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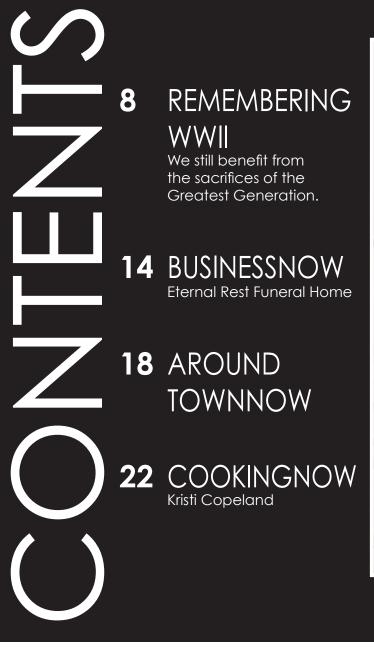




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EDITOR'S NOTE

Let's get going ...

I am looking forward to this new year as much as any I have ever looked forward to in the past. (That sentence confuses me, and I wrote it!) But really, you know what I mean. I am filled with optimism for a great 2021. This winter weather will pass for a blossoming spring before we know it. That anticipated trip with the kids during spring break needs to be planned. The bluebonnet trails will be open again, and the Polka Festival is going to follow quickly afterward.

Knox Street construction is going to be wound up, and historic downtown Ennis will be even more attractive for both locals and tourists to enjoy. The economy is on the way up, and we can enjoy the Bluebonnet Market again, as well as the other local merchants, including our downtown restaurants.

Spring and summer this year will feature a return to outdoor sports. Kids will be playing soccer, and Little League baseball games and the local parks will be the places to see and be seen. There are going to be so many opportunities to gather and celebrate our freedoms as members of small-town America. And a summer vacation will be right around the corner.

When school starts next fall, it is going to feel familiar again. Relationships across the community that may have drifted apart during the last year are going to be rekindled and refreshed, and new relationships are going to be formed and flourish.

My sincere hope is that your optimism for 2021 far exceeds mine, and your dreams for a great year all come true. Let's make it happen in Ennis!

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"I was at Chambers Creek when the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor. I'd say it did not really dawn on us what had happened. News traveled a lot slower then," World War II veteran Vernon Tallant reflected. As one of three veterans of WWII who reside in Ennis, Vernon's memories are sharp, as are those of veterans Bill Lewis and Bennie Welch.

"I chose to join the Navy in 1943, just a couple of months before the end of my senior year in high school," Vernon continued. "Someone advised me that if I would choose to be a gunner's mate, I would never have KP duty. They were right!" Vernon was assigned to the newly commissioned USS *Guam*. The *Guam* was a battle cruiser, and there were only two of them. Vernon described them as the fastest ships in the fleet, capable of 46 knots.

Before long, Vernon and the *Guam* met up with the rest of the fleet near Ulithi, an island in the Caroline Islands in the western Pacific. Other American ships they met with included the *Missouri*, the *Alaska*, the *Shangri-La* and the *Intrepid*. "We had a battle where over 300 kamikazes attacked. We lost three carriers, put out of service," Vernon continued. The perils of the sea would include other things also. "We had a weather warning that a typhoon was approaching, so we attempted to move to the edge of it. We wound up in the middle of it, and the winds were over 200 miles per hour."



— By Bill Smith

Vernon said there were a lot of battles, and while there was fear, he admitted that manning his guns became like a job. "When the battle was over, we went back to what we were doing and didn't spend much time thinking about it, until the next attack came." After the war, Vernon came to Ennis. "My first job was at Fallen Electric, making 55 cents an hour," he recalled. Vernon had a career with Leggett & Platt, retiring after 20 years as plant superintendent.

At age 16, WWII veteran Bennie Welch was on a boat on the way to join the war effort in Europe when a lieutenant colonel onboard asked him, "Young man, how did you get in the Army?"

Bennie responded, "I started running, and they caught me, sir!"

Bennie wound up in Italy and Africa, under the command of General George S. Patton. "Patton was not a sit-around-the-office type general. He was out there with the men, often in the middle of the battle.

"I was with a reconnaissance outfit. We would meet soldiers at the ocean and show them how to get to the front lines. We walked everywhere we went. There were only two jeeps in the whole unit, and the general had one of them. Once, General Patton came driving up in his jeep and told me to get in with him. It seems his driver had been shot, and he needed some assistance getting him back in the jeep. Patton ran the war from that jeep."

Bennie entered the Army in 1940 and was on a ship "close by" when Pearl Harbor was attacked. He eventually made it to Naples, Italy. He stayed in the Army for eight years, coming out after the war was over as a buck sergeant. "I had a job to do in the



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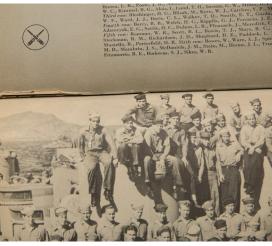
Bennie grew up on a dairy farm, but his father died at a young age, and his mother elected to sell the farm. When Bennie returned from the service, he was able to settle in the Ennis area, working with his brother in the construction business, eventually purchasing his current homestead from H.R. Burden. Today, Bennie gives a lot of credit to Army chaplains, his current church and love for helping him get back home.

On December 7, 1941, Bill Lewis was in Mexia riding horses. When he got home, his father was very upset. "Something tragic happened in Hawaii," he said.

"I stayed in school, and then joined the Army when I was 18. My first overseas assignment was on Okinawa," Bill related. Duty on Okinawa at this point in the war could only be described as "gruesome."

Later, Bill went to the Philippines, to the island of Leyte. He continued, "The Japanese were everywhere, and they were keen soldiers. We built a POW camp that at one time held 5,000 Japanese prisoners."

Bill said that one of the things his father taught him as a young man helped him with his time in the military. "Dad told me to shake hands with everyone you meet, and then you are no longer strangers. One day, I saw a soldier I did not know, and rather than salute, I stuck out my hand to meet





him. His name was Lt. Larson. Two days later, I got word that I was wanted in the orderly room 'immediately.' Lt. Larson was there, and he introduced me as, 'The young man that had the guts to shake my hand.' They decided in the orderly room that I would make a good NCO, and in I4 weeks, I was a buck sergeant."

Eventually, Bill became a first sergeant, and he stayed with Lt. Larson the rest of his time in the Army. Sadly, Lt. Larson did not make it home.

Bill shook hands with another soldier while he was in the Philippines, saying, "My name is Sergeant Lewis. I appreciate your outstanding leadership in this war." He had just shaken hands with General Douglas MacArthur. Bill said he was the only NCO to ever have that privilege.

After the war, Bill found his way to Ennis, and for many years, he has been proud to call Ennis his home. He has been very active in the community, serving a number of civic organizations, as well as on the city council and as mayor.

Like so many men in the generation we respectfully refer to as "The Greatest," these men served their country admirably, proudly and as much as anything, humbly. They don't talk about the war much, but the memories are still there — some haunting, some funny and some poignant. If you get the chance to meet one of these heroes, just say, "Thank you for your service." They will humbly accept your gratitude. **NOW**

Editor's Note: NOW had also planned to interview WWII veteran Franklin Dobbs for this story. Unfortunately, Mr. Dobbs passed away before the interview could be scheduled. We send our condolences to his family and our appreciation for his service to our country.



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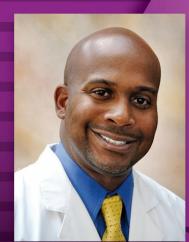


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Gerald Weatherall of Eternal Rest Funeral Home was attending seminary with plans to be a pastor when he visited during Christmas break with a college friend's family in Greenville that owned a funeral home. The owner of the funeral home, J.H. Johnson, became to mentor to Gerald, and after moving from the seminary to mortician college, he soon went to work for Grundy Funeral Home in Greenville. Eventually, he became the owner.

"I knew I wanted to be the owner of a funeral home, but I did not have the resources immediately available. I went to

work in corporate America, investing heavily in a 401 (k) for 16 years, and was able to purchase Grundy Funeral Home in 2002. We sold it in 2004 and were able to open Eternal Rest in Dallas," Gerald recalled. "Next, we started work in Wichita Falls, and, today, we have locations in DeSoto, Dallas, Plano and, of course, Ennis. We just reopened Ennis about three months ago."

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Gerald also mentioned his grandfather, Henry Ervin, as a business mentor for him. "My grandfather owned a commercial plumbing business. I give him and J.H. Johnson a lot of credit for teaching me that integrity and business go together," he said.

"Ennis is a great opportunity for us to serve. One of the prior funeral homes closed just before we came, and there was definitely a need. We were actually able to purchase some of the inventory of another prior mortuary."

Eternal Rest offers complete funeral services, including preneed plans, cremation, green funerals and a variety of

services for viewing and post funeral receptions for family and friends. "We have made a lot of upgrades to our building in Ennis, and while that is important, we want people to know that dignity and integrity are what our business represents.

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Gerald calls Eternal Rest Funeral Home a trendsetter in the funeral business. "In the past, we have been copied by others," he continued. "We design our funeral plans to meet individual needs." This business model has certainly been successful, as the funeral home continues to grow. "Our home office is in DeSoto, and the building has two chapels. We are getting ready to add a third chapel and do a major renovation on the facility."

The investment in the Ennis community continues to grow, as well. Office Manager Tina Perkins is a local employee, as is Funeral Attendant Thomas Flowers. Roosevelt Johns is an apprentice funeral director from Corsicana who works in Ennis.

Looking back, Gerald said his mother was shocked when he told her he was dropping out of seminary to attend mortician college. Today, in addition to operating Eternal Rest Funeral Home, Gerald is also the pastor of New Mount Horeb Missionary Baptist Church in Dallas.

"We are getting established in Ennis again. We have invested a lot here, and I think it will do well," Gerald said with optimism. "We provide a service above the average, and our service speaks for itself."



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Zoomed In: Adam Springer

Though not a native of Ennis, Adam Springer and two of his children, Callie and Preston, obviously enjoy the holiday season and the decorations the city has provided for photo ops. While Adam's wife, Brandy, was at home with their third child, 2-year-old Nikolaus, he took advantage of the opportunity to get a couple of cell phone pictures of the older children.

Adam is very friendly and seems to easily meet new people. "We have been here for about 5 months," Adam related. "I am fortunate to be able to work from home." Even though he works from home, it is clear he likes to be out in the community with his family, and Ennis has become their home.

Around Town



Eight-year-old Rhyder Erwin poses with and a nice buck he took this year.



Shannon Cox and the rest of Ennis Camp Gladiator celebrate Jenn's Giving in honor of Jennifer Markgraf.



Alan Simmons and Kevin Baker were in charge of the smoker during Thanksgiving.



Ennis Chamber of Commerce employees and guests enjoy the holiday open house.

By Bill Smith

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Dr. Bill Lee and wife, Janice, enjoy strolling downtown on a winter evening.



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Kristi Copeland has been cooking since she was 6 years old. She remembers her first influences being her grandmother and her mother, but also says that 4-H played a major role in her passion for cooking. "I like to use vegetables that my husband, Tommy, and I grow in our organic garden," she mentioned. During the 2020 Texas State Fair, they won awards for their pickled okra, squash relish and strawberry jam.

While she enjoys cooking for family and friends, she also cooks each week during the season for the Ennis Bluebonnet Market. Kristi believes sharing her creations is a way to express love and empathy for others. "I also like to see others' enjoyment and success. I taught high school students Food and Nutrition for 22 years before becoming a school counselor," she concluded. Now

Cranberry Jalapeño Salsa

- 12-oz. bag fresh cranberries
 1/2 medium red onion, chopped
 1 Tbsp. orange zest
 1/2 cup honey
 1 Tbsp. lime zest
 2 jalapeño peppers, seeded and minced
 1/4 cup fresh cilantro, chopped
 2 Tbsp. lime juice
 I. Combine all ingredients in a food processor; pulse several times to chop to a medium consistency.
- **2.** Refrigerate for at least 30 minutes to allow the flavors to combine.
- 3. Serve over softened cream cheese with a

variety of crackers. This also makes a good relish for turkey.

Pumpkin Roll

- Bread: 1 cup sugar 2/3 cup flour 3 eggs 1/2 tsp. baking soda 3/4 tsp. cinnamon 2/3 cup pumpkin Pam Cooking Spray 1/2 cup powdered sugar
- Filling: I 12-oz. pkg. cream cheese

3 Tbsp. butter I tsp. vanilla I cup powdered sugar I cup pecans, chopped

I. *For bread:* Mix together the first 6 ingredients. Pour the mixture onto a cookie sheet, which has been lined with foil and sprayed with Pam Cooking Spray.

2. Bake 15 minutes at 350 F.

3. For filling: Mix together all filling ingredients.
4. Remove the bread from the oven; immediately turn onto a tea towel that has been sprinkled with the 1/2 cup of powdered sugar.

5. Spread the filling evenly over the bread. Roll up like a jelly roll starting from the short side.

6. Wrap in foil; refrigerate for at least 1 hour.7. Slice and serve. This also freezes well.

Meat Stuffed Manicotti

4 cups water 1 box manicotti shells 1 1/2 lbs. ground beef 3/4 cup Parmesan cheese, grated 1 tsp. garlic powder 1/4 tsp. salt

1/4 tsp. black pepper

1 24-oz. jar garlic and herb pasta sauce1 16-oz. pkg. shredded mozzarella cheese

Heat water in a large saucepan. When the water begins to boil, gently add the manicotti shells; cook until soft but not completely done. Drain; cover in cool water.
 Brown the ground beef; drain

excess liquid.

3. Combine beef with Parmesan cheese, garlic powder, salt and pepper. Fill individual shells with meat mixture; place in a 13x9-inch baking dish.

4. Pour pasta sauce over the filled shells. Top with mozzarella cheese. Bake in a 350 F oven for about 25 minutes, or until lightly brown on top and bubbly.

Chocolate Chip Cookies

Makes 2 1/2 dozen cookies.

3/4 cup brown sugar
3/4 cup white sugar
1 cup Crisco Shortening
2 eggs
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. baking soda
2 1/4 cups flour
1 tsp. pure vanilla extract
2 cups semi-sweet chocolate chips
I. In a bowl, cream the brown sugar, white

In a bowl, clean the blown sugar, white sugar and shortening.
 Add the eggs, salt, baking soda, flour and vanilla. Beat until mixed.
 Stir in the chocolate chips.
 Place dough on a cookie sheet using 2 tsp. with 12 cookies per sheet.
 Bake in a 350 F oven for 8 minutes, or until light brown around the edges.
 Remove from the oven; allow to cool on

the cookie sheet for about 4 minutes before removing to waxed paper.

Tortilla Chicken Soup

Makes 8 servings.

4 large chicken breasts, cut into bite-size pieces
1 Tbsp. olive oil
1 large yellow onion, chopped
1 red bell pepper, chopped
1 green bell pepper, chopped
1 tsp. chili powder
1 tsp. solt
1 tsp. black pepper
1 28-oz. can diced tomatoes
3 cups chicken stock
1 10-oz. can Ro-Tel tomatoes
2 Tbsp. tomato paste
Juice of 1 lime



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Avocado, sliced, to taste Cheddar cheese, shredded, to taste Tortilla chips, to taste

I. Brown the chicken in a skillet with the olive oil.

2. Add the onions, red pepper and green pepper.

3. Stir in the chili powder, cumin, salt and black pepper. Cook until the vegetables are tender.

4. In a large soup pot, combine the diced tomatoes, chicken stock, Ro-Tel tomatoes, tomato paste and lime juice.
5. Add chicken mixture; cook for at least 30 minutes on a simmer.

6. Serve with sliced avocado, shredded cheddar cheese and tortilla strips.

Pineapple Cheese Ball

2 8-oz. pkgs. cream cheese I small can crushed pineapple, drained I/4 cup green pepper, minced I/4 cup white onion, minced I/4 tsp. seasoned salt 2 cups pecans, chopped Wheat Thins, to taste

I. In a food processor, combine the cream cheese and pineapple.

 Add the green pepper, onion and seasoned salt, pulsing several times.
 On a sheet of waxed paper, spread the chopped pecans. Pour the cream cheese mixture onto the pecans. Wrap the waxed paper around the mixture, forming a ball.
 Refrigerate for several hours; serve with Wheat Thins.

Almond Cookies

Makes 3 1/2 dozen cookies.

Cookies: I cup butter, softened 3/4 cup sugar I tsp. almond extract 2 cups flour 1/2 tsp. baking powder 1/4 tsp. salt

Glaze:

1 1/2 cups powdered sugar 1 tsp. almond extract 4-5 tsp. water Sliced almonds, to taste

I. *For cookies:* Heat oven to 400 F. **2.** Combine the butter, sugar and almond extract in a large mixing bowl. Beat at medium speed, scraping bowl often, until creamy. **3.** Reduce the speed to low. Add remaining cookie ingredients; beat well.

4. Roll out the dough to 1/4-inch thickness. Bake for 7-9 minutes, or until the edges are very lightly brown; cool completely.

5. For glaze: With a wire whisk, stir together all the glaze ingredients, except the almonds, in a small bowl.

6. Decorate the cookies with the glaze and sliced almonds.



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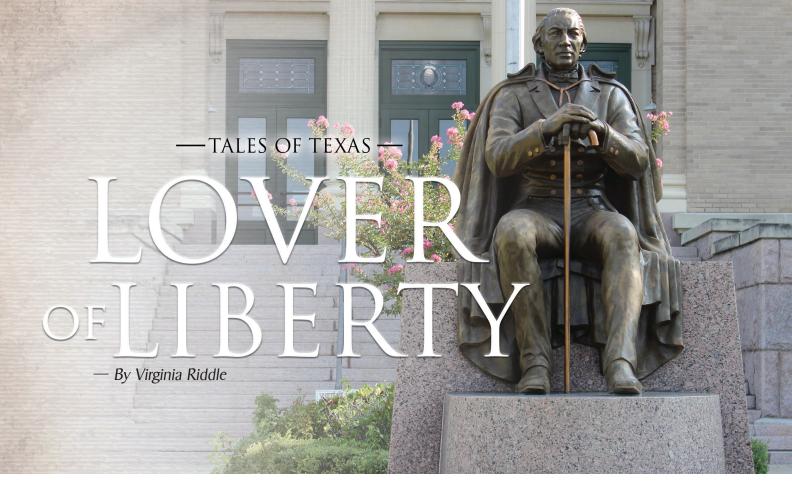


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José Antonio Navarro's life and contributions to the birth of Texas are reflected on his historical marker erected in 1936 as part of the celebration of the 100year anniversary of Texas independence from Mexico. Born in 1795, José Antonio saw his native land through much turmoil, war and change.

José Antonio's journey into Texas history began with his father, Don Ángel Navarro's (1748-1808) decision to leave his native Isle of Corsica to journey as a cabin boy aboard a Spanish galleon to Veracruz, Mexico. He became a successful merchant and married Maria Joséfa Ruiz, an aristocrat and native of San Antonio. He made his family's home in Texas for the remainder of his life. Don Ángel believed in truth, honor and freedom and passed those beliefs to his son, José Antonio.

A Mexican army unit led by a Spanish general, Joaquin de Arredondo, entered San Antonio in 1813. Jose Antonio's older brother, Jose Ángel Navarro, was a lieutenant in the infantry at the time. These lands had been claimed by the French, Spanish, United States and various Native American peoples. When Jose Ángel refused to carry out orders against these occupying persons, and it became clear that the family supported Mexican independence, he was relieved of his command and fled for his life to the interior of Mexico. José Antonio was educated in Mexico but had left school at age 13 to help support his family in San Antonio following his father's death. When José Ángel was relieved of his command, the rest of the family had to flee as well. Maria took the minor children with her, and José Antonio, who was 18 at the time, went to Louisiana. Three years later, he returned to find his mother and siblings nearly destitute, so he went to work to support the family. Mostly self-educated, he became successful as a merchant, rancher and land investor. In 1825, he married Margarita de la Garza y Flores, a native of San Antonio. The couple would have seven children.

In 1828, José Antonio's political career began when he was appointed representative of Bexar and the State of Coahuila by Mexico and to the federal congress in Mexico City. He purchased a ranch near San Antonio and moved his family there, while also being elected as that area's representative to the Congress of Texas. José Antonio was elected in 1833 as senator by the State of Coahuila's Junto Electoral. He supported Texas statehood, so by 1835, José Antonio declined serving further in Mexican political offices.

The following year, José Antonio was elected to represent Bexar District at the Washington-on-the-Brazos convention. He became the seventh signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence. José Antonio was one of three Mexican signers, and one of two native-born Texas signers.

Mirabeau Bonaparte Lamar, president of the Republic of Texas, appointed José Antonio as commissioner of the Santa Fe Expedition, which was undertaken in 1841. While José Antonio didn't favor the annexing of Eastern New Mexico into the new republic, as planned by President Lamar, he was persuaded to go. Mexican officials took the expedition's members captive and marched them over 2,000 miles to Mexico City. Many of the captives didn't survive.

Upon arrival, José Antonio was interrogated and offered freedom and a return to government service if he would renounce allegiance to the Republic of Texas. He chose not to and was convicted of treason and sentenced to death. His sentence was commuted to life imprisonment. José Antonio endured Mexican dungeons for four years, until he escaped and boarded a ship from Veracruz, Mexico, to Cuba. From Cuba, he sailed to New Orleans, and then to Galveston. He returned to his ranch in 1845 and was welcomed as a hero. He was the only Tejano delegate to the 1845 Constitution Convention and was twice elected to the state senate. In retirement, José Antonio became a historical and political writer and newspaper contributor.

Respect for José Antonio Navarro's patriotism and leadership, granted to Texas in its formative years, has led to the naming of Navarro County and several schools and streets in his honor and memory. The city of Corsicana, Texas, was named by José Antonio in honor of his father's homeland. In 1871, he died at his San Antonio home, now Casa Navarro State Historic Site.

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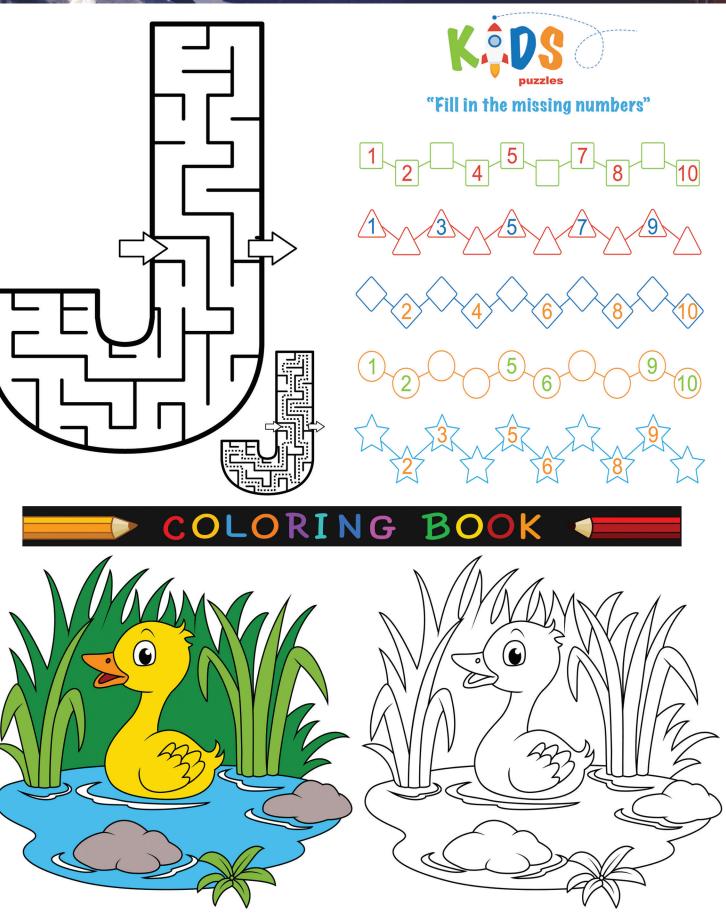
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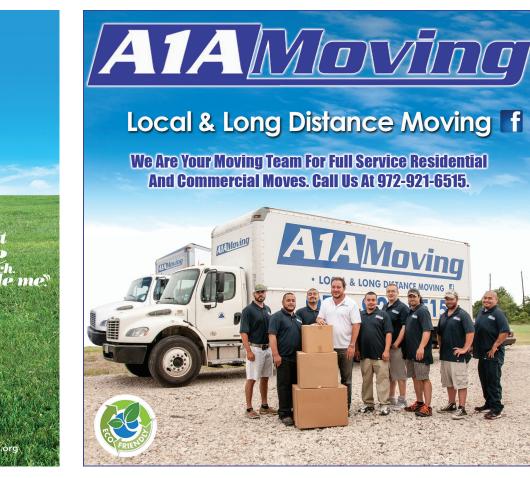
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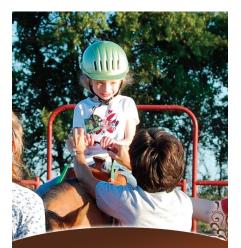
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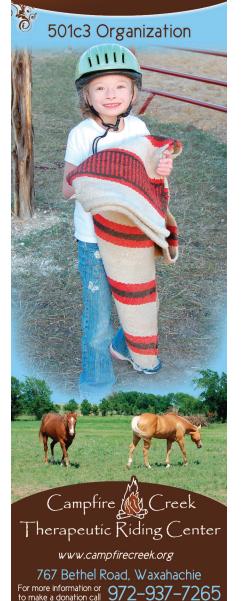
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