Fred, Scrooges Nephew. The haunting spirits of A Christmas Carol include Howard Horton as Jacob Marley, Cadence Avila as Christmas Past, Steven Torres as Christmas Present, joined on stage by James Everett and Katie Robison as the spirits I "Ignorance" and "Want", with Dan Alcozer as the Frightening Ghost of Christmas Future.

Confronting Ebenezer Scrooge in his office are the Charity Solicitors Scott Gillette and Aria Yauk. Young Boy Scrooge, James Everett, is supported by Iona McClure as his sister, Little Fan.

The ever-raucous Christmas Party at the Fezziwig's Shop include Mr. Fezziwig played by Greg Alcozer,

assisted by his wife-hostess Hannah Montgomery with Young Man Scrooge played by Riley Montgomery and his best friend Dick Wilkins played by Robert Alcozer. Scrooges first, and only, love was the younger Belle played by Evelyn Cazier. As the party goes on a multitude of happy partygoers and dancers will be performing Charles Dickens' favorite dance, A Sir Roger de Coverley.

The Family of Bob Cratchit come into play in Act Two with Evee Rasor as Mrs. Cratchit, Martha Cratchit is played by Emma Rose and joined by Robert Alcozer as the eldest Cratchit son Peter Cratchit. The younger sisters Belinda is played by Uriah Davidson, Caroline by Caroline Everett, and the youngest daughter Elizabeth by Harley Norris. The last Cratchit child is Tiny Tim played by newcomer to the Salado stage, Samuel Waller.

One of the crowd-pleasing scenes is the Old Joe's Scene with Old Joe favorite Keith McCormack, Scrooge's Charwoman Marcia Chiarelli (Mrs. Dilber), Laundress Mrs. Prat played by Laurie Cahoon, and Undertaker's boy Cody Chiarelli, who bring the house down with their comic antics selling the late Ebenezer Scrooges' bed curtains and other personal items with Scrooge not even realizing he was the dead man they were talking about.

The story has various

townspeople, merchants, maids, servants, laundresses, lamplighters, Christmas Carolers, merchants, and associates that make up the rich characters of the town. Andy Moore, Katherine Lane, Piper Gillette, Skye Norris, Michael Fisher, Max Ogas, Lilly Hernandez Ogas, Alissa McClure, Schyler Boyd, Kameron Boyd, and Lilly Boyd all perform character roles adding to the richness of our crowd scenes and action throughout the play.

The technical crew include Christopher and Josuah Pickens on spotlights, Ezra Sims on Light board, and Lillie Gillette on Sound Board. Backstage manager Stephanie Gillette. The cast and crew of the 2024 presentation of "A Christmas Carol" numbers 60 volunteers.

The 32nd Annual Performances of "A Christmas Carol" will be Dec. 6-7 and Dec. 13-14 at the Tablerock's Goodnight Amphitheater located at 409 Royal Street. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for students and \$5 for children (12 and under) and are available online at CentralTexasTickets.com or at the gate the night of performance. Information for group tickets (20 or more) call (254) 421-3903. Seating is available but you may also bring a comfortable yard chair if you wish. The gate opens at 6:15 p.m. Curtains is at 7 p.m. Concessions available!



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The 63rd Annual Salado Scottish Gathering and Highland Games is in record books. This event is the major fundraiser for Salado Museum and College Park located at 423 South Main St. in Salado since 1959. The museum tells the story of early Salado and details of the College Hill ruins. As a 501(c)(3) non-profit, we depend on this event to keep these two institutions operating. As the Executive Director of the SMCP, I would like to say thanks to all the Scottish Clan participants, Patrons, the merchandise vendors, the food vendors, the entertainers, the competitors in the dance, piping, drumming, and athletic events. If you attended the Games, we appreciate your support as well. A special thanks to Gretchen Jahna and the L13 Ranch, our premier sponsor this year. Our event sponsors: 21 Main, Ashley Sosa Farmer's, Barclay Insurance, Barrow Brewing, Benton's Jewelry, Bloomer Trailers, Bo's Barn, Brad Buckley, Centraland Title, Christy's of Salado, Dawn Bently Photography, Don Ringler Auto Group, Fletcher's Jane & Michael Downer, Nancy Best Realtor, NumberHub, Provecho, Red Bird Books, Salado Chamber, Salado Creek Dental, Salado General Store, Salado Plumbing, Salado Winery, Soil Regen, Sonic, Strawberry Patch, Tex 28, The Lodge at Pace Park and The Personal Wealth Coach.

Thanks to the Village of Salado and Visit Salado for their HOT grant. Tim & Marilyn Fleischer at the Salado Village Voice, the Jewel and Steve and Robbie Petit at the Stroll magazines for their print coverage. The Salado ISD, Village Police Department, Salado Fire and Rescue volunteers, Salado Lions Club, Salado Chamber of Commerce, Salado Village Alderman.

Finally, thanks to the 40 plus local volunteers. Without them, we could not have had such a successful event: Pam & Scott Anderson, Allyse Anderson, June Bakutis, Anna Lou and Mark Campbell, Pat Darnell, Tony, Carissa Duran, Wendy Faulkner, Lisa & Jim Gurno, KD Hill, Thomas Hughes, Mark Huppert, Debbie Lufburrow, Gail Mallard, Jennifer McCarthy, Brooke McCombs, Kathy McLeod, Steve Meiman, Paula Miller, TG Nessler, Nancy Norris, Deedra & Kelly Rawls, Paula Remont, Preston Siple, Kathy Smith, Merle Stalcup, Barbara Swarhout, Tiffany, Bev Turnbo, Michelle Vernon, Bruce Wertz, Kate Wheeler, Minnie Whitzel, Brian Wilson.

A very special thanks to Jasen Graham, Mike Jones, Ray Don McIntosh, Dealy Fielder, Michele Melsha, Liz Patranella and BeckyMichele Huppert for the countless hours put in to making this event happen. Also thanks to the Gathering board of directors for their many years of support.

Thank you,
Lynette McCain-Jones,
Executive Director
and SMCP board of directors



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Xi pushes for Chinese yuan to replace American dollar as world reserve currency

The Markets

As represented by the S&P 500 Stock Index (SPX), the stock market expressed some second thoughts about the economic, or at least corporate earnings prospects generated by a Trump presidency this week as it declined about 2.08% to close at 5870.62 this week. That retracement still leaves the SPX up about 23% this year, just over 30% from a year ago and 25% higher over the last three years for a three-year average annual rate of 7.83%. The other stock market indicator we follow, the CRSP US Mid Cap Value Index, slipped 1.24% to 2927.03 but remains up about 17% this year and 26% from a year ago.

The benchmark ten-year U.S. Treasury note yield continued its rise to 4.43% this week from last week's 4.30%, while the one-month T-bill held at an annualized rate of 4.7%. The price of a barrel of West Texas Intermediate crude, the U.S. petroleum benchmark, fell 4.79% to \$70.38 as demand from China continued to decline.

The Economy

There was no shortage of economic news this week, and everything looked good. The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) reported that the Consumer Price Index (CPI), the most widely followed measure of U.S. inflation, rose only 0.2% in October and was up 2.6% from last year. If we pull out the relatively volatile food and energy data to get the so-called "core" CPI, the monthly increase rises to 0.3%, and the annual measure of inflation rises to 3.3%. All the numbers were higher than the Federal Reserve's goal of 2% inflation but were both steady and low enough not to be considered dangerously high. We have been saying that we expected long-term inflation to stabilize around 3% based on historical trends, and it is

Market & Economic Update

by Jeffrey W. McClure



looking more and more like we were right.

We also pay attention to the Producer Price Index (PPI) from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). In October, the PPI for final demand, i.e., the index of wholesale prices as retailers pay them, was up 0.2% in October and 2.4% for the last 12 months. Interestingly, the wholesale price of services is rising at about 3.3%, while goods prices have fallen about 1.2% over the previous year. A little further upstream, the cost of intermediate goods and services has decreased by 2.9% in 12 months. It certainly looks like the inflationary pressures have abated. Another critical point that emerges from that data is that retailers are bumping the inflation numbers up, which appears to result from a labor shortage at the retail level. Our economy continues to bump into the fact that we don't have enough people willing to work at the retail level. Over the past several decades, much of that low-level, relatively low-income work has been done by immigrants. In the more distant past, younger workers filled those jobs as they entered the workforce. Unfortunately, our native birth rate has declined, and we have far fewer young workers to fill those jobs as a percentage of the workforce.

The same trends are confirmed even further up the goods and services supply chain. Because we import substantially more goods than we export, import prices tend to drive both the PPI and the CPI. The BLS reported this week that prices for U.S. imports rose 0.3% in October and

0.8% from a year ago. The most volatile element in that area is fuel imports. If we remove fuel from the calculation, import prices have risen 2.3% in the last year.

Our clients have expressed concern over the years that the Chinese yuan (aka renminbi) might somehow replace the dollar as the world reserve currency. Indeed, Premier Xi commonly expresses that desire, such as at last month's BRICS conference. Actions speak louder than words, though. Despite having no internal need for more dollars, the PRC Finance Ministry is offering sovereign bonds denominated in dollars rather than yuan. The Chinese government remains committed to retaining their currency for use only in the People's Republic to retain tight control of the yuan's market value. Another interesting issue is that dollar-denominated sovereign bonds issued and guaranteed by the People's Republic of China are offered on the Riyadh Exchange in Saudi Arabia rather than on a Chinese exchange. Even as the Chinese Premier calls for the de-dollarization of the world economy, when the PRC needs external funding, it asks for it in dollars.

The bottom line remains the same. The U.S. economy is, as we used to say, "firing on all cylinders" and appears to have plenty of fuel and momentum to continue to expand. There are concerns that if the new administration does impose steep tariffs while at the same time deporting millions of undocumented immigrant workers, prices will rise for both imported goods and labor, but that is only a possibility and one to worry about on another day.

Culture, Commerce, and Community Committee.....

To the Editor:

Village aldermen should consider a Culture, Commerce and Community Committee with one goal.... to generate ideas to promote all aspects of a healthy Village Community!

- Must live in the Village (in the past many committee members do not even live in the Village!)

- Must care about all three areas (in the past, in my opinion, separate committees had mostly self-interest and expected \$\$\$).

- One artist/one musician/one shop owner/one Historical representative.

- One Westside resident/Southside resident/Northside resident (seven members +Board of Aldermen

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liaison),

- One BOA representative to Chair and set agenda (which will naturally be acquiring IDEAS to promote CULTURE/COMMERCE AND COMMUNITY!) and one member Secretary for minutes. (This gives the committee a direct link to BOA to avoid miscommunication....no quorum necessary...whoever attends, shares IDEAS!)

- Public meetings with agenda and published minutes that allows two-minute IDEA public comment. (There actually may be

more than seven individuals in the Village with good IDEAS?)

- BOA rep and a different member each month to present a five-minute IDEA report to BOA at second monthly BOA meeting. (NO IDEAS?...no need to present!)

This IDEA committee should NOT request funding. They should simply present IDEAS !

Linda Reynolds
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Obituaries



BETSY TYSON
FEBRUARY 13, 1948
NOVEMBER 18, 2024

Betsy Tyson was born at Florence Nightengale Hospital in Dallas, TX, February 13, 1948. It was Friday the 13th, so she thought that it was her lucky day. She lived her childhood in Highland Park on Belclaire. She graduated from Highland Park High School in 1966. She attended SMU and was a member of Pi Beta Phi. She later graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington with a Bachelor of Arts in history and education. She returned to Dallas with her daughters, Tracy and Elizabeth, and started a career in real estate. She founded her own property management company. She married Knox Tyson in 1993, and later moved to Salado, TX where she retired.

Betsy had a beautiful life with Knox and lots of dogs. She will always be known for her generosity, kindness,

and reaching out to those in need. Her love of acting led her to the Salado Theater, where she became sought after for roles. Her love of home décor, arts and crafts and color made her a larger-than-life personality. She was so very loved and will be greatly missed.

Betsy Tyson of Salado passed away early Monday morning on November 18, 2024, peacefully at home surrounded by loving family and friends.

She is survived by her loving husband Knox Tyson; daughters: Ellizabeth Kinnison of San Antonio and Tracy Davis of Dallas; stepson, John Tyson and stepdaughter, DeeDee Hoak; granddaughters: Audrey Kinnison and May Davis; siblings: Peter Buzzini and Carol Simmons, both of Houston.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Elizabeth and Robert Peter Buzzini.

Services will be on Monday, November 25, at Broecker Funeral Home Chapel, Salado, 11 a.m. with Tom Lathen, presiding. The burial will be in Historic Salado Cemetery followed by a reception at the Tyson residence. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service.

Please sign the guestbook at Broeckerfuneralhome.com

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Operation Christmas Child^{SALADO} Village Voice, November 21, 2024, Page 3A drop off dates announced

Volunteers are preparing to collect Operation Christmas Child shoe-box gifts during National Collection Week, Nov. 18 – 25. More than 4,700 drop-off locations will open across the country in November, and shoe-box packers can find their local drop-off locations nearest them.

First Baptist Church of Salado will distribute boxes to its congregation during church services with a delivery date of

Nov. 24.

The general public can also pick up boxes from the First Baptist Church office during regular office hours and return them to the office no later than Nov. 22.

Taylor's Valley Baptist Church, 2497 W. FM 93 in Temple is one of the drop-off locations for Bell County. Pick-up and drop-off hours are 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Nov. 18-Nov. 22, 10 a.m.-noon Nov. 23, Noon-2 p.m. Nov. 24 and 10 a.m.-noon Nov. 25.

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Crews begin laying slab

The construction continues on our new high school and stadium that are scheduled to be completed in August 2026.

These are the activities our general contractor and subcontractors worked on last week:

- Placed Area A slab on grade
- Began forming Area C slab on grade
- Area K grade beams

Superintendent's Corner

by Dr. Michael Novotny



- and footings excavation
- Completed high school fire loop
- Area D stem wall waterproofed
- Completed Area B and Area C underground

plumbing and electrical
These are the activities our general contractor and subcontractors are working on this week:

- Place Area B and Area C slab on grade
- Place Area D grade beams and footings
- Install Area E foundation rebar
- Begin excavating Area J grade beams and footings
- Begin drilling piers at stadium site
- Begin drilling piers for light poles in East parking lot

If you have any questions regarding the construction of these new facilities you are welcome to contact me at michael.novotny@saladoisd.org or 254-947-6905.

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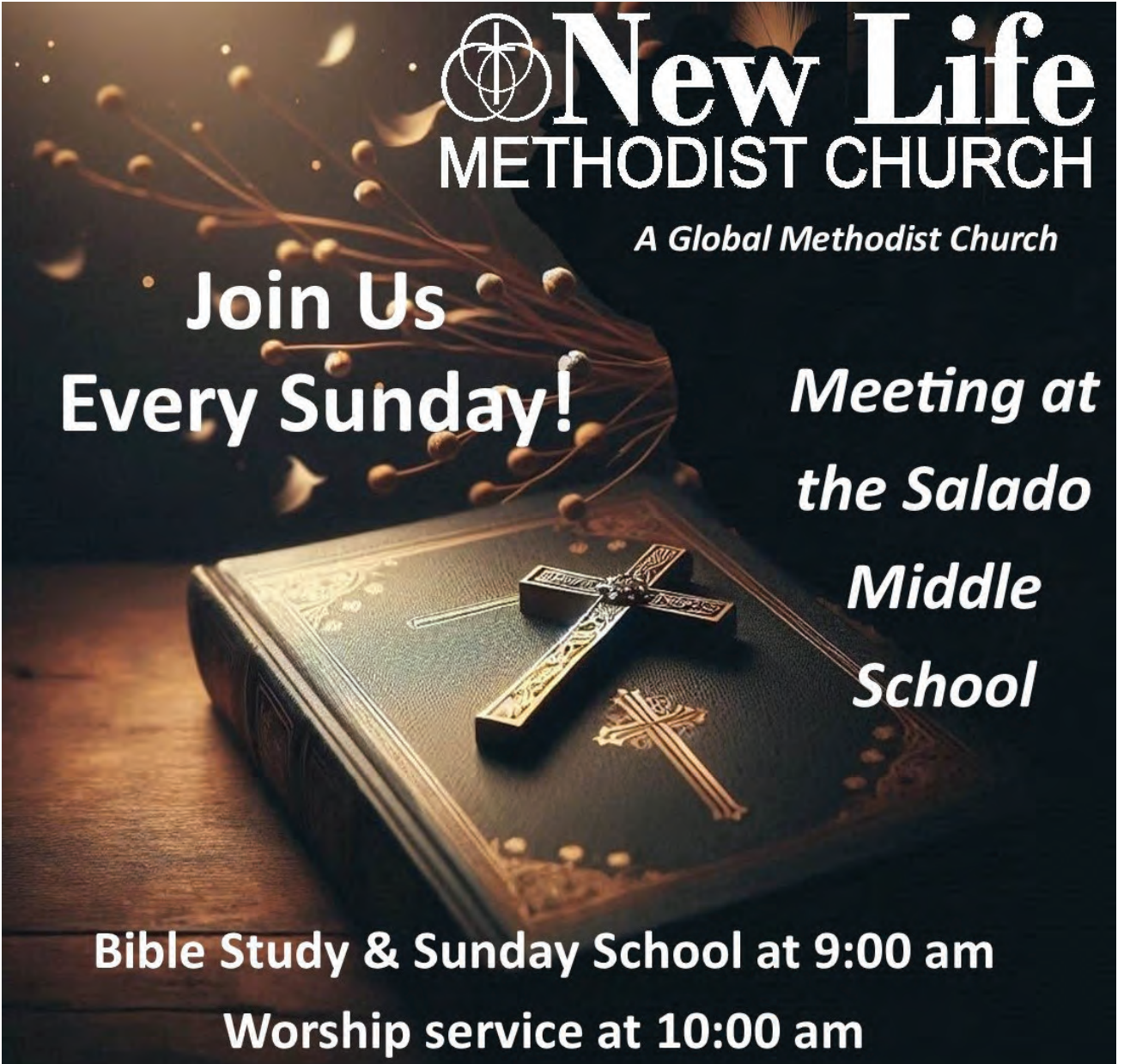
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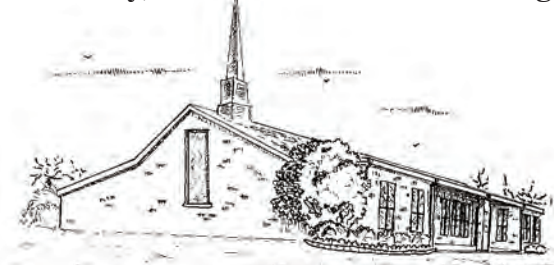
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Brooks home on Tour

Tickets are now available at centraltexas tickets.com for the Salado Historical Society 2024 Tour of Homes.

The Tour of Homes will be 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Dec. 7.

Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 when purchased on day of tour.

Leading up to the event, tickets can also be purchased at Red Barn Consignment, 642 B North Main Street during daily business hours

Tickets will be available for purchase on the day of event 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Dec. 7 at Red Barn Consignment, 642 B North Main Street.

Five houses will join the Salado Historical Society Log Cabins on the grounds of the Salado Civic Center, including the home of Alan and Kelly Brooks, 708 Rose Way.

“After a few years of searching for a home or lot in Salado, Alan saw a new listing that he thought looked perfect,” Kelly said. “We went straight over to check it out. We walked the lot and spotted a rope swing, perfect for grandchildren, hanging from a huge oak tree at the back of the lot, and we knew this was the spot for our Salado home!”

Alan decided that the couple would build the house themselves, including doing much of the labor.

“He installed trim and doors, as well as some insulation and wiring, while I was generally on clean-up duty,” Kelly said.

The slab was poured in July 2021 and, in spite of post-Covid supply issues that led to a few delays, the couple was able to complete construction and move in on December 16.

“It helped that we own a business that does all the finishing work inside a home,” she said, “so we had

SEE TOUR OF HOMES, PAGE 3B



The home of Alan and Kelly Brooks, 708 Rose Way. (PHOTO BY TIM FLEISCHER)



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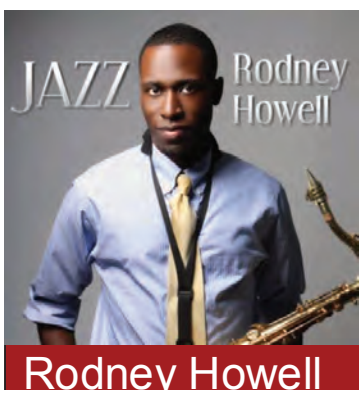
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Friday, December 13th

Yuletide Market Live Entertainment



Christmas Jazz with Rodney Howell at Yuletide Market! 🎷

Experience smooth sounds of **Rodney Howell** as he performs Christmas Jazz at the Yuletide Market in **The Shed courtyard** on **Friday, December 13 from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM**. Let the festive tunes set the perfect holiday mood while you shop and enjoy the market.

But that’s not all! Rodney Howell will also be performing at **Alexander’s Restaurant** on **Saturday, December 14th from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM**. Don’t miss these opportunities to enjoy his incredible talent and get into the holiday spirit! 🎄 🎁

Saturday, December 14th

Yuletide Market Live Entertainment



Santa

Santa Claus is Coming to the Inn on the Creek Yuletide Market! Join us on **Saturday, December 14 from 4PM to 6PM** for a magical evening with Santa at the Inn on the Creek Yuletide Market! Bring the kids to enjoy delicious hot cocoa and capture the moment with a photo alongside Santa himself.

We are also accepting donations to support the **Salado Community Foundation**. Inn on the Creek will generously match up to the first **\$2,000** collected. Your contributions will help make a difference in our community!

Christmas Jazz with Mike Hamilton at Yuletide Market!

Get ready for an enchanting evening of Christmas Jazz with the talented **Mike Hamilton**! Join us at the Yuletide Market in **The Shed courtyard** on **Saturday, December 14 from 6PM to 8PM**.

Enjoy the festive atmosphere and let the smooth sounds of jazz fill the air as you shop and celebrate the holiday season.

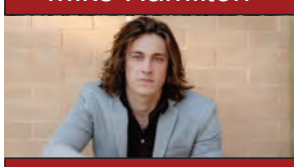


Mike Hamilton

Christmas Classics with Michael Alexandersson at Yuletide Market!
The Shed courtyard on **Saturday, December 14 from 8PM to 10PM**.

From **Frank Sinatra** to **Bobby Darin** to **Elvis Presley** and more, Michael Alexanderson covers all the classic Christmas tunes you know and love.

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Michael Alexandersson

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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 meeting, 6 p.m., first Monday of month, Barrow Brewing Co.

Second Monday Book Club meets at 7 p.m. at Salado Winery, 841 N. Main St.

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

Salado American Legion, fourth Monday of the month, 7 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co.

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

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.

Salado VFW Meeting, 7 p.m., First Tuesday of each month, Barrow Brewing Co.

Wednesdays
Guest food truck day at Barrow Brewing Co., 4-9 p.m.

Wine Down Wednesday at Axis Winery, 4-8 p.m., half-price glasses of wine.

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.

Not Rocket Science Trivia, 6:30 p.m., every Wednesday, Barrow Brewing Co.

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

Word out Wednesday every week at Provecho, 109 Royal St., featuring a different local group and non-profit each

week. Most of these WOW groups need volunteers, awareness, and a little cash doesn't hurt. 10% of the daily sales will go to the group of the week. Check out social media for this week's WOW.

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, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. 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 Jongg, 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, 12-3 p.m. Bingo 1-2:30 p.m.

Kids eat free, 2-5 p.m. at Provecho with purchase of adult entree.

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

Vinyl Nite with Shannon at Barrow Brewing Co., 5 p.m.

"Party on the Patio" 7-10 p.m. with live performer Rockin' Rick (karaoke), Axis Winery.

Teen Writing Group, Salado Public Library, 6 p.m.

Run Club, 6:30 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co.

Weekly curated wine tasting hosted by Hannah Hendrick 6-8 p.m. at Salado Winery, 841 N. Main St. Tickets available on-line 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 Agrilife Extension Office, 1605 N. Main in Belton.

Heart and Hands Ministries food distribution day, 4:30-6 p.m. third Thursday of each month, 213 Mill Creek Drive, Suite 135. Heart and Hands Ministries serve the Salado, Bartlett, and Holland areas. You can register by bringing a valid ID or current bill with an address in our service area. If you are in need of food, they are here to help.

5-8 p.m. at Axis Winery.

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

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

Friday Night Football at Johnny's Outback. Full bar, snow cones, BBQ, burgers and more.

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

Farmers Market, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., grounds of Barrow Brewing Co.

Live Music at Axis Winery, 5-8 p.m.

Live Music at Barrow Brewing, 7 p.m.

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

College Football at Johnny's Outback. Full bar, snow cones, BBQ, burgers and more.

Sundays
Family Fun Day at Axis Winery. Cornhole and other family activities. Live music 3-5 p.m.

NFL Football at Johnny's Outback. Full bar, snow cones, BBQ, burgers and more.

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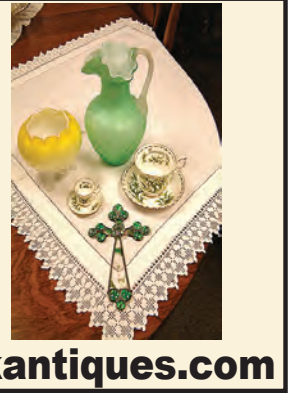
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November 23
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m., Scott Taylor Band.

November 23
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m., Luca Jon Turner

November 24
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 4 p.m., Day-dreaming Owl.

November 25
 Salado American Legion Post 585, 7 p.m., Barrow Brewing Co.

November 27
 Salado Lions Club luncheon meeting, 11:30 a.m., Salado Civic Center.

November 29
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m., TBD.

November 29
 Live music at Chupacabra, 7 p.m., David Matthew Harness.

November 30
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 7 p.m., Chris Grigsby Band.

November 30
 Live music at Chupacabra, 8 p.m., Dustin Endsley.

November 30-December 1
 Blow Your Own Ornaments, \$60-70, Ages 3+, 3-5 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Sundays, Salado Glassworks, register at saladoglassworks.com.

December 1
 Live music at Barrow Brewing Co., 4 p.m., Smokin' Maxx.

December 5
 Salado Christmas Stroll Parade, 6 p.m., Royal Street to Main Street, ending at Salado Civic Center.

December 6-8
 Blow Your Own Ornaments, \$60-70, Ages 3+, 3-5 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Sundays, Salado Glassworks, register at saladoglassworks.com.

December 6-8
 Christmas Stroll. Late night shopping on Friday and Saturday nights. Live nativity, strolling carolers, carriage rides, entertainment and food throughout the Village.

December 6-7
 A Christmas Carol at Tablerock Amphitheatre. Ticket sales at the gate at 6 p.m. Performance at 7 p.m. Adults \$15.00, Students \$10.00, Child (12 & under) \$5.00. Group tickets, call 254-421-3403.

December 7
 Celebrate the Magic of Christmas in Salado during

the annual Salado Historical Society Tour of Homes, featuring five homes and the historic log cabins. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Tickets on sale at centraltexas-tickets.com and Red Barn Consignment.

December 7
 Christmas Market at Barrow Brewing Co. noon-6 p.m. Unique, handmade gifts and items, food trucks, live music and beer.

December 10
 Salado Chamber of Commerce Ribbon Cutting for McDonald's, 305 Williams Rd., at 5:30 p.m.

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"We now love sharing our new life in Salado with our family," Kelly said. "Our three granddaughters have been enjoying that wonderful rope swing under the big oak tree!"

They invite you to experience Christmas at the Brooks house during the

Tour of Homes. Other homes on the tour are these:

The historic Armstrong-Adams House, 6 North Main St., owned by Dr. Douglas B. and Carol Willingham.

Bobby and Cortney Bruce, 2516 Winners Circle.

Alan and Kelly Brooks, 708 Rose Way

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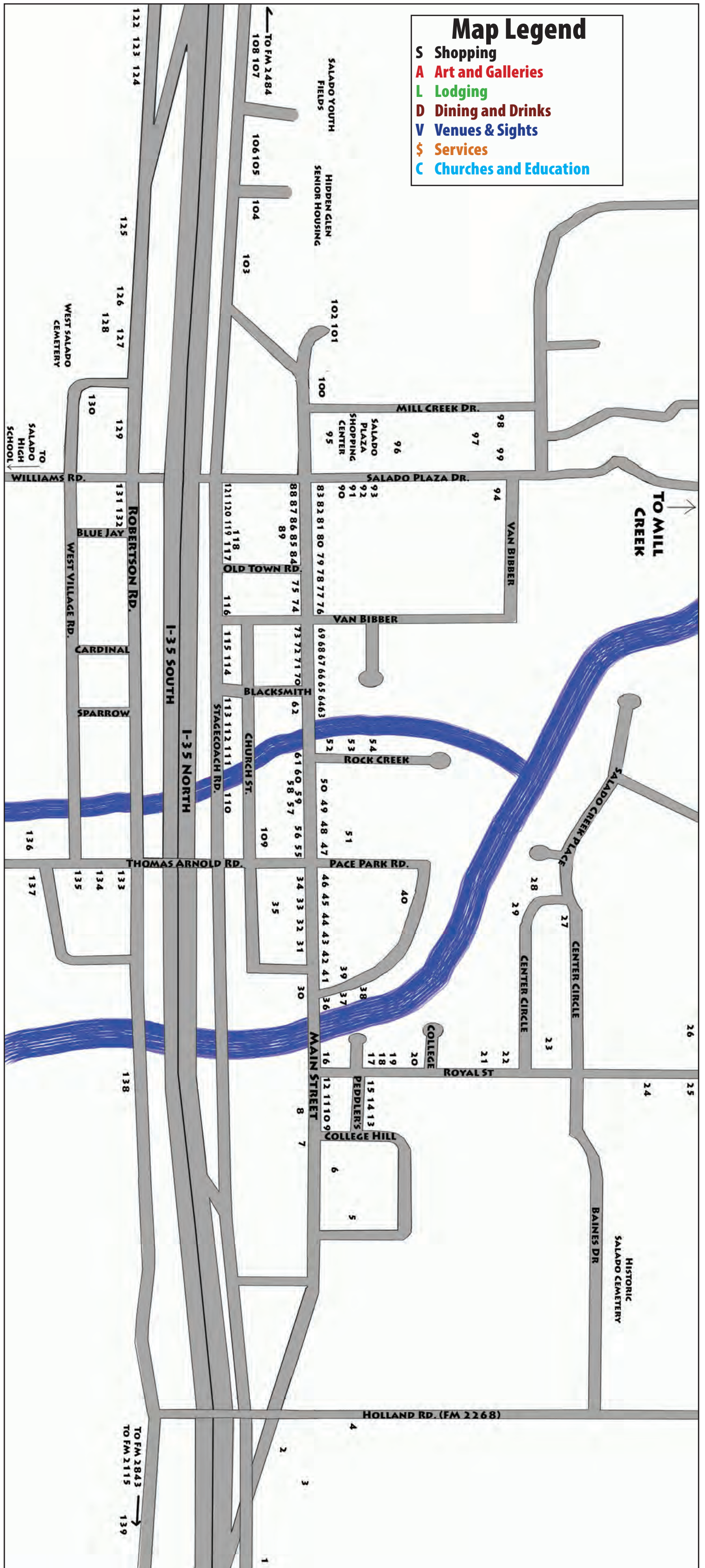
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4	St. Stephen Catholic Church 254-947-8037	C
6	Salado College Park	V
7	Raney & Assoc. Real Estate 254-913-1215	\$
8	StageCoach Inn 254-947-5111	D/L
9	Salado Museum 254-947-5232	V
	Salado Visitors Center & Tourism 254-947-8634	\$
	Salado Chamber of Commerce 254-947-5040	\$
10	Sofi's 254-947-4336	S
11	Chupacabra Craft Beer and Winery (254) 308-2019	D
	Chupacabra Kitchen (254) 308-2220	D
14	Salado Glassworks 254-947-0339	A
15	Provecho 254-308-2098	D
17	Barrow Brewing Co. 254-947-3544	D
	Happy Pizza 254-226-1684	S
19	TEX28 Outfitters 254-545-9978	S
21	The Venue 254-947-5554	V
	Village Spa 254-293-6600	S
22	The Shed 254-947-1960	D
24	Tablerock 254-947-5482	V
26	Salado United Methodist Church	C
29	Inn on the Creek 254-947-5554	L
	Alexanders Craft Cocktails & Kitchen 254-947-3828	D
30	First Baptist Church 254-947-546	C
32	First Texas Brokerage 254-947-5577	\$
34	Farmers Insurance 254-947-0995	\$
34	First Community Title 254-947-8480	\$
40	W.A. Pace Memorial Park 254-947-5060	V
48	Nancy Best Real Estate 512-571-1259	\$
48	Salado Luxury Properties 254-526-6611	\$
56	Salado Creek Jewelry 254-855-5538	S
62	The Pizza Place 254-947-0222	D
75	Stage Stop Center 254-308-2027	\$
76	Salado Civic Center 254-947-5479	\$
78	Star Nails and Spa 254-308-2084	\$
81	Salado Wine Seller and Salado Winery Co. 254-947-8011	D
82	St. Joseph's Episcopal Church 254-947-3160	C
84	Old Town Salado	
85	Salado Post Office 254-947-5322	\$
86	Bill Bartlett - Century 21 254-947-5050	\$
87	The Personal Wealth Coach 254-947-1111	\$
90	Presbyterian Church of Salado 254-308-2023	C
91	Troy Smith Financial Services 254-947-0376	\$
92	Salado Sculpture Garden	A
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100	Salado Public Library	C
100	Salado Creek Ministries meets at the Salado Public Library	C
113	Salado Church of Christ 254-947-5241	C
122	Bell County Annex	\$
124	Axis Winery 254-308-2016	D
126	Cowboy's Barbecue 254-947-5700	D
130	Village Spirits 254-947-7117	S
132	Broecker Funeral Home 254-947-0066	\$
133	Johnny's Steaks & BBQ 254-947-4663	D
134	The Dog Spot 254-947-3647	\$
135	Carus Dental 254-947-8067	\$
136	Salado Schools & Stadium	C
137	Iron Orchid Bodywork (inside Salado Fitness) 254-541-5659	\$
139	Cedar Valley Baptist Church 254-947-0148	C
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	New Life Methodist Church meets at Salado Middle School	C
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	Grace Church 254-947-5917	C
	Heritage Country Church 254-239-7106	C
	Mill Creek Country Club	V
	Anytime Fitness Salado 254-947-1063	S



Historical Markers in Salado

6. Salado Historic College Hill	25. The A.J. Rose Mansion	35. Salado Masonic Lodge #296	61. Historic Lenticular Bridge
8. Shady Villa Hotel (Stagecoach Inn)	26. Old Methodist Chapel	45. The Anderson House	49. The Vickrey House
8. Main Street Bridge	27. Caskey-Hendricks House	46. Old Saloon	76. Boles-Aiken & Denman Cabins
16. Barber-Berry Mercantile	28. Dr. McKie Place (Twelve Oaks)	48. The Norton-Orgain House	77. The Robert B. Halley House
23. The Baines House	29. Alexander's Distillery	50. The Barton House	79. The Reed Cabin
24. Historic Dipping Vats	30. First Baptist Church	51. The Levi Tenney House	100. The Josiah Fowler House
	31. The Tyler House	55. The Armstrong Adams House	

Ladies fall to Wimberley

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado Lady Eagles had no answer for University of Alabama commit Laney Hennessee in their three-set loss at the 4A-2 State Semi-Final to the Wimberley Lady Texans Nov. 19 at St. Edward's University in Austin.

Wimberley won the first set 25-17 with Hennessee registering six kills along the way.

The Lady Texans jumped out to a 4-0 lead, extending it to 9-5 before Salado called a timeout.

Wimberley built up their lead to 21-12 when Elsie Law slammed a kill into the court for the side out. Kaylee Bragg followed that with an ace to close the lead to 21-14.

The Lady Texans extended it to 24-14 when Salado got the side out. Payton Ortega served an ace to close it to 24-17 before Hennessee got the final point for the Lady Texans' 25-17 win.

In the second set, Wimberley took an early 8-4 lead, tacking on four points on Hennessee's serve before Salado could get a side out on a kill by Haley Brown to make the score 13-5. On her serve, Salado closed the score to 13-7 with blocks by Macy Morris assisted by Kael Wilcox Charli Niu. Hennessee's kill at 14-7 got the side out to Wimberley.

The Lady Texans added a point on Ashton Shipman's serve before Wilcox got a kill for the side out at 16-8.

Hennessee recorded four more kills, including the final point in the second set, as Wimberley took it 25-11.

The third set proved much more competitive as



(PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)
Senior Kael Wilcox puts a shot past Wimberley defenders in 4A-2 State Semi-Final.

Ortega and Morris combined for blocks, Ortega had a kill, Law had two kills, and Morris had a kill to pull within one 9-8. Brown tied it with a kill at 9-9, before Wimberley ran up three points. Brown and Morris then combined for back-to-back team blocks to get within one, 12-11.

The Lady Texans then went on a run for their biggest lead of the set, 18-12. A bit later Wilcox had a kills to close to within four, 19-15.

A kill by Law and a kill and a block by Morris helped Salado close to within two, 21-19 before Wim-

berley rattled off two more points. Brown's kill made it 23-20 and she took the service to close within one, 23-22 on a kill by Morris.

Wimberley responded with a Hennessee kill for the side out and 24-22 lead. Mariah McCoy and Cameron Thames blocked a shot for the match point, 25-22.

Salado ends its season with a second straight trip to the 4A State Semi-Finals and a record of 40-8.

The Lady Eagles graduate three starters: Libero Shelby Hollywood, Middle Blocker Macy Morris, and Outside Hitter Kael Wilcox.

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Salado Eagles lost their basketball season opener, 63-56, to the Lorena Leopards on the road Nov. 18.

The Eagles took the lead 14-5 and held onto it until the Leopards outscored them 23-8 in the fourth quarter.

Colby Ramm led the Eagles with 14 points, shooting five-of-12 from the field. He had 2 rebounds and an assist.

Derrick Smith followed with 11 points, two re-

bounds, three assists and three steals.

Also contributing were Mason Brown, nine points, six rebounds, four assists, three deflections, two steals and two block; Liam Wilcox, six points, four rebounds and an assist; Bradon Gonzalez, five points, three rebounds, three assists, two deflections and two steals; Griffin Self, five points, a rebound, two assists and three deflections; Bryson Byars, four points, five rebounds, an assist, two deflections and a steal and #21, two points and a rebound.

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Eagles beat Devine, 46-21

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado Eagles will face the #2 Sinton Pirates in the Area round of the 4A-2 football playoffs after beating the Devine Warhorses 46-21 Nov. 15 in Wimberley.

The Eagles led throughout the game, scoring in the first minute of play on a 77 yard pass from Lincoln Hossfeld to Brendan Wilson. The Eagles went for two and Hossfeld hit Korbin Konarik to make the score 8-0 with 11:09 in the first. Townes Sather's kick hit the Devine player in the knees on the ensuing kick off and Brayden Dildine recovered the ball for Salado at the Devine 16, but the Eagles could not convert the opportunity into points, turning the ball over on downs at the Devine 12.

The Warhorses got a first down, but then had to punt from their own 29 for Salado to take over at their own 37 yard line.

Less than two minutes later, Hossfeld ran in from the Devine 11. Hossfeld had a 48-yard carry on the four-play drive, in which he shucked five Devine tacklers. Sather made the score 5-0 with 6:09 left in the first.

Devine answered with a 71-yard, 11-play drive, scoring on a 7-yard run by Brayden Reyes with 48 seconds left in the first. The touchdown was made possible by a defensive holding play the nullified an interception by Mason Olson. The call gave the Warhorses a fresh set of downs at the Eagle 10.

The Warhorses then took advantage of a Hossfeld fumble at the Eagle 30

to come within a point of the Eagles with 11 minutes left in the first half. Devine quarterback Jacob Sollock scored on a quarterback draw and the kick made it 15-14.

The Eagles answered on the next series, scoring on a 61-yard pass from Hossfeld to Landen Noske with 9:54 left in the half. Sather's toe made it 22-14.

Cade Fenoglio stepped in front of a Sollock pass and returned the interception 32 yards to the Warhorse 6 to set up a Sather 24-yard field goal with 2:07 left in the half.

The Warhorses scored with 1:01 left in the half on a 29 yard pass from Sollock to Anthony Saldivar. The PAT made it 25-21.

On the first play from scrimmage in the second half, DeVonte Foster hacked the ball from Sollock's hand and recovered it a the Devine 21. Three plays later, Hossfeld dove in from the 3. Sather made it 32-21 with 10:49 in the third.

Salado built on its lead with 2:44 left in the third on a 21-yard pass from Hossfeld to Luke Bingham. Sather made it 39-21.

Devine threatened to score on the ensuing drive, but Brody Schiller intercepted a Sollock tipped pass in the end zone and returned it to the 15. The Eagles had to punt on the series resulting from the turnover.

DeVonte Foster intercepted a Sollock's pass to give the Eagles the ball at the Warhorse 45. Six plays later, Jackson Turks scored on a 20-yard run up the middle. Sather made it 46-21 with 6:32 left in the game.

Devine was able to drive into Salado territory, but the

Eagle defense stopped them on a fourth-and-9 to allow Salado to run out the clock.

SHS	Statistic	DHS
19	1st downs	15
33-243	Rushes-yds	28-200
3	Rushing TDs	3
3-1	Fumbles-Lost	2-2
10-30	Pass-Comp	12-19
216	Passing yards	147
3-1	Pass: TDs-Ints	0-3
3-28	Penalties-yds	4-40
4-155	Punts-yds.	3-95
3-0	Punt returns-yds	4-0
4-2	Kick returns-yds	7-33

Offensive Statistics
Passing: SHS: Lincoln Hossfeld: 9-29, 193 yds, 3 TD, 1 INT, 1 Fumble; Jackson Turk: 1-1, 23 yds; DHS: Jacob Sollock, 12-19, 147 yds, 3 INTs
Rushing: SHS: Lincoln Hossfeld: 15-112 yds, 2 TD, 1 fumble; Luke Bingham: 12-71 yds; Jackson Turk: 2-35 yds, 1 TD; Caine Cruddas: 2-15 yds; Gabe Merriman, 2-10 yds. DHS: Brayden Reyes, 17-95 yds, 3 TDs; Anthony Saldivar, 11-59 yds; Jacob Sollock, 9-29 yds; Edward Perez, 1-9 yds; Wero Torres, 1-8, 8 yds.

Receiving: SHS: Brendan Wilson: 3 rec, 86 yds 1 TD; Landen Noske: 2 rec, 84 yds, 1 TD; Luke Bingham: 1 rec, 21 yds, 1 TD; Korbin Konarik: 1 rec, 13 yds; Gabe Merriman: 2 rec, 7 yds; Brady Heber: 1 rec, 5 yds. DHS: Anthony Saldivar, 3-43 yds; Wero Torres, 3-35 yds; Ayden Leal, 3-34 yds; Matthew Gomez, 2-28 yds; Brayden Reyes, 1-7 yds.

Defensive Statistics
 DeVonte Foster: 11 Solo Tackles (ST), 6 Assisted Tackles (AT), 3 Tackles For Loss (TFL); 1 Sack, 1 Interception (INT); DeMonte Foster: 11 STs, 6 ATs, 1 TFL, 1 Forced Fumble (FF), 1 Fumble Recovery (FR); Anthony Angel: 7 STs, 3 ATs; Mason Olsen, 6 STs, 1 AT; Michael Edmondson, 2 STs, 5 ATs; Cade Fenoglio, 6 ATs, 1 ST, 1 INT; Brodie Landon, 2 STs, 3 ATs, 1 TFL, 1 Sack; Christian Norcross, 2 STs, 3 ATs; Brayden Dildine: 2 STs, 3 ATs, 1 FR, 1 Pass Break Up; Ethan Robledo, 2 STs, 2 ATs; Brody Schiller, 2 STs, 1 AT, 1 INT; Luke Bauser, 1 ST, 2 ATs; Owen Gunter, 1 ST; Daniel Hernandez, 1 ST; Dylan Jimenez, 1 AT; Isaac Capetillo, 1 AT.



Brayden Dildine scoops up a fumbled kick-off for Salado. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



Landen Noske catches a pass for 23 yards from Jackson Turk. For more photos, visit saladovillagevoice.com (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Speech sends 2 to State

The Salado High School Speech and Debate Team competed at the UIL Region 12 Congressional Debate Meet at Salado High School on Nov. 11. Sixteen schools participated in the meet.

Seventeen students competed in the 4A division for the right to attend the state meet, the top three advanced.

Results are as follows:
 Krystle Vazquez, first, Outstanding presiding officer.

Wesley Engleking, second.
 Sydney Engleking, fourth.

Peyton Whitaker, fifth.
 Addy McCoin, sixth.

Vazquez and Engleking will represent Salado High School at the 12th Annual UIL Congress State Meet on Jan. 7-8 at the University



Krystle Vazquez

of Texas at Austin and the Texas State Capitol. Salado has won six of the 12 state meets.

The Salado High School

Speech and Debate Team will compete next at the Grandview TFA Meet on Nov. 23. The team is coached by Tim Cook.

Ladies split games

Salado Lady Eagles varsity basketball split their non-district games last week, losing to Academy and beating Lake Belton.

	1	2	3	4	F
SHS	1	18	19	7	45
AHS	9	19	9	13	50

The Lady Eagles lost to Academy, 50-45, on the road Nov. 12.

Karlee Konarik led the girls with 15 points, shooting 5-of-15 from the field. She had 11 rebounds to complete a double-double. She also had two deflections and three steals.

Ally Ihler also had double figures, scoring 10 points on 4-of-15 shooting from the field. She had eight rebounds, an assist, four deflections a steal and a block.

Also contributing were Riley Guthrie, eight points, three assists, a deflection and three steals; Bri Tutor, seven points, three rebounds and a deflection; Brylee Craddick, three points, five rebounds, three assists, a deflection and three steals; Ainsleigh Liebig, two points; Mack Lewis, five assists and a deflection, Morgan Riggs, an assist and Jenna Goodman, a steal.

Briann Warehime led Academy with 23 points, followed by Hope Tomasek, 10 points.

	1	2	3	4	F
SHS	16	16	18	13	63
LBH	10	5	11	15	41

Salado handled Lake Belton, 63-41, in a Nov. 16 home game.

Ally Ihler led the girls with 20 points on 7-of-15 shooting from the field. She also had five rebounds, two assists, five deflections, three steals and a block.

Karlee Konarik followed with 12 points, eight rebounds, three assists, two deflections, four steals and a block.

Also contributing to the win were Morgan Riggs, nine points, two rebounds and an assist; Brylee Craddick, seven points, three rebounds, three assists, two deflections and a steal; Riley Guthrie, six points, seven rebounds, three assists, two deflections and two steals; Addy McCoin, two points, four rebounds, an assist and two deflection; Ainsleigh Liebig, three rebounds and an assist and Jenna Goodman, two rebounds, 3 deflections, 1 steal.

Alexa King led the Lady Mustangs with 13 points. The Lady Eagles are 1-2 as of presstime.



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Senior Macy Morris blocks Gateway College Prep in Region 3 Championship win. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

#2 Lady Eagles Volleyball beat #3 Gateway College Prep to win Region 3 crown

The #2-ranked Lady Eagles beat their District 24-4A foe Gateway College Prep in an extended match of five sets at UMHB's Mayborn Campus Center Nov. 14, 25-22, 19-25, 25-22, 14-25, 15-11. The win gives the Lady Eagles the 4A-2 Region 3 Championship and four wins in four matchups with the #3-ranked Lady Gators.

In the tie-breaker, Salado and Gateway fought back and forth for each point until Haley Brown tied the set at 11-11 on a kill assisted by Charli Niu.

Brown then took over and the girls scored the remaining four points on her service, the final point on a kill by Mazzy Johnson.

Brown, Johnson and Niu each had two aces while Shelby Hollywood had one.

Brown led the girls with 12 kills, followed by Elsie Law, 11, Kael Wilcox, seven, Macy Morris, six, Niu, Johnson and Payton Ortega, four each.

Law led the girls with five blocks, followed by



Senior Shelby Hollywood receives serve in Region 3 Championship. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Ortega, three, Morris, two, Niu, one.

Niu made 26 assists, followed by Kate Maedgen, four, Hollywood, three, Johnson and Brown, one each.

Maedgen led the girls with 18 digs, followed by Brown, 16, Hollywood, 14, Niu, 12, Johnson, seven, Morris, four, Kaylee Bragg, two and Ortega and Law, one each.

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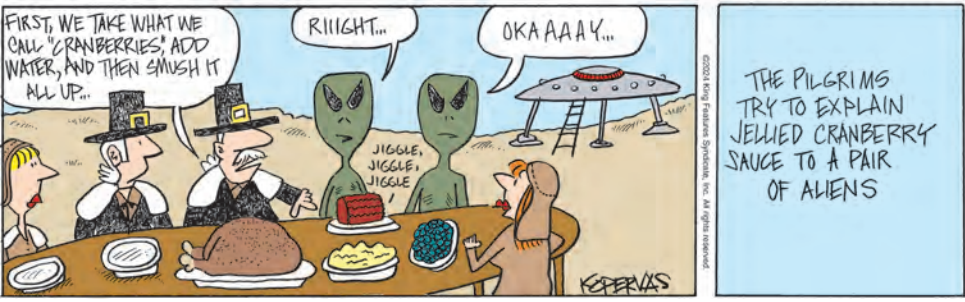
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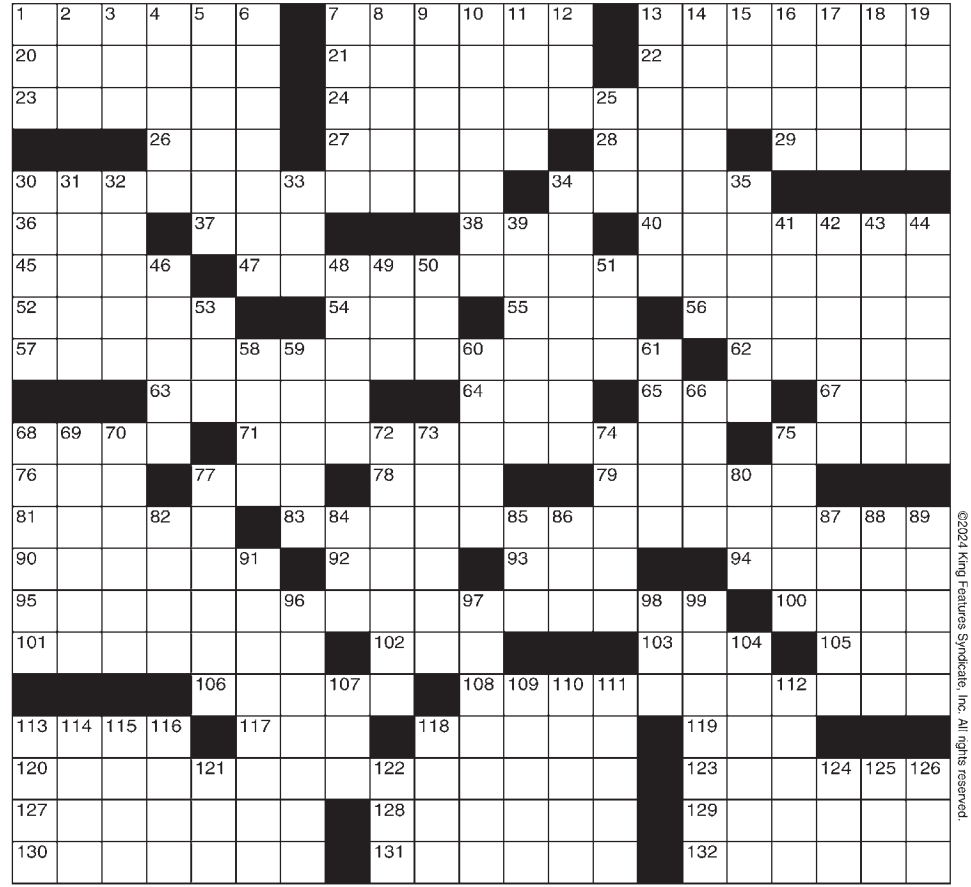
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by Jeff Pickering

Super Crossword

"TAKE THAT!"

- ACROSS**
- 1 Printed news sources
 - 7 Rival of Nike
 - 13 More potent, as liquor
 - 20 Supposed evil repeller
 - 21 Stephen King's "— Lot"
 - 22 Grow bigger
 - 23 "The Client List" actress Shepherd
 - 24 Result of vandalism
 - 26 Match draw
 - 27 "Them's fightin' words!"
 - 28 Suffix with Canton
 - 29 Right fielder Slaughter
 - 30 Officials at first or third
 - 34 Inner self, to Jung
 - 36 Quarterback Manning
 - 37 Eight minus two
 - 38 Nav. officer
 - 40 Sweater with a pattern of raised bands
 - 45 Ripens
 - 47 Auto exhaust and such
 - 52 River craft
 - 54 Nav. officer
 - 55 Rainbow, e.g.
 - 56 Incentive
 - 57 Cardiologist
 - 62 Return to 000
 - 63 Digital holiday greeting
 - 64 Shipping box: Abbr.
 - 65 Digital color inits.
 - 67 Suffix with host
 - 68 Kuwaiti royal
 - 71 Peck upon parting
 - 75 Italy's Villa d'—
 - 76 Prefix with partisan
 - 77 Singer Des'—
 - 78 English law
 - 79 Have an — mystery
 - 81 Peter out
 - 83 Belief that people are noticing you more than they really are
 - 90 Total up wrongly
 - 92 Source of 24/7 \$20 bills
 - 93 Hot tub site
 - 94 More subtle, as a point
 - 95 Presidential hopeful's bid
 - 100 Old Icelandic literary work
 - 101 Dais stand
 - 102 Suffix with cannon
 - 103 "Oh, gross!"
 - 105 President pro —
 - 106 Fighting it out
 - 108 Thor and Indra
 - 113 Spanish for "hand"
 - 117 Forbid
 - 118 "Symposium" philosopher
 - 119 Peter out
 - 120 Personal psychosocial conflict
 - 123 Subsidies
 - 127 Pop flop of 1985
 - 128 Catalog again
 - 129 Manorial home
 - 130 Whole number
 - 131 Unlocked
 - 132 What the starts of nine answers in this puzzle might be
 - 5 Holy artifacts
 - 6 Canonized ninth-century pope
 - 7 Savory jelly
 - 8 — Vader
 - 9 "You beat me this game"
 - 10 Removal from office
 - 11 Prayer ender
 - 12 Russ. or Ukr., formerly
 - 13 Prompt for the iPhone's personal assistant
 - 14 Nativeness to a certain region only
 - 15 In the style of
 - 16 Agatha Christie's title
 - 17 Tehran locale
 - 18 Kellogg's waffle
 - 19 "Cheers" actor Roger
 - 25 Eight plus two
 - 30 Ocean liner?
 - 31 Pond slime
 - 32 Tuscan city
 - 33 Wood splitter
 - 34 Oto or Hopi
 - 35 Sponge up
 - 39 Give a poker hand, e.g.
 - 41 Toy with a tail
 - 42 Sounds
 - 43 Build a financial portfolio
 - 44 Fly of Africa
 - 46 More miffed
 - 48 Gives ear to
 - 49 "Ltd." cousin
 - 50 15-season CBS series
 - 51 They often work with DJs
 - 53 List-limiting abbr.
 - 58 "For heaven's —!"
 - 59 Snoops
 - 60 Keep — head (stay calm)
 - 61 "Have a bite"
 - 66 Richard of "Primal Fear"
 - 68 Nail coating
 - 69 Item hanging above a crib
 - 70 "Be there shortly"
 - 72 Small racer in a groove
 - 73 Grew irate
 - 74 Religion in 17-Down
 - 75 Escort in "The Hunger Games"
 - 77 Brew colored from oxidation
 - 80 Slightly amiss
 - 82 Social skill
 - 84 Pot's partner
 - 85 EarthLink or MSN
 - 86 High no. for a valedictorian
 - 87 "Is there no — this?!"
 - 88 Handed over
 - 89 Trolleys
 - 91 All-terrain motorcycle
 - 96 How Jesus walked, miraculously
 - 97 Aetna alternative
 - 98 What a H.S. dropout may earn
 - 99 Syringe parts
 - 104 Most crooked
 - 107 At least one
 - 109 Welcomes to one's home
 - 110 Of service (around)
 - 111 Snooped (arrive at)
 - 112 Arrive at
 - 113 Skirt style
 - 114 Yemen city
 - 115 Pond wriggler
 - 116 Previously
 - 118 Job of some cooks
 - 121 Dress fancily, with "oui"
 - 122 — Magnon old Giants
 - 125 Adaptable truck, in brief
 - 126 Corral



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♦ A K 8 3 2
♣ K

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♥ 5 4
♦ J 9 6
♣ 6 4 2

EAST
♠ Q 3
♥ Q 9 8 6
♦ 10 5 4
♣ J 10 9 5

SOUTH
♠ K 6 5 4
♥ 7 2
♦ Q 7
♣ A Q 8 7 3

The bidding:
West North East South
Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣
Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT
Pass 6NT

Opening lead — jack of spades.

problem assuring the slam. He would simply establish dummy's hearts, losing a trick to the queen along the way, and wind up with 12 tricks consisting of two spades, four hearts, three diamonds and three clubs.

But at duplicate, where making six might be a poor result if seven can be made, South cannot afford to settle for a mere 12 tricks. So when dummy came down, declarer immediately noted that if West held two, three or four hearts including the queen, 13 tricks could be made by taking one or two heart finesses.

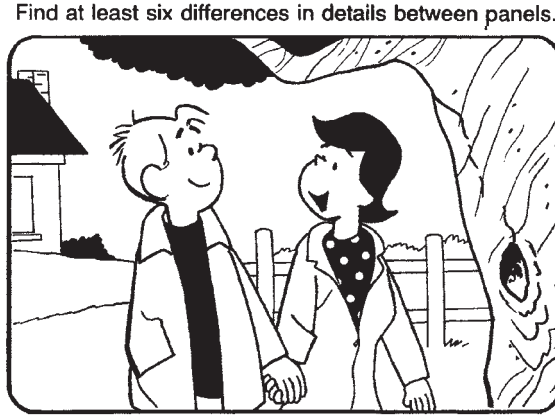
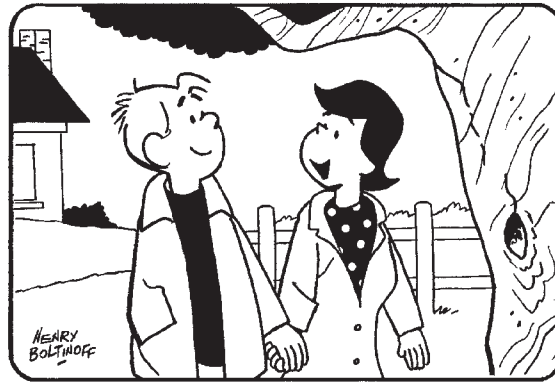
Accordingly, South won the first trick in his hand with the king of spades and led a heart to the ten, whereupon East, smoothly and in tempo, followed low! This had the desired effect on South, who quite understandably was convinced that the precious overtrick was just around the corner.

So he cashed dummy's king of clubs to unblock the suit, crossed to the queen of diamonds and played the A-Q of clubs before leading a heart to the jack. One can only imagine South's chagrin when East won with the queen and cashed the jack of clubs for down one! Duplicate bridge is not for the faint of heart.

by Steve Becker

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Differences: 1. Arm is longer. 2. Fencepost is taller. 3. Hole in fence is larger. 4. Chimney is shorter. 5. Fencepost is taller. 6. Zipper is replacing buttons.

4	5	7	9	1	6	7	8	2
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6	8	9	3	1	7	2	4	5
1	7	4	5	2	9	8	6	3
9	6	8	3	7	5	1	9	4
7	3	2	5	4	8	6	9	1
5	4	3	2	6	9	1	4	8

Answers
Weekly SUDOKU

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Trivia test

- by Fifi Rodriguez
- MOVIES: What is the name of the necklace that Rose throws into the sea at the end of "Titanic"?
 - GEOGRAPHY: Where was the ancient city of Carthage located?
 - TELEVISION: What are the names of the FBI agents on "The X-Files"?
 - LITERATURE: Who wrote the short story "The Gift of the Magi"?
 - HISTORY: When was the United Nations organization created?
 - SCIENCE: What is the addictive substance in tobacco?
 - U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president signed into law the Sherman Antitrust Act?
 - CHEMISTRY: What is the lightest of metallic elements?
 - MYTHOLOGY: What is the name of the half-man, half-bull creature that inhabits the Labyrinth?
 - FOOD & DRINK: What is challah?
- Answers
- Heart of the Ocean.
 - Tunisia.
 - Fox Mulder and Dana Scully.
 - O. Henry.
 - 1945.
 - Nicotine.
 - Benjamin Harrison.
 - Lithium.
 - Minotaur.
 - A special bread in Jewish cuisine.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

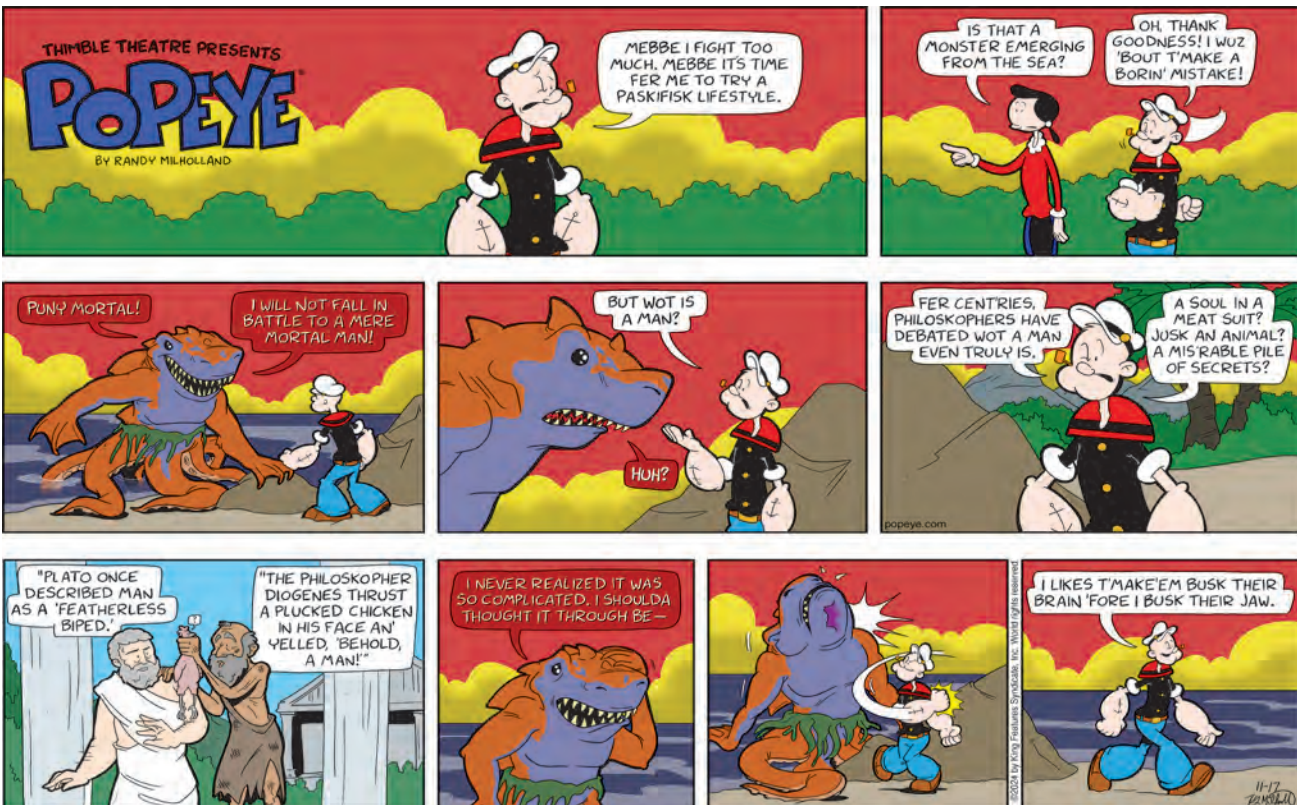
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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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The Pizza Place- 230 North Main St. 254-947-0022. PizzaPlaceSalado.com

The Shed- Corner of Royal Street & Center Circle (west). 254-947-1960.

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Anytime Fitness: 24 hour access. 701 Williams Rd., New Location across from Salado Middle School. Locally owned and operated 254-947-1063. saladotx@anytimefitness.com

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Help Wanted- JD's Travel Center. 15881 South IH 35, Salado. (254)947-5228.

SVFD Calls Nov. 10-16

Date	Location	Call
11/10	DECKER RD, Bell	Dispatched & canceled en route
11/10	FM 2484, Salado	Good intent call, other
11/10	FM 2484, Bell	Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire
11/11	TRIANGLE RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/11	WILLIAMS RD, Salado	EMS call, exclud. MVA with injury
11/12	W VILLAGE RD, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/12	S MAIN ST, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/12	S MAIN ST, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/12	FOX RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/12	WINDY HILL RD, Bell	Smoke detector activation, no fire
11/12	NB IH-35, Bell	False alarm or false call, other
11/12	SAINT PETER LOOP, Bell	Dispatched & canceled en route
11/12	W MLK JR AVE, Belton	Dispatched & canceled en route
11/13	FM 2268, Bell	Motor vehicle accident with injuries
11/13	N STAGECOACH RD, Bell	Alarm system activation, no fire
11/14	SANTA ROSA RD, Salado	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/14	SB IH-35 @ MM 280, Bell	Assist police or other agency
11/15	HIDDEN SPRINGS DR, Bell	Smoke scare, odor of smoke
11/15	LACEY LOU LN, Bell	No incident found on arrival
11/15	SALADO HEIGHTS DR, Bell	Dispatched & canceled en route
11/16	IH-35, Salado	Motor vehicle accident, no injuries.
11/16	ELM GROVE RD, Bell	Authorized controlled burning
11/16	ELM GROVE RD, Bell	Good intent call, other
11/16	STINNETT MILL RD, Bell	Medical assist, assist EMS crew
11/16	OLD MILL RD, Salado	Motor vehicle accident, no injuries.
11/16	ROSE LN, Bell	No incident found on arrival

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Salado Landscaping - residential landscaping, masonry and concrete services. Locally owned and operated (254) 247-7339.

PARKING LOT STRIPING

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Salado Plumbing. In-home repairs, 254-947-5800. Master LIC M 16892

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EXHIBIT C-3

SALADO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
BUDGET AND ACTUAL – GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Data Control Codes	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance With
	Original	Final	Amounts (GAAP BASIS)	Final Budget
REVENUES				
5700 Local & Intermediate Sources	\$ 16,359,562	\$ 12,614,641	\$ 11,675,158	\$ (939,483)
5800 State Program Revenues	5,652,974	9,412,974	9,865,904	452,930
5900 Federal Program Revenues	166,931	154,982	190,534	35,552
5020 Total Revenues	22,179,467	22,182,597	21,731,596	(451,001)
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
0011 Instruction	12,341,039	12,162,014	12,005,325	156,689
0012 Instructional Resources & Media Svcs.	221,300	227,949	216,783	11,166
0013 Curriculum & Instructional Staff Dev.	106,342	103,491	34,277	69,214
0021 Instructional Leadership	409,442	334,442	299,764	34,678
0023 School Leadership	1,056,132	1,129,473	1,116,830	12,643
0031 Guidance, Counseling & Evaluation Svcs.	751,060	748,991	717,651	31,340
0032 Social Work Services	30,808	30,808	30,808	-
0033 Health Services	180,929	187,929	176,552	11,377
0034 Student Transportation	1,209,081	1,124,774	1,020,798	103,976
0036 Extracurricular Activities	1,449,100	1,516,292	1,482,334	33,958
0041 General Administration	686,652	948,244	934,850	13,394
0051 Facilities Maintenance & Operations	2,142,183	2,144,283	2,090,480	53,803
0052 Security and Monitoring Services	278,949	319,964	309,524	10,440
0053 Data Processing Services	729,643	815,578	776,640	38,938
Debt Service:				
0071 Principal on Long Term Debt	261,928	263,303	281,408	(18,105)
0072 Interest on Long Term Debt	86,893	93,018	93,018	-
Capital Outlay:				
0081 Facilities Acquisition & Construction	40,000	65,526	9,900	55,626
Intergovernmental:				
0093 Payments to Fiscal Agent of SSA	45,000	45,000	49,168	(4,168)
0099 Other Intergovernmental Charges	152,986	223,653	208,754	14,899
6030 Total Expenditures	22,179,467	22,484,732	21,854,864	629,868
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	-	(302,135)	(123,268)	178,867
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
7913 Proceeds from Right to Use Lease Assets	-	246,175	246,175	-
7080 Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	246,175	246,175	-
1200 Net Change in Fund Balances	-	(55,960)	122,907	178,867
0100 Fund Balance-July 1 (Beginning)	6,444,210	6,444,210	6,444,210	-
3000 Fund Balance-June 30 (Ending)	\$ 6,444,210	\$ 6,388,250	\$ 6,567,117	\$ 178,867

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



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1074 Doves Landing Ct
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5401 Hollow Ranch Court
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4042 Aerie
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\$599,900



1246 Indian Pass
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\$1,100,000



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11174 Golden Eagle Avenue
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