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WASHINGTON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

BRENHAM, TEXAS



Tailgate & Community Pep Rally Wrap-up

he Chamber's 14th annual Tailgate Party fundraiser was hosted on August 26 at Silver Wings Ballroom. A huge crowd enjoyed a variety of tailgate food, plus cold drinks, Blue Bell ice cream and lots of mingling with colleagues and friends.

Highlights of the event were the silent and "Big Board" auction packages, a 50/50 drawing, plus a variety of items in the

oucket drawing.

Energetic members of the Blinn Treasures dance team performed a routine and helped sell 50/50 tickets throughout the evening. Brenham High and Burton High Cheerleaders and members of the Burton Panther drum line also performed. The Blinn Treasures also served as judges for the annual Spirit Competition, won this year by Personnel Services.

There were also 33 Field Goal level sponsors! This Tailgate party would not have been such a great success without the donations of so many valuable items from local businesses and Chamber Board members. The Chamber sends a big "thank you" to all of the donors listed below, and to those who bid on these great items.

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The Chamber would like to thank the following sponsors whose contributions ensured the success of this 14th annual Tailgate Party:

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Washington County's Favorite Networking Event

Sponsored by

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1110 S. Blue Bell Rd., Brenham

Thursday, September 30

5-7 p.m.

Unwind after work and expand your network!

Meet other Chamber members and generate new business contacts.

Enjoy food and drinks, learn what's new in the community, and exchange business cards and brochures.

Free for Chamber members and employees!

Beverages sponsored by Mike Hopkins Distributing.

Ribbon Cuttings

Washington County

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New Member

Grand Opening

Blinn College STEI Building

District Chancellor: Mary Hensley

900 Prairie Lea St., Brenham

Clarita Sweets & More

Owner: Derrick Thomas

1306 N Park St, Brenham



New Member

SIPS Daiquiris

Owner: Ashonty Hubbard 2630 Hwy 36 S, Brenham



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Owner: Paul Cano (979) 347-2064



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314 S. Austin St. | 979-836-3695 | Brenham, Texas 77833





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Edward Jones



New Location

Brazos Valley Brewing Company

Owners: Josh Bass, David Nowowiejski, Nelson Pena, Avery Clayton and Jeremy Bass 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham

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.

> PLM Texas

Washington County Landscapes Glasco & Co. Landscaping

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Networking Happy Hour Thursday, September 23 5:30 p.m.

Hosted at Here or There Massage 212-2 E. Main St., Downtown Brenham

Expand your business network and make new friends!

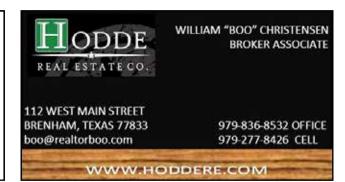
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August 1-31

Mike Hopkins Distributing Company, Inc. — 50 years Mark Hyatt State Farm Insurance Agency — 42 years Discount Trees of Brenham — 31 years Artesian Park RV Campground — 28 years Brazos Belle Restaurant — 27 years Best Western Inn of Brenham — 24 years Rothermel, Beth A. — 23 years Brenham Fitness Center, LLC — 20 years Round Top Festival Institute — 20 years BlissWood Bed & Breakfast Ranch — 19 years Brenham Housing Authority — 19 years A&L Hot Oil Service — 18 years Rotary Club of Washington County — 18 years Brenham Elks Lodge #979 — 15 years Brenham Party Rentals — 15 years Cross Creek Construction & Design, LP — 15 years Burton Heritage Society — 14 years Cricket Cruise & Travel, LLC — 13 years Texas ENT & Allergy — 13 years M.C. Byrd Wealth Management — 12 years THYME Day Spa & Salon — 12 years Winedale Historical Complex — 12 years

Chappell Hill Bakery & Deli, LLC — 10 years CHI St. Joseph Health Primary Care Brenham — 10 years Mill Creek Custom Homes & Outdoor Living — 10 years Washington County Ladies Lions Club — 10 years CENTURY 21 Holton Realty — 9 years High Hope Care Center of Brenham — 9 years We Manage Properties — 9 years Russell Hall Construction, LLC — 7 years Rockin McRustic — 6 years Texana Public Affairs — 6 years Associated Credit Union of Texas — 5 years Cornerstone Brenham — 5 years North Park Apartments — 5 years Nugent, Thomas/Weaver, Tricia — 5 years Brenham Game Changers — 4 years Gene's Services, LLC — 4 years Board & Brush Brenham, TX — 2 years Carol's Quilt Shop at The Five Oaks Retreat — 2 years Ruby Salon and Boutique — 2 years American Fire Protection Group, Inc. — 1 year Bountiful Blessings Day Program LLC. — 1 year Brand It Graphix — 1 year

Why go to Connect After 5?

The Chamber's "Connect After 5"networking events have always been outstanding events each month. Chances are if you want to see someone from the local business community, you will find them at "Connect After 5."

Many know the social benefits of attending. Many more are discovering the business benefits of attending. If you are not yet taking advantage of these networking opportunities, you should. Here are some tips for making the most of the opportunity:

- Wear a name tag. If you don't have one from your place of business, the

Chamber will have some blanks at the event for you to fill in and wear. Name tags help people to remember your name and the business you represent.

- Bring your business cards. Give one to everyone you meet. This gives people your direct contact information, so they can do business with you after the event.

- Talk to people. Don't be shy. Initiate conversations with people you don't recognize. Let that be your conversation starter, "Hello, I don't believe we've met." Most people who attend are Chamber members, so you already

have something in common. And most will be very willing to tell you about their business, so start by asking them what they do.

- Get to know the host. Meet the business owner(s). Be sure to find the host and say hello. Take the tour of the property, if offered. Thank them for hosting the event.
- Have fun. There is always great food and drinks. Everyone has a good time at the Chamber's after hours events. Make it a point to attend. It may be your most important business meeting of the month.

New Members

BLISS CANDY COMPANY

Owner: Jennifer Thomas 2307 S. Market Street Brenham, Texas 77833 Phone: 979-421-8530 www.blisscandycompany.com Bakery-Specialty/Retail

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Owner: Tiffany Morisak 101 E. Main Street Brenham, Texas 77833 Phone: 254-744-5454 www.yellowtruckllc.com Retail

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WASHINGTON COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Thank you to our Presidential Level members ...





























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Member Job Openings

American Overhead Door Co.

Receptionist Apply in person at 7405 Hwy. 36 N., Brenham

Associated Credit Union of Texas

Lead Member Services Representative – Full-time Member Services Representative - Part-time, 30hr 2509 Becker Dr., Brenham

Brenham State Supported Living Center

Various job openings

Christy Schlottmann Farmers Agency

Insurance Sales Producer 201 N. Park St., Brenham

Pleasant Hill Winery

Tasting Room Help texaswines@yahoo.com or leave a message at 979-830-8463

Sonic Drive Inn #2

All Positions Apply at Snagajob.com or text DLROGERS @ 242424

Two Creek Feed & Farm

Full-time and part-time warehouse/mill workers

Contact Mallorie at 979-836-6171



Non-Profit Management

Presented by Michele K. Kwiatkowski, Partner at Seidel Schroeder

Roles and importance of the Board Importance of the segregation of duties Importance of budget management Ideas to manage donation funds

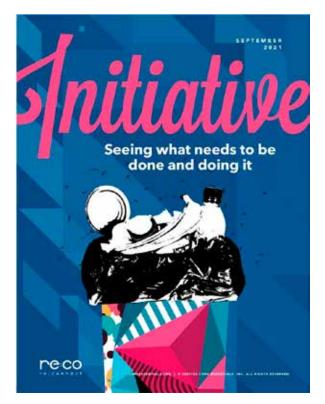
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Nancy Carol Roberts Memorial Library

\$15 for Chamber Members \$20 for non-members

(includes a light lunch)

Register Online or call the Chamber at 979-836-3695 or email info@brenhamtexas.com



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 Partners for P.E.A.C.E. who have signed up so far to 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:

- Ant Street Inn
- Bank of Brenham
- Blue Bell Creameries
- Boys & Girls Club of Washington County
 - Brand It Graphix
 - Brenham Iron Works, LLC
 - Brenham National Bank
- Brenham State Supported Living Center
 - BRIANNAS Fine Salad Dressings Burton Chamber of Commerce
 - Citizens State Bank
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- Independence Coffee Co.Mandy Allen at Better Homes & Garden
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 - PlanNorth Architectural Co.
 - Seidel Schroeder
 - The Banner Press
 - Thielemann Construction Co., L.P. & Stegent-Thielemann Plumbing
 - Unity Theatre
 - Washington County Landscapes

We are now signing up our Partners for P.E.A.C.E. for the 2021-22 school year. Please contact Shae Janner for more information at shae@brenhamtexas.com or call 979-836-3695.

Scenes from August Connect After 5

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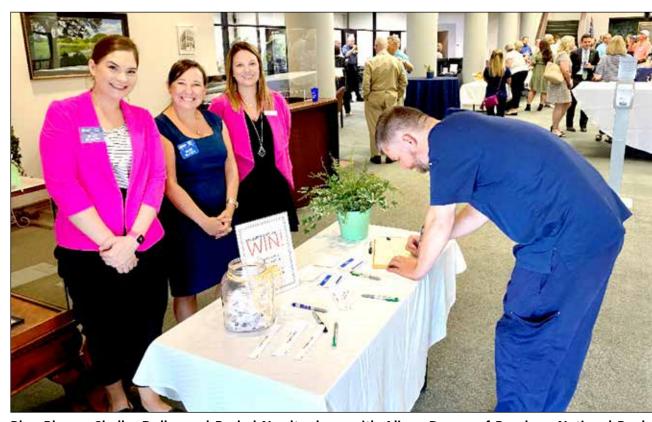
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Tee Dippel, president of Brenham National Bank, introduces some of the board members of the Brenham Education Foundation, the partner host of this event.



Blue Blazers Shelby Dollar and Rachel Nordt, along with Alison Dreyer of Brenham National Bank, welcome guests as they sign-in.

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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August Members of the Month

Petals & Picnics

3355 Hwy. 290 W., Brenham 979-627-5145 zenadezigns.com

How long have you been in business?

— I started Zena DeZigns, my Interior Decorating business in February 2020, and Petals and Picnics evolved out of that in August 2020.

What services do you offer?

— Dezigner picnics with our '61 vintage camper. We provide the tables, tableware and decor for tea parties, showers, birthdays, and decorate/design any special occasion/event you can think of. We take pride in personalizing the event and making it extra special and memorable, while taking the stress off the host. We do home decorating and staging services as well.

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We offer the option of an indoor or outdoor picnic or dining experience, completely taken care of by us. Our vintage camper is an extra cute attraction that is used for photo ops and a memorable background. We provide everything needed for your special event, except the food. However, we are happy to coordinate and/or recommend food and dessert as requested.

What do you love about Washington County?

— The beautiful terrain and relaxed atmosphere and the history here makes me so proud. I have lived in Houston, Austin, Magnolia, San Marcos and Bellville. Of all of these, Brenham is my favorite. I am so happy we settled here 3 years ago and only wish we would have landed here sooner.

Dominos Pizza

2650 Hwy. 36 S., Brenham 979-251-9063 dominos.com

How long have you been in business?

— The business has been here for 15+ years, with current owners for four years.

What services do you offer?

— Carryout, dine-in, delivery.

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We are a family-owned business and started as a Dominos delivery drivers. We have been with Dominos for over 24 years.

What do you love about Washington County?

— The bluebonnets!

Candace Lubojasky Real Estate & Design

1645 Greens Prairie Rd. W. #404A, College Station 210-748-7728 candacesellstexas.com

How long have you been in business?

-5 years

What services do you offer?

Residential Purchases & Sales, Farm & Ranch,
 Vacant/Raw Land, Interior Design, 2D Floor Plans,
 3D Modeling/Rendering

Tell us something unique about your business.

— I use a tone of helpful checklists, worksheets, and guides for my buyers and sellers. I am always in constant communication with them. I utilize digital and traditional marketing methods to generate a ton

of reach for my clients, and cover every type of audience's content preference.

What do you love about Washington County?

— The culture and sense of community! Everyone is so friendly and we all aim to support one another.

Washington County Landscapes

4579 Hwy. 290 W., Brenham 979-353-0955 washingtoncountylandscapes.com

How long have you been in business?

— Since March 1, 2010.

What services do you offer?

— We are a full-service, landscape architecture firm – from design, installation to maintenance.

Tell us something unique about your business.

— We are proud to be a part of the 2017 Aggie 100! It is an award given to those Aggie-owned businesses who have shown tremendous growth. This is due in large part to the hard work of our crews! Since we opened in 2010, we have had a wait list for landscape projects. This is good and bad. The bad, people do not necessarily want to wait, but the good is that we have a reputation for quality work. We are worth the wait!

What do you love about Washington County?

— Lucas Stroech, owner and operator, grew up in Washington County. He was excited to start his company here and raise his children in the same small town. We love every minute of small town life! We are active participants in the Washington County Fair, Maifest and all of the sports! We couldn't ask for a better place to raise our kids.







What's Happening in September

Thursdays in September

Thirsty Thursdays Tacos & Trivia

The taproom is open from 3-9pm on Thursdays with trivia from 6pm to close. 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham (brazosvalleybrewery.com).

Every Tuesday & Thursday

CG Group Fitness Classes

CG is a group fitness program both in-person and online across the nation. Unlimited access to ALL workouts nationwide with your membership, giving the flexibility you need to stay consistent. Small group training for all fitness levels. 5:30-6:30pm, Cub Stadium main entrance. Membership fees vary from \$59-\$89/mo. 979-551-3042, email michelle.rigsbycpt@gmail.com.

Sept 12-18

Washington County Fair

Celebrating the County Fair – the oldest in Texas! Nashville entertainment, carnival, crafts, food, livestock and poultry auctions, commercial exhibits and attractions. Activities and entrance fees vary by day – view the schedule online www.WashingtonCoFair.com

Fridays in September

Friday Vibes

Live music, beer, and bites at Brazos Valley Brewery. Taproom is open from noon to 10pm every Friday. Family and dog friendly. 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham (brazos valleybrewery.com).

Sept 11

Airing of the Quilts

Special exhibits, patriotic quilts, live classes, historic entries, barn quilts and so much more on display at venues across town! All local shops will be open, Main Street in Chappell Hill (chappellhilltx.com).

Saturdays

Exhibit - The Day at the Fair

This exhibit celebrates the oldest county fair in Texas. The Bus Depot Gallery is open every Saturday from 10 to 4 and other days by appointment. Many small groups, both local and from out of town, regularly make appointments to visit during the week (brenhamheritagemuseum.org).

Weekends through 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 October), Saturdays 11am-4pm, Sundays 1-4pm. Rides are only \$1 per rider

Saturdays in September

Sound on Stage Saturdays

Brazos Valley Brewery and Taproom is open Saturday from 12pm-10pm with live music every Saturday from 6pm-9pm and all day on a beer release day. Playground for the kiddos and lots of outside seating for the doggos. 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham (brazosvalleybrewery.com).

Sept 11

Winedale Second Saturdays

The second Saturday of each month the Lewis-Wagner House will be open for free tours from noon to 3pm, 3738 FM 2714, Round Top.

Sundays in September

Sunday Funday at Brazos Valley Brewery

Open 12pm-7pm serving Big "A" Pretzels and Nachos and rotating Food Trucks. Playground for the kiddos and lots of outside seating for the doggos. Live Music for amazing Texas Artists from 3-6pm. 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham (brazosvalleybrewery.com).

Wednesdays in August

Hop Day Wednesday

Open 3pm to 9pm with Dapper Bear Food Truck from 4pm to 9pm serving their famous crabcakes and other seafood goodies. Family and pet friendly with plenty of outside seating and playground. 206 S. Jackson St., Brenham (brazosvalleybrewery.com).

Sept 16

Friends of Bluebonnet Opry

Featuring Georgette Jones, and The Bluebonnet Opry House Band. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Show Starts at 7:30 p.m. Grill is open for great tasting food. Silver Wings Ballroom, 4100 Hwy. 105, Brenham. Tickets \$7 at the door (friendsofbluebonnetopry.com).

Sept 18

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).

Sept 18

Back Porch Event - Aggie Tailgate Party

Come watch the Aggies take on New Mexico. Bring your friends and let's eat some tailgate favorites and let us show you the changes happening here at Texas Casual Cottages by Partners in Building model park. 11am-3pm, 580 S. State Hwy 237, Carmine, 979-337-8293.

Sept 21

Chamber Lunch and Learn – Non-Profit Management Presented by Michele K. Kwiatkowski, partner at Seidel Schroeder. Nancy Carol Roberts Memorial Library, 11:30am-1, \$15, includes lunch.

Sept 21

Ribbon Cutting Business Expansion

- Kenjura Tile/KTI Training Center

Begins at 10am, 102 E. Blue Bell Rd., Brenham.

Sept 22

The American Legion Hybrid Career Fair

Free for all Veterans, Transitioning Service Members, Active Duty, National Guard, Reservists & their Spouses. In person 10am-2pm, Omni Austin Hotel, 4140 Governors Row, Ballroom D, Austin. Virtual noon-3pm. Register https://tinyurl.com/VirtualIJS.

Sept 23

Winedale Volunteer Training

Winedale is looking for volunteers to give house tours. Online training session via zoom at 10am. Email Tricia for the link, tricia.blakistone@austin.utexas.edu.

Sept 23

Ribbon Cutting – D. R. Horton

Begins at 11am, 1116 Fannin St., Brenham.

Sept 23

Chappell Hill Business After Hours- Cruise Planners

Held at The Rock Store in Chappell Hill. Come meet and greet and share your business cards with other members. Cruise Planners will be the host, 5070 Main St., Chappell Hill, 5-7pm.

Sept 26

The Bridal Affair

Washington County Wedding Group (WCWG) presents "The Bridal Affair at the Giddings Stone Mansion," 1-4pm, Giddings Stone Mansion.

Sept 27

Barn Cat / Stray Cat Discount Spay & Neuter Day

Brenham Veterinary Hospital, last Monday of each month. By appointment 979-836-2472 (brenhamvet hospital.com).

Sept 28

Winedale Online Talk: Washington-on-the-Brazos

Jonathan Failor, Site Manager of Washington-on-the Brazos, Star of the Republic Museum, Barrington Plantation and Fanthrop Inn State Historic Sites, will discuss the history of Washington-on-the-Brazos. E-mail Tricia Blakistone for the zoom link to this talk, tricia.blakistone @austin.utexas.edu.

Sept 28

Ribbon Cutting -

Central Washington County Water Supply Corp.

New Well for Central Washington County Water Supply Corporation, 3:30pm, 120 Lillie Lange Rd., Brenham.

Sept 30

Ribbon Cutting – Edward Jones-Brice Milliorn New location, 1110 S., Blue Bell Rd., 4:30pm.

Sept 30

Connect After 5 - Edward Jones-Brice Milliorn, CFP, Financial Advisor and Miracle Farm

Connect After 5 with your fellow Chamber Members. This event invites you to come enjoy some great networking, delicious food and refreshments. Bring plenty of business cards to share with other members. Free for Chamber members and employees. 5-7pm, 1110 S. Blue Bell Rd., Brenham.

October Highlights

Oct

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.

Oct 2

Burton Farmers & Artisans Market

All local Home Grown and Hand Crafted items. Sponsored by Burton Chamber of Commerce. Texas Cotton Gin Museum Roy Winkler Family Pavilion, 307 N. Main St., Burton, 9am-1pm. Booth space \$10 (burtontexas. org/farmersmarket).

Oct .

Baylor Scott and White Golf Tournament

More information can be found at bswhealth.com/brenham.

Did You Rnow?

That the Chamber provides hundreds of "Relocation Info" packages every year to individuals and businesses who are considering moving to this community. Members are eligible to include promotional materials and reach this targeted audience for \$100 at the Basic Level and \$85 for the other membership levels. Contact the Chamber office to be included.

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BIG BOARD PACKAGES:

Backyard Party

Lots of gear for backyard fun. Donated by Brenham Veterinary Hospital, Enterprise Rent-a-Car, Fayetteville Propane, Kountry Boys Sausage, Mike Hopkins Distributing, QuestSpecialty Corporation

Birthday Party at the Fire Station

Includes pizza and ice cream for 6 kids. Donated by Brenham Fire Department and Brenham Collision Center

Guided Fishing

Choice of a 4-person Guided Wade/ Drift Fishing Trip or Flounder Gigging Trip. Donated by Appel Ford and Citizens State Bank

Crawfish Boil for 20

Prepared by Coy Fontenot at Kruse Village

Holiday Magic at Main Street House

Holiday party and noon meal for up to 12 people. Donated by Main Street House, Keith & Suzy Hankins

Private Winemaker Tour for 12

Includes a barrel tasting and a barbecue charcuterie board. Donated by Pleasant Hill Winery and Nathan's BBQ

"Shoot, Don't Shoot"

Experience a simulated course inside the Brenham Police Department, with catered BBQ meal. This package is for 6 people. Donated by city of Brenham Police Department and LJ's BBQ

Splashtacular Pool Party

Includes party room at aquatic center, pizzas, Blue Bell Ice Cream and sundae toppings for 20 guests. Donated by Blue Bell Aquatic Center, Blue Bell Creameries and Cedar Frame Real Estate

Steak Dinner for 20 at Miracle Farm

Donated by the Washington County Chamber Board of Directors, Miracle Farm, and HEB Brenham Market





Thursday Night on the Town

Pizza and Pints for 6 couples and their children. Donated by Brazos Valley Brewing Company

VIP Party for 12

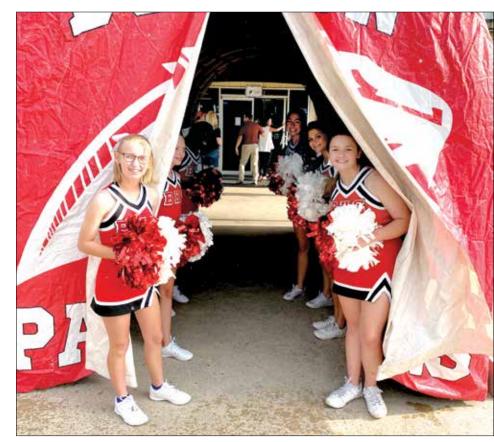
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