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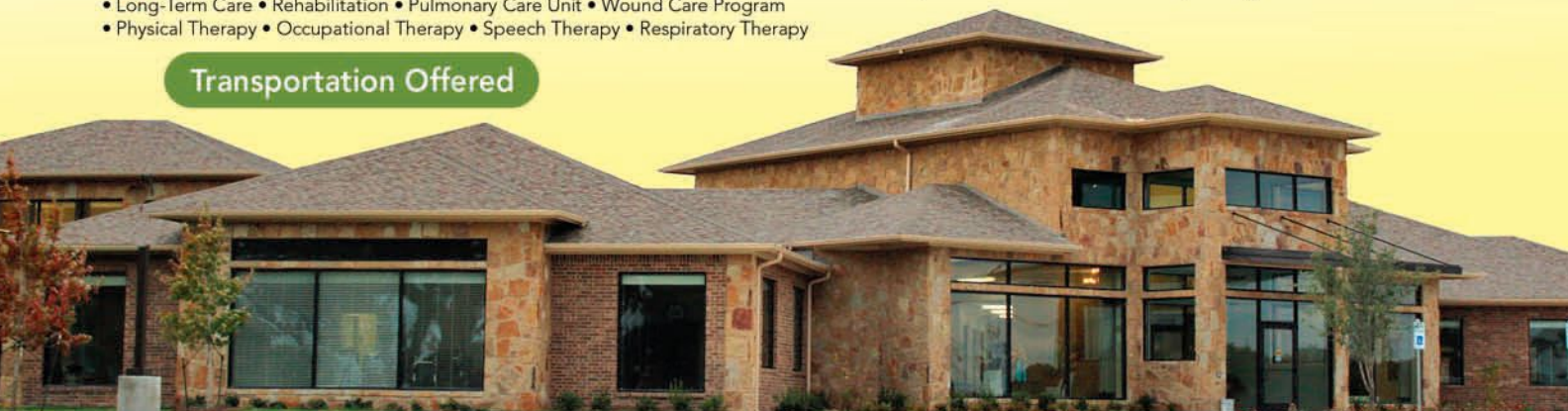
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## Editor's Note

*Greetings, Mansfield!*

Despite the sweltering heat and looming new school year, August is such a special month! Not only is it my birthday month, but it is also the birthday month of my father, sister, brother-in-law and niece. We typically brave the heat and gather for one giant birthday party, including all of my favorite things — grilling, homemade birthday cake, sharing stories and laughs, swimming and making memories. With such a large family and life being busy for us all, it's very difficult to get together outside of traditional holiday gatherings. Our family August birthday bash, for me, is the icing on the cake!

August also happens to be Mansfield's birthday month. This year is a milestone year, too — 125 years! This is truly something to celebrate, and guess what? There will be cake. Visit [www.mansfield125.com](http://www.mansfield125.com) for more details, and join the August birthday celebration!

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*When Belinda Willis came to work for the city of Mansfield in February 2001, she filled the city's very first public information officer position. Now, as the director of communications and marketing, she has enjoyed 14 years of dedicated service to a dynamic and diverse city. Belinda is principally responsible for getting word out about citywide events, providing access to information pertinent to Mansfield residents and encouraging community support for the various happenings throughout the city. "I'm proud that, as a city employee, I can say I had a part in building a community," Belinda remarked. "I enjoy that there is something new every day to work on and be involved with."*

One of the most significant projects Belinda has worked on is the city's quasiquicentennial celebration — the celebration of the city's 125th anniversary. She is in charge of planning, coordinating and overseeing everything. Officially titled Mansfield 125 Celebration, Belinda has worked closely with two committees, formed especially for the celebration, to make

sure the events are inclusive of every element of the city's characteristic features. The Steering Committee, comprised of the mayor and city manager, school superintendent and school board president, as well as representatives from other businesses and organizations, and the Action Committee, which is made up of volunteer representatives from multiple organizations in the city, have both been instrumental in the planning and execution of the project. "When planning began, we decided it was worthy of not just a day, but an entire year of celebration," Belinda explained. "And we wanted it to be more than just special events. We wanted to celebrate all the things that make Mansfield such a unique and great place to live."

Mansfield has great city services, such as parks, library and public safety; outstanding schools; and a strong sense of community and volunteerism. Belinda found these to be integral to the ultimate goal of the year-long event. "One of the things we felt was important was not having to reinvent the wheel. We have an incredible slate of community events each year that brings the community together," Belinda explained. Therefore, they incorporated several pre-existing annual events and festivals in order to fully honor the city's past, present and future.

Mansfield 125 kicked off in January with the Winter Walk at the Walnut Creek Linear Park trails. Signs stating historical facts about the city were positioned along the route. In March, Mansfield 125 was honored to serve as the grand marshal of the Pickle Parade, and in May, the MISD Art Show was themed







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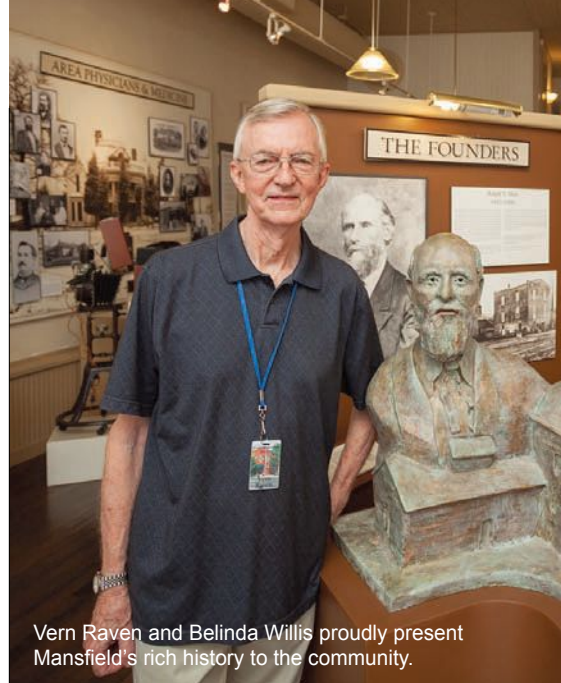


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"Mansfield 125." Additionally, Mansfield 125 was heavily involved in both the Juneteenth celebration and Rockin' 4th of July festivities.

Future events include a small birthday celebration at the Mansfield Historical Museum and Heritage Center complete with a birthday cake and a big birthday bash in September at the annual Wurstfest. The festival traditionally honors the community's German heritage, so attendees can look forward to delicious bratwurst, hilarious weenie dog races, live performances and plenty of activities for the whole family. Clearly, there is no better way to bring the community together than Mansfield's 125th birthday.

In October, Mansfield 125 will be at the grand opening of The Lot Downtown, a new outdoor music venue. November will bring the MISD districtwide choir concert at the Mansfield ISD Center for the Performing Arts, and in December, there will be the annual Hometown Holiday Celebration with tons of family-friendly fun. "We think we've put together a program that focuses on the community and lets everyone celebrate our amazing history and bright future," Belinda confirmed.

In addition to the monthly events, Belinda is also excited about the unique community service program emphasizing the city's dedication to volunteerism. Called "125 for Mansfield 125," the program encourages residents to complete and record 125 hours of community service in 2015 to honor the



city's birthday. Essentially, it's designed to get people in the community involved by giving back in the form of time and service. "Whether it's picking up trash at a cleanup event or delivering meals for Meals On Wheels, we want residents to celebrate the importance of volunteering," Belinda explained.

Much of the work Belinda has done for Mansfield 125 has required collaboration with individuals and businesses all over the city, including Vern Raven, the historian at the Historical Museum. "We've found ways to get information and historical facts about Mansfield in front of residents. We have signs out at events and the *Mansfield*

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The rich history of Mansfield is certainly something to celebrate. In conjunction with Vern, Belinda has rediscovered, and in turn, shared, the interesting history of Mansfield with the community-at-large. "Our mission here is to collect, preserve and share the history of Mansfield with its residents," Vern explained. With ample photographs and documents, he is able to do just that for any visitor.



Mansfield was acknowledged as an official city by the state of Texas on August 23, 1890. However, it was in 1860 that two friends, Ralph Man and Julian Feild, went into business together, opening a brick, steam-powered gristmill on the corner of what is now Main and Broad. This was the beginning of a long history of business and commerce for a city once named *Mansfeild*, a name that paid homage to its two founders. The spelling of the city's name was changed after mail began arriving in droves, constantly with the more common "field" spelling.

Essentially, the two industrialists saw a need in the area, and being the great

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Eyelid surgery, also known as Eyelid lift or Blepharoplasty, is carried out by general plastic or facial plastic surgeons. Aside from droopy or sagging eyelids, the procedure is done for those who have dark circles or puffy bags under their eyes. Lower eyelid and upper eyelid surgery procedures are often carried out separately. Another popular eyelid surgery is the double eyelid surgery, which refers to the accentuation or the creation of an eyelid crease. This procedure, known as Asian Blepharoplasty, is often performed on Asian eyes and it is performed to make Asian eyelids look a lot more like Caucasian eyelids by adding a visible fold.

The objective of an eyelid lift surgery is to lift the eyelids and the surgeon will begin the treatment by making tiny cuts into the natural creases of the eyelids. Then, he or she will remove extra loose skin and additional fat tissue. Once the surgeon tightens the eyelid muscles, he or she will place stitches in the area of the eyelid. This type of surgery hardly requires the patient to be admitted and it is usually done in the surgeon's office instead of an operating room.

As with any type of surgeries, there are risks and complications involved in the procedure. Below are just a few of the risks that are involved and they may, or may not, affect the patient:

People who are considering eyelid surgery should also learn about the medical conditions that make it more risky for them, such as:



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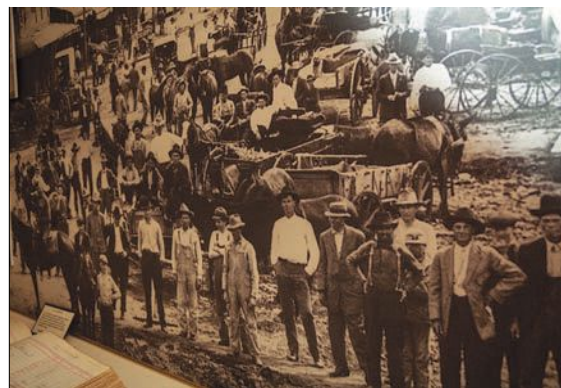
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entrepreneurs they were, they set to work to create a point of commerce for local farmers. Eventually, they opened a general store and an inn, which ultimately led to the formation of a community. The railroad came to town in 1886, which connected the up-and-coming area to the rest of the world and made transporting goods both easier and more profitable. "It was a real boon to the community," Vern shared. By 1907, they had developed a main street complete with a brick factory, school, church, Masonic lodge and post office. "This place was formed all because there was a need identified and then provided for," Vern said.



According to Belinda, not much has changed in that Mansfield is still a great place of commerce and community. It's still a place where people want their businesses and families to be. "We started with business success, and we still magnify that," she remarked. "It's really terrific to drive around the city and see everything happening — the new buildings, the new homes, the new parks — and the people here are some of the most amazing with whom to celebrate what it means to live in such a great city." **NOW**



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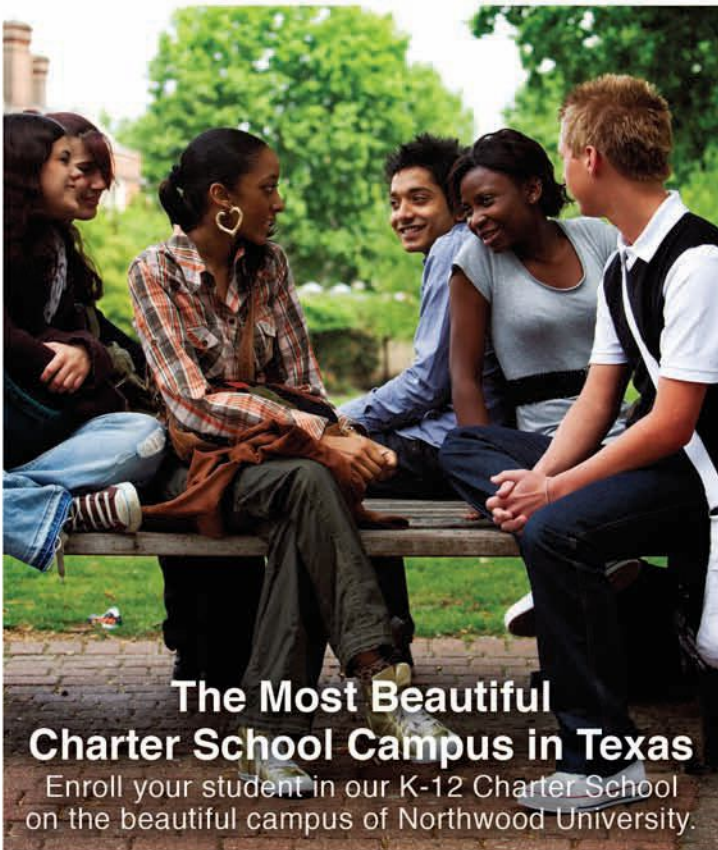
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— By Callie Revell



*Thanks to the military, Bob Morris has lived on several different continents in his life, but he's called Mansfield, Texas, home since 2002 with his wife, Belinda, and his three children, Kelsey, Parker and Allison. Although Bob has lived all over the world, Belinda grew up south of Dallas and still considers the area home. "When we got married, it was always understood that when I retired, we would go where she wanted, so we ended up back here," Bob said. Since then, he has been working hard to make lakes around Mansfield a safer place to enjoy during the summer.*

Bob spent 25 years on active duty with the U.S. Army. His interest in the military started at a young age. "My dad was career Army," Bob said. "I enjoyed the different places we lived as we





“Being vigilant is more important than anything.”

moved around.” As a child, Bob lived in Japan, Vietnam and Malawi, and many other places coast to coast in the U.S. “I got a feeling of service and patriotism growing up in that environment,” he said. Since his father attended West Point, Bob spent much of his formative years dreaming of attending his father’s alma mater. “When I was 10, I wrote my first letter to West Point asking to go there,” he remembered. In 1976, he applied and was accepted to the school of his dreams and later graduated in 1980.

The Army quickly became his career and way of life. “Like a lot of young folks, it felt like a step in the right direction,” Bob said. “As I progressed along, there was always one more thing I wanted to do.” As Bob worked his way




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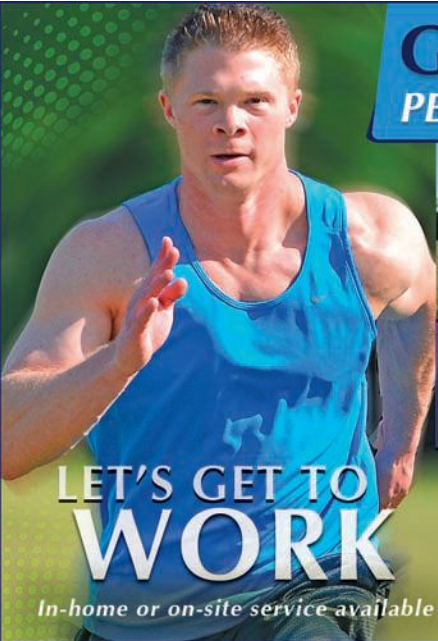
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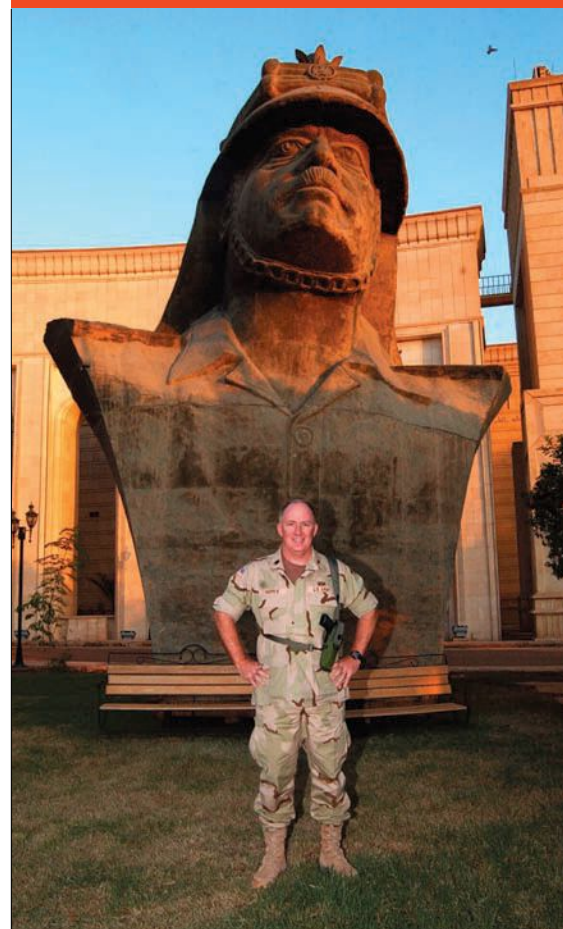

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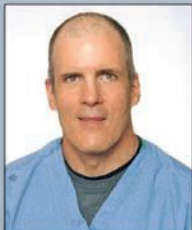
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up over the years, the Army sent him to the University of North Carolina to earn his master's degree, and he served as a professor at West Point twice. "Different things like that made it something I wanted to keep doing," Bob said. Part of his service included working with peacekeepers in Sinai, Egypt, and being stationed in Germany for three years. "It was a good time," he added.

When Bob and his family moved to Mansfield, he knew his military retirement was on the horizon. He received a position with the Corps of Engineers as deputy commander of the Fort Worth District. A year later, his commander was deployed to Iraq, so Bob ran the district for six months in his absence. When his commander returned, it was Bob's turn for deployment. "I went to Iraq for four months and worked on restoring the oil infrastructure," Bob recalled. He was in Iraq from November 2003 to March 2004. He retired in 2005 but continued to work as a civilian with the Corps of Engineers. He currently serves as the deputy chief of Programs and Project Management Division, a civilian position that allows him to

still be involved in running day-to-day operations. "Although I'm not in a leadership role, I'm a continuity person," Bob said. "I'm a source of knowledge." Bob enjoys his job because it allows him to do a little bit of everything. "On any given day, I may be working with our civil workers or military people on projects they're doing, responding to data inquiries or running board meetings," he said. "It fits my personality. It's like being a jack-of-all-trades."

One of Bob's past responsibilities was addressing the fatality reports on the 25 lakes that the Corps of Engineers operates in Central Texas, a role he took very seriously. "One of the things that became very personal to me was that we stressed water safety," Bob said. After returning from Iraq, Bob spent time working with his son, Parker's, Cub Scout pack, placing a special emphasis on water safety. Bob now serves as an assistant troop master and a merit badge counselor for the Motor Boating and Water Sports merit badges.



When his son's troop was younger, Bob would take them to the water safety fair every summer. That brought up a new, exciting opportunity for Bob to educate even more people about water safety. "The Coast Guard Auxiliary kept seeing me bring Cub Scouts and said, 'You should come join us. One of the things we're big on is water safety,'" Bob remembered. He joined the Coast Guard Auxiliary six years ago, serving with Flotilla 5-01 at Joe Pool Lake. Members of the Coast Guard Auxiliary work on a volunteer basis to patrol bodies of water, conduct search and rescue operations and make sure water vessels are legal and safe. Bob teaches water safety courses through the organization. "It's my way



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of combining both work and volunteer activities together,” he said.

Water safety is a personal issue for Bob because he believes many accidental fatalities on the lakes are completely preventable with the right education and precautions. “When you get a fatality report of a 3-year-old left on the bank of a lake and he ends up drowning because his parents weren’t paying attention,” Bob said, “that tears at me. So I want to make sure everyone respects the water and knows what to do if they get into an emergency.” Bob works to support the Corps’ goal to cut the annual fatality rate in half. He says even the strongest swimmers need to take safety measures and look out for others. “I’m a good swimmer. I swam in high school,” Bob said. “But I always wear a life preserver in the boat when we’re moving. Whenever we’re at anchor and I have family members swimming, I usually sit at the back of the boat and keep watch of everybody in the water. I try to set an example.” According to Bob, Joe Pool Lake averages between one and three fatalities a year. “It’s actually overcrowded at the northern end near Lynn Creek Park,” Bob said. “There are so many near misses out there.”

Bob says the best way to prevent lake fatalities is to stay alert. “Being vigilant is more important than anything,” he said. “If you’re operating a boat or Jet

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— By Sara Edgell

## AT HOME WITH Chris and Leslie Jones



*Just outside the Mansfield city limits resides a family of three in a home that holds true to the famous saying, “Everything is bigger in Texas.” It isn’t the physical size of the house, however, but the true Texan, Western decor, spectacular views and love for family that nestles within, which make it so big.*

Originally from Arkansas, Chris moved to Texas with his family at a young age. He learned very quickly why so many who come to this great state never leave. Over the years, he found friends, work and eventually love, and with that, the former Arkie became a true Texan. “Chris and my sister are friends,” Leslie recalled. “He started working for our family business, and we got to be friends because I worked there in the summers.”

Chris and Leslie have been married for 17 years and have one daughter, Savannah. They enjoy spending time together as a family including such activities as: hunting, one of Chris’ favorite hobbies; attending Savannah’s dance performances; watching movies together; and just being at home. “Buying this house was a great move for us as a family. Instead of going out and always being on the go, we spend much more time here doing things together,” Leslie explained.

Sitting on a little over an acre, the 5,000-square-foot, two-story house has four bedrooms, four baths, formal and casual dining areas, an open kitchen and living room area, a home office and a





combined media and game room with a bar/kitchenette. Neutral tones in varying shades of browns and creams blend seamlessly with the metal, wood and stone elements. Touches of Texas can be found in bluebonnet photos, cowhide rugs and antique furniture.

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and hardwood flooring, were major perks for the family of three. However, it was the location and views that ultimately sealed the deal. "I was sold on the house initially because it's out away from town," Chris explained. "It feels more like we live in the country, but we have the benefits of the city." And that is exactly what the Joneses have — the country-living feel and the benefits of city-living conveniences.

On the first floor of the home, the foyer opens up to a formal dining room,

curved staircase, custom wine cellar and living room. The formal dining room houses an elaborate table that seats eight, a grand hutch containing family heirloom china and several antique pieces passed down from Leslie's mother. The longhorn floral centerpiece

on the dining table serves as the decor inspiration not only for the room, but the entire home. Additionally, a tall metal lamp adorned with three small birds completes the theme of the room, which is designed to honor and pay respect to their families. "Birds were my mom's thing," Leslie said. "I didn't realize it until we were putting this room together that they are kind of my thing, too."

Off the dining room is a small serving area leading to the heart of the home. The tall ceilings in the open kitchen,

dining and living room area creates an ambience so inviting that most of the gatherings the family hosts wind up here. The custom cabinetry and oversized island create the perfect spot for conversation and beverages. While Leslie admits she is not the best cook, she relishes in the comfort and ease of preparing meals for both family and friends in her kitchen.

The living room is centered around a large, white-stone fireplace and a cowhide rug in the middle of the floor. The piano, leather couches and oversized entertainment center complete the look perfectly. In the master bedroom, the giant four-poster bed and enormous mirror framed with hand-carved salvaged



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wood from Mexico continues the Western feel. In the master bath, Leslie's favorite part of the home, there are his and hers sinks, a tiled walk-in shower, a Jacuzzi soaker tub with domed ceiling and a spacious walk-in closet.

Upstairs is Chris' home office, Savannah's bedroom and the multipurpose craft/dance room. "We are always working on something together," Leslie smiled. From dance costumes to scrapbooks, the craft room accommodates Leslie and Savannah's creative needs with a giant corkboard and tall, white crafting table. There is also a small custom-built dance floor and full length mirrors for Savannah to practice and fine-tune her dancing techniques.



The combo media, game and bar room is also located upstairs. Here, the family watches movies together at least once a week, and they use the space for entertaining guests when they have company. The Texas decor continues in this space with a "Come and Take It" framed flag and leather seating. Savannah often has friends over for slumber parties and movie nights, while Chris and Leslie regularly host small get-togethers and parties. "When we have people over, we generally end up in here or out on the balcony," Leslie said.

From the upstairs balcony, the family enjoys the sights of the rambling

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their guests often enjoy the sights and sounds of the rodeo. "Spending time together is very important to us. This house allows for entertaining friends and family, and we love that," he added.

Their biggest shindig of the year happens every Fourth of July. They invite family, friends and neighbors over for drinks, food and fun in their backyard haven. From swimming to grilling, volleyball to conversation, there is always plenty of entertainment. And when the sun goes down, it gets even better. On the upstairs veranda, everyone gathers to watch the colorful fireworks. "We have our very own panoramic view of all of the firework shows in the area," Leslie said.

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# A Musical \*MATCH

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*On the surface, Lexi Lakatta and Austin Kiefer might seem completely different. Lexi, a recent graduate of Mansfield High School, is getting ready to leave for college to study biology. Austin is a junior at Mansfield Legacy High School and likes U.S. history. However, they have one important thing in common: their love for music. Together, they form a casual singer-songwriter team and help each other become better musicians.*

Their collaboration can be traced back to their music teacher, Sarah Conley Darby, the owner of Destiny Voice and Music Studio. She taught Lexi and Austin individually at first and fostered their musical potential. “What really sets Lexi apart is her incredible work ethic,” Sarah said. “I have never met another young person who is as committed to excellence as her. Lexi

wanted to learn guitar — so she did. Soon after, it was piano, and then songwriting. Lexi has been surprising me for six years!”

Austin is one of her more recent students. “I knew he was exceptional after our first session together,” Sarah said. “Austin’s talent and creativity are beyond his years. Not only is he an exceptionally gifted artist, but he is one of the kindest people I’ve ever known. Austin loves to cheer on others and isn’t afraid of someone else’s success, which is so rare in the entertainment industry. He is a breath of fresh air!” Sarah introduced Lexi and Austin last spring at an event for the Chamber of Commerce, where Lexi was performing. “I knew these two would be able to write and perform together and would encourage each other in the process,” Sarah said. “I’m so proud of them both and can’t wait to watch their lives and careers unfold!”

Lexi has lived in Mansfield her whole life and began performing in front of crowds at a very young age. She started taking voice lessons in sixth grade after singing in front of her

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class and realizing her natural talent. Over the past few years, she's taken her music public by performing in coffee shops and restaurants around Mansfield and Arlington. She does gigs weekly or bi-weekly, depending on her school schedule, and she recently started recording. To keep motivated with her music, Lexi constantly pushes herself

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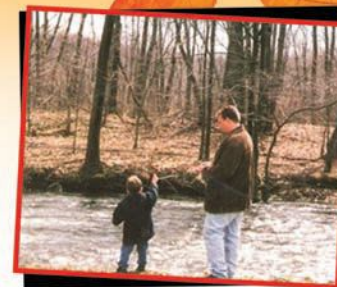
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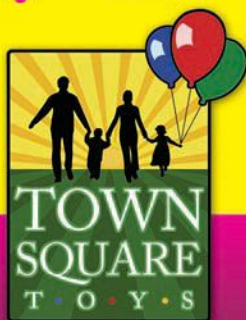
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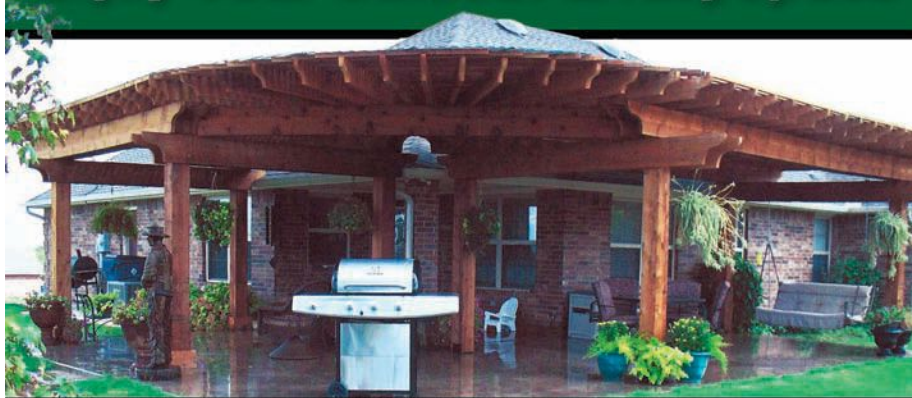
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to try new things. "That's helped me get better in everything because now I understand the musical theory," Lexi said. "The funny thing is that I can sing multiple genres, and my voice kind of alters itself to match. I've always been able to do that."

Austin started performing when he was 4 years old by acting. "I didn't really get into singing until I noticed people saying I was talented in that," Austin said. "I didn't get started seriously singing until last year." He's since quit acting to focus solely on music. He participates in showcases and talent shows, fun things that give him the chance to entertain others. "I do things as they come, and I don't get scared performing in front of people," he said. "It just comes naturally."

Therefore, he is very active with his music. Besides local events, Austin enjoys posting music covers on YouTube and Instagram to get online exposure. Last year, he participated in The Big Break, a radio competition, and placed in the top four. He plans to partner with Lexi this year to try again. He also auditioned for the TV show *The Voice*. "It was a really good experience because, waiting in line, I talked to so many artists and heard their stories," Austin remembered. He also sings in choir at school in the Men's Ensemble and Silver Elite show choir. He enjoys music because it helps him be



Sarah Conley Darby (center) is proud of her students, Lexi and Austin.

transparent and express his ideas. "I love that you can be yourself," Austin said. "I love music that tells a story."

When Lexi and Austin met, they could tell they would make a great team. "We have a similar style in music," Austin said. "Our voices collide well together." Although they haven't known each other very long, they agree they'll be working together more in the future to make some really great collaborations. They



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both enjoy songwriting and have already worked on one song together. "When you have two brains together, you can come up with a lot more," Austin said. His songwriting method is different from Lexi's. "I definitely get my inspiration from other people," he said. When he finds somebody really interesting, he gets out a notepad and writes about their lives. "I haven't written much about me yet," he admitted, "but maybe I will in the future. As I grow, I'll experience more."

"I'm the total opposite," Lexi laughed, explaining that she mostly writes about her own experiences. Often, she'll go a month without writing anything, and then suddenly, she'll find herself writing fervently after experiencing something meaningful or inspiring. "I can write five songs about it. It just depends on what's going on in my life," she explained. Austin has helped Lexi learn how to draw inspiration from others, too. "Before, I'd only written one song about someone else, and I feel like I'm better at that now," Lexi said. "It's given me another dynamic aspect to writing music, and I definitely learned that from him."

Austin has learned from Lexi, too. "She's 18, and I'm 16, so she has more experience," he said. Lexi has taught Austin techniques for creating melodies and strum patterns, which has helped him write songs quicker. "I've also learned to be more open-minded about things," he said.

Although they share a passion for music, Lexi and Austin's paths are leading in different directions. Lexi is preparing for her freshman year at The University of Texas at Austin, where she plans to work toward a medical degree. However, she's leaving her options open. "I ended up choosing UT because Austin is known for live music," Lexi shared. "I can do

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Austin plans to spend his remaining years in high school booking gigs and getting more exposure. “I just want to try new things as much as I can and take chances,” he said. “People ask me if I want to go to college, and I just don’t know yet. Music is something I want to hold onto, and I don’t want to lose the idea.”

Despite their differences, these two budding musicians have found a melody they are both in tune with. Thanks to their shared love of music, they’ve strengthened and broadened their talents together. **NOW**

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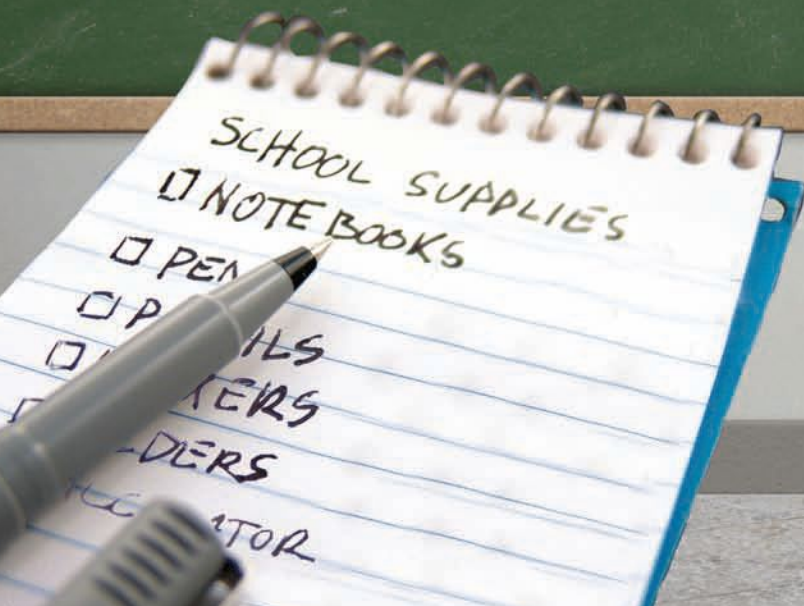
— By Melissa Swedoski

*Summertime in Texas means outdoor fun, vacation or camps. It also means back-to-school time, right in the dog days of August. From new outfits and haircuts to new schedules and freedom never before had, there are plenty of challenges to be handled. While you remember the true investment of education, it's best to prepare ahead for both expenses and changes.*

## Shopping Season Helpful Hints

The long-standing tradition of back-to-school shopping means new clothes and shoes, braces and glasses, pencils and paper. Whether there's one student in the family or many, budgeting for expenses is imperative, and research is necessary when purchases are technology-related. According to the National Retail Federation, families spent approximately \$670 on back-to-school items in 2014. This year's numbers will likely increase, as electronic items continue to be part of the supply list.

Summer style will still be in before fall fashion takes over, but as most parents are aware, today's students live in the digital age, so they will be watching retailer websites and social media to see what's trending, what's out of style and what's fresh this fall.





### *Tips for back-to-school shopping:*

- **Start early and pace yourself.** Since certain items will always be on the list, parents can buy over time and spend less.
- **Use shopping apps and websites.** Most retailers, both large and small, have websites or are on social media, and they send out notifications when they have sales. Using retail and coupon apps can help parents stay abreast of the sales.
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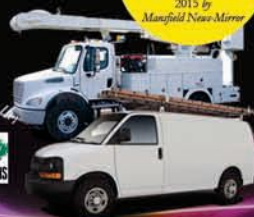
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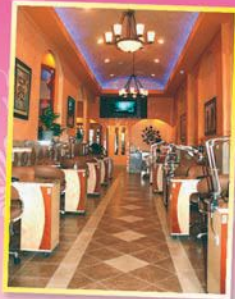
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- **Remember drug stores.** These stores may be overlooked, but when it comes to makeup, hair care, personal grooming items and more, drug stores can provide some great finds.



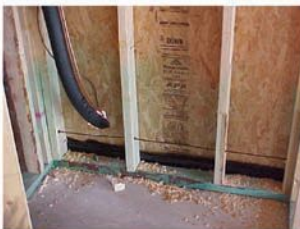
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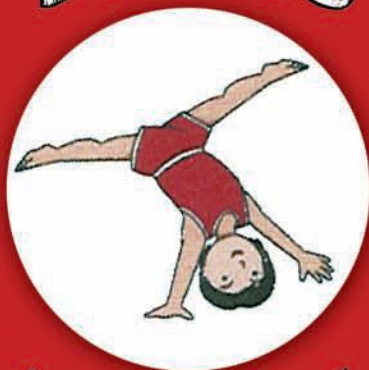
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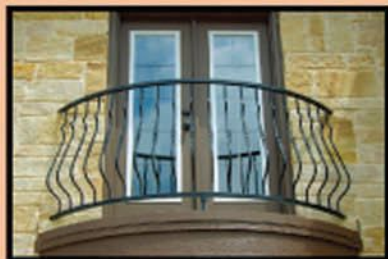
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There's also the need to have dorm furniture to make living a little more comfortable, as well as personal grooming items, since many students will likely be sharing bathroom space for the first time. Try not to fall into the temptation of taking too many keepsakes from home, since there will be a limit on the amount of storage available, as well as display space.

Finally, some students may be considering getting their first credit/debit card or parents may be providing them with an emergency credit card. Parents should be sure to have a healthy conversation with them about spending habits and what constitutes a moment of real need, which would necessitate its use.

From transitioning grade levels to new schedules and time management, going back to school presents many new challenges. Be sure to talk about handling emotions that come with tougher coursework, along with changes in friendships and relationships. Finding new bus routes or walking to school can be intimidating for young children, so parental support is paramount. Be involved with your child's decisions, and he or she will be more willing to share the journey with you. **NOW**



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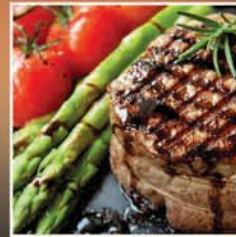
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Before you actually hang up your career, it's time to do some real planning. You might begin with lifestyle decisions, although these, to a large extent, depend on the financial foundation you've built. While these are personal decisions, successful retirements share at least one common element — they are rooted in reality, not fantasy.

Consider some possibilities. Will you plan to relocate? Or do developing family or financial considerations make that idea less attractive? Do you need to maintain and insure more than one vehicle? Do you expect to travel extensively in your early years of retirement, when you may be healthier and more likely to accept the rigors of travel?

Finally, can your lifestyle plans be supported by your portfolio? If not, now is the time to make adjustments rather than later. Anecdotal evidence shows that retirees who scale back their expectations are far happier in retirement than those who wake up already retired and find they can't really do all that they had planned.

## Retirement Bottom Line

You've been marshallling your finances for years, and while you may have had intermediate goals, funding a pleasing retirement lifestyle has probably been a long-term objective. As you near your last day on the job, it's time to make adjustments.

First, you may want to realign your portfolio's asset allocation, especially if you've been an aggressive investor with a high tolerance for risk. In retirement, your time horizon is shorter, recovering from major market downturns is more difficult — and you'll probably want a regular income stream to pay your bills.


Your retirement could be lengthy, so if your wealth is sufficient, you may consider dividing your portfolio into two parts. One would be devoted to producing a regular income, while the other would be allocated for growth. Ideally, this part of your portfolio would help you overcome the effects of inflation, which, historically, at least, has moved along at approximately 3.1 percent per year.

As you calculate how much you'll need, keep in mind that retirement specialists suggest drawing down no more than 4 or 5 percent of your portfolio each year, to give it the best chance of supporting a long retirement. Remember, part of your annual income will come from any required minimum distributions (RMDs) the IRS requires you to take from your traditional IRA assets.


No matter what your decisions, the time to work toward them is before your retirement party. Call your financial advisor if you have questions or need assistance in your planning. **NOW**

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### August 8, 15, 22, 29

Farmer's Market: 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., 206 Smith St. Come by to browse, shop and visit with your favorite vendors.

### August 13

Business After Hours: 5:30-7:30 p.m., location varies. Free. For event location and information, email [info@mansfieldchamber.org](mailto:info@mansfieldchamber.org) or call (817) 473-0507.

### August 14

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Girl Scouts Service Unit 211 for MISD Planning meeting: 6:00-8:00 p.m., Location TBD. For more information, including location, contact Kriste Ryan at (682) 422-9211 or [girlscoutsMISD@gmail.com](mailto:girlscoutsMISD@gmail.com).

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### August 18

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### August 21, 22

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## In the Kitchen With Rob and Stephanie Schoendienst

— By Sara Edgell

Cooking is a shared effort and love for Rob and Stephanie Schoendienst. Together, they enjoy grilling, baking and everything in between using both prized family recipes and their own innovative creations. “I enjoy making people happy when I create something they like,” Rob explained. They find inspiration from family, cooking shows and new ingredients. Rob also incorporates bold flavors reminiscent of his deep southern German-Texan roots. “Grilling is my go-to,” he stated. “Smoking is my passion.”

Essentially, the couple cooks so their family can eat healthy. They do, however, indulge periodically with family favorite recipes. “My grandmother, Mary, made the most amazing chicken and dumplings,” Stephanie explained. The recipe is still popular with the family, proving that cooking truly is a family affair. **NOW**

### Rob’s Applewood Bacon Wrapped Pork With Mint Fig Sauce

*Meat:*

**1 cup orange juice**  
**2 Tbsp. olive oil**  
**3 cloves fresh garlic, minced**  
**6 boneless pork loin chops**  
**6 slices Applewood smoked bacon**  
**Toothpicks**  
**Salt and pepper, to taste**

*Mint Fig Sauce:*

**6 fresh figs**  
**1 cup fresh mint leaves**  
**1 Tbsp. balsamic vinegar**  
**3 Tbsp. olive oil**  
**1 Tbsp. honey**  
**1/2 cup orange juice**  
**Sea salt and pepper, to taste**

**1. For meat:** Whisk together orange juice, olive oil and minced garlic in a bowl. Pour

into a plastic bag. Add pork loin chops and coat with the marinade. Squeeze out excess air before sealing the bag. Marinate in the refrigerator for at least 8 hours.

**2.** Preheat an outdoor grill at medium-high heat. Lightly oil grate. Remove pork from marinade. Discard remaining marinade. Wrap each pork chop with a slice of bacon, securing with toothpicks as necessary. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

**3. For mint fig sauce:** Place figs and mint leaves into a food processor; blend until pureed. Add balsamic vinegar, olive oil, honey and orange juice to blender. Puree until smooth and thick. Season to taste with sea salt and pepper.

**4.** Remove chops from the grill and drizzle with mint fig sauce. Serve and enjoy.

### Dee Dee’s Easy Fudge

**1/2 cup butter**  
**1/4 cup water**  
**1 tsp. vanilla**

**1/2 cup cocoa**  
**3 cups powdered sugar, sifted**  
**1/2 cup nonfat dry milk powder**  
**1/8 tsp. salt**

**1.** Melt butter with water, vanilla and cocoa in a pan over medium heat.  
**2.** Gradually add dry ingredients to the mixture.  
**3.** Pour onto a buttered platter. Cover with waxed paper and allow to cool. Keep covered until ready to cut, share and enjoy.

### Linnie Mae’s Chicken and Dumplings

*Chicken:*

**1 whole chicken, boiled to make a broth**

*Dumplings:*

**2 cups all-purpose flour**  
**1/2 tsp. salt**  
**1 tsp. baking powder**  
**2 Tbsp. shortening**  
**1 egg**  
**1 cup milk**

*Broth:*

**1/2 cup milk**  
**1/2 stick butter**  
**Salt and pepper, to taste**

**1. For chicken:** Clean the whole chicken inside and out, removing any unwanted parts. Place a large pot of water over high heat and bring to a boil. Add the chicken and boil until thoroughly cooked.

**2. For dumplings:** While chicken is boiling, mix all dumpling ingredients together in a large mixing bowl and work into a dough.

**3.** Sift some extra flour on a pastry board and over the mixture. Knead slightly. Roll out mixture until thin. Cut into short rectangular strips and set aside.

**4.** When the chicken is completely cooked, remove it from the broth. Cool and debone the meat. Cut or shred the meat as desired. Add chicken back to the boiling broth.

**5. For broth:** Drop dumpling strips into boiling broth. Add milk and butter to broth, with salt and pepper to taste. Lower to medium heat and cook to desired consistency.

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