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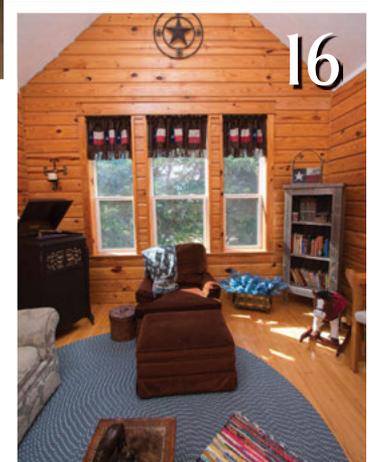
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Dear Readers,

Like so many other school children, I learned that history is boring when it's just dates and names to be memorized. But give me a good biography, autobiography or well-researched historical fiction book to read, and the stories of people who lived through that historical period become fascinating.

We all have our own stories to tell, and that's what makes my job with NOW Magazines so much fun. I get to tell your stories — wonderful people doing wonderful things in their communities. I also have the privilege of writing other stories, too.

One recent story I wrote took me to China during WWII. It's the story of my father's experience as a Counter Intelligence Corps officer. I acquired his oral history transcript from the National Museum of the Pacific and researched that period, thanks to our two local libraries. Now the rest of my family can know more about this man and his time!

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The program's name implies walking, but all forms of exercise can be performed and recorded for "miles," from routine household and gardening activities to the most extreme sports. Don't want to join a team or spend time in a gym? Individual walkers are welcome, and while exercise in a gym or

yoga class counts for miles, walking at a local park or in one's own neighborhood counts, too. There's some form of moving that can work for everyone's physical abilities, interests, time constraints and budgets.

Members of organizations, employees of corporations/businesses, school classes and families usually form teams. It all starts with a site manager. Since 2009, except for a three-year interlude, Navarro Regional Hospital has been leading the way by participating and placing winning teams in WAT. Its site manager has been Connie Beal. "We had seven teams last year with the full eight members on each team," Connie recalled. "Three of the teams took the top prizes, and combined, NRH teams logged 13,146 miles last fall. It all starts with an email blast to all employees announcing that it's WAT time again."

Connie sets out team captain packets and information in the hospital's cafeteria. Interested employees pick up the packets and form their own teams, usually within departments. Connie registers the hospital on the WAT online site, so captains can register their teams by name and members within the hospital's group.

The eight weeks of WAT pass quickly. Connie posts the weekly team miles on the lobby bulletin board. "It's a fun competition between the teams," she said. To keep everyone



ter

— By Virginia Riddle



motivated and moving, Connie sends out email blasts with healthy tips and reminders to keep and post miles.

The Fast but not Furious Blister Sisters team was captained by Stacy Hargrave, a proud Corsicana native. She's been involved in WAT since 2010, and her teams have placed first in both that year and 2016. "We work together as a team by encouraging each other to do better each week," Stacy said. Walking, running and doing yard work are Stacy's personal methods of clocking miles. Her husband and brother often walk with her. "I like to get people involved with something that will benefit their health," she stated.

Robert Dragoo, RN, captain of the Radiology Ramblers, said, "We were very competitive and came in second place. We had no set goals, but most of us used our smartphones and watches to record the miles walked. I signed up because WAT sounded like fun, and exercising makes me feel great." Robert also cycled for miles.



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Laury Carlidge, Stacy Hargrave and Suzy Vega work out on treadmills and a stationary bike.

Lab employees joined forces on the Courageous Contamination team for their first ever WAT last fall. WAT provided them a team building opportunity. They set a goal of each person walking 10,000 steps per day, accomplishing a fourth place in WAT. Cardio and elliptical workouts, weight training and walking provided some of those miles.

"I love doing anything for this community," Connie said. She cites benefits, other than those of health, which hospital employees receive. "The team concept gets new employees involved and gives another opportunity for experienced employees to mentor, encourage and lead the newer hires in their departments. It's also fun, and we're creating great memories."

Connie leads her own team, Dust Busters. "We encourage team members to do the best they can. We're not here to outdo anyone else. We just do our personal best," she said. Connie likes to convert her gardening and housework hours into miles. Her husband, David, joins her in walking and hiking on their excursions and those with Senior Circle, a group Connie coordinates for the hospital. "We love hiking on trails and sightseeing," Connie explained.

Keeping the high cost of employees' health insurance down is a priority in most business' annual budget planning, and participation in WAT can help. Navarro County employees, at this time, participate and receive incentives from their health insurance plan. "We can work



to fit WAT into a company's health plan, but their insurance carrier has to approve it," Lorie said. "WAT can be used as a worksite wellness program for a company by having it run at any time during the year as a competition between employees. Participation in exercise activities can benefit both the company and its employees' health insurance costs.

Public, private and homeschool teachers can be the team captains for their WAT enrolled classes. Lesson plans, tied to TEKS for grades K-10, are already conveniently located on the WAT website. Texas geography is a natural lesson — as the class "walks" across Texas, their path can be recorded on a



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Texas' motto is *friendly*, and this state is known to be welcoming to all. WAT is no exception. Families and friends can team together even if some participants aren't lucky enough to live in Texas. With a click on the website, out-of-state participants can become involved. What a way to have a family reunion and stay connected!

Experts say that it takes 21 days of repetitive behavior to make a lifestyle change for the better. That time frame works for those seeking, through WAT participation, a healthier life. "I love seeing the smiles on participants' faces when they realize what they've accomplished," Connie said. "Having been employed by Navarro Regional Hospital for 41 years, it's my second home. I enjoy doing something wonderful for Corsicana and Navarro County residents and my hospital community. It's very rewarding to give back to this community by participating in WAT." **NOW**

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"My father was a builder, so I had experience in construction. We did much of the work ourselves," David said.

The outbuildings and farm equipment are evidence that David, though retired from his position as Blooming Grove ISD's technical director, stays busy. "I coached just about everything there, but mostly football and track, before becoming the technical director," he remarked. The couple's son, Joel, lives across the street, and together the family grows many of their own vegetables. "All three of our kids, Jonathan, who lives in West Virginia; Joel; and Amber, a resident of Cedar Hill, grew up knowing about work," David added. David and Darlene are the proud grandparents of nine grandchildren, one great-grandchild, "with another one on the way."

Darlene, a native of Mertens, was employed by what is now the Texas Workforce Commission in Corsicana and then as the Blooming Grove Jr. High School's secretary. "I love people, so I



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still sub in the schools' offices. School secretaries wear a bunch of different hats," she said.

Married for 48 years, David and Darlene met during her school days. He was a graduate of Blooming Grove, and she was a cheerleader for rival Frost ISD. "We got married while I was attending Navarro College," Darlene remembered. They lived in Commerce until David graduated from East Texas State University (now Texas A&M University-Commerce), and have since lived on

the family farm in the Dresden/Barry area and in Chandler, Arizona, before returning to Blooming Grove.

"We spend time following the grandkids' ballgames now," David said. "We always have something going on." He plays the guitar and has always served his community on different boards. "This community is so good. I'm currently on the Dresden Cemetery Board, the Blooming Grove Library Board and am president of the Blooming Grove Historical Society. Darlene plays the piano

and does lots of cooking, but her flowers have always been her passion.

Flowers line the home's latticed foundation and a brick walkway to the home is flanked by two antique wagon wheels. Floral creations grace the porch along with white rocking chairs and brown wicker seating. A plaque hangs in the bay window declaring that this is Mema and Pepaw's home. Darlene,

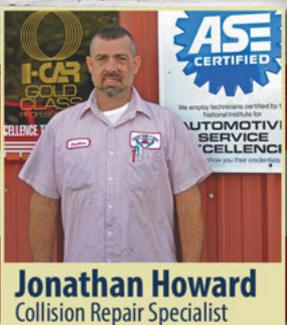


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ever the gracious hostess, greets family and friends from the porch steps.

She explained, "I'm a traditional person, and I like to mix old with new. I want things from the past to continue in our family, and I've got names for the bedrooms. Ashley Mahone with the Grapevine Store in Blooming Grove has helped Darlene with the home's decorating.

The family room opens to the formal dining room and the kitchen with its eat-in informal dining. A place for gathering, the family room is anchored by the bay window and the massive fireplace. "Our Christmas tree fits perfectly in the bay window, and the fireplace and mantel are exactly what we wanted," Darlene said. A grandfather clock, two rockers and the grandchildren's table set truly make this a family room.

"One of my best memories is that of my mother sitting in our blue chair by that fireplace while enjoying its warmth," David said.

The sunlit formal dining room's three walls of windows and French doors sport country lace curtains. Darlene's collection of vintage pitchers is on display against the red walls framed by white pillars. "We host a lot of Sunday and holiday dinners for both sides of our families," Darlene said.

The kitchen's vintage cookie jar is always filled with fresh treats. Darlene's colorful collections of roosters and birdhouses surround the walls. A kitchen island adds counter space, and the kitchen's informal eat-in dining area overlooks the backyard.

The master bedroom suite features Darlene's lifetime collection of dolls, including one that belonged to her mother. A doll cradle is very special to her. "My



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father made that for me,” she recalled. Red rose hues and lace curtains carry the country theme through the room. A quilt, handmade by a junior high student’s grandmother, is one of Darlene’s treasures. An adjacent powder room completes the home’s first story.

The staircase rises under a beautiful chandelier to the family television/guest bedroom, which Darlene has named the Lone Star Room due to its Texan theme. A working Victrola provides some of the fun family times in this room. David custom-painted the Western effect on the walls of the adjacent Lone Star Bathroom. A second bedroom serves as the couple’s music room.

The Frilly Room is another second story bedroom that includes its own private bath. The soft green hues are enhanced by silver accents. The Martha Washington lamps that stand at either end of the bedroom’s dresser once belonged to Darlene’s mother. A large desk provides ample space for business and homework.

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Now, Dana and all her friends are on a mission. "As a young woman, I worked on the outside of who I was," she said. "I worked on what people saw and thought of me. But as I have aged, I've learned to pay more attention to what's happening on the inside." Much of that introspective care came from working with the ABWA. Though Dana has been a member for 10 years, the ABWA chapter has been active in Corsicana for 47 years, raising over \$100,000 for



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— By Alexandra Allred



Dana Collins poses with Future Business Leaders of America advisor, Courtney Nelson (right), and a former mentee, FBLA national finalist, Isabel Cruz (left).

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college scholarships to benefit the young women of Navarro County in recent years. What began as a service to others has been life-changing for Dana.

"I'm a bold lady," she said, "but the first time I chaired a meeting in Dallas, my voice trembled." Speaking before so many, she felt insecure and very unqualified. "But I can tell you in ABWA, you can't fail! You can't fail because the women in this group are right there standing with you. I had never really stepped outside of my box. I never thought I could mentor another person."

On paper, the national organization's mission is to bring businesswomen of diverse occupations and backgrounds together and offer opportunities of personal and professional growth through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition. But, it's the members who make these things happen. While Dana is the secretary for the Navarro County chapter, her duties far exceed clerical duties. "To me, this is the epitome of our organization," she explained. "This is what we do. We are about service. We work on scholarships and mentor young women."

In fact, the Navarro County chapter offered its first memorial scholarship, the Sandra Palmer Memorial Impact Scholarship, from the Stephen Bufton Memorial Education Fund (SBMEF), one of the country's most highly respected grant and scholarship funds for women. "Of course, we want to open the doors of education for young women," Dana said. "I never went to college. I was a student of hard work, but I was also passed over for promotions many times in my life because I didn't have the degree. My pay wasn't the same as my peers who had a degree. Growing up, I just didn't realize how important a degree was."

Thus, the mission of Dana and her 10,000 good friends. "We love the outreach service to these young women who are coming up. We want to tell them not to put education on the back burner, not to squander opportunities," Dana stated. "There are so many more opportunities for education today."

Today also presents greater challenges than ever before. Girls are three times more likely to be negatively influenced by social media images than their male counterparts. With photoshopped images of models that influence girls and young women in how to look, dress, walk and even feel, "it is so hard for girls today," Dana said.

"The ABWA is not just about raising scholarship funds. It is a big part of what we do, but we do so much more." The Navarro County Chapter of the ABWA hopes to continue raising both awareness and funds to send young women to college. "We also encourage networking and personal and professional growth."

As a successful businesswoman, a mother and wife, a grandmother and a friend, this is Dana's mission. "As I said, I understand that fear of being accepted, of wanting to fit in. Now, today, I'm OK with who I am," she said with a laugh of confidence. "I'm not really sure when that happened, but it did."

This is what Dana wants to share with young women. "Understanding self-value," she emphasized, "is priceless. That transition right there, from working so hard to fit in to respecting yourself enough to be OK with who and what you are — that is what I would like for all



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those girls to understand. I want them to know that at some point, none of these other things that seemed so important will matter if you will love yourself?"

The irony, of course, is that Dana only found herself once she became aligned with other strong women. Now a mentor, she is one of those very strong women changing the world and helping others find themselves. She is the voice in their ear, assuring them of what is inside.

"My husband has a funny saying. He always says he just needs six living friends at the end of his life!" Those would be the six needed to act as his pallbearers at his funeral. "You know, there is always talk about young women growing up and 'how girls can be.' It is true, we can be brutal with one another. We might have one or two close friends growing up. We're very close, and it's an 'us against them' in school. At least, this is how it was with me. My friends were very limited.

"Boys, on the other hand, are 'group friends.' Boys rarely have that one friend. They know everybody. They had group sports. They did everything in groups. Girls didn't know how to be 'group friends.' That's what I remember from when I grew up," she confessed. "Now here we are and, suddenly, I have a million friends! I have so many wonderful friends."

While knowledge is power, so is choosing the right influences in life. "Surround yourself with people who will help you, who want what is best for you. This is why we [ABWA] are here. This is why we serve," Dana said. "Here is a group of people who want to serve, to lift people up, to share their love and help others get to where they need to be and become who they should be. Don't be afraid to be what you can be." **NOW**

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# Special Place, Special Times

*Corsicana Opry & Event Center is the newest old place to be. — By Virginia Riddle*

Seeing people enjoy fun times while making lifetime memories in one of Corsicana's historic downtown buildings is exactly what Carolyn McCombs and her mother, Billie Jo Stephan, had in mind when they drove by and saw the *For Sale* sign. "It was September 2013. We looked through the door, saw the possibilities and bought the building," Carolyn remembered. What followed was an entire renovation, which brings this *grande dame* of Corsicana alive with activities. "I love what I do. I enjoy helping to make someone's special event ... special!" Carolyn added.

Having served as home to various grocery-related businesses, a furniture manufacturing company, a feed store and a general store, the Opry's historic building was built in 1905. Its soaring ceilings, supported by six 2-by-16-foot beams bolted

together, a clear span cable system and columns decorated with sparkling lights, collectively stand as a backdrop to almost any kind of event. The Opry is available for rental for weddings, reunions, private or corporate parties, concerts, plays, meetings, conferences and children's events. "We have four areas available for rental," Carolyn said. The Oil Field Room seats 700-plus, and the Magnolia Room and the Old Derrick Hall are about 500 square feet each and can be configured in many ways. The Bubble Flow Room is a large, open area with a 36-foot-long bar, good for serving food and beverages. The main room boasts a 22-by-26-foot stage and a 28-by-30-foot dance floor.

Carolyn and her team of volunteers, "Phans of the Opry," plan and play host to a monthly Opry Dance, open to the public,

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featuring live music. “Our shows feature local talent, and occasionally, famous entertainers. Traditional country, rhythm and blues and classical rock are featured genres,” Carolyn said. “We provide a no smoking, BYOB environment where adults can relax, dance, enjoy their wine or beer, visit with friends and enjoy a nice, safe evening of fun.” Guest performers are welcome.

“We hosted the first Corsicana’s Got Talent! for kids,” Carolyn added. “It touches my heart to be able to provide a venue where kids can come in and perhaps get their first experience in performing or gain more experience. These are memorable moments.”

The Opry will host a ghost investigation this fall and is planning a murder mystery dinner show. The Opry has its ghosts. “Our ghostly experiences have been friendly. We know of an old man, a young boy and a woman,” Carolyn said.

**“The Opry’s a wonderful venue offering a plethora of options for any event, gathering or occasion.”**

A native of Irving, Texas, Carolyn has lived in Navarro County for nine years. She has owned several businesses, and she likes to remodel homes and sing in her spare time. She’s mother to five children: Amy, Paul, Chelsea, Candice and Samantha, and she enjoys her role as grandmother. Organ donation for children has a special place in her heart. “Samantha was born with a heart problem. After two open heart surgeries, she was put on the heart transplant list. A heart wasn’t available for Samantha, and she died at 3 years of age,” Carolyn remembered.

“The Opry’s a wonderful venue offering a plethora of options for any event, gathering or occasion,” Carolyn said. Flexible set-up and preparation hours are offered.

“People stop in to look, talk and ask questions,” Carolyn said. “They are all dear to me. Having this historic venue so people can gather is what the Opry is all about.” **NOW**

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*These educators aren't retired when it comes to planning for the Navarro County Retired Teachers Association's coming activities.*



*Elizabeth Suda and her children, Iyan and Aiceann Suda, enjoy Tech Day at the Corsicana Public Library.*



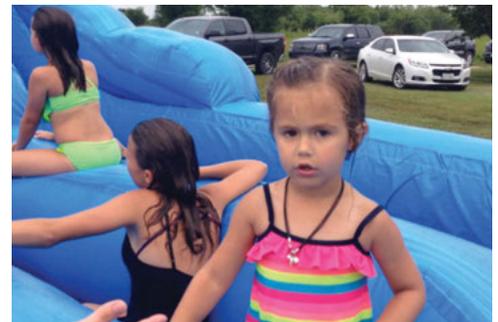
*The Corsicana Convention & Visitors Bureau awards a grant to the 2017 Cotton Harvest Festival so this year's event will be bigger and better than ever.*



*These ladies join forces to serve hot dogs and hamburgers at the Community Dinner hosted by Cedar Lake Home Health and Hospice.*



*Members of the Corsicana Art League gather for fellowship, a planning session for future shows and to celebrate successes.*



*Tessa and Sha Randle are having fun sliding at dad, Tyler's, birthday celebration while Emlie waits for her turn.*



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- Be wary of people trying to help you with ATM transactions. If you feel unsafe, or as though something is amiss, move on. It's usually not too difficult to find another ATM.
- Always be ready for your transaction. Have your card ready as you approach the ATM. This will help you avoid spending time digging through your purse or your wallet.
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# When Toenails Hurt

— By Betty Tryon, BSN

The affected girl watched her big toe grow swollen and bruised-looking with a bloody discharge crusted around the cuticle line. She flinched as she pulled on her shoes. As a sufferer of an ingrown toenail, it was time for her to see a doctor. An ingrown toenail is when the side of the nail begins to grow downward into the skin, causing inflammation. The medical term for this is onychocryptosis. If not treated or cared for, the toe can become infected.

This condition commonly affects the big toenail, although any of the toes can be affected. The main causes of onychocryptosis are tight-fitting shoes or tight socks that apply too much pressure to the area causing the nail to curl into the skin, and improper trimming of toenails. When the toenail is cut too short or the edges are rounded, the skin can grow over the nail and produce problems. Fungal growth and deformities of the foot or injuries to the toes can also create this condition.

The symptoms of an ingrown toenail are redness, swelling and pain. If the condition is a mild inflammation of swelling and tenderness, you may be able to treat it yourself. Soaking your foot in warm water for three to four times a day for about 15 minutes each time can bring some relief by helping to reduce the swelling. Applying a topical antibiotic can promote healing and lessen the

possibility of infection. Try to keep the affected toe protected as it heals, but wear open-toed shoes during this time or shoes that do not press on the toe.

If the swelling, redness and pain increases, along with drainage containing pus from the ingrown nail, an infection has likely developed. This needs the attention of your family doctor or a foot specialist called a podiatrist. If you have nerve damage to the limb, diabetes or circulation problems, you should see your doctor right away. Oral antibiotics may be prescribed. In some cases, if the ingrown nail does not heal or keeps coming back, removal of part of the nail may be necessary.

In order to avoid having this condition, it is important to take care of your toenails properly. Always cut nails in a straight line that is even with the edge of your toe. Avoid ill-fitting shoes. Shoes that constantly press down on the nails can cause ingrown toenails. Keep your feet clean and dry. Change your socks daily. If any changes in the nails are noted, take care of them early to avoid possible painful consequences. **NOW**

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### September 5

Adult Coloring Circle: 6:00 p.m. Corsicana Public Library. Enjoy this increasingly popular adult pastime while unwinding from a busy day. Coloring pages and supplies will be provided. For more information, call (903) 654-4810.

### September 7

Paint Rocks! Party: Time TBD, Paint and Praise, 112 N. Beaton. For more information, contact Corsicana Main Street Program at (903) 654-4851 or visit [www.corsicanamainstreet.org](http://www.corsicanamainstreet.org).

### September 8

Navarro County Retired Teachers meeting: 9:45 a.m., Northwest Apartments Community Center. An ice cream social will kick off a new year. All retired area school personnel are invited to attend. For more information, email Patty Knauth at [pk2@aimail.net](mailto:pk2@aimail.net).

Corsicana & Navarro County Chamber of Commerce Wine & 9 Golf Outing: 3:00-7:00 p.m., Moontower at the Oaks Golf Course. Golf participation tickets are \$50. Sip-and-Stroll tickets are \$40. For more information, call (903) 874-4731.

### September 9

Corsicana YMCA Sign-up deadline: Flag football and cheerleading. For more information, call (903) 872-2412.

Angels of Corsicana Troop Support packing: 9:00 a.m., 1020 N. Business I45. Donations may be dropped off at this site **Monday-Friday** 8:00-11:00 a.m. To leave the name of a deployed military person or donate, call Jean O'Connor at (903) 851-2560 or visit the group's Facebook page.

Genealogy for Beginners: 10:00 a.m., Corsicana Public Library's Genealogy Department. If you want to start researching your family's genealogy, the library's staff and volunteers from the Navarro County Genealogy Society are ready to help. Learn about available resources, how to dig for info and how to put it all together. For more information, call (903) 654-4808.

### September 14

Senior Circle Brunchercise: 10:00 a.m.-noon, Senior Activity Center. Join us for brunch, exercise, learning and lots of fun. For more information, contact Connie Beal at (903) 654-6892.

Janie Fricke & David Frizzell: 7:30 p.m., The Palace Theatre. For more information or to reserve tickets, call (903) 874-7792 or visit [www.corsicanapalace.com](http://www.corsicanapalace.com).

### September 18

Corsicana Art League meeting: 9:00 a.m., Warehouse Living Arts Center parking lot. Members and guests will travel for a plein air painting session, weather permitting. Bring a box lunch. The league will provide water, dessert and shade for participants. For more information, email Gladys Espenson at [65gladys3@gmail.com](mailto:65gladys3@gmail.com).

Senior Circle Lunch and Learn: 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Navarro Regional Hospital classrooms. The speaker will be from the Alzheimer's Association. For more information, contact Connie Beal at (903) 654-6892.

### September 18 — 23

*Tuna Does Vegas*: Warehouse Living Arts Center. For more information or to reserve seats, call (903) 872-5421.

### September 19

Senior Circle Bowlamara: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Bulldog Lanes, 2801 W. 7th Ave. Have lunch and bowl two games for \$10. Free to the first 50 people who are age 55+. For more information, contact Connie Beal at (903) 654-6892.

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 1009 meeting: 7:00 p.m., LaPradera Restaurant. For more information, email Roy Messick at [roy.messick@gmail.com](mailto:roy.messick@gmail.com).

### September 20

Senior Circle Lunch Bunch: 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Applebee's. Join Navarro Regional Hospital's Senior Circle members for fun, food and fellowship. For more information, contact Connie Beal at (903) 654-6892.

### September 23

Tracy Byrd: 7:30 p.m., The Palace Theatre. For more information or to reserve tickets, call (903) 874-7792 or visit [www.corsicanapalace.com](http://www.corsicanapalace.com).

### September 25

Corsicana Writers' Guild meeting: 6:30 p.m. Corsicana Public Library. Meet with other area writers to share projects, ideas and critiques. For more information, call (903) 654-4810.

### September 28

Corsicana Newcomers' Club Annual Style Show: 11:00 a.m. p.m., Kinsloe House. Come enjoy lunch while getting a preview of the latest fall fashions presented by Uniquely

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### September 29

Corsicana & Navarro County Chamber of Commerce Lunch and Learn: Noon-1:00 p.m., Chamber Board Room. For more information, call (903) 874-4731.

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### September 30

6th Annual Corsicana ISD Education Foundation's C&B Seen "007 in 2017" Gala: 6:00-11:00 p.m., I.O.O.F. Event Center. The evening offers a gourmet dinner, dessert bar, open bar, James Bond, Monte Carlo, gaming, silent and live auctions and a DJ. Tickets are \$75 per person. For reservations or more information, call (903) 602-8133 or email [CEF@CISD.ORG](mailto:CEF@CISD.ORG).

### October 3

8th Anniversary Senior Circle Gala: 6:00-8:00 p.m., I.O.O.F. Event Center. The gala features LaDonna Gatlin, the Gatlin Brothers sister. Tickets are \$10 for Senior Circle members or \$25 for non-members (includes an annual membership). For more information or to purchase tickets, contact Connie Beal at (903) 654-6892.

### Ongoing:

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National Active and Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) meetings: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., rotating between Ryan's Buffet, Waxahachie; Sirloin Stockade, Corsicana; and Grand Ennis Buffet, Ennis. For more information, email [rjcareyl@gmail.com](mailto:rjcareyl@gmail.com) or call (972) 775-2463.

#### Saturdays

Navarro County Farmer's Market: 7:00 a.m.-noon, downtown Corsicana at the corner of 6th Street and Business I45. The market offers some of the best produce, pastured eggs, herbs specially canned and preserved items, honey, green plants and baked goods from this area. For more information, email [SusanWilson@susanwilsonmarketing.com](mailto:SusanWilson@susanwilsonmarketing.com).

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## In the Kitchen With Carolyn Castillo

— By Virginia Riddle

Carolyn Castillo, a Corsicana native, loved watching her mom cook. “My mother and father, Julius and Caroline Flores, were the original owners of the Old Mexican Inn Restaurant. My nephew, Jeff Flores, and my niece, Danica Wooley, manage the restaurant now,” Carolyn said. “My family loves to eat.” She enjoys cooking the “down-home Mexican cuisine” recipes she favors with garlic, cumin and oregano spices.

Retired from AAFES, Carolyn is now a full-time homemaker, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She searches for new recipes in magazines, cookbooks and on television shows, like *Pioneer Woman*.

Carolyn enjoys gardening, spending time with her family and “fur babies,” and she’s taught her daughters and grandchildren how to cook. Carolyn said, “My mother’s fideo recipe, a Mexican pasta dish, is a family tradition.” **NOW**

### Fried Eggs With Tomatillo Sauce

- 4 Tbsp. olive oil (divided use)**
- 2 cups medium husked tomatillos, diced**
- 1 small jalapeño, deseeded, ribs removed, finely chopped**
- 1 garlic clove, minced**
- 1/2 tsp. kosher salt, plus additional to taste**
- 1/2 cup fresh cilantro leaves, chopped**
- 8 eggs**
- Fresh cracked pepper, to taste**

- 1.** Heat a medium-sized saucepan on high; add 2 Tbsp. of the olive oil, tomatillos, jalapeño, garlic and 1/2 tsp. kosher salt.
- 2.** Cover the mixture; cook for about 4 minutes or until all the vegetables have softened.

- 3.** Pour the mixture into a blender or food processor; add the cilantro, and blend or process until the mixture is smooth; set aside.
- 4.** Heat a large skillet to medium-low heat; add the remaining 2 Tbsp. of olive oil, shirling it around the pan to coat the pan’s bottom.
- 5.** Crack each egg into the skillet; season to taste with kosher salt and pepper.
- 6.** Cook the eggs for about 3 minutes until the whites are completely set, but the yolks are still runny.
- 7.** Transfer each egg to a plate; top with the tomatillo sauce.

### Fideo

- 1 5-oz. box vermicelli pasta**
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil (divided use)**

- 1/2 cup onion, diced**
- 1/2 of a 14.5-oz. can tomatoes, diced (divided use)**
- Warm water, to cover**
- Salt and pepper, to taste**

- 1.** Brown the vermicelli pasta in 1/4 cup vegetable oil; when pasta is browned, add onion. Stir well and sauté.
- 2.** Add 1/2 cup of tomatoes and enough warm water to cover the pasta; mix well.
- 3.** Add remaining ingredients. Lower the temperature; cover.
- 4.** Bring the mixture to a boil. When the water has evaporated, remove the cover; stir the mixture for about 10 minutes before serving.

### Dill Dip

*Excellent with baby carrots, fresh cut cauliflower, broccoli or any other fresh vegetables.*

- 1 1/2 cups Hellman’s Mayonnaise**
- 2 cups sour cream**
- 3 Tbsp. parsley**
- 3 Tbsp. onion, minced (fresh or bottled)**
- 1 Tbsp. seasoned salt**
- 3 Tbsp. dill weed**
- Large bread bowl (optional)**

- 1.** Mix first 6 ingredients; stir well. Chill in the refrigerator for 3 hours before serving.
- 2.** The chilled dip can be served in a large bread bowl, if desired.

### Cinnamon Flavored Hot Chocolate

- 2 1/2 cups milk**
- 1 3.3-oz. tablet Nestle Abuelita Mexican Style Chocolate, roughly chopped**

- 1.** In a medium-sized saucepan, combine both ingredients.
- 2.** Over medium heat, simmer the milk and chocolate for a few minutes; stir constantly until the chocolate is dissolved.
- 3.** Pour the hot chocolate into a pitcher or bowl; beat well with a whisk or electric mixture, or pour the hot chocolate into a blender and blend until thoroughly mixed.
- 4.** The hot chocolate should become frothy; serve at once.

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