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WASHINGTON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Annual Awards given at virtual luncheon

A small luncheon was held by the Washington County Chamber of Commerce and Brenham Economic Development Foundation on February 23 to honor the 2020 outgoing board members and award recipients.

Thanks to all the members and guests who attended, and to the following presenting sponsors for ensuring the success of the event:

Brenham National Bank City of Brenham

In the weeks prior to the awards luncheon, a video was recorded of the different surprise announcements of the Man and Woman of the Year, Blue Blazer of the Year, and Small Businesses of the Year. Thank you to James Pharaon Creative for making that possible.

The Brenham Economic Development Foundation started the awards ceremony by recognizing retiring board member, Billy Holle. Other members of the board are Chairman Blake Brannon; Vice Chair Randy Hodde; Treasurer Mike Hopkins, Jr.; Secretary Catherine Kenjura; Immediate Past Chair Tee Dippel; Matt Bentke; Chris Cangelosi; Chad Gerke; Trey Hardy; Darren Huckert; Jim Kolkhorst; Jimmy Lawhorn; Barney Loesch; Melissa McCune; Amanda Stolz; and Jarvis Van Dyke.

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Kevin Deramus and Jennifer Eckermann were awarded the prestigious honor as Man and Woman of the Year.

Inaugural Chamber Classic Tees Off March 26

The Washington County Chamber is excited to host the Inaugural Chamber Classic Golf Tournament on Friday, March 26. This 36-team scramble will begin with a shotgun start at noon at the Brenham Country Club.

There are still opportunities to get your business name and services recognized at this event. A Lunch Sponsor will have their business name advertised on lunches for all players, volunteers and staff; Beverage Sponsors will be advertised on the beverage carts that will be driven throughout the day on the course; player Cart Sponsors will be advertised on all of the carts utilized by teams; there are limited Tent Sponsorships still available for businesses who want to set up a display along the course and hand out promotional materials; and finally, Hole Sponsors will receive signage on the course with their business logo. Please contact any Chamber staff member, board member or Blue Blazer if you are interested in any of these sponsorship opportunities.

All proceeds are put back into the community in the form of programs and services designed to boost the economy and quality of life in Washington County. Please contact the Chamber with questions or more information at 979-836-3695.







BIG - Brannon Industrial Group Blue Bell Creameries Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative Brenham National Bank Brenham Veterinary Hospital CB4 Services, LLC/Deep in the Heart Farms Champion Fellowship Citizens State Bank Capital Farm Credit ★ Dr. John Turner K&M Grocery ★ Kristen Distributing LaRoche Chevrolet-Buick-GMC-Cadillac Padgett Hearing Aid Center PLANNORTH Architectural Co. Wellmann Insurance Agency Woodson Lumber Company

A huge round of applause goes to all the generous sponsors who are making this day possible. We would like to thank the following:

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Renewing Members

February 1-28

Seidel Schroeder – 43 years Wal-Mart Supercenter – 41 years Detering Brothers Investments — 39 years Schleider Furniture & Mattress Company – 39 years Brenham Heating & Air Conditioning Co. — 37 years Faske's Jewelry – 37 years TFE Company, Inc. – 37 years Herrmann International — 36 years Moeller Electric Company – 36 years Woodson Lumber Company – 36 years Thrivent Financial — 34 years Market Realty, Inc. — 31 years Boys & Girls Club of Washington County — 22 years Barnhill House Toys & Books – 21 years

Culligan of Brenham – 21 years Nathan's BBQ LLC – 21 years Pooltex American, Inc. -21 years Strand Associates, Inc. -21 years Voelter, Dr. Donald - 21 years Lillian Farms Bed & Breakfast and Country – 20 years Brenham Insurance Center – 19 years Legend Log Homes — 18 years Longwood Elastomers, Inc. – 18 years Quebe Guesthouse – 15 years Bluffview Villas – 14 years Burton American Legion Post #242 – 12 years Buccaneer Food Store - 11 years Honest Builders LLC - 11 years

Ribbon Cuttings

Sigma Chi Chi Professional Women's Club – 11 years Hodde Real Estate Company - Jim Ripple - 8 years Fleur de Lis — 7 years Compass Quarters – 6 years Moser Community Media LLC – 6 years Camp Blessing TX – 5 years Goodwill Industries - 5 years The Barnhill Center at Historic Simon The – 5 years 23 Fitness – 4 years Cottages of Winedale -4 years FOR THE CITY - 1 year Hodde Real Estate Company-Mary Garbett – 1 year Howdy Kan — 1 year WoodmenLife — 1 year

* Congratulations from the Washington County CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

New Business

Brown Water Cigar Bar

Owner: Randy Bayer 200 West Alamo Street, Brenham

TECL 22459





New Business

Bake Shop at All Things Acres

Owner: Tara Royer-Steele 2758 FM 389, Brenham



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YPO Participates in Thursday Night Trivia at Brazos Valley Brewing Company

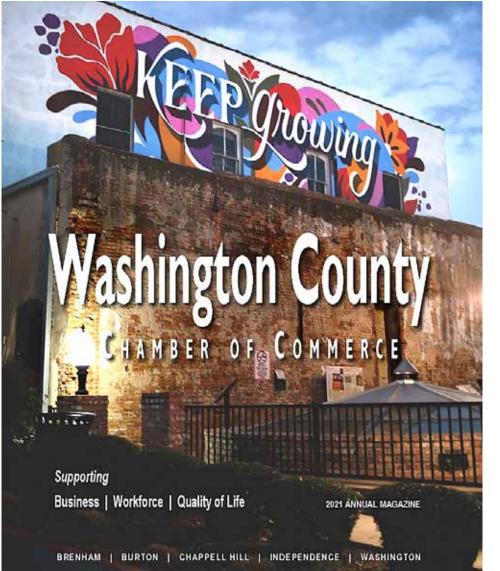
Competition held on Thursdays at 6 p.m.



First Place team at the Feb. 11 Trivia competition.



2nd Place team on March 4.



The 2021 Washington County Chamber of Commerce Magazine is here!

Stop by the Chamber to pick up a stack for your lobbies or waiting areas.

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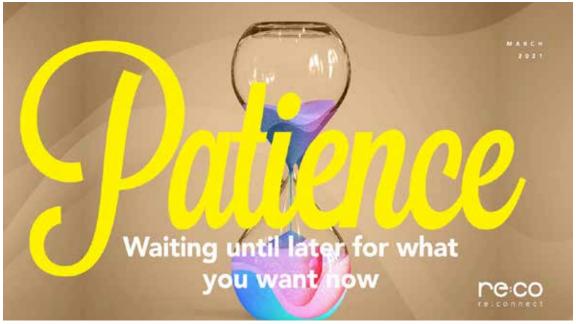
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Would you like to be a P.E.A.C.E. Partner?



WHY PATIENCE?

This month, we're focusing on PATIENCE: waiting until later for what you want now. This one is tough for most of us, including me. Waiting in line, waiting for a delivery, waiting for a phone call, waiting for someone to arrive, waiting, waiting, waiting!

However, according to research, it could be one of the most important skills in our lives.

Author and speaker James Clear posts a great article about delaying gratification with links to a lot of research (https://jamesclear.com/delayed-gratification), including this as it relates to our impact on children:"...the child's ability to delay gratification and display self-control was not a predetermined trait, but rather was impacted by the experiences and environment that surrounded them. In fact, the effects of the environment were almost instantaneous. Just a few minutes of reliable or unreliable experiences were enough to push the actions of each child in one direction or another."

And this advice we can apply in our adult lives:

"The studies above do make one thing clear: if you want to succeed at something, at some point you will need to find the ability to be disciplined and take action instead of becoming distracted and doing what's easy. Success in nearly every field requires you to ignore doing something easier (delaying gratification) in favor of doing something harder..."

In other words, don't shrug this one off. Whether you work with kids in our community or you work with their parents, find a way to have conversations about waiting, doing what's difficult, and creating new habits.

WAYS TO LOOK FOR THIS VALUE/SKILL:

You show patience when you:

• Wait without complaint in the grocery line with the young person bagging food ahead of you

• Have a conversation with your family as you wait for your food to be prepared instead of checking your watch (or your phone!)

• Set goals that are more than a few months away, and then do the work in the meantime to see them through



A Partner for P.E.A.C.E. (Public Education Ambassador for Community Engagement) is encouraged to share the monthly value and promote that value within the company so that possible employees and customers will see that you also support public education. It is in hopes that the adults who see these values at their workplace will share with the children in their lives who are also seeing this at school. These Core Essential Values are taught at both Brenham and Burton ISDs.

Thank you to these dedicated Partners for P.E.A.C.E. who continue to make this program a success in Washington County. They help reinforce the Core Essential Values students are learning in local public schools at their businesses and through their employee interactions:

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> > We would love to have more!

Washington County Blue Blazers

The Blue Blazers is a club with 15-20 members and more than 40 years of tradition. They support the mission of the Washington County Chamber. The volunteers in the club act as official greeters and hosts of our community. Their activities include monthly meetings, greeting at Chamber functions, recruiting new Chamber members, and conducting ribbon cuttings and grand openings.

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The retiring directors for the Chamber Board who were recognized are: Melissa Duckworth, Wendy Frazier, Andy Hefferly, Zelda Moore and Ash Patel. Other members of the board are Chairman Joe Robertson, First Vice Chair Dr. John Turner, Second Vice Chair Aaron Gonzalez, Treasurer Dan Blalock, Secretary Paul Aschenbeck, Immediate Past Chair Jay Schroeder, Dr. Eric Alford, Katie Burch, Susan Cates, Jim Chisolm, Johanna Fatheree, Dr. John Harris, Kara Matheney, Shay Morrow, Michelle Panko, Jeffery Sadler and Darron Smith.

Next, Shae Janner recognize the outgoing YPO president, Hope Burkhart. The members of the YPO board for 2021 are President Katie Marburger, Vice President Leigh Linden, Happy Hour Event Planner Rachel Lacina-Taylor, Business Mobs and Philanthropical Event Planner Kelsey Toy, Lunch & Learn Planner Shae Janner and the Marketing Team of Andrea Peters and Leigh Linden.

Jane Hinze recognized and thanked the Blue Blazers for all their hard work. Blue Blazer members are President Tammy Jaster, Recording Secretary Rachel Eckert Nordt, Reporting Secretary Shelby Dollar, along with Kyler Crenshaw, Darlene Denman, Joyce Dickschat, Dr. Tina B. Henderson, Kristie Marth, Linda Pipes, Carl Prihoda, Kathy Randermann, Christy Schlottman, Brandy Trujillo, Stephanie Wehring, Matt Wellmann, Kristie Wensel and Barbara Wilganowski. The Blue Blazer of the Year for 2020 is Carl Prihoda.

The 2020 Man and Woman of the Year are Keven Deramus and Jennifer Eckermann. They attended the luncheon along with a few of their friends and family.

The two 2020 Small Business of the Year award winners also had members of their team at the luncheon. They are Must Be Heaven and Bank of Brenham.



2020 Small Business of the Year with 26+ employees was presented to Bank of Brenham.



2020 Small Business of the Year with 25 or less employees was awarded to Must Be Heaven.



Jay Schroeder (right) was presented this gavel plaque by Joe Robertson to recognize him as the Immediate Past Chair of the Chamber.



Banquet photos courtesy of Alyssa Faykus/Banner-Press

Shae Janner and 2019-20 YPO President Hope Burkhart.



The 2020 Blue Blazer of the Year award was won by Carl Prihoda for outstanding club accomplishments, presented by Jane Hinze.



2021 Chamber chairman Joe Robertson (far left) thanked retiring directors from the Chamber Board: Ash Patel, Andy Hefferly, Melissa Duckworth, Zelda Moore and Immediate Past Chair Jay Schroeder. Not pictured: Wendy Frazier.

— February Members of the Month

Camp For All 6301 Rehburg Rd., Burton 979-289-3752 campforall.org

How long have you been in business?

— The foundation was formed in 1993 and camp opened in 1998.

What services do you offer?

— We offer camping and recreation to children and adults with special needs and challenging illnesses, along with their families, throughout the year.

In 2020 Camp For Y'all was created. It is an "individual sign up" family camping experience. The magic of Camp For All is now directly available to your family. For specific questions, please call the number above or email reservations@campforall.org.

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We are barrier free, meaning that we are more than accessible. All of our campers, regardless of their special need or challenging illness, can participate in all of the traditional camp activities.

What do you love about Washington County?

— What we like the most about Washington County are the people. This community is very supportive of each other and local businesses.

Robert's Service Station

1508 W. Main St., Brenham 979-836-1688 facebook.com/robertsservicestation

How long have you been in business?

-45 Years

What services do you offer?

— Car/Truck/Tractor tire repair, new tires, gas, oil changes

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We are the only business in town that sells

non-ethanol gasoline. We have our on-premise license, so we are also a local watering hole. *What do you love about Washington County?* — We love that small businesses can thrive because WC has maintained a small-town atmosphere.

> **Citadel Christian School** 2111 South Blue Bell Rd., Brenham 979-830-0991 citadelchristian.org

How long have you been in business?

— We have operated as Citadel Christian School since June 2018. Before that, the school was Brenham Christian Academy. It was started in August 1993. *What services do you offer?*

— We offer an exceptional education with a biblical worldview in a supportive, loving atmosphere to students in PreK 4 through 10th grade. We plan to add 11th grade in the 21/22 school year, and 12th grade in the 22/23 school year in order to provide services to all students PreK through 12th.

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We are the only independent (governed by a board of directors, not by a church or denomination) Christian school in Washington County, and the only one to offer services to students in high school. We have a wonderful faculty and staff that cares deeply about each other and each student. And with our smaller class sizes, faculty have the ability to help every student reach their potential academically, socially, and spiritually.

What do you love about Washington County?

— It's in Texas--so that's a great start! The friendly, helpful people make it a great place to raise a family. Its strategic location helps it to maintain a smalltown feel, but also to have easy access to large cities when you need them. When thinking of Washington County, Blue Bell and bluebonnets come to mind, and that brings a smile to everyone's face. But even when the bluebonnets fade, the well-maintained parks still provide great places to enjoy nature and recreation. There is ALWAYS something to do and plenty of opportunities to be involved in service to others here in Washington County. It's just a great place to be!

> Discount Trees of Brenham & Portable Buildings of Brenham 10050 Hwy. 36 N., Brenham 979-836-7225 discounttreesofbrenham.com

How long have you been in business?

— Serving the Brenham Area for over 32 years *What services do you offer?*

— Of course, we have many, many trees and plants to choose from, but we can also deliver and/or install up to a 95-gallon container. Our cabins can range anywhere from fully finished and ready to connect to a ready-to-finish blank slate for a DIY project. Also, storage building solutions to avoid renting; carport covers for anything from one car up to the biggest RV; barns and garages; greenhouses and gazebos; the list goes on and on!

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We offer the "largest selection in the Brazos Valley" of shade trees, shrubs, ornamental plants, fruit/ nut trees and berries, and native plants. We also offer a huge line of finished pier and beam cabins, portable storage buildings, carports, garages, and even horse barns or large commercial structures.

What do you love about Washington County?

— It is a great community that is always ready to support the local small businesses in a big way. We take pride in our customer service and our word-ofmouth network, as well as being in a unique position to help the new land owners in the area get off on the right foot.

Member Job Openings

Associated Credit Union of Texas

Full-time Member Access Center Representative

Responsibilities will include maintenance of existing accounts; cross-selling and processing all services and products available through ACTX; account transfers, histories and inquiries. Visit acutx.org/careers for the job description and/or apply.

Brenham State Supported Living Center

Custodian I Food Services Worker I Cook II Speech Language Pathologist Apply online at https://hrportal.hhsc.state.tx.us

Independence Coffee Co.

Part-time Barista

1-2 years retail/customer-facing position experience, flexible schedule preferred. Submit resume to betty@independencecoffee.com.

Schleider Furniture & Mattress Company

Warehouse and Delivery Associate – Full or Part-time Apply in person only at Schleider Furniture Company, 307 South Austin Street, Brenham.

Subway Sandwiches & Salads

Full and Part-time All Positions Apply in person at any of the locations in Brenham after 2 p.m. No phone calls.

WASHINGTON COUNTY "ADOPT-A-SIGN" PARTNERS

To ensure the long-term care of the Welcome Sign monuments at the five entry points to Washington County, four landscaping companies from our community have volunteered to oversee their maintenance.

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Washington County Landscapes

Wise Landscaping

Get Noticed...

The *ChamberWorks* newsletter is published inside *The Banner-Press* on the second Thursday of the month. Chamber members have the opportunity to advertise in this newsletter. Rates start at only \$25 per month.

Another great way to promote your organization is through targeted emails. The Chamber will forward your "e-message" to all members, as long as it meets certain criteria.

E-messages are sent a maximum of once per quarter per member during each calendar year.

What's Happening in March

March - October Antique Carousel Rides at Fireman's Park

Ride a piece of history. Brenham's Antique Carousel at Fireman's Park is open weekends through March (excluding Easter weekend), Saturdays 11am-4pm, Sundays 1-4pm. Rides are only \$1 per rider.

March weekends Live Music at

Home Sweet Farm Biergarten

Live Music at Home Sweet Farm Biergarten, 307 S. Park St., Downtown Brenham. Check their Facebook page for more information (facebook.com/homesweet farmmarket)

March 11, 18, 25 Tacos & Trivia at Brazos Valley Brewing Co.

Taproom is open from noon to 8 PM on Thursdays with trivia from 6 PM to close, 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham BrazosValley Brewery.com).

March 11, 22, 31, Apr 6 **CASA 101 Orientation**

Join via Zoom to learn about how you can make a difference to a child by joining CASA. 3/11 at 8pm, 3/22 at 6pm, 3/31 at noon, 4/6 at noon. Email executivedirector@wespeak4kids.org for the link. (wespeak4kids.org).

March 13, 20, 27

Exploring & Celebrating Our Roots

Researching African American Families in Washington County. Features Black History Month Exhibit. All are invited to attend. Saturdays in March open from 10am-4pm. Other Times by Appointments. The Depot Gallery, 313 E. Alamo St., Brenham (brenhamheritagemuseum.org).

March 13, 14 **Beasts of Burden Demonstration** at Barrington Plantation

Join Barrington Living History Farm and the Texas Draft Horse and Mule Association in a unique opportunity to experience draft animals at work. Various aspects of field preparation using horses, mules and oxen

will be demonstrated, with some hands-on opportunities. Activities are dependent on weather and soil conditions. Washington on the Brazos, 23400 Park Rd. 12, Washington, 10am-4pm (wheretexasbecametexas.org).

March 13 **Round Top Festival Institute** - James Dick Piano Recital

Live performance by James Dick, Founder and Artistic Director of Round Top Festival Institute, hailed by audiences and connoisseurs as an outstanding artist able to enrapture listeners through the infinite colors he summons from the keyboard. Works by Schubert, Beethoven, Chopin and Prokofiev. Festival Concert Hall, 248 Jaster Rd., Round Top, 3-4:30pm, 979-249-3129 (festivalhill.org).

March 15-19 **Brenham Fire Museum Spring Break Hours**

As a special treat for Spring Break, the historic Brenham Fire Museum will be open from 11am-2pm. Come see the Silsby, the Invader and Samanthe. Corner of Market and Alamo St., Downtown Brenham.

March 15-19 **Spring Break Skate** at Silver Wings Ballroom

Special Spring Break Hours. Monday - Friday, noon-5pm, 4100 Hwy. 105 E, Brenham (silverwingsballroom.com).

March 15-19 Swim Inflatable Fun at Blue Bell Aquatic Center

Rain or shine because they're inside. Inflatable fun at the Aquatic Center during Spring Break. 1-4pm, 1800 E. Tom Green St., Brenham, 979-337-7250 (citvofbrenham.org)

March 16 Winedale Online Talk: **Houston's Gulf Hotel Fire**

On September 7, 1943 a fire tore through the Gulf Hotel in Houston claiming the lives of 55 men. Brady Hutchison, retired firefighter/arson investigator turned history professor and author, and currently teaches U.S. History at Wharton County Junior College, will not only tell the story of the fire but also share how the city came together in the aftermath to aid the victims. Please e-mail tricia.blakistone@ austin.utexas.edu for a link to this talk.

March 20. 21 **Ole Folks Trade Days**

Vintage items, collectibles, unique treasures, antiques, boutique items, jewelry, food vendors, and more. Washington County Expo, 1305 E. Blue Bell Rd. Brenham. 8am-6pm Saturday, 9am-3pm Sunday. Contact Jody David 979-221-4367 or Jerry Kmiec 713-875-8193

March 20 Farmers Market at Washington on the Brazos

4th annual Farmers Market. Local vendors, live music and food vendor on-site. Markets are every 3rd Saturday March-November (excluding August), 10am-2pm, 23400 Park Rd. 12, Washington. Contact Celeste Solomon Doty 936-878-2214 ext. 230 (wheretexasbecametexas.org).

March 20

Living History Saturday

Travel back in time to where a nation was born in 1836. On the third Saturday of each month, staff and volunteers dress in period clothing to bring to life the people and events of Old Washington for a unique opportunity for the entire family to discover various aspects of life during the Republic of Texas. The program features family activities including writing with a quill pen, signing a copy of the Texas Declaration of Independence, visiting with militia soldiers or playing early Texas games. Tours of Independence Hall will not be offered these days. Contact Adam Arnold at (936) 878-2214, ext. 228 or adam.arnold@tpwd.texas.gov (WhereTexasBecameTexas.org)

March 25, 26, 27 2021 Annual Spring **Open Collection Days**

County residents only, must present proof of residence and ID upon arrival. Non-Hazardous materials only. 8am-5pm, Citizens Collection Station, 2009 Old Chappell Hill

Stay, Play, Buy Local

Many people do not realize the mportance of shopping in your own community. Sales tax dollars kept here support your local police department, fire department, parks and recreation facilities, road projects, businesses and workforce.

See the "Top Reasons" to buy local on this page, and shop with pride in Washington County. Support the "Home Team." It benefits every business and every resident.

Chamber member businesses support the community year-round, and they appreciate the support of local residents as customers and clients. View a list of all Chamber member businesses online at www.Brenham-Texas.com.

A lot of our Chamber Members

will include HOT DEALS on our website to promote their sales and special offers.

The Chamber provides education, advocacy, marketing assistance, referrals and more to members, along with great networking and leadership development opportunities.

For more information, stop by the Chamber office or call 836-3695.

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Rd., Brenham. 979-337-7455.

March 26 **Inaugural Chamber Classic Golf Tournament**

To be held at the Brenham Country Club. Shotgun start at noon. Find out more at BrenhamTexas.com/ChamberClassicGolf.

March 26-Apr 3

LaBahia Spring Antiques Show

Dealers from across the country will provide antiques, collectibles, vintage, and re-purposed items in the historic 1903 LaBahia Hall. Country cuisine served all day. Free admission and parking. 550 FM 237, Burton. 979-289-2684 (labahiaantiques.com)

March 27

Texas Ranger Day 2021

10th annual Texas Ranger Day, noon-5pm, hosted by the Burton Heritage Society. Annie Maud Avis Memorial Fajita and Bean cook-off, experience Texas Ranger Camp life in the 1880's, folk life demonstrations, displays and weapons demonstrations by the Legends of the Texas Rangers AND live re-enactments by the Old West Rangers, crafts, and tours of the Railroad Depot and Burton Farmer's Cotton Gin, and DJ Kountry Chick. All proceeds to help restore the Mt. Zion Historical Chapel. Admission is free, tickets for all you can eat fajitas and beans are \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids age 5-10, 507 N. Railroad St., Burton (burtonheritagesociety.org)

March 29 Barn Cat / Stray Cat **Discount Spay & Neuter Day**

Brenham Veterinary Hospital, last Monday of each month. By Appointment 979-836-2472 (brenhamvethospital.com).

April Highlight

April 2

First Fridays Farmer & Artisan Market First Friday of each month. 3-7pm, featuring fresh foods, homemade products and more all right on the Courthouse square in the heart of Downtown Brenham.

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