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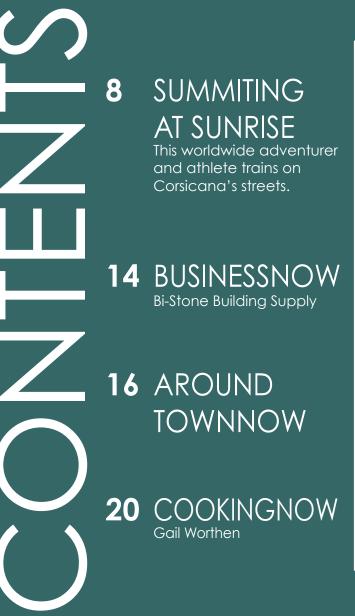
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### EDITOR'S NOTE

#### Finally, it's 2021!

Everyone I know feels that way after the year we've had in 2020. Challenges and changes have come to all in an abundance, and our lives have been altered, in some ways for the better. People have strived to stay connected when hugs and handshakes couldn't be had. One way, the Internet, has been valuable to my family in many ways. I can read Mother Goose stories to my youngest grandchild over Hangouts or Skype. Kyrie's not quite 2 years old, but she stays entranced while I read, over the Internet, rhymes that date back to the 1650s. How awesome is that! A child of the Internet age loves rhymes that are centuries old.

My family has experienced the kindness of folks whom we have never met. A crocheted blanket from another mother of a child in Wisconsin, who has Type I diabetes, arrived for my granddaughter, Sophie, who was diagnosed with the disease last July. With challenges, my daughter had reached out on Facebook for advice. Words of encouragement and hope were attached to the blanket. How wonderful the world can be!

While we've all felt akin to the MBA players who stayed "bubbled," so they could play to empty arenas, artists, journalists and writers have been creating and finding ways to get their work seen or heard through the Internet. Employees have learned to telecommute from home and be more productive. I do, however, like so many of you have mentioned, miss the events "Around Town" and long for those one-hour Zoom conferences.

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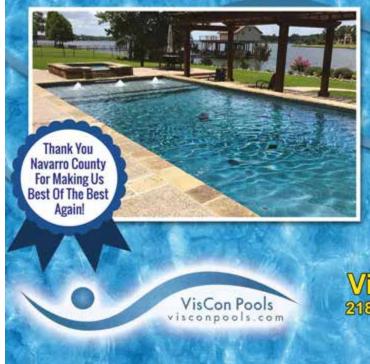






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Raj Rugwani, MD Board-certified Ophthalmologist As a boy growing up in West Texas, Nathan Bugg was inspired while watching a documentary about mountain climbing. "At first sight, I wanted to do that, and I made it a long-term goal to accomplish a trilogy of life events — becoming an Ironman, running the Boston Marathon and climbing Mt. Everest," he remembered. This Blooming Grove High School graduate and founder of the Corsicana Running Club has finished three Ironman triathlons and has qualified to run the Boston Marathon four times. However, like the naturalist and author John Muir shared, "The mountains are calling, and I must go," Nathan could still hear Mt. Everest calling him to complete the boyhood trilogy dream.

Reaching Mt. Everest's summit meant more work and accomplishing a giant learning curve. "Being from Texas, my mountaineering skills weren't up to par, so I got with a couple of groups, Climbing the Seven Summits and Trekking Hero," Nathan explained. "I will complete all seven of the highest summits on each continent with Everest being the finale. This allows me to gain experience at high altitudes and training for weeks to months." Mt. Everest will require about 60-70 days in the Himalayas.

Mt. Kilimanjaro in Tanzania, Africa, was Nathan's first summit in January 2020. He went with Trekking Hero's expedition team composed of expert mountaineers and guides. The 20-person team included a medic. Additionally, more than 20 porters carried gear (tents, food, extra bags with supplies) from camp to camp.

"The mountain trek was eight days long along the Lemosho route," Nathan explained. "We started in the hot, humid jungle and finished in 10 F at the summit. Daily, we each packed heavy winter gear, gaiters, crampons, three liters of water, snacks and layers of clothing we could add or remove. The mountain is isolated, so its beauty shadows the valleys for miles. We saw many breeds of monkeys, birds, deer and other animals in the wild. The monkeys' sounds at night were something else!" Getting used to the monkeys' howling, the food and the extreme weather changes

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were challenges. "Scaling the Barranco Wall was also a feat, since it's a sheer and exposed face side of the mountain and the expedition's most technical challenge," Nathan added.

"We tethered together on 'summit night' because there were gale force winds near the glacier's peak, which required our full attention in the dark. We started at midnight to reach Uhuru Peak, so we could watch the sunrise. The pain of the ascent is forgotten at the summit in the glory of the moment! We trekked through New Year's Day and celebrated on the mountain with loud cheers and singing with everyone yelling, 'Happy New Year!' in their native languages. Those are unforgettable moments!"

Other joys exceeded his wildest hopes for a first expedition. "I met people from all over the world. We shared our dreams uninterrupted by technology like phones and TVs," Nathan recalled. "We were people enjoying other people with full attention like it should be. We stayed in Moshi, Tanzania, before and after the ascent and enjoyed seeing and indulging in the local culture.

Nathan has established a five-year plan to climb all seven summits. Next up will be Mt. Aconcagua, South America, in February 2021, followed by Mt. Elbrus in Europe in June 2021. Australia's Mt. Kosciuszko, Mt. Vinson in Antarctica, Mt. Denali in North America and Mt. Everest in Asia are set at tentative dates due to costs. "Vinson is \$40-60,000 and Everest is around \$85,000," Nathan explained. His trips are self-financed through earnings from his ownership of a trucking, mainly oilfield-related business; HVAC business; and a running specialty store, RuNOn! He works for Tribike Transport, which transports bikes and gear to Ironman events. "I put in extra time and effort working to make these trips happen," Nathan said.

While his family didn't go on the climbing expedition, they have been at the Ironman and marathon competitions. "I've taken my whole family, many of them from Navarro County, along with friends, to each of the Boston Marathons." Nathan said. "This race is the pinnacle for runners because it's a qualifying race, and the standard qualifying time keeps dropping. My personal best time is two hours, 58 minutes, which marked off another goal of mine — to be a sub-3-hour marathoner. The feeling of running is heaven for me! There are over a million spectators lining the course, and you feel a part of history. The race is 125 vears old and has seen a runner's who's who tracing the exact steps I take. However, seeing my family and friends at mile 25, right before I turned onto historic Hereford Street, is the singlegreatest moment for me. What could mean more to me than my smiling, young boy in the arms of my wife, Whitney, cheering for Daddy? My heart is full in those moments."

Just for fun, Nathan enjoys wakeboarding, snow skiing and trekking a few 100-mile portions of the Appalachian Trail. "I live for promoting fitness through Corsicana's YMCA, Lion's Club, Smile Train, Ironman Foundation and CRC," he stated. "I run to inspire others, and people know that's my happy place." His next venture after the seven summits? "Who knows?" Nathan said. "Maybe trek to both the North and South poles."

Looking back on his third-grade career day in Lamesa, Texas, when he announced to classmates his intended trilogy goal when asked what he wanted to do when he grew up, Nathan can understand now why the class roared with laughter. "It wasn't their chosen paths, but I'm intrinsically motivated. Their laughter's echo fuels me, and I will finish my goals! I hope those classmates are successfully fulfilling their dreams, too. We only live once, and what good is living if we're not really living our dreams?" **NOW** 



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This full-service building supply business has been familyowned and -operated in Mexia since September 1989. Founded by brothers, Scott and Clint Condon, the staff includes Lynda, Scott's wife, and the couple's son, Ryan. Lynda is the general go-to lady and bookkeeper. Thirteen employees greet and help customers and work in office and mill positions.

"I married into this business," Lynda recalled. "I enjoy meeting and dealing with the public and seeing the finished projects." As with all businesses, especially during these COVID-19 times, there are challenges. "When people come in our door, they are ready to get started on their project. We must get their supplies quickly. Another challenge is finding skilled employees. "I wish our schools would teach building trades again," Lynda added. "Those skills are so useful."

The business is a member of the Mexia Area Chamber of Commerce. Lynda and Scott were born and raised in Mexia and graduated from Mexia High School. Lynda has served on the Mexia Area Chamber of Commerce board and is a volunteer with the Mexia Downtown committee and the Mexia Economic Development Corporation. Mexia Downtown brings arts and activities to the brick streets of Mexia throughout the year. When she's not working in the business or doing community volunteer work, Lynda enjoys antiquing travels.

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### **Zoomed In:** Deborah Cooper

A Beaumont native, Deborah Cooper, Corsicana and Navarro County Chamber of Commerce's new president and CEO, stated, "There's a great sense of community among people and businesses in Navarro County. I like Corsicana's comfortable mix of people and diversity, and Kim Gordon is a wonderful assistant."

A Chamber ambassador for three years, Deborah has 32 years' professional experience in marketing and advertising. "When volunteering, I look for opportunities that help build up and promote organizations," she remarked.

She and her husband, Damon, area residents for six years, enjoy their fur babies. Deborah, an artist and fine art photographer, enjoys music, pets and travel. She concluded, "Our scenic highways and country roads afford great opportunities for photography."

## Around Town



Pastor Jeremy Teague preaches about parables at That Church Corsicana.



David Loughridge, great-grandson of J.R. Loughridge, and Carroll Sigman, Pearce Museum docent, enjoy the opening reception of Navarro County's Loughridge Family Civil War Experiences exhibit.



Bristol Hospice staff ready their vehicle for the Veterans Day Parade.



*Civic and Navarro College staff and student volunteers help distribute boxes of food from the North Texas Food Bank.* 

By Virginia Riddle

## NOW



Jane Sloan presents DIY ideas at the Better Garden Club meeting.



It's all smiles behind the masks at the Salvation Army's Kettle Kick-off.



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Growing up, Gail Worthen lived northwest of Wichita Falls in ranching and farming country. "Ranch-hand and harvest-hand food is what I learned first and still like to cook," she said. "I learned from watching and helping my mother, grandmother and great-aunts."

A school librarian for 46 years, her career spanned from the days of manual typewriters and card catalog files to automation and the Internet. Retired, Gail enjoys hiking, camping, traveling and reading. "I'm always ready to hit the road," she enthused. She's a member of FUMC United Methodist Women and the Thalian Book Review Club.

Gail cooks for her husband of 55 years, Bill; three granddaughters; her brother; and neighbors, groups and events. She reflected, "Most social events revolve around food. Good food pulls us together and brings smiles." Now

#### Iron Skillet Blackberry Cobbler Only use a big, black cast-iron skillet.

#### Cobbler:

2 piecrusts, refrigerated (divided use)
1 stick butter, melted
1 /3 cups sugar
1/2 cup flour
2 14- to 16-oz. bags frozen blackberries
1/2 cup water

#### Topping/Crust: 1/2 stick butter, cut into small cubes 3/4 cup sugar

For cobbler: Heat the oven to 350 F.
 Unroll 1 piecrust; place it in the bottom and up the sides of a 12-inch cast-iron skillet.
 Pierce the bottom and sides of the crust with a fork. Bake for 7 minutes; remove and set aside.

**3.** Increase the temperature to 400 F In a large bowl, mix the butter, sugar and flour. Add the berries; toss until the berries are covered and the mixture is crumbly. **4.** Gently pour the berries into the skillet;

5. For topping/crust: Unroll the second

piecrust over the top of berries; seal at the edges of the skillet.

6. Scatter butter pieces over the crust top; sprinkle sugar over the butter.
7. Cut tiny slits in the piecrust top; bake approximately 45 minutes, or until the cobbler is bubbly at the edges and beginning to brown on top. A pie shield to keep the crust edges from burning is recommended.

#### **Breakfast Muffins**

Muffins will keep several days in the refrigerator or can be frozen.

#### Baker's Joy Cooking Spray

I lb. sausage (Bacon or ham can be substituted.)Onions, chopped, to taste (optional)Green peppers, chopped, to taste (optional) Mushrooms, chopped, to taste (optional) 6 eggs 1 cup Bisquick 2 cups half-and-half or milk 1/2 tsp. salt 1/2 tsp. black pepper 2 cups cheese, grated Salsa, to taste

 Prepare muffin tins with Baker's Joy.
 Brown sausage with vegetables, if using. Drain the grease. Divide evenly into the tins.
 In a bowl, mix the eggs, Bisquick, halfand-half, salt and pepper; pour mixture evenly over the sausage.
 Top with cheese; bake for 25 minutes in a 350 F oven. Serve with salsa.

#### Green Chile Chicken Casserole

This is a low-carb, Keto, gluten-free recipe.

20 oz. (about 4 cups) frozen cauliflower florets

- 4 oz. low-fat cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup salsa verde
- 1/2 tsp. kosher salt
- 1/8 tsp. ground black pepper
- I cup sharp cheddar cheese or cheese of your choice, plus extra for topping, shredded
- I cup Greek yogurt
- I Tbsp. fresh cilantro, chopped (optional)
- 1 4-oz. can diced green chilies, drained
- 1 10-oz. can Ro-Tel, drained
- 1 Tbsp. garlic, minced
- 2 cups chicken, cooked and shredded

Preheat oven to 375 F. In a microwave safe dish, cook the cauliflower until fork-tender.
 In a bowl, mix the cream cheese, salsa verde, salt, pepper, I cup cheese, yogurt, cilantro, green chilies, Ro-Tel and garlic.
 Add the chicken; mix well. Pour the mixture into an ovenproof casserole dish. Top with additional cheese.

**4.** Bake in the oven for 20 minutes or in a microwave on high for 10 minutes; serve hot.

#### Mimi's Rolls

This is a family recipe that is always on the table for Sunday and holiday dinners. Dough can be used as a base for cinnamon rolls.

- I tsp. salt
- I cup shortening
- 3/4 cup sugar
- I cup boiling water
- 2 envelopes Fleischmann's active dry yeast (or rapid rise yeast, prepare following package directions, and don't add the cup of cold water)
- I cup cold water
- 2 beaten eggs
- 6 cups flour





**1.** In a bowl, cream the salt and shortening; add the sugar and boiling water. Mix; let stand until cool.

2. Add the yeast cakes, cold water, eggs and flour; mix well.

**3.** Place the dough ball in a large, greased bowl; cover with a clean dishtowel. Let the ball rise for 1 hour; dough will double in size. Note: After this initial rising, the dough may be refrigerated for several days.

4. Make out (punch down) the dough; form  $1 \frac{1}{2}$ -inch balls. Put the balls in a greased pan; leave room for expansion. Let rise again. 5. Bake rolls in a 350 F oven for 15-20 minutes.

#### Parmesan Chicken Bake

This recipe tastes even better the second day after re-heating it in the microwave.

#### **Cooking spray**

- 6 chicken breasts
- 1 1/2 cups plain Greek yogurt
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1/2 cup fresh Parmesan cheese, plus more for topping
- $1 \frac{1}{2}$  tsp. seasoning salt
- 1/2 tsp. pepper
- I tsp. garlic powder

**I.** Preheat the oven to 375 F; prepare a 9x13-inch glass pan with cooking spray.



2. Lay the chicken inside the pan. In a bowl, mix the remaining ingredients; spread the mixture over each piece of chicken. Be sure to cover all the exposed raw meat, so it doesn't dry out.

3. Sprinkle fresh Parmesan over the chicken; bake for 45 minutes.

#### Mississippi Pot Roast

- 1 2- to 3-lb. beef roast
- 1 1-oz. pkt. ranch dressing mix
- 1 1-oz. pkt. au jus gravy mix
- I stick butter
- 4-6 pepperoncini peppers, including seeds (Green chilies, a whole banana

#### pepper, or mild pepper, poblano pepper or Hungarian pepper can be substituted.)

I. Place roast in a Crock-Pot; dump remaining ingredients on top. Don't add water. 2. Add lid; cook for 6-8 hours on low.

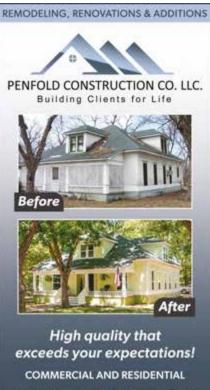




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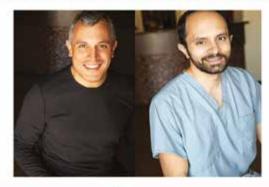
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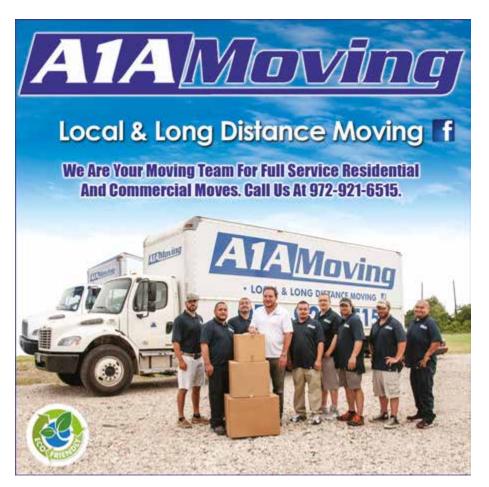
#### Across

- 1 Got grayer
- 5 Catch you later
- 10 Hint
- 11 Most Kurds
- 13 Popular type of party, often at universities
- 14 Horn of Africa resident
- 15 Spain and Portugal
- 17 Above
- 18 Indian flatbread
- 19 Speck of soot
- 21 First US orbiter
- 23 Leading soap actor Anthony ---
- 27 "And the rest," in short
- 29 Aviation regulator
- 30 What a soufflé should do
- 33 Recurrent
- 35 Said by a confessor
- 37 Mary Jane
- 38 Calibre
- 39 Skip over
- 40 "Grab --- of the life preserver"
- 41 Coolers

#### Down

- 1 Job for a thespian
- 2 All over the world
- 3 Seat of the University of Oregon
- 4 Costly
- 5 Indian tea state
- 6 Laurel and Hardy, for example
- 7 Mean it about a con
- 8 The show comes --- 9
- 9 Missile housing
- 12 Drink daintily
- 16 "--- it romantic?" (Rodgers & Hart)
- 20 Hard on the eyes
- 22 ... on a --- know basis
- 24 Burning
- 25 Dried grape
- 26 Regatta entrants
- 28 Portrayed
- 30 Edge
- 31 Concept
- 32 Darth Sidious's group
- 34 Karate blow
- 36 Off-color





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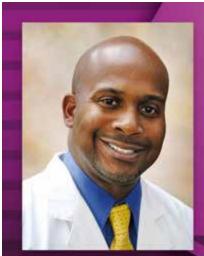


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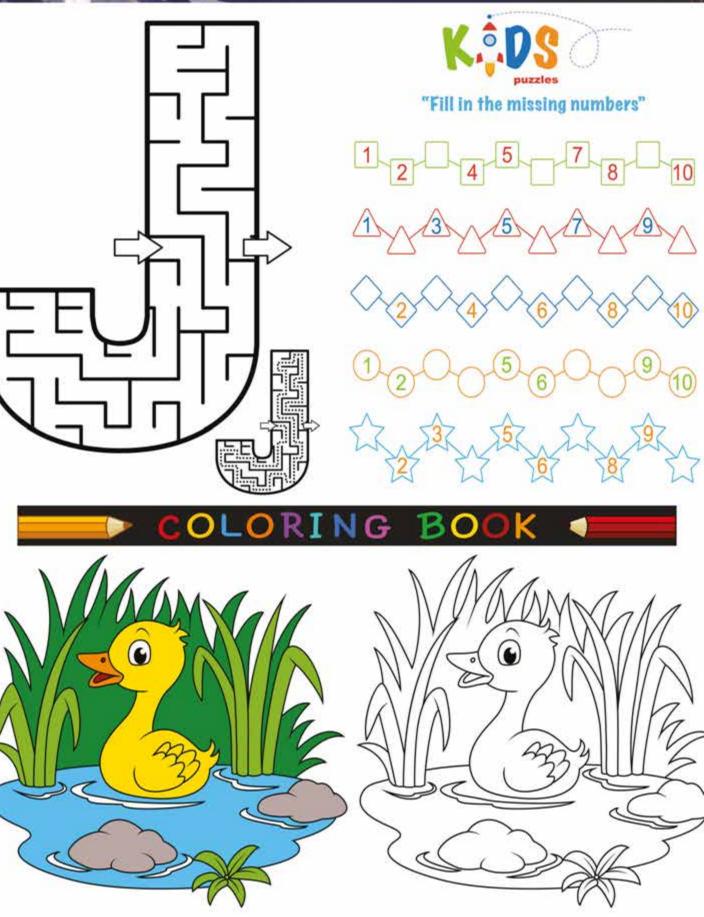
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Due to COVID-19, some events may have been cancelled or rescheduled while we were at press. Check with individual organizations or your city or Chamber websites to verify dates and times.

#### 1/1-1/9

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Western Artists Roundup Show and Sale: Featured are creative new works by a consortium of artists striving to preserve the customs of the West, both old and new, yesteryear and today. Monday-Friday: 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Pearce Museum at Navarro College, 3100 W. Collin St. For more information, call (903) 875-7642.

#### 1/1-6/30

Navarro County's Loughridge Family Civil War Experiences: This exhibit relates this family's separation by war and their hardships as told through letters. Monday-Friday: 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Pearce Museum at Navarro College, 3100 W. Collin St. (903) 875-7642.

#### 1/6, 1/10, 1/14, 1/19, 1/23

#### Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services Live Webinars:

These sessions will be for adults interested in adopting and/or fostering children. Times vary. For a link to the webinars, call (800) 888-1904.

#### 1/14

Friends of the Library Meeting: 9:00 a.m., Corsicana Public Library, 100 N. 12th St. For more information, call (903) 654-4810.

#### 1/15

Better Gardens Club Meeting: Masks are required. Learn about Christmas cacti. 9:00 a.m., Corsicana First United Methodist Church, 320 N. 15th St. tdscruggs@att.net.

#### 1/16, 1/20, 1/27, 2/3

Navarro College Home Basketball Games: Check www.navarrocollege.edu for times.

#### 1/19

MLK Breakfast: The program features a speaker, and scholarships will be awarded. 7:00-9:00 a.m., Cook Education Center, 3100 W. Collin St. 1 (800) NAVARRO.

#### 1/28

Fairfield Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Banquet: 6:30 p.m., Twisted Vines Event Center. www.fairfieldtexaschamber.com.

#### 2/11

Corsicana & Navarro County Chamber of Commerce Gold and Silver Awards Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Cook Education Center, 3100 W. Collin St. (903) 874-4731.

#### First Mondays

Piecemakers' Quilt Guild of Corsicana Meeting: 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Westhill Church of Christ Family Room. www.pqgcorsicana.org.

#### Second Fridays

Angels of Corsicana Troop Support Packing Day: 9:00 a.m., Grace Community Church Warehouse, 227 N. Beaton. For more information, email cyndiparrish2002@yahoo.com.

#### Third Fridays

Manna From Above Community Food Pantry and Farmers Market: 9:00 a.m.-noon,

Dawson Housing Authority. For more information, email jtatum@traditionshealth.com.

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#### First Saturdays

Women of Grace Gathering: Child care is provided. 10:00 a.m.-noon, Grace Community Church, 227 N. Beaton Street. (903) 874-7300.

#### Second Saturdays

Mimosas at the Market: 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Downtown Corsicana.

**Coyote Squadron Meeting:** Come enjoy the program. Hear what is new for 2021.

and meet our new officers. 10:30 a.m., Coyote Hanger, Corsicana Municipal Airport. corsicanaairsho@gmail.com.

#### Third Saturdays

Navarro Fiber Friends: Bring your knitting, crochet, needlepoint, cross-stitch or any other fiber project to share. 10:00 a.m.-noon, Corsicana Senior Citizens Center. Facebook: Navarro Fiber Friends.

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## Crossword -Sudoku Solutions

| <sup>1</sup> A  | <sup>2</sup> G | <sup>3</sup> E | <sup>4</sup> D |         | <sup>5</sup> A  | 6 D     | 7               | <sup>8</sup> 0 | 9 S     |         |
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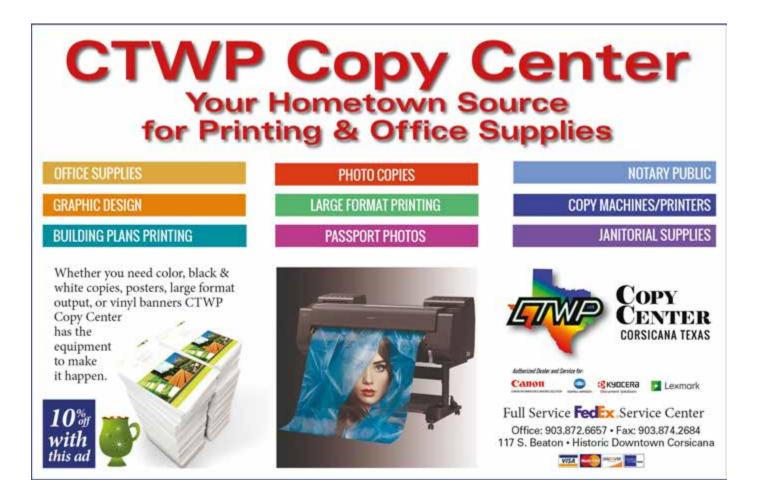
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