

Kingsbury News & Information Newsletter - May 5, 2019

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Kingsbury Texas

News & Information Newsletter



Dear Kingsbury,

Here's the latest on what's going on in Kingsbury!

Mother's Day Weekend

There's all kinds of fun going in downtown Kingsbury on Mother's Day weekend!

First, there will be a group art show opening on Friday, May 10th, featuring the paintings of Jessica Ward of San Antonio, fiber art by Donna Maske of Seguin, and felt work by Katz Ashbury of Seguin. The show opens in Downtown Kingsbury at 6 PM with a cash bar and snacks. Stay for the live **music** with local band Firewater taking the stage at 8 PM.

The show is free and open to the public!

Then, on Saturday, May 11th, there will be another Farm To Table Feast! The four course meal will feature purely local meat and produce as well as an offering from BS Brewing and Blue Lotus Winery. Tickets for the four course meal in Downtown Kingsbury are \$50.

To check out the menu and purchase tickets just Click here

As if all that wasn't enough, there will be a Felting Workshop on Sunday, May 12th. Marti Swanson and Donna Maske will lead a 3 hour fiber arts workshop at 1 PM in Downtown Kingsbury. They will teach students how to print with botanicals using eco-printing on fabric, wet felting to create a vessel, and more! There will be a \$50 Materials Fee to attend the workshop.

Advanced registration required.

All mothers who attend the wrkshop will receive a free glass of wine or beverage of their choice complements of

Habitable Spaces! Sign up





A WEEKEND TO REMEMBER

ALL EVENTS TAKE PLACE AT 620 RAILWAY STREET KINGSBURY, TEXAS, 78638

FRIDAY MAY 10TH, 6PM - 10PM

A pop up art show featuring the paintings of Jessica Ward of San Antonio, fiber art by Donna Maske of Seguin, and felt work by Katz Ashbury of Seguin. The show opens in Downtown Kingsbury at 6 PM with a cash bar serving local beer, wine and snacks. Stay to watch Americana band Firewater take the stage at 8 PM.

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

SATURDAY, MAY 11TH, 5PM - 10PM

Join us for a four course farm to table dinner prepared by Lionel Guerra and Veronica Fox of Seguin's very own Mise Co. The meal features chicken, beef, fruits and veggies raised right here in Kingsbury!

Tickets to the dinner are \$50 they can be purchased at www.habitablespaces.org

SUNDAY, MAY 12TH, 1PM

Learn something new at our three hour felt-making and eco-printing workshop. Mothers who attend the workshop will receive a free glass of wine or beverage of their choice.

Registration and \$50 materials fee

Registration and \$50 materials fee can be paid at www.habitablespaces.org

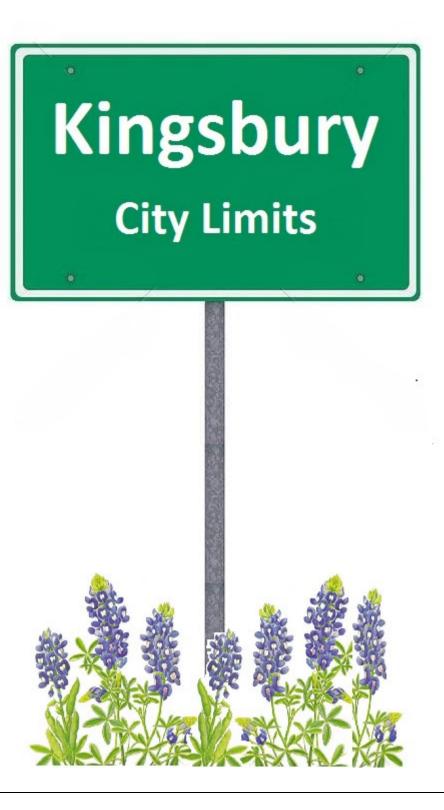
More info can be found at www.habitablespaces.org inquiries can be sent to alison@habitablespaces.org or shane at 830-463-1509



Kingsbury City Limits

Do you have property in the Kingsbury area but not in the official Kingsbury city limits? Would you like it to be a part of the new city of Kingsbury? Let Kingsbury know! It's a **simple** "Voluntary Annexation" petition form to fill out and you can be on the list to be part of out Kingsbury. Check out the "Kingsbury City Limits" page on the Kingsbury website to see the current map, get a petition form, and find more information on voluntary annexations.

Also, check out the Kingsbury "Blog" to see pictures of the first voluntary annexations! Need more information? Just fill out the "Contact" page on the Kingsbury website and a city official will get it to you. It's so easy!



There's A Day For Everything

In case you didn't already know ... there's something every day to **celebrate!**Here are some of the fun, unusual, or forgotten holidays this week:

May 5th

National Astronaut Day
National Cartoonists Day
National Silence the Shame Day
National Totally Chipotle Day
National Hoagie Day
Cinco de Mayo
National Infertility Survival Day
National Lemonade Day

May 6th

National Nurses Day National Beverage Day National Crepe Suzette Day

May 7th

National Packaging Design Day National Paste-Up Day National Barrier Awareness Day National Roast Leg of Lamb Day National Foster Care Day National Teacher Appreciation Day

May 8th

National Coconut Cream Pie Day National Have A Coke Day National Receptionists' Day National Third Shift Workers Day National School Nurse Day National Bike To School Day

May 9th

National Lost Sock Memorial Day National Moscato Day National Butterscotch Brownie Day National Sleepover Day

May 10th

National Clean Up Your Room Day
National Lipid Day
National Shrimp Day
National Washington Day
National Military Spouse Day
Nat'l Provider Appreciation Day

May 11th

National Eat What You Want Day
National Foam Rolling Day
National Twilight Zone Day
National Birth Mother's Day
National Babysitter's Day
National Dog Mom's Day
National Train Day
National Archery Day
National Miniature Golf Day
Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive Day



Kingsbury T-Shirts - Now Available Online!

You can now order your awesome Kingsbury T-Shirt online and have it arrive at your door!

Just go to the Kingsbury website and click "SHOP" and select the items you want. Pay with a credit card or

PayPal and then just wait for your new, fabulous Kingsbury wear to come to you!

The new Kingsbury T-Shirts have a graphic of **downtown** Kingsbury on Railway street and the Kingsbury logo: LIVING. SIMPLY. WELL.

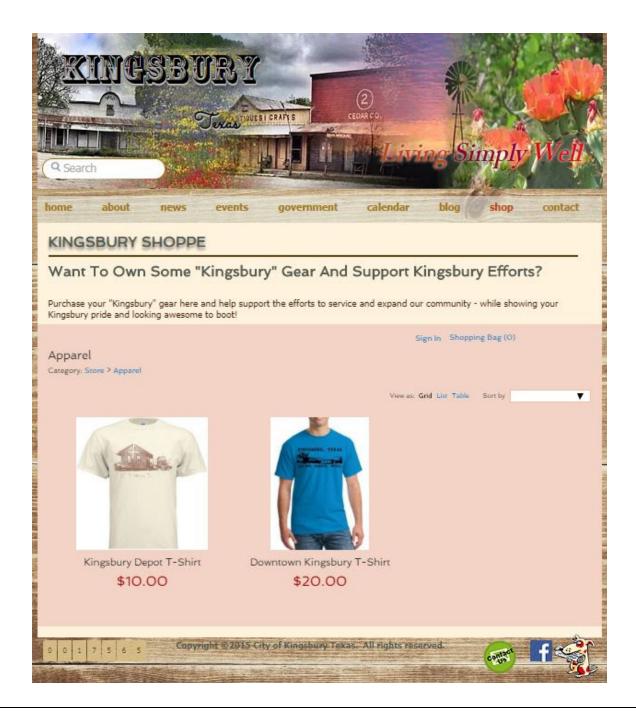
That says it all, doesn't it?!

They're \$20 and are available in blue, pink, turquoise, red, and the classic black.

The Kingsbury depot T-shirts are also available on the website in the Kingsbury Shoppe that have an image of the old Kingsbury Depot that stood next to the tracks across from the old Post Office. One of the steam locomotives that used to stop here in Kingsbury is shown idling next to the depot, waiting for the next car load of cattle or travelers to New Orleans or San Francisco. The image includes the original writing at the bottom of the picture: "Depot KiNGsbury TEX." The back of the shirt has the Kingsbury logo "LIVING. SIMPLY. WELL." and the Kingsbury website.

They're a bargain at just \$10!

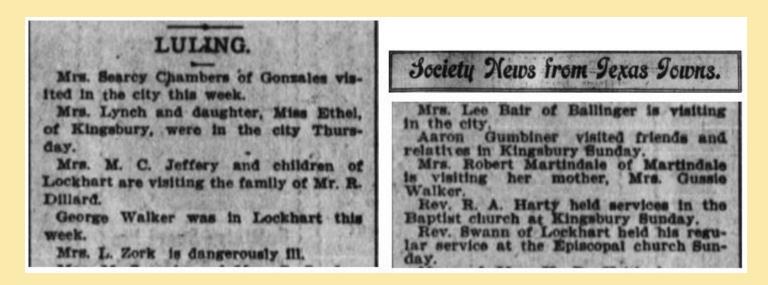
Visit the Kingsbury website at www.kingsburytexas.org to get your new T-shirt sent to you today!



Kingsbury News Past

All the **news** that's fit to print about what was happening in Kingsbury . . .

The March 27, 1904 edition of the Houston Post had a section on "Society News from Texas Towns", as it did most Sundays. The society news from Luling included not one but three. Mrs. Lynch and daughter, Ethel visited Luling, Mr. Gumbiner visited family and friends in Kingsbury, and Rev. Harty held services at the Kingsbury Baptist Church.



In other 1904 news, Ms. Hennessy has some news for whoever might find her engraved, gold umbrella handle (is that a thing?) - "no good to anyone except owner", get your new, wooden cabinet refrigerator for \$16.50, Grant's tomb is too cold, and M.A. Mansel is looking for a lost one-eyed bay. Also, Houston Hdw. Co. has bird cages to cleavers to "wire rat traps" and so much more, Searchlite is the "best illuminating oil" for your lamps, Beaumont is overrun with some strange caterpillar, and a picture of the latest Easter fashions.



Kingsbury Opry

Every Friday night, The Kingsbury Opry plays on at 10585 Hwy 90 East (the building known to most locals as the "Old Bluebird Inn"). The **music** and dancing start at 5:00, and bring a pot luck dish and enjoy dinner at 6:15. There's no smoking and no alcohol, just good ol' pickin' and grinnin'! Dance with the one that brung ya, have some pot luck goodies, and get up and sing with the band! See more at Kingsbury Opry.



Kingsbury Weather

Kingsbury weather for this week. You can always get the latest **weather** in Kingsbury on the Kingsbury website under <u>Calendar</u>.

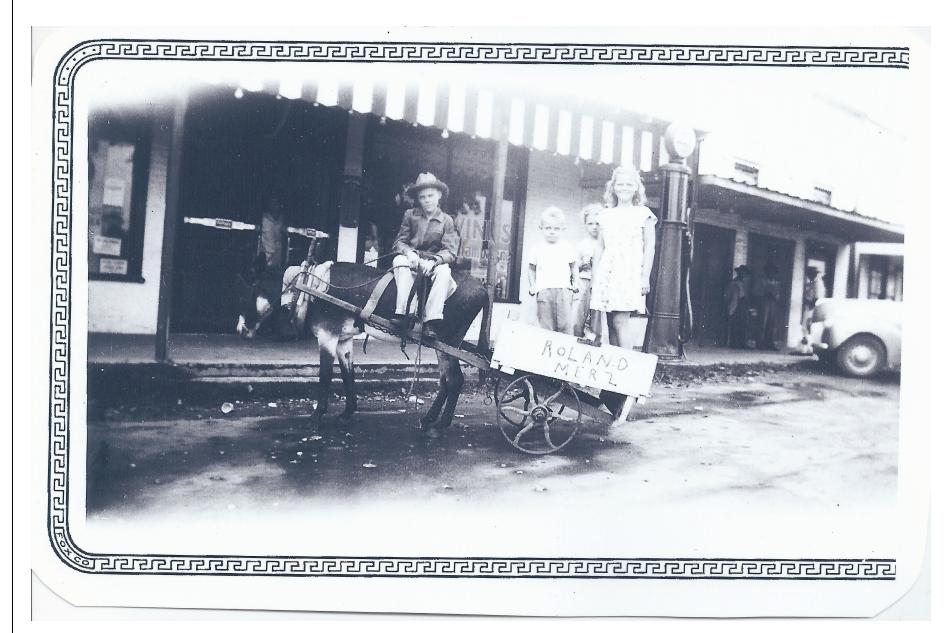


For current temperature, rainfall totals, wind speed, etc. just click on the bar at the bottom to go directly to the Baker Ranch weather station in Kingsbury. You can view local conditions and all the other weather stations in the TexMesonet network.



Roland Merz Mule Cart

Here is a picture of Roland Merz and **friends** in front of the Red & White on Railway Street with his awesome mule and cart. The picture looks to be from the 1940s. Mr. Merz still lives in the Kingsbury area on Dowdy School Road.



Know someone that should be on the Kingsbury Newsletter eMail List?

Send them this email! All they need to do is go to the <u>Kingsbury website</u>, click on the weird little **dog** at the bottom of any page, and fill out their name and email address. It's so easy! Let's get everybody to be "in the know" about what's going on in their community.



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