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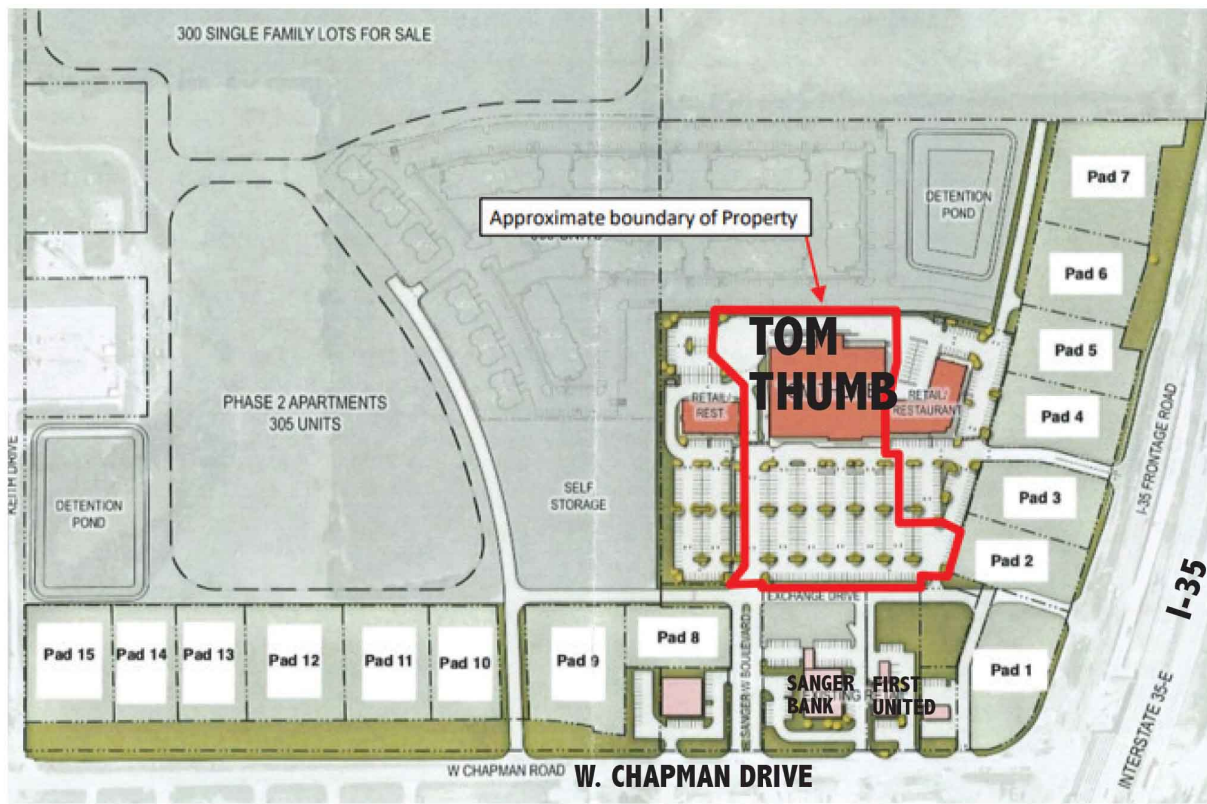
Sanger Crossing Development underway

Tom Thumb will be the anchor of the retail project

Excavation has started for the Sanger Crossing Development. This major retail addition will be located at the southeast corner of FM 455 and I-35 within the Sanger Crossing Retail Development, developed by Malouf Interests. The anchor of the retail project is Tom Thumb and is anticipated to be complete by the end of 2025.

The I-35 and FM 455 expansions created a food desert after the Super Save grocery store was demolished in 2021. Tom Thumb's 50,000-square-foot grocery store will include a pharmacy and drive-thru service window and departments for fresh produce, deli, bakery, meat, seafood, floral and more.

In addition to the grocery store, the Sanger Crossing development will include 582 multifamily units, 18 town homes, 12 duplex units, 296 single residential units and 18 commercial lots.



Sanger Crisis Center needs turkeys for food boxes

Thanksgiving is almost here and as always the Sanger Crisis Center are in need of turkeys for their food boxes. They are also asking for some of the additional food items. They need the following food items:

- Turkeys
- Stuffing
- Gravy
- Yams or sweet potatoes
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- Cranberry Sauce
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Corn Mix

Please deliver food items by November 21 so that they can plan accordingly.

They are open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 12:30 to 3:45pm for dropoff. Thank you Sanger for your generous donations. The center is located at 100 N. 5th Street. Their phone number is 940-312-3772.

Great voter turnout in Sanger Precincts

Sanger registered voters had a great turnout at the polling locations in the November 5 General Election with 8,444 voters casting ballots in the five main precincts. There are 12,031 registered voters in these precincts with a 70.15% turnout. See the breakdown to the right. At the early voting location at the Sanger Community Center there were 6,337 people who voted in 12 days. *Note: not all the early votes are from the five main Sanger precincts.*

In a local race, Denton County Sheriff Tracy Murphree won a third term despite Democrat Fredrick Bishop's effort to unseat him. Official results reported by the county elections administration Tuesday night showed 249,138 votes, or about 60%, for Murphree and 163,566 for Bishop, with all precincts reporting.

Murphree, of Sanger, first won the county's highest law enforcement office in 2016 and was reelected in 2020.

He secured sizable wins against opponents Randy Butler in 2016, when Murphree won with 79.8% of the vote, and write-in candidate Freya Odinsdottir in 2020, when the sheriff was reelected with 94.3% of the vote.

Hailing from Yoakum County, Murphree has previously worked at the Texas Department of Public Safety as a Texas Ranger in Denton County and was a captain of the criminal investigation division for the Denton County Sheriff's Office.

A former Dallas police officer, Bishop was born and raised in Denton County. He served in the U.S. Army and is in the reserve, worked as a jailer for the Dallas County Sheriff's Department and retired from the Dallas Police Department as a detective. He teaches law enforcement at Little Elm High School.



Sheriff Tracy Murphree

Precinct Turnout



Precinct	Ballots Cast	Registered Voters
1000	2,631	3,588 73.33%
1001	1,414	1,932 73.19%
1002	134	221 60.63%
1003	1,785	2,545 70.14%
1004	2,476	3,740 66.20%
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OBITUARIES...

Janet Marie (Smith) Easter

May 13, 1963 - October 15, 2024

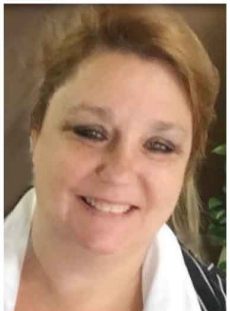
Janet Marie (Smith) Easter was born on May 13, 1963, in Denton, Texas, to James D. and Sandra (Holder) Smith. She passed from this earthly life surrounded by her family on October 15, 2024, in Denton, Texas.

Janet graduated from Sanger High School in 1981. She went to North Central Texas College, graduating with a Business Degree in 1991.

Janet was preceded in death by her parents, Jimmy and Sandra Smith; maternal grandmother, Melva Todd; paternal grandparents, Melvin and Beatrice Carlyle; and brother-in-law, Homer Edward Branham.

She leaves behind two sisters, Carolyn Branham of Sanger and Lorie Swanson, and brother-in-law, Danny Creasy of Sanger; One niece, Mindy Swanson of Sanger; one nephew, Michael Swanson, and wife Bree, along with great-nephew, Oliver Lynn Swanson of Sanger; and a host of family and friends.

Coker Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Please share a memory or offer your condolences to the family at www.cokerfuneralhome.com.



Betty June Mason

September 13, 1937 - November 1, 2024

Betty June Mason, 87, of Gainesville, passed away surrounded by her family in Lewisville, Texas, on November 1, 2024. Betty was born in Dallas, Texas, on September 13, 1937, to Goldie Lee (Frale) and Edward James Rains.

Betty married Johnnie Franklin Mason on April 16, 1954, in Dallas, Texas. She worked as a billing clerk for Optical Records for many years.

Betty was a servant of the Lord. She served her church in many capacities and taught Sunday School for numerous years. Betty attended Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) and rarely missed a meeting. During the COVID period, the meetings went to Zoom, and she continued on Zoom for as long as her health allowed. She was a member of the North Texas Trinity Cowboy Church in Sanger.

Her hobbies included but were not limited to shopping, eating out, her weekly visits to the beauty shop, and cooking. She was an excellent pie maker and loved cooking for Johnnie and her family.

Betty was a beautiful person, from the inside and out. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother. She will be missed, and her memories will be cherished by all who know and love her.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Johnnie; her son, Johnny F. Mason, Jr.; a sister, Elizabeth Louise Murray; a brother, James Thomas Rains; and grandson, B. J. Powers. She leaves behind two daughters, Vickie Jo Redmon and husband, Allen of Gainesville, and Teresa Mason Seymour and husband, Mark of Murphy, TX; one sister, Loretta Fay Martin of Lewisville; one brother, Edward Leon Rains of Springtown; six grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

A graveside service is set for 11:00 am on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at the New Resthaven Cemetery in Gainesville. Pastor Ken Peterson of North Texas Trinity Cowboy Church will officiate the service.

Services are with Coker Funeral Home in Sanger. Please share a memory or offer condolences to the Mason Family in our online guestbook.



Patsy Ruth (Fox) Marriott

September 21, 1935 - October 31, 2024

Patsy Ruth (Fox) Marriott, 89, passed away, Thursday, October 31, 2024, in Sanger, TX. She was born on September 21, 1935, to Cecil Jay Hugh Fox and Eva Wilson Martin in Bogata, TX.

Patsy is survived by her son Bobby and his wife Nancy Marriott of Pilot Point, TX; daughter, Patty Marriott of Pilot Point, TX; grandchildren, Misty Arrington and Brandon Marriott; six great grandchildren; close cousin, Ann Sims of Ben Wheeler, TX; and brother-in-law JR Marriott and his wife, Doris of Gainesville, TX.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Cecil and Eva and her son, Danny Ray Marriott.

A visitation was held Monday, November 4, 2024, at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX from 5:00PM to 6:00PM. Her service followed with Barry Strickland officiating.

Online condolences may be made at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com

Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.



Wanda Joyce Godi Daniel

September 25, 1932 - October 29, 2024

Wanda Joyce Godi Daniel, 92, of Sanger, passed away Tuesday at home with her family by her side. She was born September 25, 1932, in Gainesville, to John and Eula Lollar Godi. She attended Texas Woman's University and obtained her nursing certification. She was a nurse at Flow Memorial Hospital in Denton and Lewisville Memorial Hospital in Lewisville.

She married Jimmy Rogers Daniel on June 24, 1950, he preceded her in death on March 3, 2004.

Visitation was held at the Hilltop Church, 819 W. Sherman Dr. in Aubrey on Friday, November 1, 2024 from 6-8:00 p.m.

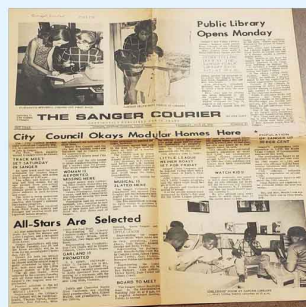
Funeral Services were held 9:30 am Saturday, November 2, 2024 at Hilltop Church in Aubrey with burial following at Roselawn Memorial Park in Denton.

She is survived by daughter Tammy and her husband Gary Sweatman. Grandchildren Stephanie Waide and her husband Justin Waide of Sanger, Tiffany Brewer and her husband Adam Brewer of North Richland Hills, Tory Sweatman and great grandson Beckham Sweatman of Sanger.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband J.R. Daniel and son Rick Daniel.



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Jimmy Dwayne Evans

March 18, 1950 - November 4, 2024

Jimmy Dwayne Evans, 74 (formerly of Sanger), passed away at his home in Gainesville on Monday, November 4, 2024, with his family at his side. Jimmy was born on March 18, 1950, in Denton, Texas, to Peggy Jean (Bowery) Elrod and Horace Elrod. His stepfather, Edward S. Evans, later adopted him.



Jimmy grew up and attended school in Sanger. He married Connie Lee Purdom at the Bolivar Church of Christ in Bolivar, Texas, on August 2, 1968, and recently celebrated 56 years of marriage. They made their home in Sanger, where they raised their two daughters, Tracy and Johnnie.

Jimmy was an avid outdoorsman, loving hunting, fishing, and participating in rodeo team-roping events. Additionally, he was a good businessman and knew how to make a business successful. He and Connie worked side by side to provide for their family. They owned and operated the Buckhorn Restaurant in Sanger for sixteen years, Hunter's Drive-In Grocery in Sanger for ten years, and the Buckhorn RV Park in Gainesville for sixteen years, along with other business ventures.

Jimmy was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. Time spent with his family was everything to him. He significantly influenced his grandchildren's lives and helped mold them into who they are today. He was the "Greatest Man Ever," leaving a legacy for his family and enough memories and stories to tell for many generations.

He is preceded in death by his grandparents, John William and Johnnie Bowery, and his parents. He leaves behind his wife, Connie of Gainesville; two daughters, Tracy Michelle Ullmann of Callisburg and Johnnie Leona Hicks of Sanger; three sisters, Jenny Francis Laycock of Lindale, Eddie Jean Stockton of Denton, and Kathy Evans Burkhalter of Allen; one brother, Michael Don Evans of Tyler. Additionally, grandchildren John Hunter Ullmann and wife Ashleyle Hope of Valley View, Michael Jay Ullmann and wife Kaitlyn Christine of Ponder, Brandon Dwayne Hicks of Sanger, Jimmy Lee Ullmann of Hawaii, and Riley Avery Moore of Sanger, along with great-grandchildren Kayson Jay Ullmann, Kaleb Ray Ullmann, Kyler Hunter Ullmann, Kodah Dalayne Ullmann, Adelyn June Ullmann, Stetson Ross Hicks, Montana Brooks Hicks, Grayson Lee Ullmann, and Paislee Forester, also survive him.

Visitation is from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Thursday, November 7, 2024, at Coker Funeral Home in Sanger. Funeral services are at 11:00 am on Friday, November 8, 2024, at the Bolivar Baptist Church, 6690 FM 455 West, Sanger, Texas. Rev. Dickie Amyx will officiate the services. John Hunter Ullmann, Michael Jay Ullmann, Jimmy Lee Ullmann, Brandon Dwayne Hicks, Riley Avery Moore, and Sam "Boscoe" Voss will serve as pallbearers.

Services are with Coker Funeral Home in Sanger. Please share a memory or offer condolences to the Evans Family at www.cokerfuneralhome.com.

Sullivan Senior Center - November Schedule

All classes are currently being held at our temporary host location at the First Baptist church of Sanger - 708 Fifth Street - enter through door under the canopy facing 5th street - all programs free.

All Senior Center Activities are canceled on Monday, Nov. 25th & Wed., Nov. 27th

Mondays

low impact exercise classes 10:30am & 11:00 am (come for one or both)
Bible Study Group Monday, Nov. 11th 11:30 am

Wednesdays

low impact exercise classes 10:30am & 11:00am (come for one or both)
Game time(cards, Mahjong, Dominoes, etc) starts 1:30 pm

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Bolivar Masonic Lodge donates \$11,100

Mike Stimpson, Development Officer of the Dallas Scottish Rite Hospital, was presented a check last week for \$11,100 by Tommy Barnes (R), W. Master of Bolivar Masonic Lodge of Sanger. They would like to take a moment to thank the Sanger community for supporting their fundraisers that have allowed the Lodge to make this large donation. By supporting the Sporting Clay shoots, Fish Fry and Chili Suppers, they are able to reinvest these funds in the community. Bolivar Lodge has a long history of donations to local Sanger charities and scholarships.

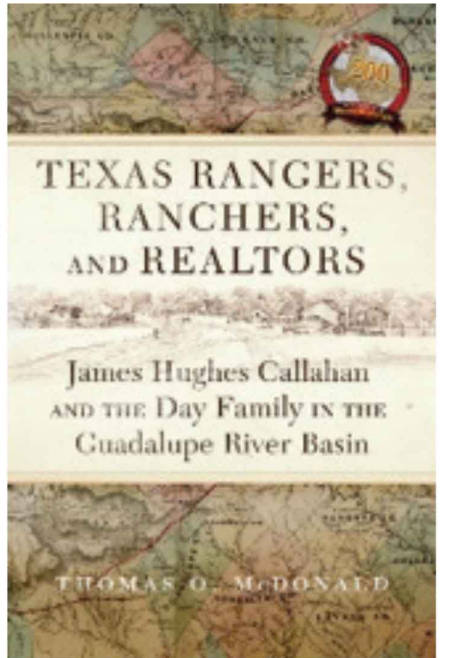
Sanger Historical Society to hold public meeting at Sanger Public Library

The Sanger Area Historical Society, in conjunction with the Sanger Public Library, will hold a public meeting for the community November 7, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the Sanger Public Library meeting room.

Guest author, Thomas O. McDonald, historian and author of "Texas Rangers, Ranchers, and Realtors" will speak about the James Hughes Callahan and Day Families of the Guadalupe River Basin.

Callahan was a native Georgian and migrated to Texas to serve in the Texas Revolution in exchange for land. Callahan was a Texas Ranger, a soldier, a rancher, and a land developer and at every turn was making his mark on the evolving Guadalupe River Basin. His wife, Sarah, and her family's journey reflected the experience of many immigrants to Texas after its war of independence. McDonald traces the pair's respective paths to their meeting as they contend with conflict, troublesome social mores, and the emergence of new industries along with helping to shape the Texas culture.

McDonald has a sharp eye for character and detail and with a wealth of material tells a story as crackling with life as it is steeped in scholarly research.



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Sunny's Thoughts



Lately I've been thinking about our government. Those of you who were in school prior to the 1970s probably had Civics in some shape, form or fashion. I graduated in 1962 and had as requirements for my graduation a class in American Civics in addition to a class in Texas Civics. I'm not talking about history class I am speaking of classes which taught the establishment, theory, practice and laws of the United States of America and the State of Texas. Two separate classes and if I remember correctly each a semester long. Lately the media, politicians and just everyday people have been throwing out what they consider facts about our government. Unfortunately, much misinformation (I didn't say lies I said misinformation) has been put forth as solid and concrete fact. That is what my thoughts have been about lately. Probably this topic is a logical follow to my concern about true communication. Warning I am NOT going to talk politics here, I am not going to talk party platforms, I am not going to talk candidates for or elected officials in office. I don't think I will even attempt to address the entire Constitution. What I am going to attempt is a clarification of just what the Constitution is, what it is for, what does it mean. To be more clear maybe I should say that what I am going for here is just to determine what the 4,543 words that make up this Constitution is communicating. On second thought that is a lot of words so let me trim it down a bit and just start with the Preamble which is a mere 52 words. Now that is a good place to start, the beginning.

To refresh your memory here are those 52 words that some of us were required to memorize: We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, ensure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, [sic], promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

Just how should we break this down? First take note that several words are capitalized and given special emphasis. People, Order, Union, Justice, Tranquility, Welfare, Blessings, Liberty, Posterity, Constitution are all capitalized but, in most cases, not because of any grammatical rule. Look at the words. Are those upper-case letters adding to the meaning of what is being said? Keep that question in mind as we continue.

We the People of the

United States. We, begins the sentence and thus is capitalized. Oh, but this says We the People. Generally, people can designate a collection of human beings. But taking it further it can also refer to a community, a nation or an ethnic group. So, we have a good reason to capitalize People as it is followed by the prepositional phrase 'of the United States' and designates a special group set apart by geographical location. Hey this isn't so bad. Let's keep going and take a phrase which has two such capitalized words.

We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union. People can be arranged in order, like in a particular pattern or in relation or maybe even sequence. The People here have a connection of some sort and because we know what this document is we know that they have a common goal. Order is capitalized to emphasize the depth of importance that forming this Union has. And, not just a Union but a more perfect Union. As you can see there is a difference between perfect union and perfect Union. Think about it.

How do you form a more perfect Union. I read it this way, those capitalized words following more perfect Union look to be the foundation and basis for a union to be made more Perfect. Or, in other words, for our union to be more perfect there are several things which we must do: establish Justice, ensure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense (sic), promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty. At this point it looks as though there is a rough sketch of a blueprint for what the founding fathers were attempting to build. Why don't we take each one of the 'building blocks' they saw fit to capitalize and see if we can determine the why. The why these are needed for a more perfect Union.

There are four major foundational blocks: Justice; Tranquility; Welfare; Blessings of Liberty. All capitalized and all with modifiers etc. Is the order that they are presented important to note? Let's ask the question then: Can Tranquility, Welfare and Liberty truly exist if Justice is not established? I am going to assume that the order in which the blocks were presented was important. Justice first. The root word of justice is just and to be just we must be morally right or fair. In my years of teaching I don't remember a day passed without me hearing "but that was not fair!" It is a human reaction to situations to want everything to be right, correct, proper or whatever. Can we assume here that our founders firmly believed that the first of our corner stones must be Justice. Remember these men were experienced in being part of a monarchy. When they wrote this there was not an active democracy on earth (at least it appears so in historical record). They wanted to establish a Union

that would provide Justice.

Establish Justice, a good first step but why list Tranquility as the next "stone"? Common sense will tell us all that sometimes Justice is not accompanied by Tranquility. They are not always companions. While domestic can refer to home and family it also can refer to a nation or country. Here I believe they, our founders, were referring to both because what is going on in a nation will of course have impact on the family. So they felt that it was important to have domestic (note not capitalized) Tranquility. I think by capitalizing Tranquility they were emphasizing that what was needed was a Union which presented its inhabitants with a calm, stable environment. Safe to say here that providing for the common defense would be an integral need for true peace/tranquility. Remember these men had experienced situations where defense was necessary (other countries wanting land, native Americans defending land, etc.) Peace was not guaranteed. Thus, Tranquility is capitalized because of its essentialness. To have a more Perfect Union we must have Tranquility (personal peace, family peace, national peace).

Now we come to one that is a bit more challenging, general Welfare. Dictionary definition of this term opens up the possibilities because the reference would be to the happiness, fortunes and health of both the individual and the collection of individuals which would make up the nation. Now, the building block widens the responsibility of the governing body to take care of health, happiness and fortunes of its members. It is intimidating to be the head of the family and take on your shoulders their health, happiness and fortunes. Taking on this task for a nation of people would be daunting to say the least. To put it more down to earth it would be absolutely scary. Our founders in their drive to form a more perfect Union knew that it was extremely important to have general Welfare as one of the basic tenets. They, in the body of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights, diligently strove to provide this building block as well as the others.

Now we come to a phrase, Blessings of Liberty, which will speak differently to each who sees or hears it. A good place to start would be a dictionary definition of both words because, as I said, we each have our own interpretation of the words. Blessing can be simply defined as God's favor and protection. Then, the definition of Liberty: "the state of being free within society from oppressive restrictions imposed by authority on one's way of life, behavior, or political views." A less succinct and more briefly stated definition of Liberty would be: "the power or

scope to act as one pleases." The first and most involved definition is the one I think the founders intentioned. The second and shorter is the one that far too many people today use as their definition when applied to themselves not others LOL. For example, it is ok for me to call you whatever name I want but you do not have the same liberty. But I digress. Basic knowledge of the founders shows us a wide range of beliefs. There was no one consensus other than they had faith in a higher power and believed that this higher power granted or blessed. It can be easily seen how important they saw these Blessings because they capitalized the word. Then they connected it to

the essential Liberty.

What they did was give four essential building blocks: Justice; Tranquility; Welfare; Blessings of Liberty. Or stated differently, they wanted to give the people of the United States a government which would provide a climate which was fair and morally correct, a government which provided the personal and family peace as well as national peace. In addition, the governing body would be concerned with the fortunes, health and happiness of its citizens. Justice, Tranquility and Welfare were completed with God's granting the people the rights of freedom, the freedom from authority which could be oppressive and restricting. Through the

Blessings of God, Liberty could be attained.

The closing of the Preamble is a fitting way to end the introduction to what the founders were establishing/creating. In their 52 words they not only used proper writing technique by providing an introductory statement about where they were going with this document, they also gave us insight into what must have been their aim. The closing to the Preamble reflects their plans/hopes/dreams for this nation they were founding, this new form of government. They gave us the essentials it would take to do this formation, placed it directly in the hands of

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Sunny

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of the people and then they close this preface with: "to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America." They capitalized Posterity which means all generations of people. They meant for this nation to survive and were providing it with the blueprint, the plan to establish and to survive. What fore-

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Sunny Yeatts is a retired long-time teacher from Sanger High School and currently teaches a Sunday School Class at First Baptist Church in Sanger.

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Sanger Yearbook Archive Thumb Drive Fundraiser:

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 Gracelynn Hobbs
 Kordelia Jackson
 RONNEZ JOURNEY
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 Josiah Morales
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 Adalee Roberson
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 Wyatt Williams

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Sanger High School State Cross Country Meet Results:



ABOVE: The SHS State Bound Cross Country team has an incredible sendoff last week at the high school and younger SISD campuses. The Sanger High School varsity boys and girls competed at the State UIL Cross Country Meet last Friday at Old Settler's Park in Round Rock. The Indians finished in sixth place overall with Sam Musgrave the highest finisher for Sanger. The Lady Indians came in eighth place with Tatum Cochran posting the best time. Canyon swept the Class 4A boys and girls team titles. See Sanger individual results below:

Name	Year	O'All Place	Time
Tatum Cochran	9	30	12:28.1
Niki Boone	9	41	12:41.3
Gracie Grahl	11	44	12:45.2
Farah Hughey	11	47	12:49.5
Ashton Grahl	10	49	12:51.0
Abril Aguilar	12	(96)	13:43.3
Brianna Deloney	12	(98)	13:51.5

Name	Year	O'All Place	Time
Sam Musgrave	12	12	16:11.3
Daniel Martinez	10	17	16:20.6
David Martinez	10	29	16:48.9
Travis Martinez	9	68	17:38.4
Cade Knavel	12	72	17:46.4
Isaac Solchenberger	10	(91)	18:09.3
Brasen Guiette	12	(95)	18:23.5

Indians football needs to beat Farmersville to get in playoffs

A relentless rushing effort fueled Sanger's 53-14 win last Friday against Gainesville.

Junior running back Reggie Jones, who entered the game leading all local running backs with 1,277 rushing yards and 12 rushing touchdowns, added three more scores by the end of the night.

His backfield partner, senior running back Luke Thompson, a Drake commit, added two touchdowns of his own. The duo served as the driving force in the Indians' onslaught on the ground with six total rushing touchdowns.

Sanger quarterback Reed Sebastian was 6-11 for 122 yards passing and completed a 66-yard touchdown to Joel Rodriguez. (3 catches, 93 yards) Austin Martin had a 65 yard touchdown run. He finished the night 7-161 yards to lead the Sanger rushing attack.

The ground assault by Sanger (4-5, 3-2 in district) began on its opening drive as it marched down the field and called three consecutive handoffs in the red zone.

Gainesville later scored on a 12-yard touchdown pass over the middle.

The Indians returned to the end zone quickly. During the Leopards' point-after try, junior cornerback Jaise Jackson ran unblocked and deflected the kick. Senior cornerback Cameron Hayes then scooped the ball up and returned it all the way for a 2-point conversion. It was all Sanger after that.

On defense, Blake Monden led the Indians defense with 9 tackles, 1 sack and one tackle for a loss; Cameron Hayes and Abimbola Ogunwuyi each had an interception. See defensive standouts on this page:

Winning this district matchup moves Sanger in position to secure a playoff spot with a win at Farmersville (6-3, 3-2) Friday. The Indians could finish as high as second in the district with a win and either Krum beating Bonham or Caddo Mills losing to Van Alstyne.



Sanger offensive linemen Marshall Giguere (65), Luke Russell (64) and Caleb Brewer (62) open up a hole against Gainesville. The Indians offensive line dominated the Leopards.

Sanger Defensive leaders vs. Gainesville:

Fumble Recoveries	FR	Ret Yards	TD		
Bertelsen, Soren; Sr	1	0			
Interceptions	Ints	Ret Yards	TD		
Ogunwuyi, Abimbola; So	1	-1			
Hayes, Cameron; Sr	1	9			
Defensive Stats	Solo Tkls	Assists	Totals	TFL	Sacks
Hayes, Cameron; Sr	3	3	6		
Hendricks, Luke; So	6	2	8		
Monden, Blake; Sr	5	4	9	1	1
Phillips, Kade; Sr	4	2	6		1
Taylor, Max; So	3	5	8		

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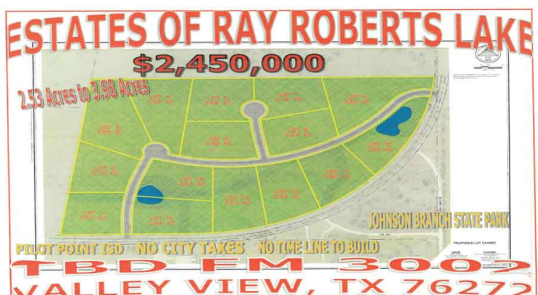
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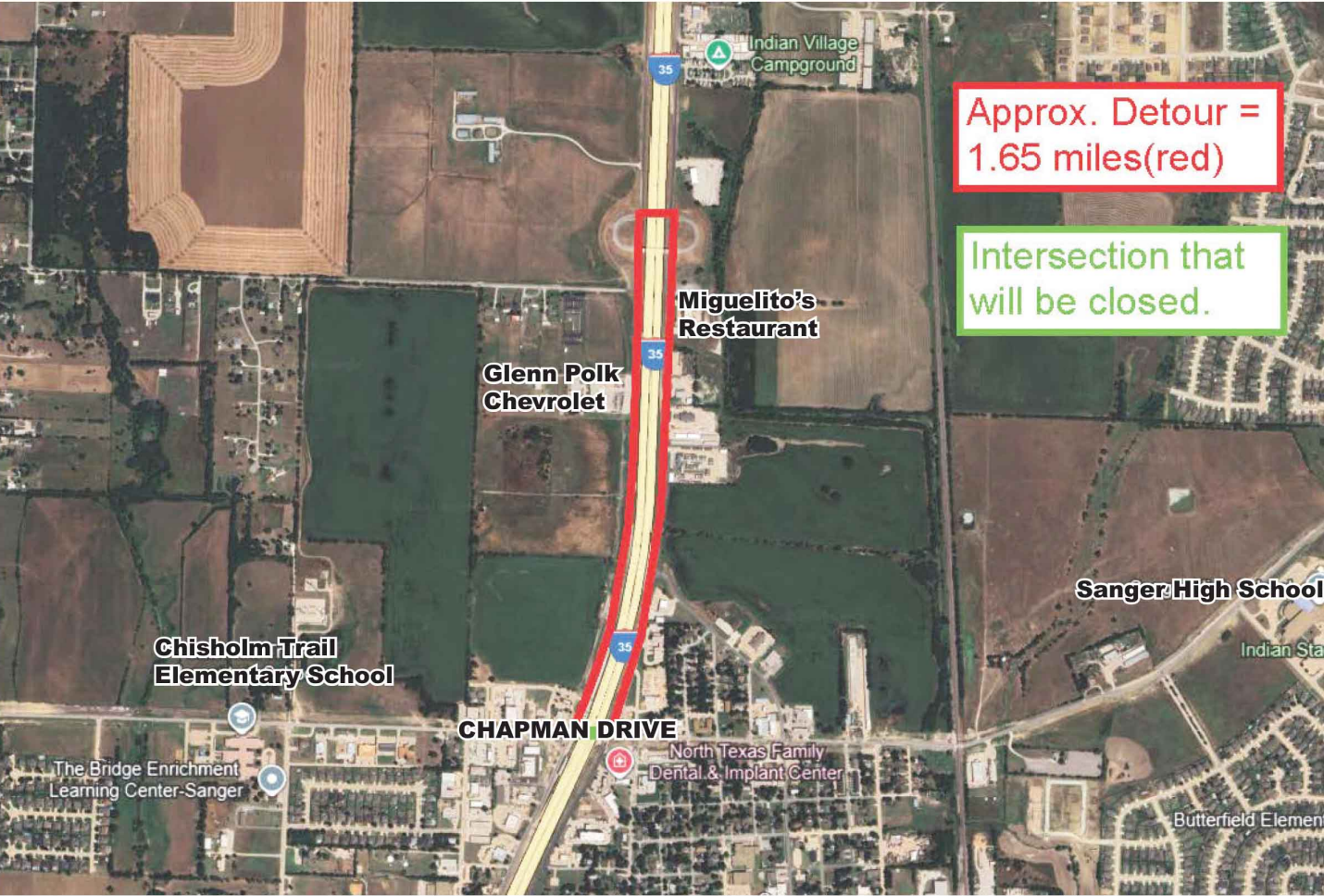
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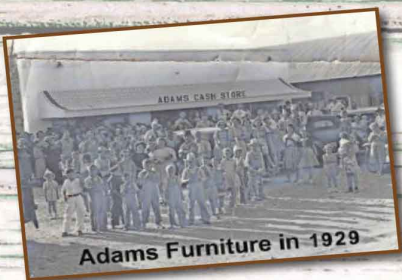


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