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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 5th 2026

★ DOORS OPEN AT 4:45pm

★ DINNER STARTS AT 5pm

★ FIRST BALL CALL 5:45pm

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AGES 13 plus welcome
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Frankly Speaking –

Liberty Sought by the World and All People

by Frank Jordan

Who was the founder of Liberty? “The God who gave us life, gave us liberty at the same time.” *Thomas Jefferson*

Where was our great nation, the United States first conceived? “Fourscore and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent, a new nation, conceived in liberty,...” *Abraham Lincoln*

Benjamin Franklin explains where Liberty is to the unknowing. “Where liberty

is, there is my country.”

Davy Crockett summed up how long Liberty is to be cherished. “Liberty and independence forever!”

Some have reacted emotionally when told they couldn’t come to Liberty! “Give me liberty or give me death!” *Patrick Henry*

How important was Liberty’s success to former *President John F. Kennedy*? “Let every nation know, ... that we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe to assure the survival and the success of liberty.”

Are you aware among your unalienable rights is the right to experience Liberty? “We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.” *Thomas Jefferson*

What does excitement about Liberty do for you? “There is a certain enthusiasm in liberty, that makes human

nature rise above itself, in acts of bravery and heroism.” *Alexander Hamilton*

Abraham Lincoln made clear to preserve the American spirit, the importance of Liberty to all men everywhere must be recognized. “Our defense is in the preservation of the spirit which prizes liberty as a heritage of all men, in all lands, everywhere.”

Did you know *Thomas Jefferson*, author of the Declaration of Independence, insisted all Americans be told about Liberty so it can be preserved? “Educate and inform the whole mass of the people... They are the only sure reliance for the preservation of our liberty.”

Should the citizens of Liberty seek economic development for success? “There can be no liberty unless there is economic liberty.” *Margaret Thatcher*

What are the reactions of those that experience Liberty nationwide, according to *Andrew Jackson*? “The planter, the farmer, the mechanic, and the laborer... form the great

body of the people of the United States, they are the bone and sinew of the country men who love liberty....”

How important did founding father, *James Madison*, consider Liberty? “I would rather belong to a poor nation that was free than to a rich nation that had ceased to be in love with liberty.”

What is always present where the spirit of the Lord resides? “...Where the spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.” *Donald Trump quoting 2 Corinthians 3:17* (King James) at Liberty University.

Even *Moses* in the Bible wanted to publicize Liberty to the world and all people! “Proclaim Liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof.” *Leviticus 25:10*

Frankly speaking, join with those who have spoken about Liberty and what it meant in their lives in a dedication to preserving that liberty fought for by patriots in the past so that we may live in liberty today.

OBITUARY

• WILLIAM “Bill” PRICE JR.

BAYTOWN - William “Bill” Edgar Price Jr., 61, of Baytown, Texas, passed away on August 22, 2026. Born in Liberty and raised in Baytown, Bill was a lifelong Texan with a deep love for the open road, his family, and the simple things that made life meaningful.

Beginning in his teens, Bill spent his life on the highway as an over-the-road truck driver, hauling for companies including his favorite, Tri-Star Freight Systems in Houston. For Bill, driving a semi was never just a job – it was a true passion. Over the decades, he hauled just about everything imaginable and came to know the nation’s highways so well

that he could map out a route from memory alone. Among the things he was most proud of was hauling Christmas wreaths for Wreaths Across America, helping ensure that veterans’ graves across the country were honored each holiday season.

Bill also loved his faithful dogs, Fred, Greta, and Deuce. Fred, his copilot and partner in crime, shared countless adventures with Bill, riding alongside him in the truck and keeping him company on the road.

When he wasn’t on the road, Bill enjoyed riding motorcycles and spending time at home with his family. Above all, he loved his wife of 42 years, Kim, and their son, William H. “Woofie” Price, whose passing six years ago left an immeasurable void in their lives. Family was at the heart of who Bill was, and the life he and

Kim built together meant everything to him.

Bill was preceded in passing by his son, William H. “Woofie” Price; his mother, Beverly “Lynne” Vinson Kennedy; and his father, William Edgar Price Sr.

He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Kimberly Price; his brothers, David Price and wife Kimberly, William Edgar Price III and wife BJ, and Jason Price and wife Kelli; his sister, Charlotte Price Barker and husband Raymond; as well as numerous nieces and nephews who loved him dearly.

Bill will be remembered for his love of the road, the countless miles and stories collected along the way, his faithful four-legged companions, and most of all, the family he loved so deeply. His memory will live on in all those who knew and loved him.

Cowboy historian to speak at SHC, Sept. 24



LIBERTY - The Sam Houston Regional Library and Research Center (SHC), part of the Texas State Library and Archives Commission (TSLAC), invites the community to get ready for the Trinity Valley Exposition (TVE) Fair and Rodeo by celebrating a Texas tradition, the cowboy, with real-life cowboy, author and historian J.L. “Jim” Hodges at 7 p.m. on Thurs., Sept. 24. As part of the event, Center staff will offer a special viewing of historic images, records and artifacts related to Gulf Coast cowboys.

Hodges’ program on “The Great American Cowboy: From Egypt to the Present” will explore the ancient roots of cowboys and their early days in the Gulf Coast region, along with sharing his personal experiences as a Texas ranch hand and horse trainer. Cattle ranching has been a vital part of the Texas economy since the early 18th century, but few know

about its storied past in deep Southeast Texas.

Jim Hodges was a horse trainer and open-range cowboy by age 11. A Vietnam veteran and former law enforcement officer, he also owned his own livestock business and performed with his horses for people from every corner of the globe. Hodges co-curated the Bryan Museum’s Coastal Cowboys exhibit and is the author of multiple books. After the program, there will be a book signing for those interested in purchasing copies.

This event is part of SHC’s commemoration of America’s 250th anniversary in 2026. Projects and events throughout the year recognize the region and state’s contributions to the national story. The program is free and open to the public. No registration required. Contact the Center at (936) 336-8821 or samhoustoncenter@tsl.texas.gov for more information.

WALLISVILLE - The History & Then Some Lecture Series at the Chambers County Museum at Wallisville continues Thursday, September 17, at 6 p.m.

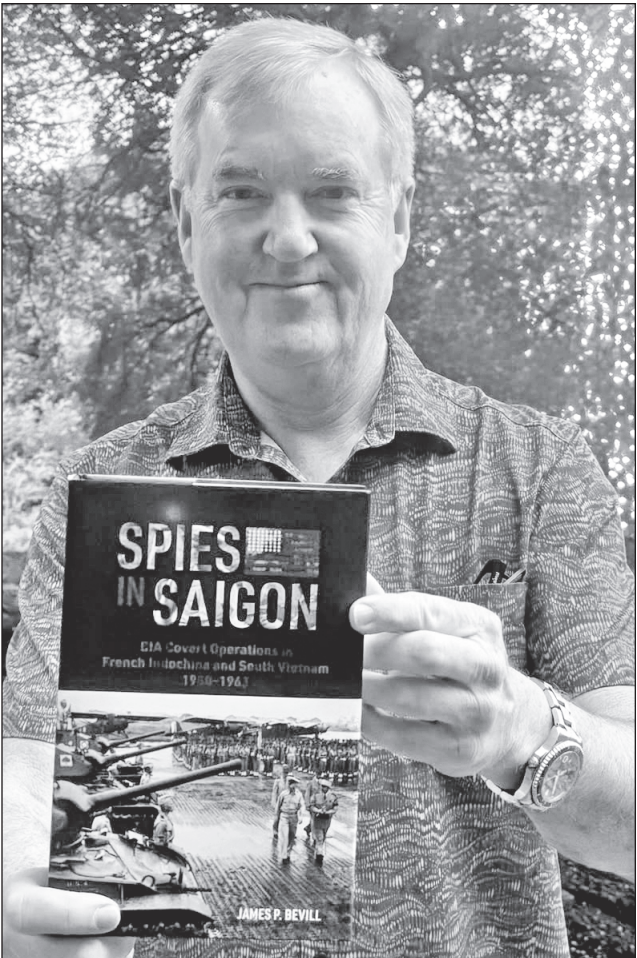
Guest speaker James Bevill will present his book *Spies in Saigon*, a fascinating insight that brings to life gripping stories of the dangerous world of undercover spies, double agents, and covert CIA operations in Saigon, Vietnam, during the French-Indochina War. This untold prequel to the American war reveals the surprising depth of American and CIA involvement during the French War and the creation of the first Republic of Vietnam, which followed.

Bevill lives in Houston with his wife, Jodie Springer Bevill. He is senior vice president at UBS Financial Services in River Oaks.

Seating is limited, so make your reservation

today. Presentations of the History & Then Some series are held the third Thursday of each month. For more information,

call 409-389-2252. The Chambers County Museum at Wallisville is located at 20136 IH-10 East.



JAMES BEVILL

Be sure to put Macho Bingo on your calendar

DAYTON - It’s that time again when Bridgehaven Children’s Advocacy Center brings back the ever-popular Macho Bingo. It is officially on the calendar for October 3 at the Dayton Community Center. So, mark

your calendar an get ready for one of the most anticipated events of the year. Saddle up, win big, give big and play bingo for the night. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Game play begins at 6 p.m. for those 18 and over. Tables for 10 are \$650 with dinner and drinks included.

It’s going to be an unforgettable Western-themed night full of games, auction items, good food, and big fun, all in support of Bridgehaven Children’s Advocacy Center and the children served across Liberty and Chambers counties. Every dollar raised at Macho Bingo helps continue the mission to bring hope, healing, and justice to children who are victims of abuse.

Sponsorship opportunities are now open and you can show your support in a big way with any of

the multiple sponsorship opportunities available. By sponsoring this event, your business will receive valuable recognition, all while supporting a cause that matters.

Make a lasting impact in the community with your support by becoming a sponsor today. Go online to givebutter.com/-macho2026 or contact jmcgininis@bridgehavencac.org.

This year’s event sponsors are Cowboy’s Ready Mix and 146 Sign Co.



More Agenda

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

DAYTON - Come enjoy a sweet treat and meet the local law enforcement officers at the Dayton Police Department Ice Cream Social. Everyone is welcome to come out Wednesday evening, September 9, from 6-8 p.m. at Parker Park, 1207 N. Winfree. It’s an opportunity to enjoy some free ice cream, meet and chat with your local police officers and build connections for a stronger community. The event is co-sponsored by Sweet Scoops and Patients ER.

FBC FOOD PANTRY

DAYTON - Dayton First Baptist Church Food Pantry will hold its next food distribution Tues., September 8, from 9-11:30 a.m. The pantry will only be able to serve those with a Dayton 77535 zip code; proof of residence will be required. This will be a walk-in pantry, so please park and come into the food pantry entrance on the north side of the Family Life

Center on Nelton Street. Picking up for others will not be allowed except under dire circumstances. The food distribution will be available the second Tuesday of each month.

GOSPEL SINGING AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL

HARDIN - It’s a community-wide gospel singing and ice cream social and you’re invited. Hardin Methodist Church welcomes everyone to enjoy an afternoon of gospel music and some refreshing ice cream beginning at 4 p.m., Saturday, September 12. The church is located at 1005 FM 834.

CITY PARK PARTY

LIBERTY - The annual City Park Party returns to the Liberty Municipal Park, Sat., Sept. 12, from 3-8 p.m. This marks the 27th year of delivering the powerful message of the love of God to the community. Everyone is invited to enjoy an afternoon of food, activities and

fellowship. Everything on this day is free – Jesus paid the price. Visit the website at cityparkparty.com for more information.

HELPING HANDS

LIBERTY - The Helping Hands Ministry of St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church assists those in need by loaning medical equipment such as wheelchairs, shower seats, walkers and other supplies. The volunteers are currently accepting donations of these items: bedside toilets, shower chairs and stools, walkers and canes. If you are in need or have items to donate, please call 936-346-2855. The ministry is located across from the Liberty-Dayton Regional Hospital, next to the helipad.

VALLEY PLAYERS AUDITIONS

LIBERTY - The Valley Players will hold auditions for its Christmas performance of Toy School. Children from third

grade and up are invited to audition Sunday, Sept. 20, at 4 p.m. or Monday, Sept. 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the Humphreys Cultural Center, 1701 Sam Houston St.

MEDICARE ASSISTANCE

LIBERTY - On Thurs., September 3, a service regarding Medicare eligibility and benefits comes to the Liberty Municipal Library. Zelda Earvin, a benefits counselor with the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) Area Agency on Aging, will be at the library from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1-3 p.m. She will explain the difference between traditional Medicare and Medicare Advantage Plans (Medicare Part C), and provide information Part D prescription plans available to beneficiaries. The service is offered at no cost to area seniors.

The Liberty Municipal Library is located at 1710 Sam Houston Street. Call the library at 936-336-8901 for more information.

Join us this Sunday for Bible Classes for all ages at 9 a.m. and stay for Worship at 10 a.m.

We meet Sunday night at 5 p.m. and Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

We meet at 3201 North Main Street and have a parking space just for you.

We'd love to see you soon. We've saved you a seat!

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