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Letter From the President:

Happy Fall Everyone!!!

It seems unbelievable to me that we are in the last quarter of the year!! All of the holidays are right around the corner and will be here before we know it. And possibly before we are ready for them!! Let's try to slow down and enjoy every day, every week, every celebration, while we are able to!

I wrote last month that we are planning a fundraiser meal on October 15th. If you haven't already purchased your tickets, now is the time, so that we can plan for this event. We truly need your support in order to maintain our facilities and everything that goes along with taking care of our beautiful building. Please stop by or call the Center to purchase meal tickets for \$15 each.

We are enjoying the good turnouts that we are having at our dances. We have received many compliments on our dance floor and that makes us so happy! And remember, you can come hungry, as our volunteer cooks are there to fix hamburgers made to order!

As always, please be safe! We are so grateful for you!! Remember to tell your friends and family that you love them! We hope to see you soon!!

Rosie Van Booven



HELLO FROM THE FRONT DESK....

Have you ever felt sad down to your core? In my life I have been sad over losing a parent and a spouse. I have been sad when our family moved from one town to another and lost close friends. But I had never truly been touched over someone's death that I had never even met before this month. I'm talking about Charlie Kirk. Charlie was a true Christian activist. He dedicated his adult life to spreading the word of Christ by going to colleges and debunking some of the false narratives being pushed on our next generations. He had a tent bearing the words **PROVE ME WRONG** where anyone could ask questions or spar with him about his beliefs. You may not agree with him (and you have the right to disagree) but no one had the right to assassinate him... to silence him. His death is a blow to the Christian faith and I urge you to take 30 minutes to research Charlie Kirk and an organization called Turning Point USA. I have never used this spot to push my beliefs on anyone, so I only ask for your research into Charlie's Kirk's life, goals and legacy if you are inclined to learn how Christianity in our country is under siege.

I hope to hear from you if you agree, but I also hope to hear from you if you do not agree. His death is not about his political designation and I promise this newsletter is not turning into a Sunday school handout. This is only about shared grief because many of you have spoken to me at the Silver Center about his death so I felt comfortable saying I am saddened also.

I hope to see you all at the Silver Center soon. I hope you live your life to the fullest and go out and make a beautiful memory today! I plan to!



Glenda Partain

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If you have a October birthday, and are not on our list, please call us so we can update our records! Please note we currently make to-go lunches, with preorder on Tuesday through Friday!

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Gary Kubenka	10/2
Janet Shircel	10/6
Becky Galvan	10/7
Joyce Falor	10/8
Mary Ann Norris	10/12
Sheila Moss	10/15
Dee Medina	10/18
Alta Stark	10/21
Emilie-Ann Partain	10/25
Bob Elder	10/26
Grace Kunde	10/28

OCTOBER Word Scramble

1. OSHTG _ _ _ _ _
2. NCYDA _ _ _ _ _
3. PERSID _ _ _ _ _
4. USOCTEM _ _ _ _ _
5. CIKRT _ _ _ _ _
6. KLEETOSN _ _ _ _ _
7. CWIHT _ _ _ _ _
8. NIPKUMP _ _ _ _ _
9. RONTEMS _ _ _ _ _
10. CRESA _ _ _ _ _

Please call Glenda Partain at (830) 303-6612 today to volunteer a couple of hours of your time around the Center.

**VOLUNTEER - HOURS - SEPTEMBER
410 Hrs**

THANK YOU to all of our VOLUNTEERS that helped us serve our community and those who are helping us deliver meals!

May God Bless all of our Board of Directors who volunteer so much of their time to assist us with special events, dances, and more!

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Anonymous

Funky Monkey

Line Dancers

Dance Lessons Class

LuAnn & Ray Archibeque

The Best of “Smile Awhile”

in Memory of Velma Buie

You do not realize how old you are until you sit on the floor and then try to get up.

I don't always go that extra mile BUT if I do, it is because I missed my exit.

If you can't think of a word to say—say “I forgot the English version for it”. That way people will think you are Bilingual and not an idiot.

My heart says, “Chocolate and Wine”—but my jeans say, “Please, please, please eat a salad”.

I don't have grey hair, I have *Wisdom Highlights*!

Kids today do not know how easy they have it. When I was young—I had to walk thru 9 feet of shag carpet, to change the TV channel. Ha! Ha!

It's weird being the same age as older people!!

Don't forget that people will judge you by your actions, not by your intentions. You may have a heart of gold, but so does a hard-boiled egg!

Dolphins are so smart—within a few weeks of captivity, they can train people to stand on the very edge of the pool, and throw them a fish.

They say Marriages begin in Heaven----So does thunder and lightning!!

Which is correct to say, “The yolk of the egg are white”, or “The yolk of the egg is white”? Neither....the yolk of an egg is YELLOW!!

Just when I was getting used to yesterday, along came today.

Addled Adages:

A rolling pin gathers no moss.

Don't look a sawhorse in the mouth.

Half a wit is better than none.

Don't kill the goose that laid the deviled egg.

Don't burn your bridge at both ends.

He's a wolf in cheap clothing.

He's got one of those sight-seeing dogs.

A fool and his money is some party!

That's my story and I am sticking to it!!!

Dine in or drive-through Dinner with the Silver Center!

October 15th from 5 to 7PM.

Please purchase your tickets NOW, so we are prepared with food for as many people as we can that evening.

Your smothered hamburger steak dinner will be \$15 per person. You can pick up your meal by driving through the parking lot where we will have curbside service for you to take it to go... or you can park and come in and enjoy a beautiful meal in the ballroom, with music and smiles... and if this turns out to be a good thing for the community, we will do this every other month in 2026 with various meals being offered.

Please call 830-303-6612 and ask for Pat to get your tickets reserved today. You may also walk in and pick up your tickets at the Silver Center if you prefer. We hope to have a few extra meals available, but this truly is a pre-sale event, so call the evening of the dinner to see if there are extra meals available if you have not purchased tickets.

Thank you for joining us for our FUND RAISER DINNER October 15, 2025 to allow us to give back more to our community!



We ♥ Our



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OCTOBER 10

THE MERLES

24

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NOVEMBER 14

PAUL SANCHEZ & WRANGLER COUNTRY

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NO DANCE

DECEMBER 12

BYRON ZIPP & FRIENDS

26

NO DANCE

12/31

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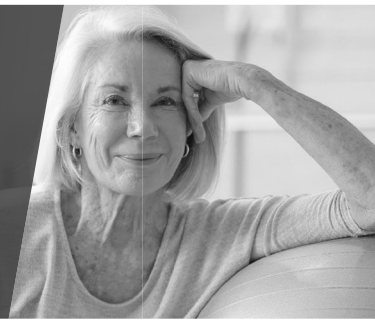
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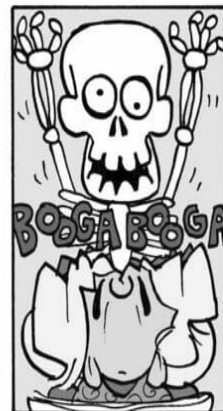
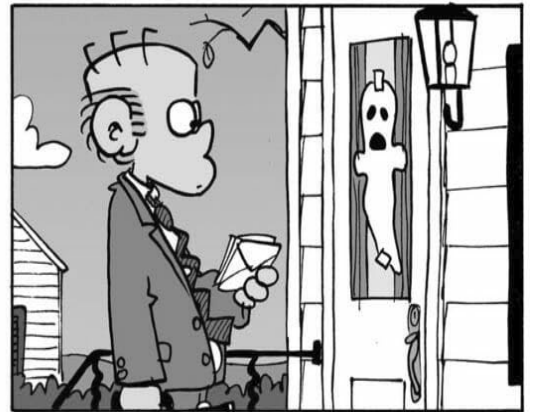
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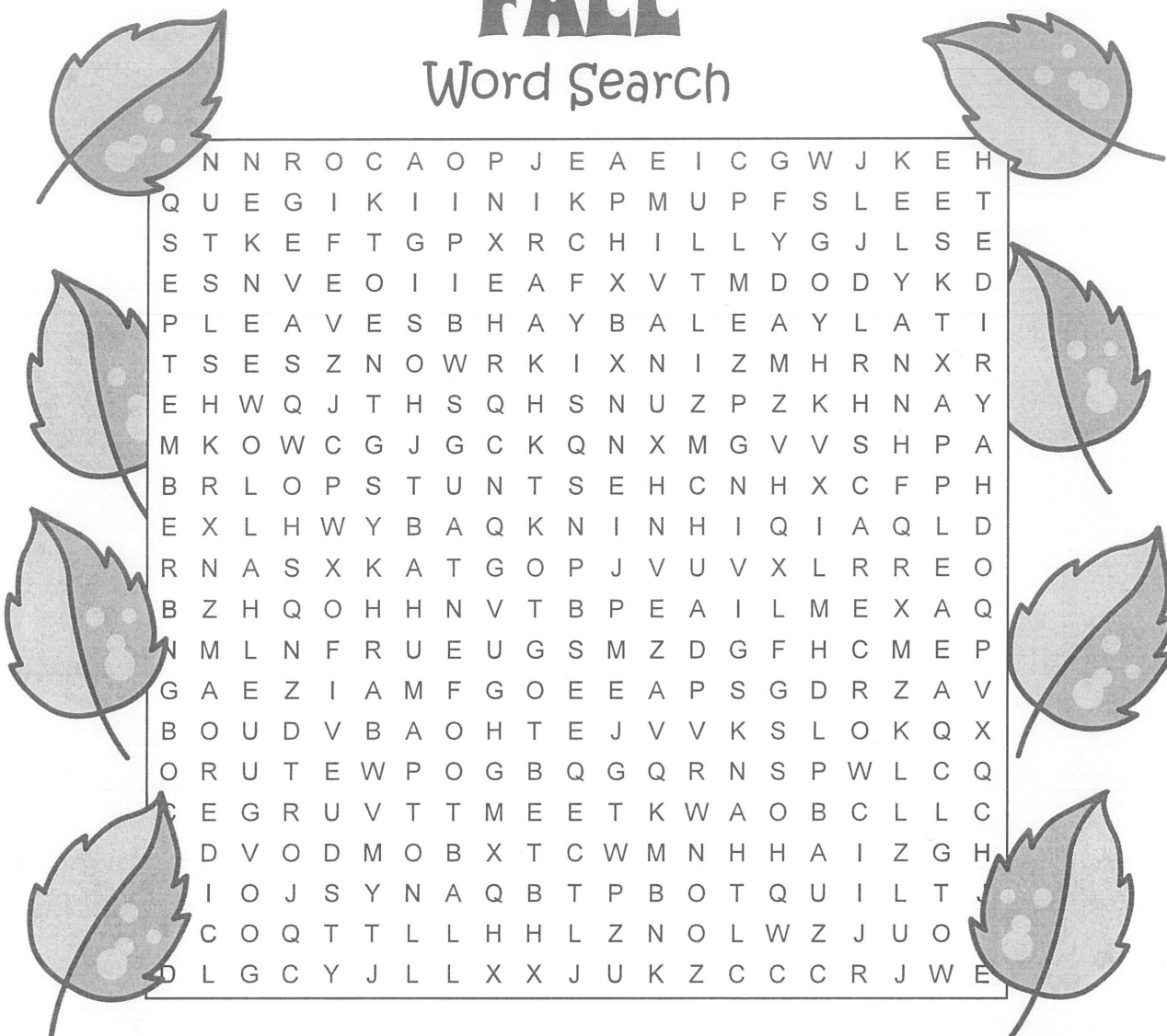
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FALL

Word Search



ACORN
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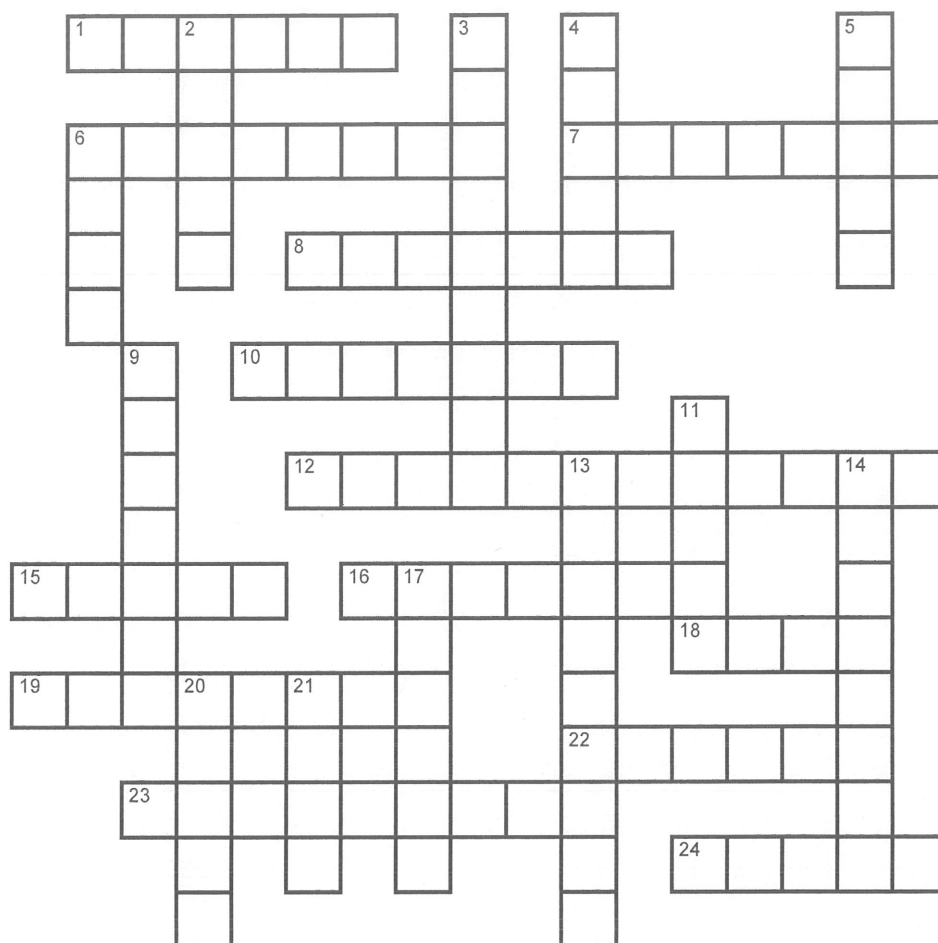
HARVEST
HAY BALE
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LEAVES
MAIZE
NOVEMBER
NUTS
OCTOBER
PUMPKIN
QUILT
RAKE

SCARECROW
SEPTEMBER
SLEET
THANKSGIVING

DIRECTIONS:
Find and circle the
vocabulary words in
the grid. Look for
them in all directions
including backwards
and diagonally.

I LOVE FALL

Acorn
 Apple
 Autumn
 Chestnut
 Cider
 Cobweb
 Fall
 Football
 Gourd
 Halloween
 Harvest
 Hay Bale
 Hayride
 Leaves
 Maize
 November
 Nuts
 October
 Pumpkin
 Quilt
 Rake
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 September
 Sleet
 Thanksgiving

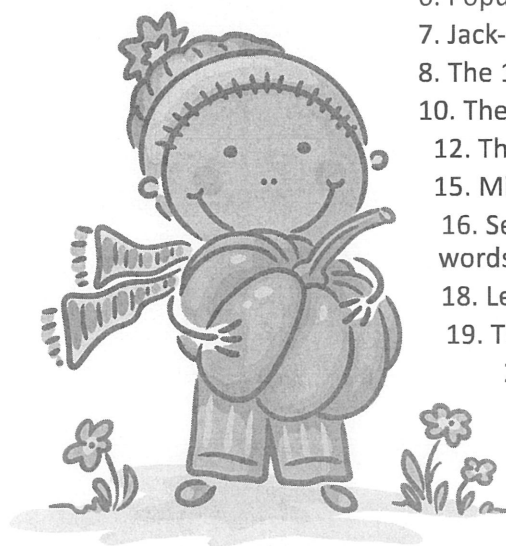


ACROSS

1. They fall from trees.
6. Popular autumn sport.
7. Jack-o-lantern gourd.
8. The 10th month of the year.
10. The gathering of crops.
12. The fourth Thursday in November.
15. Might be patchwork.
16. Seat at a square dance (two words).
18. Leaf gathering yard tool.
19. They are roasted on an open fire.
22. Halloween decoration made by a spider.
23. The 9th month of the year.
24. Decorative squash.

DOWN

2. Oak tree's fruit.
3. October 31st.
4. Honeycrisp.
5. Also known as corn.
6. The season that follows summer.
9. Fun activity on a farm.
11. Drink made from apples.
13. Used to keep birds off of crops.
14. The 11th month of the year.
17. Another word for the fall season.
20. Semi-frozen rain.
21. What squirrels often gather.



Calling all people who would like to help us as Volunteers!

We truly need someone to help us set the letters on the large sign out front, assist us in setting up the rooms for scheduled events, tidy up rooms after events and if you're food service certified, we could use your help in the kitchen or bar area!

I would also love your help with news articles, & folding the newsletter so it can get to the post office on time. Are you looking for a way to help?

We would love to discuss it with you!

(830) 303-6612

Please call

Glenda Partain

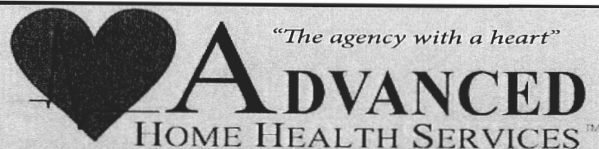
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to discuss the possibilities!

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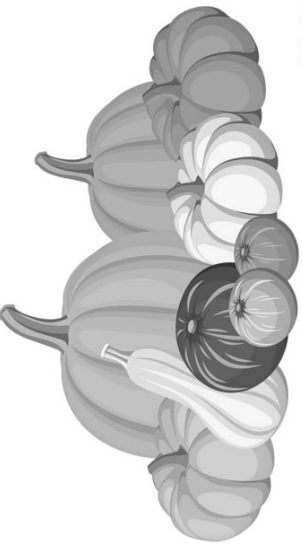


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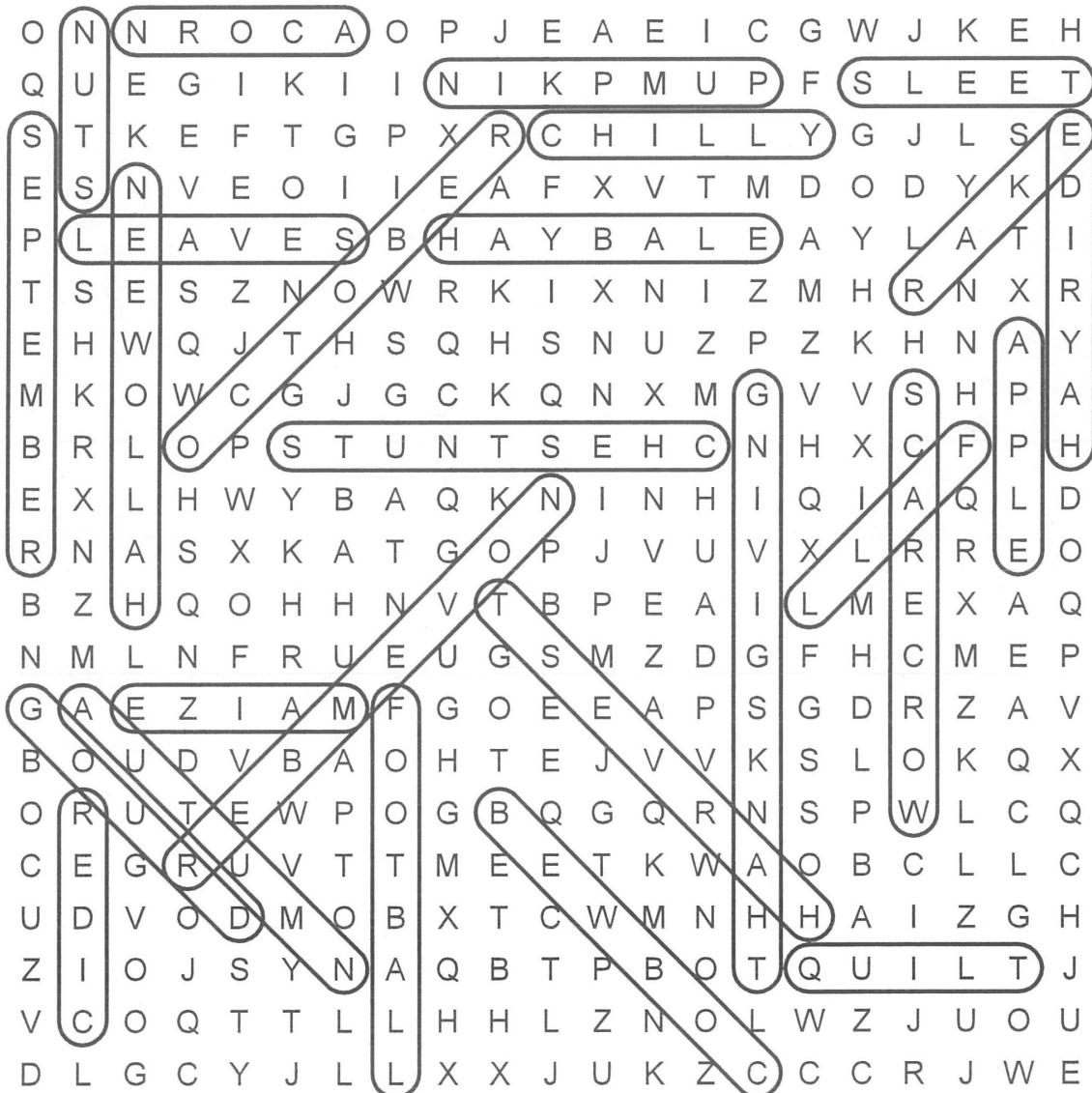


Sun 28	Mon 29 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	Tue 30 Charity Sewing Ladies Meet	Wed 1 Majhongg Bridge (8)	Thu 2 Lions Club 12:00 PM ZONTA BOARD LUNCH 3:00 PM Lions Fall Fling Drive Through	Fri 3 Line Dancing Majhongg	Sat 4 10:30 AM Private Party in Yellow Rose
5 14	6 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	7 Beta Luncheon Bridge (4)	8 Zonta's Luncheon Majhongg	9 Lions Club	10 Line Dancing Majhongg 7:30 PM THE MERLES DANCE	11 Private Party in Ballroom
12	13 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	14 Bridge (8) 5:00 PM Mid Texas Deb Meeting	15 Bridge (8) Majhongg 5:00 PM Silver Center Fundraiser dinner (5-7 pm)	16 Lions Club 7:00 PM Conservative Republican meeting	17 Line Dancing Majhongg	18 Reunion in the Yellow Rose
19	20 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	21 Bridge (4) 11:00 AM GRMC Volunteer Luncheon	22 Zonta's Luncheon Majhongg	23 Lions Club	24 Line Dancing Majhongg 6:30 PM GABE GALVAN DANCE	25 Reception in Ballroom Wedding in Yellow Rose
26	27 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	28 Bridge (8)	29 Majhongg	30 Friedens Bunco Party	31 Line Dancing Majhongg Halloween	1 Private Party in Ballroom

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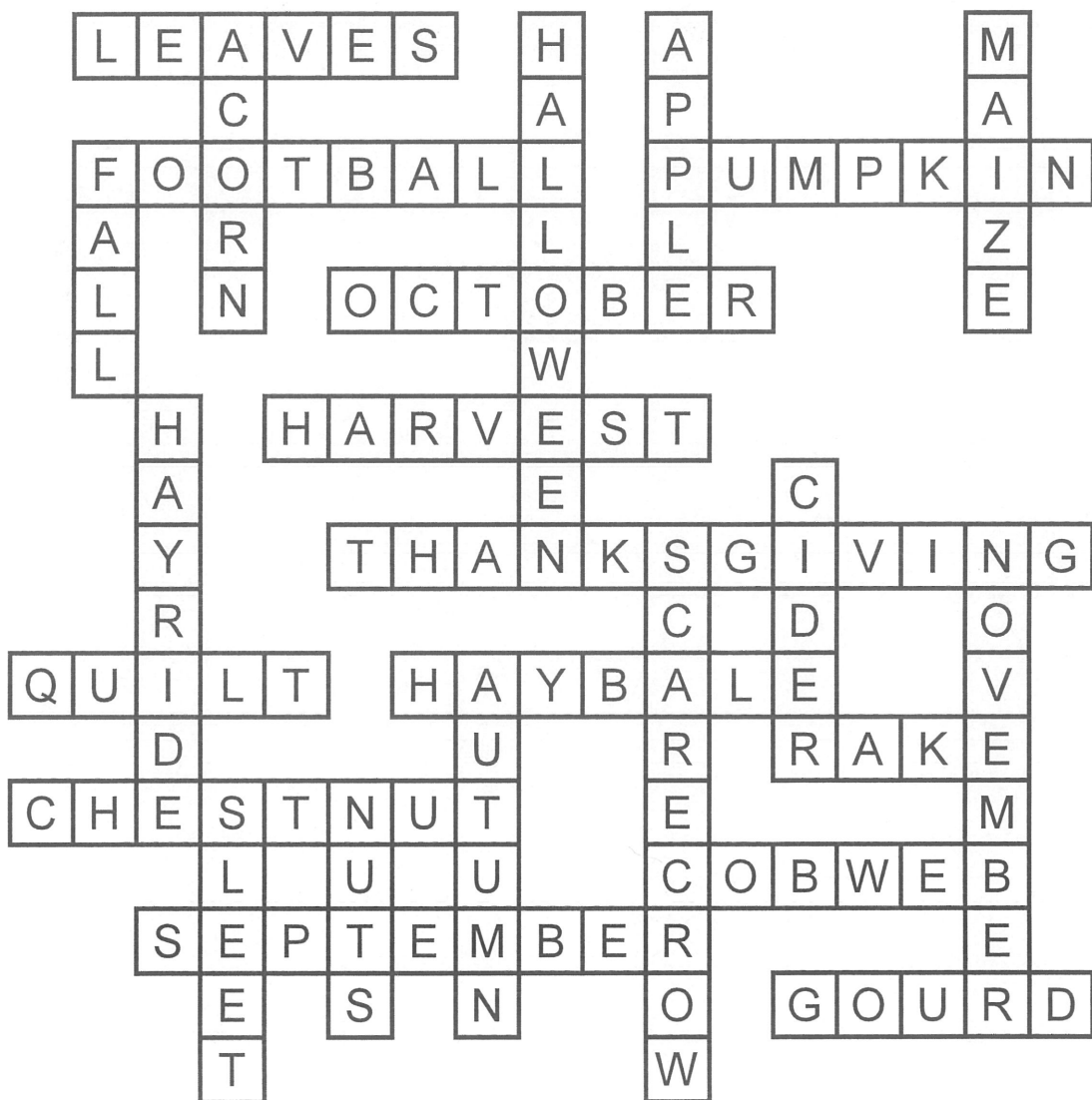
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Crossword

SOLUTION



New Providers. Same Commitment to Care.

As Guadalupe Regional Medical Center continues our mission to expand healthcare access within the community and beyond, we're excited to welcome two highly skilled providers to our team.

Each brings unique expertise that will further enhance the quality of care we provide. Their arrival reflects GRMC's ongoing commitment to offering comprehensive, specialized services by ensuring our patients have access to top-tier medical care, right in their own neighborhood.

Jacob Somen, DO – Primary Care **Accepting new patients beginning September 2025**

Jacob Somen, DO, is a board-certified family physician who grew up in Carol Stream, Illinois. Initially drawn to psychology, he discovered a passion for holistic care and preventive medicine, which led him to pursue primary care.

He earned his undergraduate degree at Loyola University Chicago and his medical degree at Burrell College of Osteopathic Medicine in New Mexico. He completed his residency at North Country in Flagstaff, Arizona.

Dr. Somen finds fulfillment in the diversity of patient needs, requiring a broad knowledge of all body systems. He is particularly passionate about preventive care, women's health and geriatric care. His care philosophy focuses on collaborating with patients to make decisions together, respecting their treatment choices and creating personalized care plans.

As a first-generation college graduate in his family, he brings a unique perspective, emphasizing genuine relationships and aiming to make a positive impact on each patient's health journey. He is also Spanish-speaking, which helps him connect more personally with a diverse range of patients.



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Gabriel Gonzales, DO – Gastroenterology **Accepting new patients beginning October 2025**

Gabriel Gonzales, DO, is a board-certified gastroenterologist with deep Texas roots, having spent much of his upbringing in Clyde. Initially drawn to bioengineering and mathematics, he found his calling in medicine through early hands-on experiences as a patient transporter and emergency medical technician.

Dr. Gonzales earned his undergraduate degree from The University of Texas at Arlington and his medical degree from The University of North Texas Health Science Center. He completed his residency and fellowship training in Fort Worth, rotating through Medical City Fort Worth, John Peter Smith Hospital, Baylor All Saints and The University of North Texas Health Science Center.

He has a special interest in inflammatory bowel diseases, particularly Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis, as well as liver disease. He takes a comprehensive, patient-centered approach that emphasizes education, shared decision-making and individualized treatment plans. His goal is to align care with each patient's medical needs, preferences and social context.

Outside of his practice, Dr. Gonzales enjoys woodworking, fixing up cars, gardening and just about anything that gets him outdoors — hiking, backpacking or cycling. He shares these adventures (and the occasional home project) with his wife, Ally Goyer, DO, a Hospitalist at GRMC.



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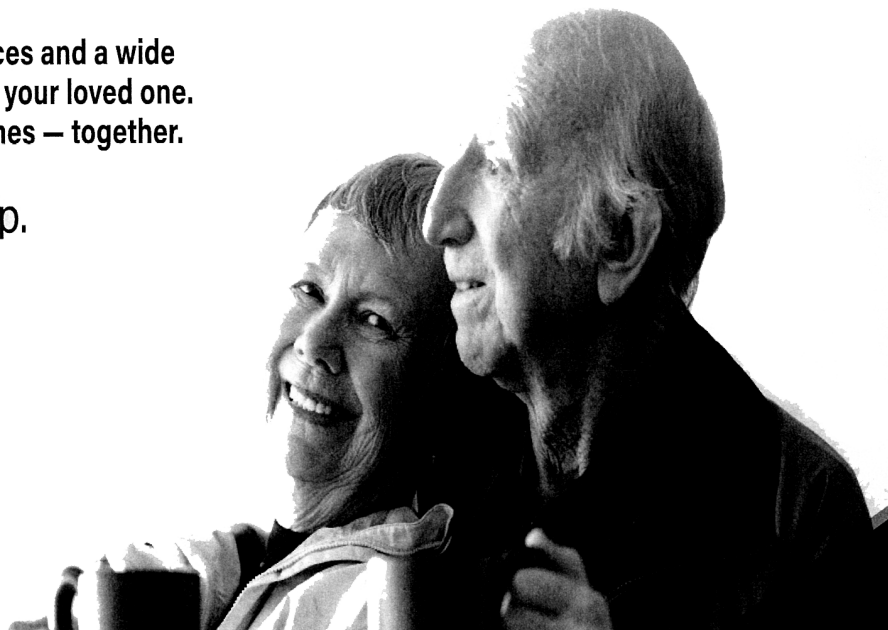
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In memory of Shelly Lindsey

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MEMORIALS

**** Note that any memorials received after we go to press will be in the next month's newsletter.*

You will all be missed...



Memorial in Honor of:

Send Acknowledement to

Name: _____

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Memorial From: _____

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