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Letter From the President:

Happy Fourth of July Everyone!

Celebrating the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence officially has begun. I hope you can enjoy some of the festivities, whether you are able to attend in person or by watching them on television. My favorite events are the local fireworks display and of course, our annual parade! Just make sure to be careful if you are outside! Stay hydrated and protected from the sun. But please, enjoy the red, white and blue!!

June was a successful and very busy month, especially with our Rock the Runway style show. I want to send a huge THANK YOU to all the vendors and models that took the time to join us this year! And to our emcees Mayor Donna Dodgen and Lynnette Gray - you ladies always make it enjoyable! Thanks!

Most importantly, our WONDERFUL STAFF worked so hard last month with one event after another! It's incredible how they manage to have our facility change so quickly! And I have to say I appreciate our volunteers that help us out too! It certainly takes a team to pull off our schedule that quite often gets rather crazy!

We continue to have a full calendar in July. We are blessed to be hosting several events from a mahjong tournament to baby showers, wedding receptions and anniversaries, as well as our regular meetings and dances! Thank you, thank you for supporting our Silver Center!

Please be safe, eat a hot dog and remember to tell your family and friends that you love them!



HELLO FROM THE FRONT DESK....

Hello and happy July everyone. I hope this finds you happy, healthy, and enjoying your summer!

A few months ago, we thought we would try to have a newsletter every other month, and some people thought it was a bad idea, so we are going to continue with our newsletters every month and certainly hope that you enjoy them. The month of July opens with our 250th Independence Day anniversary. God Bless America and all that she stands for! We will be closed for the holiday July 3-6 and back at work on Tuesday, July 7.

Friday, July 10 we have Kerr Creek Band (from Gonzales) in the house! Doors open at 6:30 for your dining pleasures and music starts at 7:30 PM. My hubby & I will be taking your dining orders!

Friday, July 24 we look forward to Bimbo being healthy and back in the house with his band, Borderline. Doors open at 6:30 for you to come grab a great bite to eat and music begins at 7:30.

Folks, the last couple of dances, we had people saying, 'I wish they would play something peppier'. Well... all of our bands come with a long play list... but they are always pleased to accommodate your request! Please write them a note with the name of the singer, and the title of the song, and turn it in to the bands to request it! I know you have some favorite songs that you'd love to hear... so come on up front and REQUEST them!

I hope you have some fun planned for this summer. The end of July will find my hubby and me at the Salt Flats watching the races and supporting some of our friends in their pursuit of SPEED!

Have a great month. I HOPE YOU GO OUT & MAKE A MEMORY!

Glenda Partain



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The Silver Center is sincerely grateful for the support of our faithful Business Members.

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*Birthdays
of the
Month*

If you have a May 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!

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Harold Coor	7/1
Sherry Dawson	7/2
Janet Hudson	7/4
Clara Mae Marcotte	7/6
Arthur Woytek	7/6
George Ann Fuqua	7/10
Jesse Soefje	7/12
Mary Jane Cage	7/18
Fran Heinemeyer	7/19
Pat Norman	7/23
Mary Smith	7/31

INDEPENDENCE Word Scramble

SSTTAE	- - - - - -
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AEPDAR	- - - - - -
SAPRK	- - - - -
CPINIC	- - - - -
GLFA	- - - -
ETHWI	- - - - -
RHTOUF	- - - - - -
AGEM	- - - -

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

**VOLUNTEER - HOURS - MAY
420 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!

CHARITABLE DONATIONS FOR JUNE

**Scott Burpo
Funkey Monkey
Line Dancers
Mahjongg and Steelmakers Reunion
Gay Lynn Olsovsk**

Welcome, Caroline Flowers, MD

Family Medicine and Obstetrics

GRMC is proud to welcome Dr. Flowers to our team of dedicated providers.

At GRMC, we are committed to delivering exceptional, compassionate care to our community and are continually seeking highly skilled, patient-centered physicians to meet the evolving healthcare needs of our region. Dr. Flowers' arrival reflects our ongoing mission to provide comprehensive and specialized services to the families of Seguin and the surrounding communities.

Dr. Flowers is a Family Medicine and Obstetrics provider who is passionate about delivering whole person care across all stages of life. She is excited to serve our community. Originally from Houston, Dr. Flowers completed her undergraduate studies at Carnegie Mellon University before dedicating two years to teaching high school science through Teach for America. She went on to earn her medical degree from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, followed by residency training in family medicine at the University of Arizona-Tucson, South Campus.

To further specialize in women's health and maternity care, she completed a surgical obstetrics fellowship at Full Circle Health in Boise, Idaho. Dr. Flowers has a strong interest in maternal-child health, including breastfeeding support, women's reproductive care, adolescent medicine and preventive healthcare. She also has experience managing complex chronic conditions, such as diabetes and heart disease.

Outside of medicine, Dr. Flowers enjoys spending time with her family, reading, listening to podcasts and cheering on the San Antonio Spurs.



**Dr. Flowers is accepting new patients at:
411 S. King St., Seguin, TX 78155**

To make an appointment, call 830.484.4200

The Silver Center 2026 Dances

Pre-Sale Tickets \$10

At the door \$15

510 E Court St, Seguin, TX

(830) 303-6612

April	10	Kerr Creek
	24	Byron Zipp
May	8	Paul Sanchez
	22	Gabe Galvan
June	12	Bimbo & Borderline
	26	The Merles
July	10	Kerr Creek
	24	Bimbo & Borderline

August	14	Paul Sanchez
	28	The Merles
September	11	The Merles
	25	Cactus Country
October	9	Bimbo & Borderline
	23	The Merles
November	13	Paul Sanchez
	27	None THANKSGIVING
December	11	Bimbo & Borderline
	25	None CHRISTMAS
New Year's Eve	31	Paul Sanchez
8PM to-12:30AM	\$25 each	With Wrangler Country



We ♥ Our



LuAnn Archibeque

Ann Barker

Barbara Behal

Syndee Bundick

“Buster” Cage

Mary Jane Cage

Jim Cavin

Jamie Evans

Brenda Englemann

Anna Ezell

Dena Flanagan

Tom Franczak

Martha Greenlaw

John Grien

Birdie Grien

Joe Haltmar

Shirla Humiston

Bob Kellner

Gary Kubenka

Pierce Law

Glenda Partain

Casey Pruett

Sharee Layton

Karen McMath

Betsy Martin

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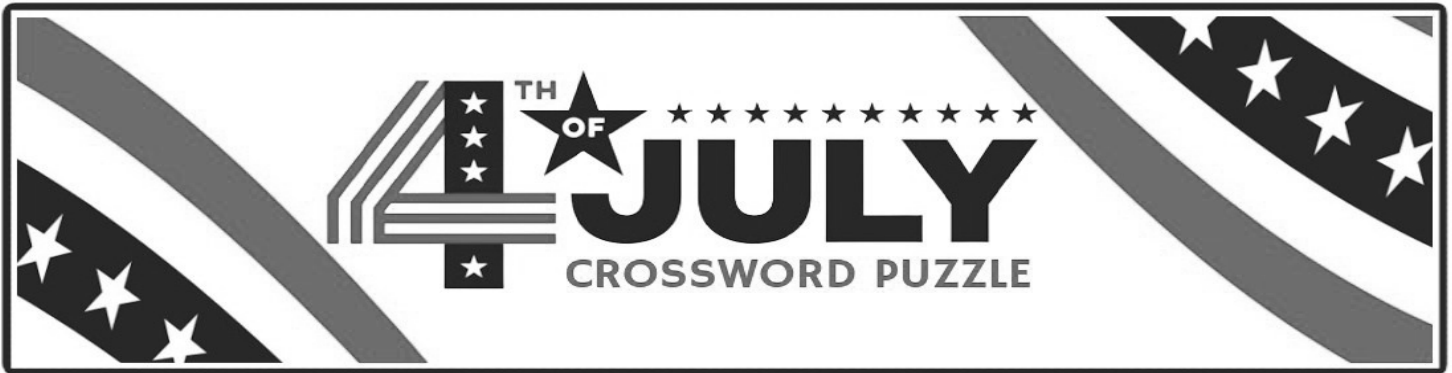
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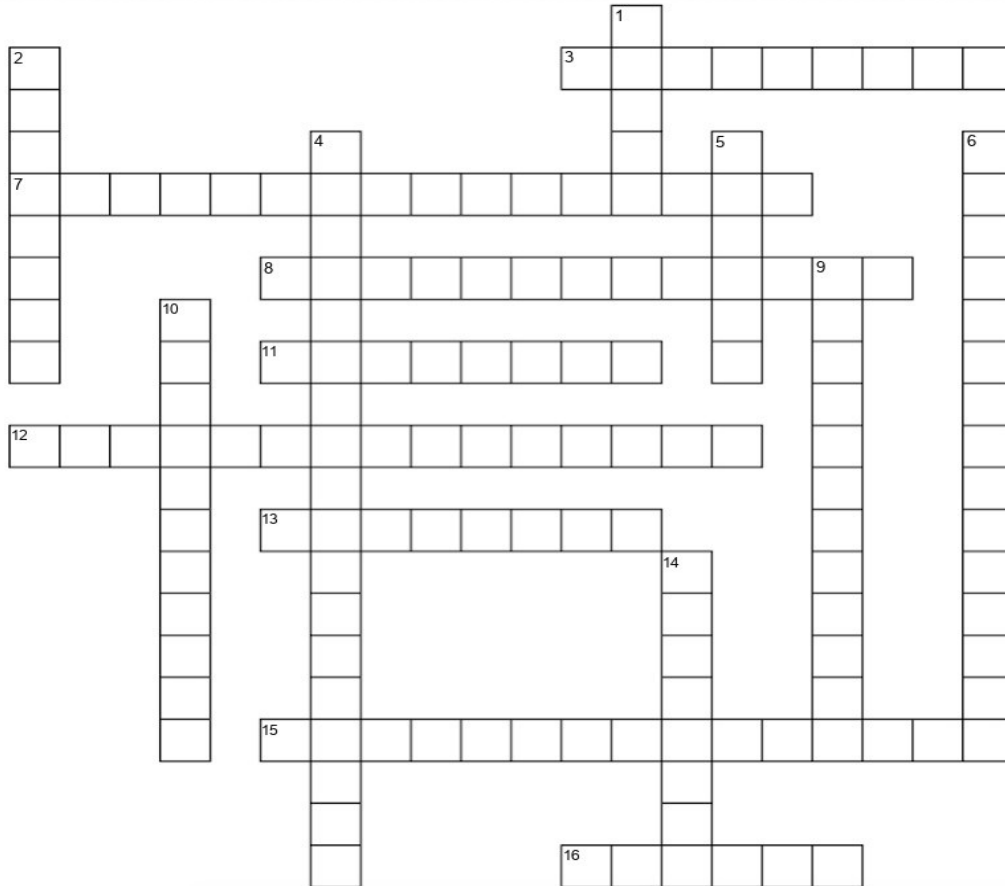
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4TH OF JULY

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



WORD BANK:

- FIFTY
- FIREWORKS
- FOUNDING FATHERS
- INDEPENDENCE
- INDEPENDENCE DAY
- JOHN HANCOCK
- OLD GLORY
- PARADE
- REVOLUTIONARY WAR
- SPARKLER
- STAR SPANGLED BANNER
- STATUE OF LIBERTY
- SUMMER
- THIRTEEN
- TREATY OF PARIS
- UNCLE SAM

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Men: BPH treatment restores control and confidence

Guadalupe Regional Medical Center is thrilled to offer Aquablation® therapy with the HYDROS® Robotic System. This innovative, minimally invasive solution treats benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH), commonly known as an enlarged prostate. Our highly skilled urologists use this cutting-edge technology to give men in our community relief from BPH symptoms and a chance to regain normal urinary function. BPH is very common in men over 50.

At first, it may not seem urgent. Many men live with it for years, adjusting their lives around trips to the bathroom. However, over time, as the prostate grows, it can narrow the urethra, putting extra pressure on the bladder and even leading to retention. This can make everyday life harder, affecting sleep, work and confidence. Living with it for so long can be frustrating—and sometimes embarrassing.

Why consider Aquablation?

Aquablation therapy is different from traditional surgery. Using real-time ultrasound imaging and robotic-assisted water-jet technology, your doctor creates a personalized plan for your prostate. The procedure precisely removes only the tissue causing symptoms while protecting critical structures that control bladder function and sexual health. It's heat-free, minimally invasive and designed to work for prostates of all sizes and shapes.

The procedure is performed at GRMC under anesthesia, usually taking about an hour. Many patients stay overnight and leave without a catheter. Recovery is generally smooth, with mild urinary urgency or discomfort for a few weeks, after which most men return to their normal activities quickly.

UROLOGISTS WHO PERFORM AQUABLATION



Robert T. Ryan, MD

📍 105 Medical Dr., Seguin

📞 (830) 379-8491



Howard Solomon, MD

📍 1255 Ashby St., Seguin

📞 (830) 379-3046



John White, MD

📍 105 Medical Dr., Seguin

📞 (830) 484-4625

What are the benefits?

Clinical studies show that Aquablation therapy provides long-lasting symptom relief, low risk of irreversible complications, and preserved sexual and bladder function. Men report improved urinary flow, reduced urgency and a return to life before BPH took over their routines.

Our goal is to help men take back control of their health and their daily lives. Aquablation therapy offers a modern, effective option for men who want relief without compromising quality of life.



4th of july edition
SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you find the 5 differences in the scenes below?



World of Printables

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Can you find the 5 differences in the scenes below?



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8 Days • 10 Meals: 6 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 3 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Innsbruck, Seefeld, Carriage Ride, Salzburg, St. Peter Stiftskulinarium, Linderhof Palace, Oberammergau, Munich, Christmas Markets

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1 Overnight Flight
 Days 2 – 6 AC Hotel by Marriott Innsbruck, Innsbruck
 Day 7 Movenpick Hotel Munchen Airport, Munich

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



Day 1: Saturday, December 12, 2026 Overnight Flight You're on your way to uncover the unique charms of Austria and Germany and the incredible *Christkindlesmarkt* (Christmas market)!

Day 2: Sunday, December 13, 2026 Innsbruck, Austria Welcome to the town of Innsbruck, the capital of the Alps. Spend the next five nights nestled in the heart of the mountains. As arrival times will vary, there is no scheduled sightseeing today. Spend the day as you wish, exploring the city independently. Tonight, accompany your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner to celebrate your arrival in Austria. (D)

Day 3: Monday, December 14, 2026 Innsbruck - Seefeld - Innsbruck This morning, **it's your choice!** Walk through the charming streets of Innsbruck on a locally guided tour and take in landmarks such as the Golden Roof **-OR-** visit the Museum of Tyrolean Regional Heritage, getting a glimpse into this historic region through traditional costumes and handicrafts. Next, journey by train 3,600 feet above sea level to the idyllic village of Seefeld, one of the world's great ski resorts thanks to miles of lakes and trails. Step off the train into the pure Alpine air to find an authentic horse-drawn carriage – and a traditional gift of schnapps – waiting for you. Belt out a carol or two as you are whisked into town and participate in an interactive demonstration of how to make (and eat!) traditional strudel. Return by train to Innsbruck. (B)

Day 4: Tuesday, December 15, 2026 Innsbruck - Salzburg - Innsbruck Over the mountains and through the woods of the Austrian countryside resides the storybook Old Town of Salzburg. Journey through the baroque heart of the city and the famous thoroughfare of Mozart's birthplace and continue towards Mirabell Gardens* and the iconic "Do-Re-Mi steps" from *The Sound of Music*. Head out to enjoy a free afternoon with the locals, affectionately known as "Salzburgers." Do some treasure hunting at any of the six Christmas markets. Your day concludes at St. Peter Stiftskulinarium, the oldest continuously-serving restaurant in Europe. Inside this centuries-old gem, indulge in traditional food. (B, D)

Day 5: Wednesday, December 16, 2026 Innsbruck Enjoy a full day at leisure in Innsbruck. Enjoy the Christmas markets, brimming with the sights, smells, and sounds of the season. Be on the lookout for St. Nicholas, and even Krampus, as they march through the market stalls. Revel in good cheer while brass bands play from the towers and indulge in some *gluhwein* and *stollen*, while chestnuts roast on open fires. Perhaps you'll enjoy an optional Tyrolean dinner and folklore show this evening. (B)

Day 6: Thursday, December 17, 2026 Innsbruck - Oberammergau, Germany - Innsbruck, Austria Tour Linderhof Palace, the only palace - out of three - that King Ludwig II lived to see completed. Walk the extraordinary halls that were modeled after Versailles with an expert guide and bask in the luxury of past royals. Your journey continues to Oberammergau. Enjoy a lunch featuring regional cuisine before spending some time on your own getting to know this picture-perfect Bavarian village. (B, L)

Day 7: Friday, December 18, 2026 Innsbruck - Munich, Germany *Willkommen* to Munich! Venture to Marienplatz and see the iconic Glockenspiel,** where life-size figurines spin and dance. Enjoy free time to explore, perhaps grabbing a *bier* at the renowned Hofbrauhaus or doing some final holiday shopping at one of Europe's largest Christmas markets. Join a local guide on a tour of Munich, passing by famous sights such as the Royal Square and Parliament Building. Close your day, toasting to the end of your seasonal sojourn at an early farewell dinner before you depart to your hotel near the Munich airport. (B, D)

Day 8: Saturday, December 19, 2026 Munich - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close today. (B)

4th of July word search

Fireworks Fun

easy level
across & down

S U Y F R B E L X P O P
U I B E N A L B Q V D P
F O U X I N I Q B F F M
L Z R X G G G F V N P V
A F S N H E H G I I G O
S D T R T L T I J Q M A
H S F O R M I E S N X G
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FIND THE 12 WORDS BELOW

BANG
BURST
FLASH
GLOW

LIGHT
NIGHT
POP
ROCKET

SKY
SMOKE
SPARK
STARS

INDEPENDENCE Word Scramble Answers

FLAG

PARTY

FOURTH

PICNIC

GAME

STATES

PARADE

WHITE

PARKS

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
Tuesday – Friday after 2
to discuss the possibilities!

Guadalupe County Crime Stoppers



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Guadalupe County Crime Stoppers
P.O. Box 542
Seguin, Texas 78156-0542

Cowboy Butter Chicken Skillet

By [Francesca Zani](#) PUBLISHED: FEB 23, 2026

Approved by the [Delish Test Kitchen](#)

YIELDS:
4 SERVING(S)

PREP TIME:
10 MINS

TOTAL TIME:
45 MINS

CAL/SERV:
620

Ingredients

- 2 Tbsp.** extra-virgin olive oil
- 4** (6- to 8-oz.) boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 1 tsp.** kosher salt, divided
- 1 tsp.** freshly ground black pepper, divided
- 1/2 cup** (1 stick) unsalted butter
- 1** medium shallot, finely chopped
- 5** garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 1/2 cup** (or more) low-sodium chicken broth
- 4 tsp.** Dijon mustard
- 1 Tbsp.** horseradish
- 1 tsp.** smoked paprika
- 3 Tbsp.** thinly sliced chives, plus more for serving
- 2 Tbsp.** finely chopped fresh parsley
- 2 tsp.** finely chopped fresh thyme

[See All Nutritional Information](#) ▾

Keep screen awake

Directions

Step 1

In a large skillet over medium-high heat, heat oil. Season chicken on all sides with 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/2 tsp. pepper. Cook chicken, turning halfway through, until golden brown, 7 to 8 minutes per side. Transfer to a plate.

Step 2

Reduce heat to medium and melt butter. Add shallot and garlic and cook, stirring, just until fragrant, about 2 minutes. Add broth, mustard, horseradish, paprika, chives, parsley, and thyme, and whisk to combine; season with remaining 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/2 tsp. pepper.

Step 3

Bring mixture to a low simmer. Return chicken and any accumulated juices to skillet. Cook, stirring occasionally, until an instant-read thermometer inserted into thickest part of chicken registers 165° and sauce is slightly reduced, 8 to 10 minutes, depending on thickness of chicken. If liquid reduces too much, add 1 to 2 Tbsp. broth to loosen into a pourable sauce.

Step 4

Serve chicken with sauce poured over. Sprinkle with chives.

Poolside Popsicle Spritzers

By [Gabby Romero](#) PUBLISHED: MAY 23, 2024

Approved by the [Delish Test Kitchen](#)

YIELDS:
6 SERVING(S)

PREP TIME:
10 MINS

TOTAL TIME:
4 HRS

CAL/SERV:
172

Ingredients

- 1 1/2 cups** pineapple juice
- 1/2 cup** mango juice or nectar
- 2 oz.** vodka
- 1** lime, thinly sliced into rounds
- 1 (750-mL)** bottle sparkling white, rosé, or orange wine
- Club soda, for serving

[See All Nutritional Information](#) ▾

Directions

Step 1

In a medium bowl or measuring cup, stir pineapple juice, mango juice, and vodka.

Step 2

Place 1 to 2 lime slices into 6 (4-oz.) pop molds. Carefully fill each mold with pineapple juice mixture. Cover and insert sticks. Freeze until solid, at least 4 hours or up to overnight.

Step 3

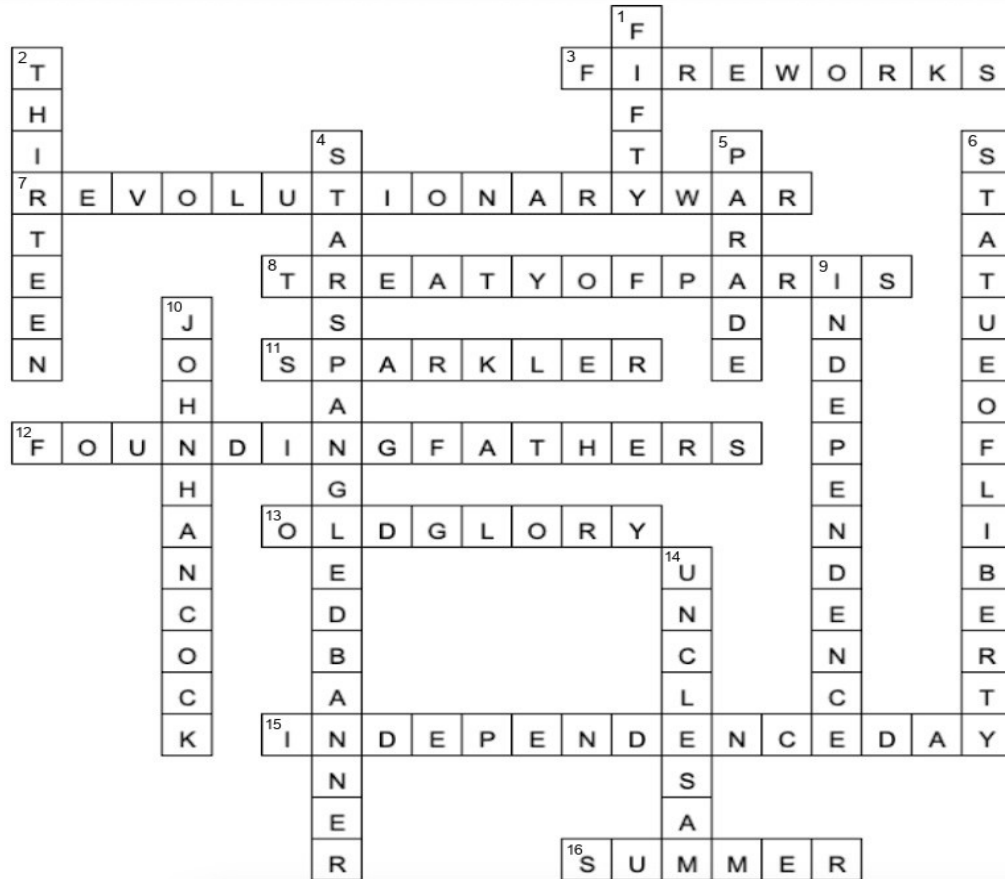
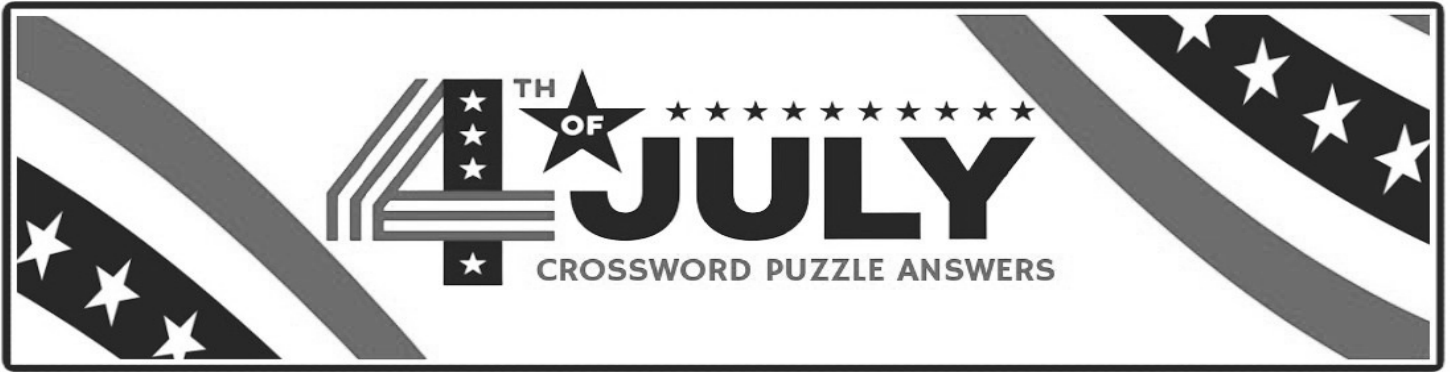
Pour 4 oz. sparkling wine into 6 wine glasses. Top with a splash of club soda. Place a popsicle into glass and serve immediately.



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 30 31 1 2 3 4 5

Sun 28	Mon 29	Tue 30 Today	Wed 1	Thu 2	Fri 3	Sat 4
2:00 PM Family Reunion	CLOSED ON MONDAYS		Majhongg Bridge (8)	Noon Lions Club 12:00 PM Zontas Luncheon	FEDERAL HOLIDAY CLOSED	Happy 4th of July AMERICA!
5 CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAYS	6 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	7 Bridge (4)	8 Majhongg 12:00 PM LUNCH AND LEARN	9 Noon Lions Club 11:30 AM 1954 Reunion Luncheon	10 Majhongg 2:30 PM Line Dancing 6:30 PM DANCE DOORS OPEN 7:30 PM DANCE to Kerr Creek	11 MEMORIAL SERVICE
12 Baby Shower	13 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	14 Bridge (8) 11:00 AM Family Gathering Y Rose	15 Majhongg Tournament Bridge (8)	16 Noon Lions Club	17 Majhongg 2:30 PM Line Dancing 6:00 PM Catered 50th Wedding Anniversary	18
19	20 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	21 Bridge (4)	22 Majhongg 12:00 PM Zonta's Luncheon	23 Noon Lions Club	24 Majhongg 2:30 PM Line Dancing 6:30 PM Doors open for DANCE 7:30 PM BIMBO & Borderline Dance	25 12:00 PM Baby Shower in Ballroom
26	27 CLOSED ON MONDAYS	28 Bridge (8)	29 Majhongg	30 Noon Lions Club Friedens Bunco	31 Majhongg 2:30 PM Line Dancing	1 4:00 PM Wedding in Ballroom



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F	O	U	X	I	N	I	Q	B	F	F	M
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**Seguin-Guadalupe County Senior Citizens Center
The Silver Center (a 501©3 Charity)**

Membership Application

Business (or Your Name) _____

Primary Contact _____

Address _____

Phone _____ **Fax** _____

Email _____

Website Address _____

Annual Membership Levels

Standard PERSONAL Membership \$ 40.00
(**\$20 off a room rental**)

Standard Business Membership \$ 125
(listed in our business membership in the newsletter)

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(listed in our membership & 2 months free ad in newsletter & 10% discount on a rental)

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(listed in our membership & 1 year free ad in newsletter & 10% discount on a rental)

Please invoice to the above address

Make your check payable to "The Silver Center"

Are you interested in:

- Volunteer opportunities in exchange for business recognition.**
- Providing a "Lunch and Learn" event for the community.**
- Advertising in the center's monthly newsletter.**
- Participation on the Board of Directors level for The Silver Center.**



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KNOW YOUR OPTIONS.

Protect what matters.



Join us for an informative lunch and learn where we'll cover the basics of health and life insurance, answer your questions, and help you make confident decisions for you and your loved ones.



DATE:
JULY 8, 2026



TIME:
12:00 PM



LOCATION:
THE SILVER CENTER
510 E. COURT ST., SEGUIN, TX 78155

WE'LL DISCUSS:



Health Insurance Options



Life Insurance Basics



Protecting Your Family
and Financial Future



Q&A and Personalized
Guidance



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INFORMATION TODAY. SECURITY FOR TOMORROW. ♥

Historical Context in July

Seguin's July celebrations are steeped in its long history:

Indigenous roots: The Tonkawa and other Native groups inhabited the Guadalupe River area long before European contact.

Spanish and Mexican era: The area was explored by Spanish expeditions in the 1500s–1600s, and the town was laid out in 1838 by Gonzales Rangers Seguin,

Texas Revolution: Juan N. Seguin, a Tejano leader, fought alongside Anglo settlers against Santa Anna, making Seguin a symbol of Texan independence

19th-century growth: The town became a center for concrete building innovation, with rare limecrete structures surviving today

Oil boom: The 1930 Darst Creek oil discovery brought prosperity, preserving Seguin's civic infrastructure

Local History Resources

The Seguin Public Library's Local History Room preserves materials on early settlers, ethnic groups, businesses, and prominent figures, including microfilm of the Seguin Gazette-Enterprise and Guadalupe County tax records Seguin, TX. These resources help trace the town's development through July's anniversary events.

Tip: If you visit in July, combine the parade and fireworks with a trip to the library or Sebastopol House Historic Site to see Seguin's concrete heritage firsthand.

MEMORIALS

You will all be missed...

In Memory of Santa Smith by:
Norman & Glenda Partain, Leonel Longoria, Sr, and Pat Weber

In Memory of Bettie Gene Haese & Billy Haese by:
Norman & Glenda Partain



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



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Our Flag

By Patricia A Fleming

She waves for my attention,
So free upon the breeze.
The sun reflects her stars and stripes,
As proud as she can be.

She tells a tale of people lost,
Who came to find their way
And carried on through every loss,
To bring us here today.

She reminds me of the brave who fought
To keep our country strong
And shouts at me of victories
To right egregious wrongs.

She whispers to our children
Of all this country has to give
And begs that they stand up for her
And give thanks for how they live.

She cries to me of apathy,
Of prejudice and hate,
Of disrespect for what she stands,
And a Constitution we forsake.

She demands that I acknowledge her
And what she means to me
And dares me to imagine life
If she should cease to be.

And still in Glory she unfurls
And gives me hope again
For a people reunited,
And a country on the mend.

So each time I see her wave at me,
I'll stop and gaze above
And take a moment to respect
This country that I love.

Independence Day

By Debra L. Brown.

When we think about the birth
of this great nation,
Congress declared July the 4th 1776
and issued a proclamation.

With this decree, the thirteen colonies
are now free.
We will no longer live
under England's Monarchy.

Five great men
were given the task
to draw up papers
for freedom at last.

Thomas Jefferson,
we can remember.
A founding father,
Patriot and a Continental member.

Together these men
drafted the amendments.
Franklin, Livingstone, Sherman and Adams,
united they authored the Declarations of Independence.

Battles were fought,
and blood was shed.
Life was lost,
and men were dead.

"FREEDOM" came with
A heavy price.
War is not pretty,
nor is it nice.

We can thank
the Lord above.
He gave us these United States,
a country we can love.

Men fought for our freedom,
and with their lives they did pay.
That's why we celebrate
Independence Day

July jokes are perfect for summer fun, from fireworks and beach days to ice cream and sunny puns.

Here's a collection of lighthearted, family-friendly July jokes to brighten your summer:

Holiday & Fireworks Jokes

Why doesn't fire take a day off on the 4th of July? Because fire works

What did the firecracker shout on the 4th of July? Red, white, and boom

Why are fireworks so good at school? Because they're always bursting with ideas

Summer & Beach Humor

Why did the sun go to school in July? Because it wanted to be a little brighter

What do you call a cat on the beach? Sandy paws

Why did the beach towel refuse to leave the beach? Because it was afraid of the tide turning

Food & Ice Cream Fun

Why did the ice cream go to school? To become a smartie cone

July: when the ice cream melts faster than my willpower

What's a watermelon's favorite musical instrument? The melon-cordion

Playful Word Puns

What do you say when your friend says it's June 31st? July'd

Knock, knock. Who's there? July. July who? July'd to me when you said you didn't eat my ice cream

Why did the lemonade laugh? Because it found July zestful

Family & Kids-Friendly Jokes

Why did the dog love July? Because it was a hot dog month

Why did the pool feel proud? Because it was full of summer fun

Why did the kite fly high in July? Because the wind was on its side

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