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SMITHSON VALLEY AND BOERNE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL GAMES NOW ON GVTC TV

Fans of the Smithson Valley and Boerne High School football teams will have several chances to relive their games this season. For the first time, Guadalupe Valley Telecommunications Cooperative (GVTC) is recording and tape delay re-broadcasting the games of both teams, including half-time, on channel 14 of GVTC's cable TV system.



"The communities that surround these schools are in the heart of our service area

and they back these teams incredibly strongly, so we thought this would be a great way for us to show our support as a local corporate citizen," said Ritchie Sorrells, President.

The recorded games will be shown numerous times during the week leading up to the next game on the schedule. Broadcasts of the Smithson Valley games will take place on Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m. and Friday, 5:30 p.m. Broadcasts of the Boerne games will take place on Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m.; and Friday, 2:30 p.m.

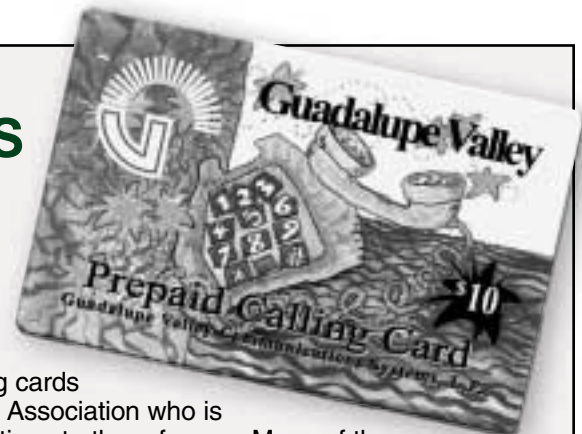
In addition, Smithson Valley head coach, Larry Hill, will co-host a coach's show each week to assess the previous week's game and preview Smithson Valley's upcoming opponent. #054211 This show will air 30 minutes prior to the Smithson Valley games.

"These broadcasts will enhance the experiences of all the students who participate in these extracurricular activities, because they will see the results of their hard work and gain additional satisfaction from their achievements," said Marc Walker, Comal ISD Superintendent.

Football will not be the sole focus of the broadcasts. They also will feature halftime performances of the school's marching bands, as well as their dance, flag and drill teams, and footage of the cheerleaders.

GVTC ASSISTS HURRICANE VICTIMS WITH DONATION OF CALLING CARDS

GVTC recently made a generous donation of calling cards to Texas Telephone Association to assist victims of Hurricane Katrina. We sent 200 ten dollar prepaid calling cards worth 30,000 minutes to our Texas Telephone Association who is coordinating distribution of TTA member donations to the refugees. Many of the victims still lack the means and tools to contact family and friends. That is where the communications industry has stepped in to help.



GVTC SPONSORS MURDER MYSTERY AT BOERNE COMMUNITY THEATRE

The staff at our Boerne Office presented a check to Mr. Jack Simmons, who serves on the Board of Governors for the Boerne Community Theatre. GVTC's donation is used to co-produce one of five productions to be performed in the 2005-2006 season. This year's co-production is *Scotland Road* by Jeffrey Hatcher. The G-rated murder mystery will run from November 4th - 20th, 2005.

The Boerne Community Theatre has been the nonprofit community theatre of Boerne, Texas, since 1991. It presents five regular productions each year, a children's drama camp and other special events. For more information about the group, visit their web site at <http://www.boernetheatre.org>.

Pictured above right are Cindy Havens, Norma Huerta, Tori Bradford, Jodi Smith, Linda Keller, Jack Simmons, Kim Splawn, Ellen Crawford, Sonia Aguillon, Catherine Carson, and Jennifer Sanchez.



GVTC PROVIDES COMPUTERS TO MOUNTAIN VALLEY SCHOOL

Students of Mountain Valley School will have several ways to sharpen their computer skills this year with the help of Guadalupe Valley Telecommunications Cooperative (GVTC). We recently donated thirty monitors, six computers along with three laser printers to the students.



GVTC employees John Buckelew, Herman Vogel, and Micah Shoemake with computers and printers

"GVTC has always enjoyed its partnerships with its communities. We especially take great satisfaction in supporting our area youth through donations like this and are very happy to be able to help out an area school," said Jeff Mnick, GVTC Vice President Sales & Marketing.

Last year, we made a similar donation to Bracken Christian School. As we completed the upgrade of our office equipment this year, we donated the replaced computers, printers and monitors to Mountain Valley Elementary.

Annually we also host the GVTC Charitable Partnership Golf Classic that directly benefits the Comal Public School Foundation.



Dr. Denise Kern, Mountain Valley principal, with GVTC employees John Buckelew, Gabe Callaway, Jeff Mnick, Herman Vogel, Micah Shoemake, Ola Armstrong, and Ritchie Sorrells

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