Burnet’s big Bluebonnet Festival is still nearly two months away, but the first scatterings of bluebonnets are already brightening the landscape around the Highland Lakes (the photo above was taken in front of Drace Vacation Camp on RR 1431 in Kingsland). The abundance of rain last fall, supplemented by some recent showers, seem to indicate that a great crop is on the way. We’ll be keeping you posted on the “Highland Lakes Weekly” Facebook page.
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The Marble Falls Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual Awards Banquet this Saturday evening at the Lakeside Pavilion. Kingdom’s Chamber Banquet will be held at Log Country Cove’s Cedar Skies hall in Hoover Valley next Thursday evening.

By JOHN HALLLOWELL

Ken Ludwig’s comedy, “Baskerville: A Sherlock Holmes Mystery,” will continue its three-weekend run at the Hill Country Community Theatre (on RR 2147 in Cottonwood Shores) on through March 3. Shows will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays; Sunday matinees will begin at 2:15.

The Place Downtown in Kingsland will host a “Painting With Friends” event from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Friday, February 22.

Weekday Ministries will host its 2nd Annual Men’s “Marksmen” Retreat at Copperhead Creek Shooting Club from 9 to 3 on Saturday, February 23.

The Ritzy Texan shop in Burnet (see ad on page 15) will host Donna Bland in a “Meet the Artist” event from 10 to 5 this Saturday.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a Genealogy Membership Workshop from 1 to 3 p.m. on Saturday, February 23, at the Herman Brown Free Library in Burnet.

The Marble Falls Chamber Banquet will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, February 23, at Lakeside Pavilion.

The Llano Fine Art Gallery will host a Mardi Gras Masked Ball beginning at 6 p.m. on Saturday, February 23.

Jake Hooker & the Outsiders will perform at the Ramblin’ Rose in Llano on the evening of Saturday, February 23.

The Kingsland Community Church invites Winter Texans to a free Appreciation BBQ Lunch (catered by Spilker’s) following the 10:45 service on Sunday, February 24.

Summit for Jesus Ministry (on RR 2342 in Hoover Valley) will host a Black History program, featuring a celebration of the life of Josiah Henson, at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, February 27.

The Kingsland Chamber Awards Banquet will be held on the evening of Thursday, February 28, at the Cedar Skies hall (Log Country Cove, off RR 2342 in Hoover Valley). Social is from 5-6 with dinner and awards to follow. Tickets at $30, include live music, catered BBQ dinner, open bar and silent auction. The Marble Falls READS program will feature WF. Strong, author of "Stories from Texas: Some of them are True," at the Marble Falls Library at 11 a.m. on Friday, March 1. Reserve your free seat at 830-693-3023, online, or at the library.

The Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (601 N. Wood St.) in Burnet will host a Jazz It Up Cumbo Luncheon fundraiser from 11 to 2 on Friday, March 1.

Beth Patterson will speak on “Lavender Crafter’s Garden” at a meeting of the Kingsland Garden Club next Friday, March 1, at the Kingsland Library. The public is invited to the meeting and program which starts at 1 p.m.

The Highland Lakes Texas Exes invite the public to their annual Texas Independence Day fundraiser for scholarships, beginning at 6 p.m. on Friday, March 1 at Spicewood Vineyards (1419 Burnet CR 409, Spicewood), Call Ron Nicholas at 210-268-4155 to RSVP and purchase tickets. All proceeds go to the scholarship fund. Fred Becker will provide a delicious BBQ dinner beginning at 7:15. Donations for the BBQ, which will go to the scholarship fund, are appreciated.

The Upper Highland Lakes Nature Center will present a program by Ray Buchanan on Native American Sacred Gardens during its regular Coffee Talk at Numinous Coffee Roaster in Marble Falls from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, March 2.

The 7th Annual Walk-a-Dog-a-Thon, benefiting Living Love Animal Rescue, will be held at Westside Park in Marble Falls from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 2.

The Highland Lakes SPCA will hold a Doggie Adoption event from 10 to 1 on Saturday, March 2, at the Falls on the Colorado Museum in Marble Falls. There will be a program on “What’s the Buzz About Bees?” at 11 a.m. that day,
What a week! On Thursday, I was able to deliver more papers than ever before in my new Ford Transit Connect, then celebrated my birthday with my two daughters (Abby and Amanda) on Sunday. After seven-and-a-half good years in Kingsland, I'm looking forward to at least five more years in the newspaper business. It looks as if they could be the best years yet!

Scatterthought

By JOHN HALLOWELL

This has been a big week in my life and in the history of the Highland Lakes Weekly. If you are reading this, it probably means that I have successfully put together my first 24-page paper since increasing the page size in 2015. I'm also planning to have more than 6,000 copies printed, meaning that circulation is up at least 20 percent from my traditional order of 5,000. AND, if my math is accurate, this will be the 400th edition of the Highland Lakes Weekly, which has been printed NEARLY every week since May 13, 2011.

Distribution of those 6,000 copies has been made feasible by the acquisition of my new Ford Transit Connect (pictured above), a vehicle which illustrates the new five-year plan for my time-but-growing business. I have to get my new five-year car loan paid off! (My previous seven-year plan was completed last year.)

They say that necessity is the mother of invention. I'm not the inventive kind, but I have discovered that I can be quite productive when faced with a deadline or a debt. Also, I am really excited about the possibilities which accompany that forced production; if this paper turns out anywhere near as well as I hope, it will have more pictures than any of the previous issues, and I hope that means it will be the best issue yet. That's important in two ways: I'm thrilled to believe that it is a possible and sustainable plan to deliver more of this neighborhood's good news to more of my "neighbors," and I also understand that if I don't attract some new advertisers, I'm going to have a really hard time paying off my new work truck!

That is why you'll see a full-page ad on page 16, inviting prospective advertisers to consider the benefits of introducing their businesses in my paper. I believe that I offer the best value available in print advertising. I truly believe that I have the lowest prices and the best readership of any area publication, and while I can't guarantee great results, I think your chances are best in the Highland Lakes Weekly. For my part, I can continue to put out this larger, more colorful paper (and keep my van) if I can get advertisers for those eight new pages!

I should point out that my website (www.highlandlakesweekly.com) is also attracting many new viewers, and that all the ads are also published in a digital flip-through edition of the paper (many thanks to Joe Tighe, of The Cyber Shack, in Kingsland!). That allows visitors who pick up a copy here to continue to follow the Highland Lakes news from their homes, wherever they may be. Several of the guests at the recent Winter Texan Dinner in Kingsland mentioned that they read my paper regularly in the upper Midwest.

Several years ago (when I realized that I couldn't possibly fit all my photos into one little newspaper), I started putting albums on Facebook. Now, the "likes" on my page are almost as numerous as the copies of the paper (4,880 as of Wednesday morning). I don't make any money from Facebook, but it's a way to spread more of my "good news" reporting, and I'm sure it builds up more good will and recognition for the actual paper.

That's probably more than enough scattered thoughts about myself and my paper; there is some actual news out there, and I have a few items to mention.

My friends Bill and Eva Bloss (Bill runs "Old Timers Computers") will be celebrating their 90th and 91st birthdays at 1 p.m. on Sunday February 24, at the Kingsland Senior Center.

The Friends of the Kingsland Library will hear from DPS Sergeant Dave Roberts, who will be presenting a program on "Civilian Response to Active Shooters" at their 2 p.m. meeting next Tuesday at the library. I'm also happy to report that the "Friends" raised $1,344.60 at their recent Book and Bake Sale.

Former Miss Aqua Boom (and Texas Tech Masked Rider) Mackenzie White has signed up to manage this...
Ted and Colleen Langworthy posed with Terry Scalise last Thursday at the Kingsland Lions Club’s light-hearted western-themed Valentine’s Party, held at the Kingsland Community Church.

The Kingsland Community Church’s Barrow Hall was filled with colorfully-dressed Lions Club members and guests for the Club’s annual Valentine’s Party last Thursday.

Jim Wynne and Emily Johnson teamed up to present a good-humored musical program at the Kingsland Lions Club’s Valentine Party.
Two more sections of beams were placed in the new bridge on RR 2900 in Kingsland last Friday. TXDOT reports that work is “still on track to have traffic flowing across the bridge in April, barring any inclement weather or unforeseen obstacles.”

This photo, taken last Saturday from the north end of the RR 2900 bridge, shows the impressive deck already in place on the approach and the first two 80-foot sections of the rapidly-progressing bridge.

In the middle of the lake, two more “bents” seem to be nearly ready to have beams placed across them, and drilling is continuing all the way across the lake.

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This photo, taken from the scenic overlook on RR 1431, shows some volunteers and equipment on the huge post-flood sand bar in the middle of Lake LBJ at Kingsland. About 45 volunteers gathered there on Saturday morning to clean up dangerous debris which had been lurking just under water before the lake was lowered.

Splash Boats provided a barge, an excavator and a bobcat to help the eager volunteers collect and dispose of the debris left on the sand bar by the October 16 flood.

Some of the approximately 45 volunteers who participated in the sand bar clean-up gathered for this photo. (courtesy photo)
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BBQ and pizza booths greeted the more than 500 attendees at Llano’s Flood Aid, the amazing all-day music festival at the JLK Event Center which raised between $15,000 and $20,000 last Saturday to help flood victims rebuild.

Board member Reagan Lambert (also a member of the Horseshoe Bay city council) and his wife, Debbie, staffed the Highland Lakes Crisis Network booth at Flood Aid last Saturday. They accepted donations and dispensed information during the music festival.

Austin singer/songwriter Deann Rone led of the succession of excellent musical entertainers at Flood Aid last Saturday.

Valerie Smasal and Marcus Hammons demonstrated the photo booth, which collected donations for flood victims during Flood Aid.
Flood Aid in Llano!

The relatively new local band, Avogadro’s Number (Kade Fryhover, McKenzie Jones, Glenn Rios, Amy Fowler and Ken Fowler), delighted the crowd at Llano’s Flood Aid music festival from 3:15 to 4:15 last Saturday.

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Pictured above: The Riley Mountain Band and the Train Wreck Shipping Co. band were two more afternoon attractions. At left: Manny Duarte waits his turn on stage; he performed with his wife, Terry, and Larry Nye. Scheduling conflicts prevented the Highland Lakes Weekly from getting pictures of their performance; also missing are photos of Harold Castlemann, Matt Hilton, Smoke Wagon, Dick Gimble & Friends and Les Hartman, all of whom contributed greatly to the successful event.
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Nick Dooley (at right) was the second in line to perform Saturday morning at Llano’s Flood Aid music festival.

Nancy Watson and LaNell McKinney sold personalized paving bricks for the front walkway of the JLK Event Center. Proceeds of the day’s sales went to the Highland Lakes Crisis Network.

Above and below: Many businesses and individuals donated silent auction items for Flood Aid, with all proceeds going to help victims of the October flood.
Evening headliners at last Saturday’s Flood Aid music festival in Llano included Cadillac Gypsies (above), Dub Miller (left) and his band, and country music songwriting legend Alex Harvey, accompanied by his wife, Ginelle Sabalino (below, left). Les Hartman closed out the day of music with a late-night performance. More than 500 people attended the all-day event, which raised between $15,000 and $20,000 to help victims of the Llano River Flood last October.

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Above: Llano’s amazing L.E.A.F. (Llano Earth Art Festival), with its rock-stacking competitions and numerous other activities, is scheduled this year for Thursday through Sunday, March 14 to 18.

Photo by John Hallowell

Marble Falls Senior Activity Center
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HOLIDAY RALLY—MEET THE MUSEUM AT THE MARBLE FALLS MUSEUM! (Events continued from page 2)

also at the museum. See Fallsmuseum.org for details.

Marble Falls will hold its regular Market Days on Main from 10 to 4 on Saturday, March 2.

Mister Gardener and radio host Wade Hieber will give a program on Veggie Gardening in Central Texas from 1 to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 2, at Backbone Valley Nursery in Marble Falls.

Weekday Ministries will host a Denim & Diamonds Gala beginning at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 7, at the Trailblazer Grill in Burnet.

The Ramblin’ Rose will host this year’s Antler Drop gala, a fundraiser for the Llano Parks Project, on the evening of Saturday, March 2.

Llano Animal Rescue will hold a Mardi Gras Gumbo Lunch from 11:30 to 1 on Tuesday, March 5, at St. James Lutheran Church.

The Lambda Nu sorority will host its "Tea on a Waltz Across Texas" party from 2 to 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 7, at the Highland Lakes United Methodist Church in Buchanan Dam.

Hill Country Fellowship will host its "Night to Remember" special needs prom from 6 to 9 p.m. on Friday, March 8.

Sunrise Beach will host a free Concert in the Park, featuring the Dirty River Dixie Band from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, March 10, at Me Nair Park.

Llano Youth Soccer is bringing the King Cole Circus to Llano’s J.L.K. Event Center for two shows 4-40 and 7:30 p.m. on Monday, March 11. Kids under 3 are free! Tickets prices vary according to time of purchase and age. Visit www.kingcolecircus.com to purchase tickets and for more information!

The Kingland Chamber’s 3rd Winter Texan Dinner for 2019 will be held on Tuesday evening, March 12 (doors open at 5 p.m.).

Mister Naturalist Jerry Stacy will speak on "Edible Wild Plants" from 2 to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, March 13, at the Lakeshore Library in Buchanan Dam.

The presentation is free to the public.

Circus-Tacular (live from New York City!) brings its incredible acrobatics performance back to Horseshoe Bay Resort on Wednesday, March 13 (7:30 to 8:30 p.m.).

Llano’s unique Earth Art Festival (L.E.A.F.), featuring the annual Rock Stacking Championship and much more, is scheduled this year for March 15-18.

The new Wakepoint complex, at the end of the RR 1431 bridge in Kingsland, will host a Grand Opening (delayed by the flood) on Saturday, March 23.

The Kingland Beautification Golf Tournament, to benefit the community park, will be held on Saturday, March 23 (shooting start at noon), at the Legends Golf Course. Call Blake at 512-922-6341 or Teresa at 512-388-9382 for details.

The VFW and Auxiliary in Burnet (Post #6974) will host their 2nd annual Spring Fling fundraiser from 4 to 9 p.m. on Saturday, March 23.

The Lake Buchanan Area Lake Chamber will hold its annual Las Vegas Night from 5 to 9 p.m. on Saturday, March 23, at Hill Country Hall in Buchanan Dam.

Marble Falls will hold its annual Paint the Town event, featuring a plein air competition and a giant show & sale, from March 31 to April 6.

The annual Sunrise Beach VFD golf tournament will be held at Lighthouse Country Club in Kingsland on Saturday, April 13.

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Above and below: The Phoenix Center’s fabulous Masquerade Gala fundraiser attracted a large crowd to the Palm Pavilion at Horseshoe Bay Resort last Saturday evening. Architectural designs for a planned new counseling center were unveiled at the event.

Highly-acclaimed Marble Falls chef Becca Schafer (pictured above with Austin restaurateurs Jack Gilmore and Sizeter Miller at Candlelight Ranch’s February 10 Chili Cook-Off, where the three served as “celebrity judges”) helped raise $24,000 for the Phoenix Center by donating her services at two “Private Chef Experience” parties with a “decadent four-course meal” for eight!

Some of the classic vehicles at Candlelight Ranch’s February 10 Car Show, held concurrently with the Chili Cook-Off.

The team from Blue Corn Harvest Bar & Grill (Georgetown and Cedar Park) won the 2018 Chili Cook-Off at Candlelight Ranch (on the north shore of Lake Travis in western Travis County), and the delicious chili samples they offered this year certainly boded well for a repeat!

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The BCISD Parent Resource Center hosted a wonderful Family Dance Party last Sunday afternoon at the YMCA in Burnet. Among the many activities were a photo booth, Daddy/Daughter and Mother/Son dances and a delightful Dodgeball Tournament.

This father posed for a picture with his two beautiful daughters at the February 10 Daddy/Daughter Dance held at Harmony School of Creative Arts in Marble Falls.

Illusionist David Knight prepares a dubious volunteer from the audience for another hilarious trick during last Friday's Magic of Love Date Night in Marble Falls. David and his wife, Kylie, perform around the country as "Knight Illusions."

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Fred Hurt (better known as Dakota Fred, the celebrity miner from the Discovery Channel’s “Gold Rush” TV show) gave a short gold-panning demonstration Llano’s Prospectors Conference and Swap Meet last Saturday. The annual event, held at the Llano County Community Center, also included a good number of vendor booths and displays. A silent auction and raffle was held to help fund renovations at the historic Llano Red Top Jail.

The Hill Country Hundy bicycle ride was held just west of Llano (based at the J.L.K. Event Center at the same time as the Flood Aid music fest) on Saturday, February 16. Bicycling enthusiasts rode 100 miles through western Llano County in the event, sponsored by Team Spinistry.

Artist Sheri Zech, who also runs the Glass Menagerie Shop next to the Lantex Theater in Llano, will give a hands-on demo on fused glass mosaic at the Llano Fine Art Guild from 10 to noon on Monday, March 4, at the Llano Fine Art Gallery on Bessemer Avenue. She is pictured above with Llano High School art teacher Lou Cinda Pohler, displaying celebrity portraits created by students who each painted an individual tile without being able to see the whole picture. The results were unveiled in the classroom on February 11.

The Sunrise Beach fire station was the venue for a community Valentine’s Dance last Saturday night, featuring the big band music of The Skylarks (see photo on page 19).

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Above: The Skylarks provided excellent dance music for a Valentine’s Dance at the Sunrise Beach Fire Station last Saturday night.

At left: Multi-talented musician Jim Wynne was involved in several events last weekend; in this photo he was providing live entertainment for the Llano Library’s Souper Supper Smackdown on Thursday evening.

Below: Jonathan Leftwich and his three talented children entertained the crowd at the Chapel of the Hills “Winter Festival” last Friday evening.

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**LOOKING FOR LAND**
Individual wants to buy your lots in Kingsland and Kingsland area. Call Mr. Gray at 830-265-8261 (no texts)
New signage along RR 1431 advertises the model barnominium and other metal buildings at Texas Building Center in Kingsland.

A good crowd attended the Kingsland Chamber’s Breakfast Club meeting on Wednesday morning at His Joshua House, a recovery place for “men whose lives have been separated from God through addictive behaviors and destructive life choices.” In the photo above, Director Robert Hall tells the group about the home’s purpose and accomplishments; Jason Cullison, of Thrivent Financial, was the event sponsor.

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year’s Aqua Boom Pageant, which she calls “a fantastic opportunity to support young women in our community while promoting your business.” She is already looking for sponsors, and also has an opening for an organization to run the concession stand at the pageant (“an awesome fundraiser for a local church or 4-H group”). Interested parties should call (806) 632-1202.

Llano Library’s Fun Friday event for February 22 will be a showing of the charming kids’ movie, The Adventures of Milo and Otis, beginning at 4 p.m. Fun Fridays are for elementary aged children to come to the library and participate in various activities. Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult. For more information contact the Llano Library at 325.247.5248.

Auditions for Doubleside, Texas will be held at 7 p.m. this coming Monday and Tuesday (February 25 & 26) Wendy Farrell will be directing this hilarious Jobs, Hope, Wooten show. No experience is necessary; find details at www.thedhec.org.

The 4th Annual “Let’s Talk... Women 2 Women Health Conference” will be held from 9 to 2 on Saturday, March 2, at the Texas AgriLife Extension office (607 Vanderveer) in Burnet. Topics will include: Your Smile, Alzheimer’s, In the Mood?, Grief, Caregiver Support, Mothers and Daughters, and more. Vendors from area businesses and organizations will be offering health education materials and resources. Find more details on Facebook; to register for the event, call Janet Anderson at 830-798-4908 or email her at women2women78611@gmail.com. The Falls on the Colorado Museum is hosting a program at 10 a.m. next Saturday (March 2) on Bees and Bee Education, to be presented by Marble Falls beekeeper Rebecca Nunally. The Highland Lakes SPCA will bring several dogs to the museum that day, hoping to find adoptive “parents.”

There’s good news from TxDOT about the 2900 bridge in Kingsland: “We are still on track to have traffic flowing across the bridge in April, barring any inclement weather or unforeseen obstacles. The RM 2900 bridge had another great week of production and is beginning to take shape. Capital Excavation set beams for spans 3 and 4 and poured caps for bents (columns) 6 and 7. Bent 8 columns are set to be poured this week. The drillers are now at bent 10. We could possibly begin pouring bent 10 shafts this week if we don’t hit any roadblocks. Debris removal continues to move forward, focusing on clearing the path for the shafts at the bridge.”
Above: Girl Scout House manager (and leader of Daisy and Brownie troops in Marble Falls), Tiffany Goodsell told the assembled crowd about post-flood renovations during a Re-Dedication of the Girl Scout House on February 10. At left, she posed for a picture with Paula Mead, Service Unit Treasurer and active volunteer with the Girl Scouts.

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI), from Texas Tech in Marble Falls, held a “Kick-Off” meeting at the Hidden Falls clubhouse in Meadowlakes on February 8 to let prospective students know about the courses offered this spring. The courses are designed for adults over 50 years of age.

Local author Julien Jamar held a book-signing at Numinous Coffee Roasters in Marble Falls on February 9 for her new book, The Fontre. It is the second in her Chronicles of Lashai series, adventure stories from her own imaginary world. The first book was The Namartelle.

Dr. Chris Wickham (pictured) and Dr. Dan Gelo, from the University of Texas at San Antonio, gave a fascinating program on Comanches and German Settlers to an overflow crowd at the Falls on The Colorado Museum in Marble Falls on Saturday, February 9.

Volunteers from the Upper Highland Lakes Nature Center, based at Reveille Peak Ranch on the east side of Lake Buchanan, presented an interesting and educational program on Bats of Texas last Saturday morning at Numinous Coffee Roasters in Marble Falls.

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