

Bobby and Nancy Barnard at Sundance Records and Tapes. (They stock CDs too). If they can't get it, it hasn't been recorded yet.

Take your time and browse through the museum quality decor — concert posters and photos of classic Texas artists caught in the act.



Watermelon Thump

77) Thump a Melon in Luling

Watermelon Thump
Luling, Tx.
(830) 875-3214

watermelonthump.com

The world-famous Luling Watermelon Thump is June 22-25. In addition to the queen's pageant and of course, seed-spitting contests, the festival offers food and much more.

78) Shop for Resale Treasures Second to None

142 W. San Antonio
395-8690

Twice Blessed
124 W. Hopkins
396-1752

Championship Vintage
129 E. Hopkins Ste. 101
392-3865

Upscale resale items of clothing for children and adults.

79) Rent a Movie

In the mood to just kick back at home and enjoy a favorite movie or new release? Local businesses are ready to meet your need.

Blockbuster Video
1160 Thorpe Lane Ste. 101
754-6655

Movie Gallery
102 Wonder World Drive
396-2626

The Movie Shop
331-A West Hopkins
392-2221

Hastings
917 Hwy. 80
754-0033

80) Buy a Book

Summer reading season is here, and it's easy to find a

shady spot along the San Marcos River perfect for devouring a good book.

Half Price Books
900 Bugg Lane, Ste. 124
805-7503

Colloquium Book Store
320 University Drive
392-6641

Hastings Books
917 Hwy. 80
754-0033

Borders Book Outlet
4015 IH-35 South
754-9498

Bible Factory Outlet
4015 IH-35 South, Ste. 209
396-4001

81) Add a Pet to Your Family
San Marcos Animal Shelter
750 River Road
393-8340
ci.san-marcos.tx.us

PAWS Animal Shelter
48 Hwy. 150 East, Kyle
268-1611
pawsshelter.org

Adopt a dog, cat, puppy or kitten from a local animal shelter. Your best friend is waiting for you.

82) Check Yourself Out

Want to see how you look in your new car? Drive past the mirrored windows at the San Marcos Activity Center for a great view of yourself and your new wheels.

Be careful of pedestrians. Stop at the curb for a closer look.

83) Throw Yourself in the Calaboose
Calaboose African American History Museum
200 Martin Luther King Drive

393-8421
Step into San Marcos' African American past and heritage, all artfully displayed inside an old jail. Director Johnnie Armstead is both available and informative.

84) Soar into Patriotic Past

Commemorative Air Force
1841 Airport Drive
396-1943
realtime.net/centex

Open 10 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

The Commemorative Air Force is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving, in flying condition, a complete collection of the combat aircraft flown by the Allies during World War II.

The Central Texas (Centex) Wing of the Commemorative Air Force is located at San Marcos Municipal Airport, in the only remaining 1943 vintage wooden hangar there.

Visitors are invited to tour the WWII Artifacts Exhibit and the display dedicated to the Doolittle Raiders.

The Stokes Memorial Library contains the personal aircraft memorabilia collection of John Stokes, founder of the Centex Wing.

The Centex Wing houses two CAF aircraft for which the Wing has maintenance and restoration responsibility: a very-rare flying P-39 Bell Airacobra; and a P-40 Warhawk.

Admission is \$3 per person (kids under 6 are admitted free). Restoration and maintenance of the hangar and aircraft are done entirely by tax-deductible donations.

At the airport, follow the Perimeter Road along the fence to the end to find the big Centex hangar.


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85) Living History Trolley Tour

Visitors are treated to a tour of Aquarena Center as part of the historic tour of vintage San Marcos with General and Mrs. Burleson as tour guides. As well as visiting the heart of downtown in the Courthouse

National Register District and landmark residential districts, the Trolley takes in the historic Merriman Cabin.

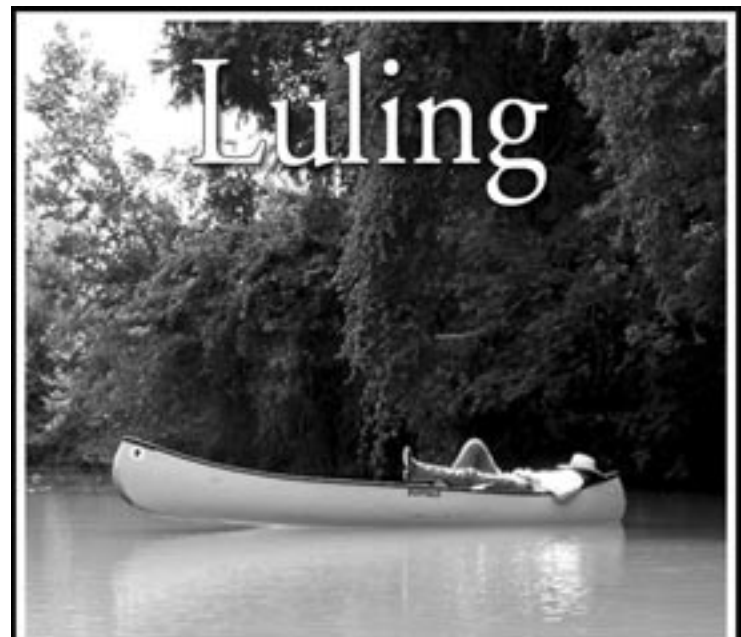
These tours depart at 2 p.m. from Tanger Center, the first Saturday of each month and include local sightseers as well as shoppers from the center. For information call 96-3478 or 392-7264.

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