

# FHS

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than 700 service members to be assigned to the inaugural committee by Inauguration Day to help coordinate Department of Defense support in and around the District of Columbia.

More than 5,000 service members participated in the celebration, both in view of the public and behind the scenes.

The commander served as a military assistant with the Armed Forces Inaugural Committee based at Fort Leslie J. McNair, Washington, D.C.

She is regularly assigned to Headquarters U.S. Coast Guard in Washington, D.C. The lieutenant commander has served in the military for more than 18 years.

She is the daughter of Bob and Jo Jeitz of Palestine.

Lt. Cmdr. Schneider graduated in 1990 from Fairfield high school and received a bachelor's degree in 1994 from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn. She earned a master's degree in 1998 from the University of Miami, Fla.

## Buffalo Livestock

On Saturday, January 31, 2008, Buffalo Livestock Commission sold 1,422 head. There were 175 sellers and 55 buyers.

### Slaughter Cows:

Cutter cows	47-55.50
Fat cows	48-53.50
Canner cows	31-50

### Slaughter Bulls:

Heavy Bulls	57-63
Light Bulls	50-55

### Cow/Calf Pairs and Bred Cows:

Choice Pairs	No ne
Good Pairs	810-1020
Plain Pairs	710-780
Bred Cows 3-6 yr.	560-970

### Steer/Bull Calves and Yearlings:

150-200 lb.	90-150
200-300 lb.	90-130
300-400 lb.	104-120
400-500 lb.	88-113
500-600 lb.	80-108
600-700 lb.	76-93
700-800 lb.	77-86

### Heifer Calves and Yearlings:

150-200 lb.	80-125
200-300 lb.	80-120
300-400 lb.	80-103
400-500 lb.	78-105
500-600 lb.	73-92
600-700 lb.	69-89
700-800 lb.	65-76

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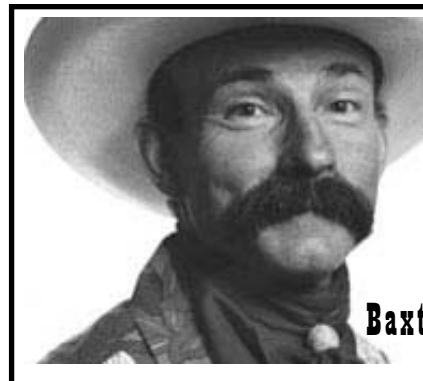
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# On the Edge of Common Sense

Baxter Black, D.V.M.

### LOST WEEKEND

In the movie Long Kiss Goodnight, Samuel L. Jackson's character practiced a habit of saying out loud to himself, "I'm putting my car keys on the dresser"...on the kitchen counter"...on the nightstand" as he laid down the object. It is a great mental mechanical memory device. It has worked for me but I don't think I would have ever thought about saying, "I'm dropping my glasses in the dog's water bucket."

Mule deer season opened on Friday. My son and I drove to Davidson Canyon. From the highway to the unimproved road we put my new purchase to the test. It is a 1997 one ton, long bed, long cab, four-wheel-drive diesel with 244,000 miles. It's white. We call it the Polar Bear.

Pulling a 16-foot goose-neck with three horses we squeezed by, crashed through, crawled over, scraped under and climbed up the rocky trails that would have frightened a yeti! It is my own monster truck! We stopped, unloaded the horses and rode out. Within an hour we had slid up on six does and a buck. The chase ensued. We had purposely lowered the volume on our walkie-talkies so they would only vibrate and not spook the wildlife. As can happen, we lost contact. My son lost his walkie-talkie before he lost the buck! Tracking back was fruitless since we couldn't call it, the walkie-talkie, I mean. We'd turned off the ringer.

At lunch we took a break. "Where's your other saddle blanket?" I asked. We both agreed that he had started with two. The country was so rough there was no point goin' back to try and find it. We finished the day's hunt, loaded up and came home. It was then I discovered my keys were missing and I couldn't find my glasses!

The next day we changed country and hunted afoot. Again, we saw deer but no bucks. Back home by early afternoon I realized I couldn't find my wallet or my hunting license. Which was humiliating since the one I lost was, itself, a replacement for the original, which I had also misplaced. Cost

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Sunday I took a day trip back to Davidson Canyon with my GPS. I had the foresight to enter the location of where we had

parked on Friday. Lo and behold I walked to within 10 feet from the keys! They were so grateful to be rescued they actually leaped up into my arms! Later I

found my wallet in my other pair of boots. Hunting season was over so the license didn't matter. I bought another walkie-talkie. As you might guess, one isn't much good by itself and when I cleaned out the dog's bucket...well, you know that story.

But somewhere in the Arizona desert is a pack rat's nest or a raven's nest lined with red and black threads with a strip of fluorescent orange ribbon poking out. As to how it might have happened, I'd rather not discuss.

## Community Calendar

To add a listing for your organization's meetings or events please call THE FAIRFIELD

RECORDER at 903-389-3334 or fax to 903-389-8255.

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9

►VFW Bingo, 7:30 pm, VFW Post 5872

►GED Class, 6-9:00 pm, FHS, 903-389-5680 for more info

►National Association of Retired Federal Employees, 10:00 am, Sam's Restaurant

►Freestone County Genealogical Society, 7:00 pm, Fairfield City Hall

►Red Hat Society-Peaches of Freestone County, 6:30 pm, Sam's Restaurant

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10

►Alcoholics Anonymous & Narcotics Anonymous, Fairfield-Trinity Lutheran Church, 8:00 pm; Teague, 512 Main St., 6:30 pm

►Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:00 pm, Lakeside United Methodist Church-Annex Bldg., 515 FM 416 (across from September Sound)

►Rotary Club, noon, Big Cedar Country Club

►FISD School Board, 7:30 pm, FISD Administration Office

►Fairfield City Council, 7:00 pm, Fairfield City Hall

►VFW & Ladies Auxiliary, 7:30 pm, VFW Post 5872

►Freestone County Historical Museum Board, 5:00 pm, Museum

►Wortham Economic Development Committee, 6:00 pm, Wortham City Hall

►Wortham City Council, 7:00 pm, Wortham City Hall

►Bi-Stone Antique Tractor Club, 6:30 pm, Freestone County Sheriff's Office Training Center

►New Leash On Life, 5:30 pm, Round Prairie Baptist Church Family Life Center

►WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

►Weight Watchers, 5:00 pm, Calvary Baptist Church

►VFW Bingo, 7:30 pm, VFW Post 587

►GED Class, 6-9:00 pm, FHS, 903-389-5680 for more info

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12

►Alcoholics Anonymous & Narcotics Anonymous, Fairfield-Trinity Lutheran Church, 8:00 pm; Teague, 512 Main St., 6:30 pm

►Children's Story Time, 10:30 am-11:00 am, Mary Moody Northern Library

►Out & About Christian Singles, 6:30 pm, First Baptist Church of Wortham

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