

WHAT'S TO *Love* TXK

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SPECIAL HOLIDAY 2-WEEK EDITION • Weeks of November 20-December 3, 2017 • Good news and good ideas for everyone!

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Speaking of Second to None...

Texarkana Symphony Orchestra is a Plum Worth Pursuing



Did you know our TSO (Texarkana Symphony Orchestra) is a plum worth pursuing? Before the soon-to-be-vacated position of Music Director was even publicly announced, over EIGHT individuals had submitted applications for the position, most applicants being nationally recognized conductors!

The musicians who play with the Texarkana Symphony Orchestra who do not live here, love coming here playing for the TSO and Texarkana and have dived in to help support the orchestra through both the transition to a new music director as well as the interim process.



Thanks to our WeeklyLIFT Partners for investing in "What's to Love TXK!"

STEPPING UP TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE



YOU!

WHEN YOU SHOP SMALL SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25 (and throughout this important retail season!)

Be a leader in making sure our local businesses succeed! Shop Small - Sat, Nov 25: When small businesses succeed, we all do. Join the movement this Nov. 25 by shopping small and sharing your favorite places!



A T-TOWN TOP TEN

HOLIDAY 2-WEEK EDITION

THINGS TO DO IN TEXARKANA Nov. 20-Dec. 3, 2017



Celebrate a blessed Thanksgiving!

1

TONIGHT: Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer at the Perot Theatre

7:30 P.M.

The beloved TV classic is off the screen and onto the stage this holiday season. Based on the animated television special "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer." featuring

favorites including Santa and Mrs. Claus, Hermey the Elf, Bumble the Abominable Snow Monster, Clarice, Yukon Cornelius and, of course, Rudolph. A wonderful holiday tradition that speaks to the misfit in all of us.



2 Scott Joplin Documented and Previewed

NOV. 24-25

Friday, Nov. 24 at 7 p.m. in the Old Town Saloon on the top floor of the Lindsey Railroad Museum on Broad, and on Saturday, Nov. 25 at 1 p.m. at TMS's Museum of Regional History (MORH). A video created as part of the centennial celebration of our region's ragtime giant. For more info: 903.490.5471.

3 Live Music

- **Pre-Thanksgiving Party w/Vernon Hinesley & The Misfits** at Fat Jack's Oyster Bar, Nov 22
- **Crooked Halo** at Scotties Grill, Nov. 25.



4 Open House & Arts Market at Regional Arts Center

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, DEC. 1-2

Featuring local and regional artists! An opportunity to purchase unique, handmade gifts just in time for the holidays!

5 56th Young Arkansas Artists Exhibition

While you're in the RAC don't miss:



Third Floor of the Regional Arts Center—as it travels the state for all to enjoy! On display through Dec. 8.

6 The Nutcracker presented by the Texarkana Community Ballet

DEC. 1-3
PEROT
THEATRE

A beloved tradition featuring Tchaikovsky's beloved score.



7 Quarter Horse Show at Four States Fair Grounds

DEC. 1-3

First show of the 2018 season.

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8 Live United Bowl

SATURDAY, DEC. 2

Texarkana's premier College Football Bowl Game featuring two of the top teams from NCAA Division II. Kickoff is at noon at the newly renovated Razorback Stadium in Texarkana, AR.



Christmas Tour of Homes.

DEC. 2-3

Tour five historic properties sponsored by the Quality Hill Neighborhood Association. Tickets \$25 at the Texarkana Chamber of Commerce, 819 N. State Line Ave.

STILL TIME

9 "Can You Carry Social Support in Your Back Pocket? The Relationship Between Cell Phones and Pain Experiences"

TODAY • NOON

10 In University Center 217 on the A&M-Texarkana campus. Hendrix College psychology professor Dr. Lindsay Kennedy presents as part of TAMU-T's PLACE series (Program for Learning and Community Engagement). FREE and open to public. "Cell phones are increasingly central to our social relationships, but can they help us with social pain?" For more information, Corrine.Hinton@tamut.edu

TOTALLY T-TOWN Food Faves

from the Leadership Texarkana Class of 2017-18



"My favorite is the Southwest grilled chicken salad at Ironwood Grill."

JASON SMITH

Superintendent, Pleasant Grove ISD



"I love the lasagna at Verona."

TONYA DUNPHY

Community & Parent Involvement Coordinator, Arkansas High/TASD

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