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Lariat photo editor, Richard Hirst, shows us why **study abroad** is always a good idea. **pg. C6**



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Find all the iconic restaurants and **hidden gems** of Waco in one easy location. **pg. C3**

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Jon Foreman talks music... and yurts. **pg. C5**

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Dairyette Delays

Heritage sets new opening date, again

Trey Honeycutt | Photographer

OPENING “SOON” Four months past the initial opening date, Heritage sits partially renovated next to its sister shop, Common Grounds. Owners Blake and Kimberly Batson hope to open the location mid-October.

HELENA HUNT

Staff Writer

After renovation delays, the Waco ice cream shop Heritage Creamery is set to take its cart-bound business to a permanent location in mid-October.

Owners Blake and Kimberly Batson plan to open the brick-and-mortar Heritage Creamery location at 1123 Eighth St. by mid-October. Although the Lariat had previously reported that the store would open in April or mid-summer, opening has been delayed by renovations. A kitchen must be added to the for-

mer Harts ‘N’ Crafts store.

In the meantime, the business has operated out of a now-familiar red and wood ice cream cart pulled by a bicycle. According to Dustin Patterson, Heritage Creamery’s general manager, the cart has allowed the new business to test flavors and learn the vagaries of the ice cream industry.

“We’ve gotten to work out the kinks of ice cream production and minimize our costs,” Patterson said.

The cart has also brought the new business to locations throughout Waco. Heritage Creamery’s In-

stagram account shows employees selling ice cream at Magnolia Market, the Waco Downtown Farmers Market and Common Grounds. Patterson and the Batsons are passionate about supporting local businesses and using locally sourced ingredients.

“We source our ingredients locally, and therefore our flavors change as the Texas seasons change,” Patterson said. “This harkens back to a time when people didn’t have an endless supply of ingredients flown from all around the world to their closest supermarket. They worked with the ingredients

that the earth gave them.”

Patterson said popular flavors like brown butter and Texas pecan, as well as ginger pear and Texas peach tea, create a tie to the local region for customers.

“We want customers to feel that they’re investing in Waco when they’re buying our ice cream,” Patterson said. “We want to be known for supporting Waco and pushing awareness of local foods and the farmers market.”

Chris McGowan, Waco’s Director of Urban Development, said he

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This week in Waco:

>> Monday

5 p.m. — Vertical with the Jeff Johnson band. Waco Hall

>> Tuesday

8 p.m. — All Sons & Daughters concert. Common Grounds

>> Wednesday

8-10 p.m. — Open Mic Night. Common Grounds

>> Thursday

7 p.m. — Acoustic Café Lip Sync Contest. SUB den

7 p.m. — Third Thursday Open Mic. Tea 2 Go.

8:45 p.m. — Jon Foreman with Jillian Edwards. Common Grounds

2:45, 6:15, 9:15 p.m. — Special Screenings of Grease. Waco Hippodrome

>> Friday

6 p.m. — Rising Sons. Waco Hippodrome

8 p.m. — Dueling Pianos. Waco Hippodrome

9 p.m. — Late Night. Bobo Spiritual Life Center

Paisley to Play Traditions Rally

THE FACTS

Sept. 11

Fountain Mall

5:30 p.m.

>> Gates open

7 p.m.

>> Rally begins

7:30 p.m.

>> Opening act

8:15 p.m.

>> Paisley takes the stage

EMMA KING

Staff Writer

Brad Paisley will be visiting Baylor’s campus and performing a free concert on Sept. 11, the night before Baylor football kicks off its first home game against Lamar University.

Thanks to Baylor’s partnership with IMG College sports, a marketing company employed to manage McLane Stadium, Paisley is playing the show as a part of his Country Nation College Tour presented by Zaxby’s.

Brian George, general manager of the IMG and Baylor partnership, said the concert will take place on Fountain Mall for the 2015 Traditions Rally.

“WME-IMG appreciates the partnership with Baylor University and we are excited to show the power of WME-IMG by bringing Brad Paisley to our

students,” George said.

George said there will be an area designated for students, but he recommended that everyone arrive early.

The stage will be set up in front of the ongoing Fountain Mall construction and bleachers will be placed on the opposite end by Moody Memorial Library for overflow. Fountain Mall will be fenced off and there will be security checkpoints to gain entry. Food trucks will be stationed between the Mars McLean Science and Sid Richardson buildings.

According to a press release from Paisley’s representation, The Raging Idiots will be opening for Paisley. The duo includes Bobby Bones, host of the Bobby Bones Show, and Eddie Garcia, the show’s producer.

The title of the entire college tour

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Amy Sussman | The Associated Press

BIG MAN ON CAMPUS Country music superstar and latest coach on NBC’s “The Voice,” Brad Paisley, will be playing this year’s Traditions Rally on campus.



Sarah Pyo | Photographer

CURTAIN CALL The 25th Street Theater has been standing for 70 years. That might change soon.

Historic Theater in Jeopardy of Demolition

LEGAL DISPUTE HINDERS PROGRESS

HELENA HUNT

Staff Writer

Although investors have hopes to renovate the former movie theater and nightclub built in 1945, the 25th Street Theater is caught in a tangle of legal and ownership disputes.

Only a distinctive green sign remains to show the 25th Street Theater’s past as a celebrated Waco theater and

nightclub. Since its closure in 1993, the theater has sat empty. According to Larry Holze, director of municipal information, the city does not have the funding to renovate the theater. A private investor must be the one to come forward to restore it. Despite efforts to preserve the theater, legal disputes have allowed it to remain derelict.

“It is in very bad shape,” said Holze. “Theoretically it

should be in line for demolition.”

Waco businessman Trey Concilio is at the forefront of efforts to restore the theater and prevent demolition. However, legal quandaries have prevented him and his fundraising project, Save the 25th Street Theater, from making progress. After a report run by KWBU in 2014 stating that

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New eats in Waco



Sarah Pyo | Photographer

EAT YOUR HEART OUT, BABY Restaurants are flocking in droves to Waco. From popular national chains like Zoe's Kitchen and In-N-Out Burger to specialty shops like Steel City Pops, a shortage of options won't likely be argued among Wacoans.

EMMA KING
Staff Writer

The list of new restaurants coming to Waco seems to be growing by the minute, with many buying up locations closer to Baylor's campus.

Laura Chiota, budget manager for the City of Waco said the restaurants will be very successful thanks to the influx of Baylor students and Waco residents over the past couple years.

"I can't imagine a better place to be right now," Chiota said.

In the year since McLane Stadium opened, Chiota said there has been a boom in Waco's the sales-tax rebate.

"I just expect those revenue numbers to keep growing," Chiota said. "We're very excited. I personally am excited because I like to go out to eat!"

Check out all the new options to be available in the coming months.

BUBBA'S 33

Bubba's 33, located on S. Jack Kultgen expressway, opened this summer with a menu full of pizza, burgers, sandwiches, beer and more. According to the sports bar's website, they have 60 HDTVs visible from every seat. Photos of the establishment feature football games on big screens and neon lights surrounding the bar.

FREDDY'S FROZEN CUSTARD & STEAKBURGERS

Already present at a location on Hewitt Drive, Freddy's Frozen Custard & Steakburgers is in the process of opening another location, right across from Baylor's campus. According to their website, Freddy's calls themselves "a salute to America," founded by a man who loved the country and the food that made it great. Their entire menu is pretty much summed up in the restaurant's name, with the exception of sandwiches and hot dogs. According to the website, "Today, thousands gather at Freddy's for food and fellowship that fills their stomachs and warms their souls."

IN-N-OUT BURGER

In-N-Out Burger will also be joining the restaurant scene in Baylor student territory. Their newest establishment is set for construction where the former Clarion Hotel stood, off of South Fifth Street and the Interstate 35 frontage road. Originating in California in 1948, In-N-Out prides themselves in doing things the "old-fashioned way," according to their website. They only serve burgers, fries and drinks, so, according to their website, their patties mean everything to them. However, their menu does feature a grilled cheese and an "animal style" option made for vegetarian customers. According

to In-N-Out general offices, they plan on opening this new location by the end of 2015.

FUEGO TORTILLA GRILL

Serving mostly Mexican food, Fuego Tortilla Grill will be coming to campus and setting up shop off of Interstate 35, near Vitek's BBQ.

Some of their menu titles include, "Big Break-Feast Tacos," "Best Tacos on the Planet," and "Giant Puffy Tacos." Although the restaurant's motto is to "Grab Life by the Taco," their menu also lists salads, soups and sweets in addition to other Fuego-style dishes.

STEEL CITY POPS

Steel City Pops is a family-owned, organic popcorn store moving to the Waco area either by the end of this year or beginning of next year. Currently, Steel City Pops products are sold at the Waco Farmers Market and at Vitek's BBQ on Fridays. Jim Watkins, founder and owner of SCP, graduated from Baylor. Ryan Childress, general manager of the Fort Worth location said Watkins loves Waco and feels a great connection to it.

"I was blown away by how fast Waco is growing culturally. It just has a lot of really great stuff going on," Childress said.

Their store will be located where the old Clarion hotel once stood. Childress said they

want to be a part of Waco and are excited about operating the new location.

TWISTED ROOT BURGER CO.

Set to open in September, Twisted Root Burger Co. is moving into the old Texas Playhouse on the Interstate 35 frontage road between University Parks Drive and Fourth Street. Twisted Root was created in 2005, featured on "Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives" in 2009 and has chosen Waco for its 14th location.

"Waco is awesome!" said Jason Boso, Proprietor of Twisted Root Burger Co.

He said although people eat hamburgers all the time, he is hoping to provide a unique visitation experience for those who choose his restaurant. There will be a bar, a 12-foot television screen and a plethora of music genres in which guests can indulge.

ZOE'S KITCHEN

Zoe's Kitchen's construction is in progress on S. Valley Mills Drive. The eatery delivers what their website calls "recipes for life."

According to the site, Zoe's Kitchen embraces southern hospitality and the Mediterranean way of life. Each individual restaurant is unique, so the menus vary based on zip code. However, they always have vegan, vegetarian and gluten-free options.

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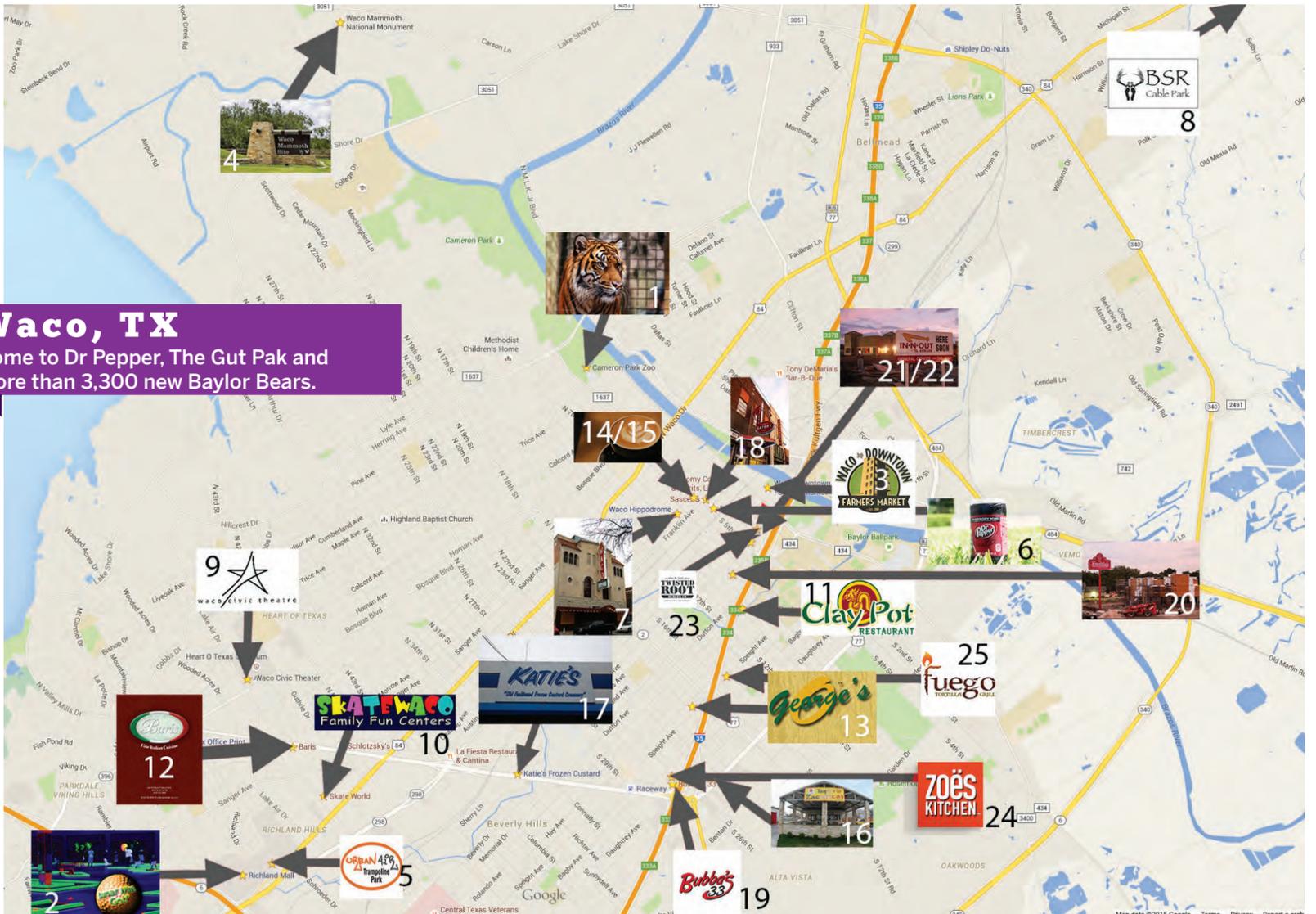
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WHERE IN THE WACK IS THAT?

CITY QUIRKS: Legend states that Cameron Park's Lovers Leap got its name from a pair of American Indian lovers who jumped into the Brazos from the titular cliff.

In 1899 a blizzard rolled through Waco, lowering temperatures to negative 10 degrees. Wacoans enjoyed the unusual weather by ice skating on the frozen Brazos River.

Dr Pepper was not the only soda invented in Waco. In 1937 Grover C. Thomsen and R.H. Roark created the "Sun Tang Red Cream Soda," later known as Big Red.



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Richard Hirst | Photo Editor

GOING OFF CAMPUS >>

With new students having finally moved to Baylor, there are plenty of "firsts" to cross off the freshman bucket list. We've compiled comprehensive lists of attractions to see and restaurants to try on surrounding pages to help with the effort. The reality of new establishments coming to Waco in recent months has also been taken into consideration.

While campus holds a solace and comfort for those just moving here, I guarantee exploring this city won't disappoint. There are plenty of sights to see and people to meet. All it takes is some time off campus to know how sweet Waco is beyond the Baylor perimeter. Find out for yourself.

— Rebecca Flannery, A&L Editor

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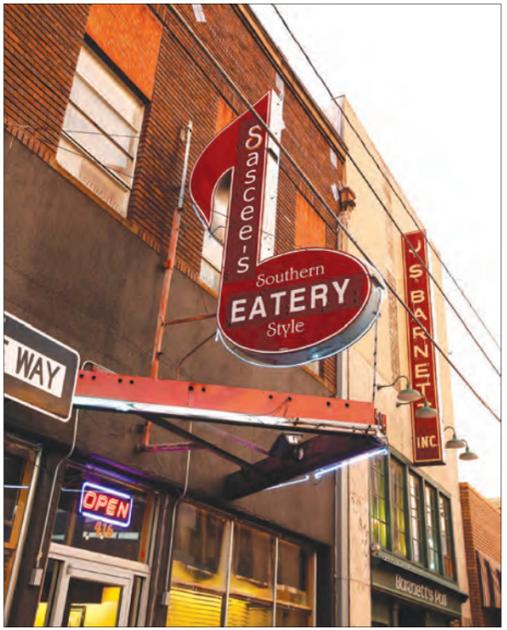
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- CLAY POT**
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claypotwaco.com
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- BARIS**
904 N Valley Mills
bariswaco.yolasite.com
254-772-2900
- GEORGE'S**
1925 Speight Ave.
georgesrestaurant.com
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Facebook: Sergio's Food Truck
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- DICHOTOMY**
508 Austin Ave.
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- TAQUERIA ZACATECAS**
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Facebook: Katie's Frozen Custard
254-754-5899
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416 Franklin Ave.
sascees.com
254-339-1455
- BUBBA'S 33**
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Coming Soon:

- FREDDY'S**
Opening early October
- IN 'N' OUT**
Opening by end of year
- STEEL CITY POPS**
Opening end of 2015 or beginning of 2016
- TWISTED ROOT BURGER CO.**
Location slotted across campus
- ZOE'S KITCHEN**
Location slotted
- FUEGO**
Opening late fall



HOT DANG Hot wings from Sascee's will rival the spice of any pepper, as told by the first-hand knowledge of one photo editor. The down-home cookin' and southern kitchen feel welcomes all to the tasty menu Mama would be proud of.



ICE ICE, BABY Vanilla custard with cherry and hot fudge from Katie's Frozen Custard. While custard may be its claim to fame, the gas station-turned-diner serves hot dogs, burgers and fries for those looking for something savory.

Richard Hirst | Photo Editor

Where to go when you are craving...



Richard Hirst | Photo Editor

GOOD EATS From left: Italian plates prepared for Baris customers, Sascee's chicken fried steak, ice cream and a cheeseburger from Katie's Custard.

RAE JEFFERSON
Desk Editor

At some point in time, we have all been "The Pregnant Woman." The tendency to occasionally crave specific types of food is common to the human experience. Fortunately, the food scene in Waco is as diverse as the cravings its inhabitants might have. Here's what to eat when you get a hankering to grub.

VIETNAMESE:
CLAY POT

920 Jack Kultgen Freeway
11 a.m. - 10 p.m., Tuesday to Sunday

The only restaurant serving Vietnamese cuisine in Waco, Clay Pot has developed a following of foodies who love pho and the signature clay pot dishes which include rice, steamed vegetables and stir fried meat or tofu. Guests have the option to dine at tables or barefoot, atop pillows. Delivery available.

THAI:
BANGKOK ROYAL

215 S University Parks Drive
11 a.m. - 3 p.m.; 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.; Monday to Friday
Noon - 3 p.m.; 5 p.m. - 10 p.m.; Saturday

Also the only restaurant of its kind in Waco, Bangkok offers a wide variety of Thai curry,

noodle and rice dishes. The restaurant has different pricing for the lunch and dinner menus, so check online for this information.

ITALIAN:
BARIS

904 N Valley Mills
11 a.m. - 10 p.m., Tuesday to Sunday

Baris is a staple to the Waco community. The Italian cuisine offered by the family-run restaurant is affordable, and therefore popular with Baylor students. From pizzas to pastas, Baris offers from-scratch dishes that cover the full scope of Italian grub.

BURGERS:
DUBL-R OLD FASHIONED HAMBURGERS

1810 Herring Ave.
10 a.m. - 6:30 p.m., Monday to Friday
10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Saturday

It may not look like much from the outside, but rest assured, Dubl-R offers some of the best burgers in Waco. The restaurant offers take-out and call-in options to suit foodies with tight schedules, so give 'em a call.

SOUL FOOD:
SASCEE'S

416 Franklin Ave.
11 a.m. - 9 p.m., Wednesday to Friday
11 a.m. - 2 a.m., Saturday
1 p.m. - 6 p.m., Sunday

Sascee's speaks to the southern tradition of soul food with dishes like smothered chicken, collard greens and cornbread. If you grew up on food like this, you won't be disappointed. If you didn't grow up on food like this, you won't be disappointed.

HOMESTYLE:
GEORGE'S RESTAURANT

1925 Speight Ave.
6:30 a.m. - midnight, Monday to Saturday
For more than 75 years, George's has served southern meals to Wacoans and visitors alike. If you want something fried, George's will surely deliver. Best of all, it offers a \$5.99 lunch special every day.

BURRITOS/TACOS:
SERGIO'S FOOD TRUCK

in front of Dichotomy (508 Austin Ave.)
Lunch hours (no times posted)

In the past few years, Waco has experienced a food truck boom. Mexican cuisine was not left out, with the mobile version of local restaurant Sergio's selling some of the best and cheapest

Mexican street fare in the city. Guests can enjoy breakfast or lunch-style burritos and tacos on the streets of downtown Waco.

FROZEN DESSERT:
KATIE'S FROZEN CUSTARD

602 S Valley Mills Drive
11 a.m. - 11 p.m., Monday to Thursday
11 a.m. - midnight, Friday and Saturday
Noon - 11 p.m., Sunday

In a town abounding with frozen yogurt chains, Katie's offers the local charm of a gas-station-turned-custard-stand. The frozen treat is freshly prepared every hour and is used desserts like gourmet banana splits and sundaes. Katie's also offers dinner foods like hamburgers and hot dogs.

COFFEE:
DICHOTOMY COFFEE & SPIRITS

508 Austin Ave.
6 a.m. - midnight, Sunday to Thursday
6 a.m. - 2 a.m., Friday and Saturday

Dichotomy is an upscale coffee shop in downtown Waco that offers traditional espresso coffee drinks, as well as spirits. The shop even serves a drink called the "1885," which pairs espresso shots with the Waco-appropriate Dr Pepper.

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Jon Foreman to play at Common Grounds

RAE JEFFERSON
Copy Desk Chief

Q&A

For almost two decades, singer and songwriter Jon Foreman has made music his life. The talented musician has found time to front alternative rock band Switchfoot while producing music in solo projects on the side.

Foreman will perform songs from his newest project, "The Wonderlands," at 8:45 p.m. Thursday at Common Grounds. "The Wonderlands" is a collection of 24 songs divided among four EPs, "Sunlight," "Shadows," "Darkness" and "Dawn."

Foreman spoke with the Lariat about his love for music, his fans and Common Grounds coffee. The show will also feature musician Jillian Edwards.

This won't be your first time in town. Are you excited to be coming back to Waco?

Oh, man. I remember the first time we ever played Waco. It was a while ago. We've probably been there at least five times. Common Grounds is a really, really special place.

I get to play shows all over the world, and I love those little hole-in-the-wall places that have great coffee and great people. That's a very special thing that you guys have there.

What is your favorite venue to play in Texas?

I'm looking forward to, of course, playing the coffee shop. I've got a friend who lives just outside of Austin and he has a yurt and an airstream and a



Courtesy photo

fire pit. We have a day off, so I'm going to go up there and just [play] acoustic by the fire. I'm really excited to reconnect with my friend and spend the night in his yurt or airstream.

I don't quite know what a yurt is. I'm saying it like I know what it means, but really it could be anything. I think I know what it means.

How are things different when you're performing solo as compared to when you're working with your band?

With Switchfoot, you've got a drum set and electric guitars – it's a little more of a celebration. It's like a megaphone. That's what rock feels like to me. Whereas with the solo stuff, it's exactly what we were talking about, kind of a camp fireside chat – questions, doubts, confessions.

What themes do you deal with in your EP series, "The Wonderlands"?

The moment you start talking about doubts, I think faith is the flip side of that coin. A lot of songs on "The Wonderlands" are wrestling with light and darkness. I thought a day was a perfect analogy for that. There are 24 songs for 24 hours. There are various shades of sunlight and shadow. "The Wonderlands" is an attempt to tap into those doubts and questions.

Will you be doing more solo projects in the future, or can fans expect to see more things from Switchfoot?

I've had the incredible gift of playing music with some of the best people on the planet. I have such respect for them, not

just as musicians, but also as people. We love making music together and that is still intact. The only difference is, for me, there are things within that context that I couldn't say in a solo project, and vice versa. Fiction Family, the solo thing, Switchfoot – they're all just various ways of expression. Fortunately, there's no conflict between any of them.

For the time being, you are touring solo and billed alongside artists like Jillian Edwards, who will be at Common Grounds with you. Have you ever worked with her before?

This is the first time. I know her husband, Will Chapman.

I'm hoping we can talk him into coming out with us or something. We're on tour right now with Needtobreathe, Colony House and Drew Holcomb with Switchfoot. It's been just an amazing run of shows to have together.

Speaking of shows, during Switchfoot's concert at Baylor last fall, you seemed to be really invested in the crowd as you performed. Do you feel like fans are important to live performances?

I don't see any delineation between the stage and the crowd. I feel like the idea that we're all in this together,

singing the same songs, that's what I love about music. I grew up listening to punk rock bands where you were playing for 50 people and they were all in bands. Most of the people in the crowd were opening acts, and the music was an expression, not a hierarchy.

Whether I'm playing an after-show for free across the street from the venue, a coffee shop or the bar next door, those are all attempts to express with music and with action that the human soul is a huge part of what I do and why I do it. It kind of levels the playing field and says we're all in it together. These are my songs, but I'm interested in hearing everyone.

Common Grounds

- Aug 25-** All Sons and Daughters
- Aug 27-** Jon Foreman With Jillian Edwards
- Aug 30-** The Collection with Lowland Edwards
- Sept 4-** Brandy Toops
- Sept 5-** Blake Adams (The Mentalist)
- Sept 11-** The Dirty River Boys
- Sept 18-** David Ramirez
- Sept 22-** Patty Griffin With John Moreland
- Sept 25-** Chris August
- Oct 4-** Drew Holcomb & The Neighbors with Penny & Sparrow
- Oct 15-** The Digital Age
- Nov 6-** Josh Garrels
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THEATER from Page C1

Concilio would soon be able to begin restoration, the media made little mention again of his project.

"We have deliberately tried to keep somewhat of a low profile over the years as we have dug through the legal issues that have been tied to the 25th for the last 22-plus years," Concilio said.

Bill Foster, former owner of the block adjacent to the theater, commented on these legal issues. He said the theater was operated by ABC Theaters, and later the nightclub was owned by Richard Olsen and his son Richard Keiffer. After Keiffer was killed in Dallas in 1993, the ownership of the theater passed to his father.

"[Olsen] could care less about it," Foster said, "It's in a quagmire, I guess."

Sale of the property by Olsen is complicated by the fact that he shares the property with another, now deceased,

owner. Olsen evidently cannot sell the theater to an investor like Concilio because it is held under another name than his own.

Holze said if renovated, the theater would be preserved as a piece of Waco history and again become central to the city's culture.

Holze recalls visiting the movie theater as a child. From 1945 to 1982, he said Disney movies attracted throngs of young audiences and the premiere of the first Star Wars movie in 1977 brought a large crowd to the theater.

As The Lariat reported in 2007, the movie theater closed in 1982 and reopened as a nightclub in 1986. High school and college students flooded club, which played 80s New Wave and punk bands like the Lightning Seeds and X. A Facebook page dedicated to the theater features comments by former club-goers who ex-

press their hopes that it will one day be restored.

Barbara Bridgewater, president of the Sanger Heights Neighborhood Association, said she would like to see the theater turned back into a gathering place for Waco residents.

Like Concilio, she said members of the neighborhood where the theater is located have been prevented from assisting in renovations due to the ownership disputes.

"We really don't want the city to tear it down," Bridgewater said. "We would love to have some Spanish-speaking films, to have local theater and we'd love it to be used."

Despite the difficulties surrounding the theater, Concilio said he is remaining hopeful.

"It's been a long passionate journey for our group, and a longer journey still awaits us," Concilio said.



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KEEP ON KEEPING ON Although renovations seem to be at a stand still, Heritage Creamery Owner Blake Batson said the shop will be ready mid-October.

PAISLEY from Page C1

is based on Paisley's new single "County Nation" from his newest hit album, Moonshine in the Truck. The single, a celebration of the blue-collar spirit and America's passion for sports, is slated for on-air

radio release by September 14, according to the press release.

"Getting Brad Paisley to come is cool and it's free," said Waco junior Daniel Dorminy. "Talk about a draw to Baylor University."

Other locations on Paisley's "Country Nation College Tour presented by Zaxby's" include IMG College partners Virginia Tech, The University of Texas and The University of Arkansas.

supports the mission of Heritage Creamery and similar local businesses.

"I love local businesses," McGowan said. "They help build our community and our local identity."

This local identity, according to Heritage Creamery, is the memory of Texas summers

brought forth by quality recipes eaten with loved ones. Dustin Patterson traces the "Heritage" in Heritage Creamery to owner Blake Batson's memories of eating his dad's chocolate chip cookies with friends. Patterson said that the ice cream shop is meant to foster that kind of community in Waco.

Heritage Creamery's permanent location adjacent to Common Grounds will bring the Waco community closer to Baylor's campus. Belleville senior Caleb Byrd agrees.

"I think its proximity to Baylor will improve the on-campus experience," Byrd said.

However, Heritage Creamery's story will not

end with the opening of the location adjacent to Common Grounds. If the business succeeds, Patterson and the Batsons say they hope to take their ice cream even farther.

"In the future, we might potentially open up other locations and move into other cities," Patterson said.

DELAYS from Page C1

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Daily Puzzle

Across

- 1 "Just as I suspected!"
- 4 Alabama protest city
- 9 Crude dwelling
- 14 Sun, in Mexico
- 15 Oak-to-be
- 16 Company newbie
- 17 *Historic Chicago landmark co-founded by Jane Addams
- 19 With time to spare
- 20 Angler's basket
- 21 One thousandth: Pref.
- 23 Fishtank organism
- 24 *Anxiety caused by confinement
- 29 Bill, Louis and Carrie
- 30 Porthole view
- 31 Flight-related prefix
- 32 Either of the first two consonants in "coccyx," but not the third
- 34 "We __ Overcome"
- 35 Lavish affairs
- 38 *Dress fancily
- 41 Summer shirt
- 42 Curving
- 44 Annual athletic awards
- 46 Actor Connery
- 47 "Midnight Cowboy" hustler
- Rizzo
- 49 Cantina snack
- 53 *Old phone feature for multiple calls
- 55 Stein fillers
- 56 Coeur d' __, Idaho
- 57 Braying beasts
- 58 Drainage conduit
- 60 In tidy condition, and a hint to the first words of the answers to starred clues
- 64 Remove pencil marks
- 65 Dutch bloom
- 66 Scratching post user
- 67 Inner turmoil
- 68 Oozes
- 69 Aliens, briefly

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6 Comical Costello
7 __ Butterworth
8 Iron-poor blood condition
9 Place for books
10 Racetrack near Miami
11 Reach, as a destination
12 Animation still
13 __ lime pie
18 Collar attachment
22 Vacation stopover
24 Apple discard
25 Adaptable, electrically
26 "Waiting for Godot" playwright Samuel
27 Writer __ Stanley Gardner
28 Film cameo, e.g.
33 Mix in

34 Hog's home
35 Hyphen-like punctuation
36 Cookie with a Thins variety
37 Rascal
39 __ buco: veal dish
40 "Once __ a time ..."
43 Nonstop
45 Secret supply
47 Compete for a seat
48 '50s nuclear trials
50 Strasbourg's region
51 Spy on
52 Balance sheet heading
54 Artist's flat hat
57 Once-sacred snakes
58 Baltic, for one
59 Directional suffix
61 Color chart listing
62 Land in la mer
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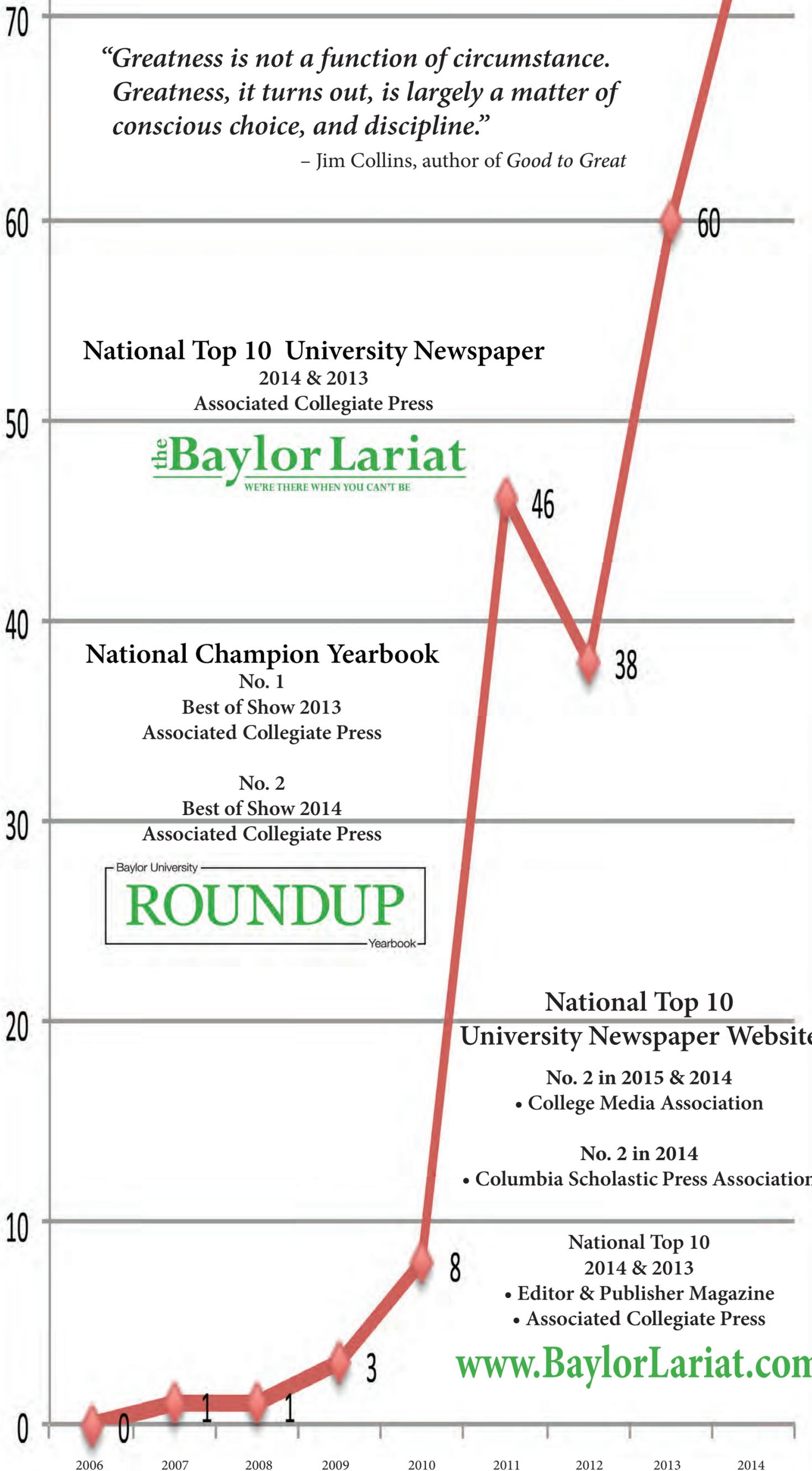
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