

SUMMER 2020

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Cool 80s Style For
The New Normal
Yes, Please.

DALLAS DIVINE

Joyce Goss' World

ACAPULCO? ABSOLUTLEY.

The Texas Jet Set
Legend Lives On

HOW TEXAS GIVES

Statewide Philanthropy

TOP DOWN COOL

Aston Martin Zooms In

+ BEST OF SUMMER

Where To Go, Who To Know &
Why It Matters More Than Ever

features

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86. EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE

To move forward, sometimes we have to look back to the future. The 80s, to be exact. Your next big events require a big attitude, and often, big dresses. Join us as we create an homage to the time of your life.

Photography by Mark Oberlin
Styling by Dion “Bleu” Drake

96. ALWAYS, ACAPULCO

Let’s get away from it all. Acapulco has always been a hop, skip, and a jump away for the Jet-Setting Texan. Here, we look back at the fabled Mexican resort town that was so captivating for the privileged few.

By Lori Duran

Photography courtesy of author’s own, archival



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Courtesy of Rizzoli USA



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30. contribute

It takes a village to create this magazine and our digital media platform, SocietyTexas.com. Here's a look at some of the many talented dynamos who make it happen as we dive into 2020's robust summer fun.

34. publisher's letter

Publisher Rossana Leeper is reminded of a comforting past amidst the COVID-19 happenings. Here, she shares what means the most in challenging times.

36. editor's letter

Editor-in-Chief and Creative Director Lance Avery Morgan shares his always optimistically sunny disposition for the happy summer upon us.

39. introduce

A brief look at the exciting issue that will have you longing for summer long after it has passed.

40. browse

The best books for summer are here, as our resident bibliophile, Lance Avery Morgan, shares his very favorite selections for you to enjoy from beach to cottage.

42. glow

Our beauty insider Ana Bribiesca Hoff recommends the best new make-up trends for a fresh start in the sizzling summer ahead.

44. discover

Austin-bred Hollywood star Glenn Powell is taking the film industry by storm, with the release of his upcoming blockbuster, *Top Gun: Maverick*.

46. inspire

Eleanora Morrison, of Eleanora.co, has a passion for all things diaphanous. Since all things sheer are a huge trend this year, she shares some of her favorite recommendations.



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Tote by Staud



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Glenn Powell



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Hermès lipstick at Bergdorf Goodman

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Aston Martin

48. present

Our Ms. Etiquette Expert Sharon Schweitzer, J.D., offers insight into life's most challenging social situations, so take note to handle these more effortlessly in the future.

50. create

Lucien Lelong was a fashion designing trailblazer, according to the fashion world and Neiman Marcus' Stanley Marcus. Join Gordon Kendall as he recounts the French couture leader's approach to high style.

52. divulge

South Texan-turned-Dallasite Joyce Goss of the Goss-Michael Foundation knows her way around both art and philanthropy. Here, she shares inspiring facets of her life to inspire you.

54. entertain

Any good host worth her salt knows that the magic of a successful dinner party begins with a strategic seating arrangement. Here, our entertaining expert Jay Remer, lends advice on how to make your next gathering its most memorable.

56. drive

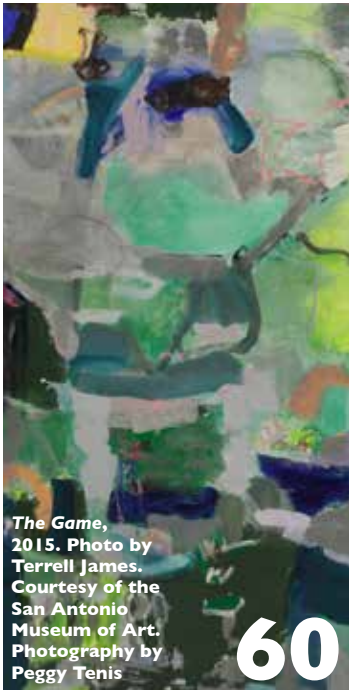
Our man on the road Michael Satterfield, of TheGentlemanRacer.com, shows us what's behind the wheel of the new Aston Martin. If it's good enough for James Bond, we're in.

58. list

With so many summer style choices and trends to decipher, Rank & Style's CEO Jamie Chandlee makes it easy by sharing her favorite must-haves.

60. exhibit

Looking for more culture to digitally access as summer begins? Rev things up by taking a look at some offerings from our state's finest museums and cultural institutions, according to our arts arbiter, Leanne Raesener.



The Game, 2015. Photo by Terrell James. Courtesy of the San Antonio Museum of Art. Photography by Peggy Tennis

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Joyce Goss. Photo by Maxine Helfman



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50 Lucien Lelong suits, 1940s



The Dinner Party. By Sir Henry Cole

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70. SAN ANTONIO Zach and Lee Lee, Jonathan Gravell and Michelle Camp



104. AUSTIN Bill Coletti and Debbie Holley & Donna Stockton and Dr. Randy House



68. HOUSTON Lynn Wyatt and Stanton Welch



72. DALLAS Christina Dabney, Barbara Pierce Bush, Kate Dabney and Shelby Dabney



66. AUSTIN Michael and Susan Dell



102. HOUSTON Aisha Jokio and Alice Mao Brams



76. TEXAS Lynn McBee, Dr. James Allison and Jan Bullock



82. DALLAS Dr. Suzanne Steinbaum and Heather Hooper



80. SAN ANTONIO Gloria Dilley, Cynthia Kerby and Triana Grossman



74. SO. TEXAS Paige and James Clement & Judy Clement

THE VERY BEST EVENTS ACROSS TEXAS & BEYOND R.S.V.P.

66. AUSTIN

The Dell Children's Medical Center gala

68. HOUSTON

The Houston Ballet gala

70. SAN ANTONIO

The McNay Art Museum gala

72. DALLAS

The Clayton Dabney Foundation luncheon

74. SOUTH TEXAS

The South Texas Charity Weekend events

76. TEXAS

The Bob Bullock State History Museum gala

78. HOUSTON

The Stages gala

80. SAN ANTONIO

The Texas Biomedical Forum event

82. DALLAS

The American Heart Association luncheon

84 SAN ANTONIO

The Ballet San Antonio luncheon

102. HOUSTON

The Asia Society gala

104. AUSTIN

The CASA of Travis County gala

106. SAN ANTONIO

The Rebecca's Wish gala

108. DALLAS

The Fashion Guild International event

renaissance woman

South Texan-turned-Dallasite Joyce Goss is leading by example. As the executive director of The Goss-Michael Foundation, the Pleasanton native understands the world of philanthropy and art. She's chaired a zillion galas and is known for her chic style. Here, her longtime pal, Lance Avery Morgan gets up-close and personal with this busy wife, mother, and patron to learn about a few of her favorite things.

The best career advice I've received is... Treat everyone with respect.

How I made my first dollar... I grew up on a farm in South Texas. One of my first summer jobs included hoeing weeds and moving irrigation pipe. I got a great tan as a bonus.

Last thing I binge/marathon watched... Was *Schitt's Creek*. It's beyond hilarious.

Book that left a lasting impression on me... *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee.

First album I bought... *With Love, Bobby* by Bobby Sherman.

My favorite scent I wear is... Frédéric Malle's *Portrait of a Lady*.

What everyone should try in her lifetime is... Volunteering. It's one of the best ways to make an impact on the world.

One thing I am exceptionally good at that most might not know is... Baton twirling. I was a majorette in high school, and I still have my baton. Every once in awhile, when I am feeling bored or a bit nostalgic, I will bring out my baton and twirl. It's quite a sight.

The beauty essential you'd have to pry out of my cold, dry hands is... YSL's *Touche Éclat* highlighter.

A celebrity I would prank phone call and what I would ask them is... I would call George Clooney and ask, *May I speak with Amal?*

My style icon is... Katharine Hepburn. Her style was bold and powerful. She could be glamorous in both high fashion and pantsuits.

When it comes to one must-have clothing, one that item I always have to have is... A blazer. Throwing on a blazer makes me feel chic and pulled together. It boosts my confidence when I walk out the door.

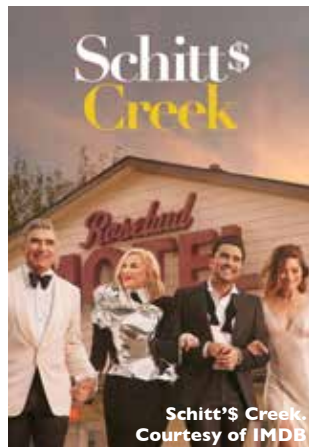
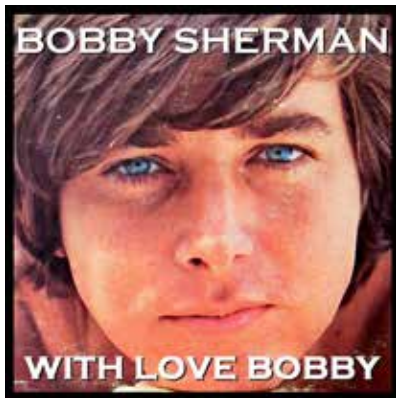
My perfect day would end by... Having an amazing dinner with my family, followed by a cocktail, and watching the sunset while listening to some fabulous music. 🍷



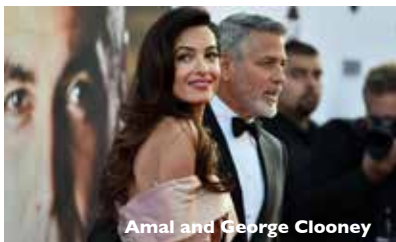
Portrait photography by Maxine Heifman



Katharine Hepburn. *The Philadelphia Story*, 1940



Schitt's Creek. Courtesy of IMDB



Amal and George Clooney