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Third time's the charm – ‘Art of Banksy’ now set for River North location

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Insult to injury: Working at an Amazon warehouse is dangerous. It's also the first of many problems facing injured workers

It's a serene moment, captured perfectly by Spokesman-Review photographer Jesse Tinsley. A single paddler floating on the Spokane River, the clock tower and the convention center backlit by a setting ...

Serene moment on the Spokane River ‘a great what not to do photo’

Do you like hiking through the woods, along a river or across a prairie? How about all of the above? Rock Springs Conservation Area has a trail for you.

Watch now: Rock Springs hits the mark for adventurers of all types

Floating down the river with your friends and a cold beverage tends to make for a fun summertime activity – and Midland has several great areas to launch kayaks for leisurely floating or intense ...

Down the river: Best spots to launch kayaks and helpful tips

Get the scoop on the new president and board members of the Rotary Club of Lakewood and Rocky River, an update on North Olmsted Homecoming and other community news in this week's A Place in the Sun ...

Steve Clark is new president of Rotary Club of Lakewood and Rocky River: A Place in the Sun

Fort Oglethorpe, GA: On Saturday, August 7, at 2 pm, Chickamauga and Chattahoochee National Military Park will present a special 90-minute, ranger-led car caravan tour exploring the role of ...

Sharpshooting along “The River of Death”

Six Run for the Money runners and eight Key Training Center program participants along with Key Center staff make their way over the Suwannee River on Thursday, July 22, on ...

Key Center runners cross the Suwannee River

Family members confirmed to News 8 on Monday that the bodies of the two teens who went missing along the Farmington River have been found.

Bodies of two missing teens found in the Farmington River; cause of death released

Safety, peace, and good weather are some of the things motorcyclists prayed for at today’s Blessing of the Bikes. The White River Junction V.A. Medical Center hosted the event Sunday morning.

Veterans and community members gather for the Blessing of the Bikes

Administration taking aim at revitalization of Pleasant Street in the Flint neighborhood section of the city long battling vacant and blighted properties.

'A neglected part of the city': How Fall River plans to revitalize the Flint neighborhood

MADERA COUNTY, Calif. (KSEE) – \$15 million of state money was presented to the San Joaquin River Conservancy on Friday, the giant check presented by State Assemblymember Dr. Joaquin ...

\$15M of state money is going to the San Joaquin River Conservancy, critics say timing is questionable

News Release Cheyenne River Youth Project It’s always exciting when artists, performers, volunteers, and guests gather at the Cheyenne River Youth Project in ...

RedCan 2021 wraps with the Cheyenne River Youth Project’s art center groundbreaking and Sampson Brothers performance

The Snake River Stampede kicks off at the Ford Idaho Center Tuesday. As fans await opening night, they got their fill Monday morning at the Buckaroo Breakfast, which takes place every Monday and ...

Snake River Stampede kicks off at the Ford Idaho Center Tuesday evening

River Road and the surrounding area has been home to several notable developments in recent months. Let's take a closer look.

River Road and the surrounding area is changing. Here's a look at 3 recent developments

During the quiet lockdown, COVID and the fire time, I took pictures and created drawings on large format paper with oil pastels, watercolors, crayons, chalk, and charcoal from burnt trees.” Her ...

Rachel Kippen, Our Ocean Backyard | Cleanups of river don’t faze Linda Cover

Join us on August 13 at 10:30 am for a morning of Tails and Tales with some of the residents that live at Riverside Reptiles Education Center! Get introduced to some scaly ambassadors with tails that ...

Riverside Reptiles At The Deep River Library

The Narrows Center for the Arts announces it has some great shows coming up in August, along with art gallery exhibitions, and its Summer Evenings in the Park series. “We have already received a warm ...

Narrows Center for the Arts announces August concerts and gallery shows

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Simon Winchester undertakes a journey from the mouth of the Yangste River to its source. This is the story of the river, it's cities and their people, built around the author's own journey to discover something of the essence of China and her people, the Yangtse being her soul and centre

When a team of five explorers embarked on a 1,200-mile journey down the Rio Grande, the river that marks the southern boundary of Texas and the US-Mexico border, their goal was to experience and capture on film the rugged landscapes of this vast frontier before the controversial construction of a border wall changed this part of the river forever. The crew-Texas filmmaker Ben Masters, Brazilian immigrant Filipe DeAndrade, Texas conservationist Jay Kieberg, wildlife biologist Heather Mackey, and Gustemalan-American river guide Austin Alvarado-began the trip in El Paso, pedaling mountain bikes through the city's dry river bed. Their path took them on horseback through the Big Bend, down the Wild and Scenic stretch of the river in canoes, and back to bikes from Laredo to Brownsville. They paddled the last ten miles through a forest of river cane to the Gulf of Mexico. As they made their way to the Gulf, they met and talked with the people who know and live on the river-border patrol, wildlife biologists, ranchers, politicians, farmers, social workers, locals, and travelers. They climbed the wall (in twenty seconds). They encountered rare black bears, bighorn sheep, and birds of all kinds. And they sought to understand the complexities of immigration, the efficacy of a wall, and the impact of its construction on water access, wildlife, and the culture of the borderlands. The River and the Wall is both a wild adventure on a spectacular river and a sobering commentary on the realities of walling it off.

The San Marcos springs have flowed for around ten million years. In this ode to the river they form, Jim Kimmel brings us a picture of a watercourse brimming with life, past and present. Native, non-native, prehistoric, and modern-day plants, animals, and people have inhabited the river and its banks. Kimmel touches on them all with the affectionate and knowledgeable voice of one whose own life has been closely linked to the San Marcos. As readers journey with Kimmel from the river's headwater springs to its junction with the Guadalupe River, The San Marcos: A River's Story will capture the imagination and provide valuable information about the river and its crucial role in the ecological health of Texas. Original photographs by Jerry Touchstone Kimmel add a sense of the beauty and complexity of the river.

Rising in the mountains of the Tibetan border, the Yangtze River, the symbolic heart of China, pierces 3,900 miles of rugged country before debouching into the oily swells of the East China Sea. Connecting China's heartland cities with the volatile coastal giant, Shanghai, it has also historically connected China to the outside world through its nearly one thousand miles of navigable waters. To travel those waters is to travel back in history, to sense the soul of China, and Simon Winchester takes us along with him as he encounters the essence of China--its history and politics, its geography and climate as well as engage in its culture, and its people in remote and almost inaccessible places. The River at the Center of the World is travel writing at its best: lively, informative, and thoroughly enchanting. A stunning tour of China, its people, and its history. Chosen as one of the best travel books of 1996 by the New York Times Book Review.

Writer and artist Margie Crisp has traveled the length of Texas' Colorado River, which rises in Dawson County, south of Lubbock, and flows 860 miles southeast across the state to its mouth on the Gulf of Mexico at Matagorda Bay. Echoing the truth of Heraclitus's ancient dictum, the river's character changes dramatically from its dusty headwaters on the High Plains to its meandering presence on the coastal prairie. The Colorado is the longest river with both its source and its mouth in Texas, and its water, from beginning to end, provides for the state's agricultural, municipal, and recreational needs. As Crisp notes, the Colorado River is perhaps most frequently associated with its middle reaches in the Hill Country, where it has been dammed to create the six reservoirs known as the Highland Lakes. Following Crisp as she explores the river, sometimes with her fisherman husband, readers meet the river's denizens--animal, plant, and human--and learn something about the natural history, the politics, and those who influence the fate of the river and the water it carries. Those who live intimately with the natural landscape inevitably formulate emotional responses to their surroundings, and the people living on or near the Colorado River are no exception. Crisp's own loving tribute to the river and its inhabitants is enhanced by the exquisite art she has created for this book. Her photographs and maps round out the useful and beautiful accompaniments to this thoughtful portrait of one of Texas' most beloved rivers. Book website: www.coloradorivertx.com Book blog: riverofcontrasts.wordpress.com Author website: www.margiecrisp.com Former first lady Laura Bush unveils this year's Texas Book Festival poster designed by artist Margie Crisp, author of River of Contrasts: The Texas Colorado. The poster features cliff swallows flying over the Colorado River. Photo by Grant Miller

"Come with us to learn about a great Texas river ... We will explore ... camp on its banks ... and look for places of excitement, beauty and learning - some of them surprising." From its ancient headwaters on the semiarid plains of eastern New Mexico to its mouth at the Gulf of Mexico, the Brazos River carves a huge and paradoxical crescent through Texas geography and history.

Incorporating seven years of photography and research, Krista Schlyer portrays life along the Anacostia River, a Washington, DC, waterway rich in history and biodiversity that has nonetheless lingered for years in obscurity and neglect in our nation's capital. River of Redemption offers an experience of the river that reveals its eons of natural history, centuries of destruction, and decades of restoration efforts. The story of the Anacostia echoes the story of rivers across America. Inspired by Aldo Leopold's classic book, A Sand County Almanac, Krista Schlyer evokes a consciousness of time and place, taking readers through the seasons in the watershed as well as through the river's complex history and ecology. As with rivers nationwide, the ways we've changed the Anacostia affect the people and wildlife that inhabit its shores, from the headwaters in Maryland, past its confluence with the Potomac River, and ultimately to the Chesapeake Bay. Centuries of abuse at the hands of people who have altered the landscape and mistreated the waterway have transformed it into a polluted, toxic soup unfit for swimming or fishing. The forgotten river is both a reminder of the worst humanity can do to the natural landscape and a wellspring of memory that offers a roadmap back to health and well-being for watershed residents, human and non-human alike. Blending stunning photography with informative and poignant text, River of Redemption offers the opportunity to reinvent our role in urban ecology and to redeem our relationship with this national river and watersheds nationwide.

Rainfall, hurricanes, rivers, reservoirs, springs, lakes, aquifers, wetlands, floodplains, water parks, irrigation, wells--the list of water-related topics in Texas is long and critical to the state's economic and political future. Texas Water Atlas provides the first comprehensive reference for water-related topics in Texas. Geographers Lawrence E. Estaville and Richard A. Earl have compiled a host of data to visually convey vital information on Texas' climate, surface and groundwater, water uses and hazards, water quantity and quality, recreation, future supply projections, and the environmental management of its water resources. In addition to more than 150 color maps, the book includes brief introductions to each chapter and a Texas water timeline that traces the state's water events since European settlement. An excellent resource for teachers, students, and policy makers, the atlas promises also to be an invaluable tool for conservation professionals and the general public. To learn more about The Meadows Center for Water and the Environment, sponsors of this book's series, please click here.

First appearing on early Spanish maps as the Rio Escondido, or hidden river, and later named Río de las Nueces after the abundant pecan trees along its banks, the Nueces today is a stream of seeming contradictions: a river that runs above and below ground; a geographic reminder of a history both noble and egregious; and a spring-fed stream transformed into a salty, steep-sided channel. From its fresh, clear headwaters on the Edwards Plateau, Margie Crisp and William B. Montgomery follow the river through the mesquite and prickly pear of the South Texas Plains, to the river's end in Nueces and Corpus Christi Bays on the Gulf of Mexico. With vivid prose and paintings, they record their travels as they explore the length of the river on foot, kayak, and fishing boat, ultimately weaving a vivid portrait of today's Nueces. Capturing the river's subtle beauty, abundant wildlife, diverse culture, and unique history of exploration, conflict, and settlement, they reveal the untold story of this enigmatic river with passion, humor, and reverence.

Growing up near the Sabine, journalist Wes Ferguson, like most East Texans, steered clear of its murky, debris-filled waters, where alligators lived in the backwater sloughs and an occasional body was pulled from some out-of-the-way crossing. The Sabine held a reputation as a haunt for a handful of hunters and loggers, more than a few water moccasins, swarms of mosquitoes, and the occasional black bear lumbering through swamp oak and cypress knees. But when Ferguson set out to do a series of newspaper stories on the upper portion of the river, he and photographer Jacob Croft Botter were entranced by the river's subtle beauty and the solitude they found there. They came to admire the self-described "river rats" who hunted, fished, and swapped stories along the muddy water--plain folk who love the Sabine as much as Hill Country vacationers love the clear waters of the Guadalupe. Determined to travel the rest of the river, Ferguson and Botter loaded their gear and launched into the stretch of river that charts the line between the states and ends at the Gulf of Mexico.