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PGCD to Discuss Aquifer Future Wednesday

By David Bowser Staff Writer

WHITE DEER - The desired future condition of the Ogallala Aquifer will be among the items discussed at the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District meeting Wednesday morning. Gray County Rancher John R. Spearman, who serves as the president of the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District and secretary of

Area No. 1 board, was rebuffed last week when he members Groundwater Management the Area board take a proposed future condition of 50 percent of the water in storage at the end of 50 year back to their district boards for discussion, the standard that the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District adoptago.

Groundwater Management Area No. 1 consists of the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District, the suggested that the three other High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, North Groundwater Conservation District and the Hemphill County Underground Water Conservation District. They are under state mandate to determine the desired future condition of the part of the Ogallala Aquifer that underlies the Texas Panhandle by Groundwater Management September, 2010, although

Danny Krienke, the presi- cent for their western coundent of the North Plains district and chairman of GMA1, told Pampa's State Sen. Robert Duncan last summer during a Senate Natural Resources Committee that GMA1 would have their desired future condition by time the Legislature convenes in January, 2009. Spearman's proposed 50 percent of the aquifer's water in storage is between the North Plains district's proposed 40 per-

ties and 60 percent that Hemphill County district wants

The board will consider proposals for depletion rule implementation, technical review and methods audit during their Wednesday meeting. The will also consider changing district policy concerning the right to enter private land and review two study areas where the water

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Honoring Our Veterans



Mike Toter (yellow vest) and Clayton Lock both sit as a long line of motorcyclists pay tribute to them in part of the motorcycle tribute at the wall on Saturday. Toter and Lock are both World War II veterans.

staff photo by Rachel Stennett

by Rachel Stennett rstennett@thepampanews.com

The weekend held big turnouts and special events for the AVTT wall, which has been in Pampa since Nov. 5 and is open for the last day on Tuesday. The weekend events included a parade, motorcycle tribute, Pampa High School band performance, and a church service.

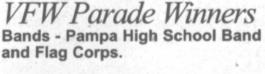
The parade started the weekend events, which had a good turn out with the help of warm November temperatures. The motorcycle tribute followed later in the afternoon. Many participants on motorcycles joined the rally, some who were not even veterans but wanted to honor the other veterans and the wall, according to Danny Martin, president of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post

"The (bikers) all love the military and the history and they are thankful for their veter

ans," Martin said. The bikers drove in a single line and stopped where two veterans from WWII sat and saluted them and the wall. The two veterans who were seated were Mike Toter and Clayton Lock, two of the oldest WWII veterans from around the area.

The tribute was meaningful to the large crowd that gathered, and to the bikers, but Martin said it especially honored Toter and

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Classic/Antique Cars - Larry Ray (1929 Ford Roadster); runner-up, Jess Reed (1934 Ford pickup)

Churches - Hobart Street Baptist Church.

Commercial: Bob Douthit Autos: runner up, Fenton Ford Military - VFW Post 1657 Ladies

Auxiliary; runner up, Freedom

Museum U.S.A. Motorcycles - Kingdom Cruisers; runner up, Lyndon Field.

Service Clubs - Girl Scout Troop #5; runner up, Cub Scout Pack #505; honorable mention, Sand and Sage Riding Club.



staff photo by Randy Pribble

Girl Scout troops were among the dozens of organizations participating in a parade Saturday to honor local veterans.

Vet's dinner, silent auction set for Saturday

local veterans by Pampa Veteran's of Foreign Wars Post 1657 has been postponed from its traditional Veteran's Day schedule to next Saturday, Nov. 15

The dinner, a turkey and dressing with all the trim- S. Cuyler Street.

The annual dinner held for mings affair, is free to all local military veterans and their families, according to Diane Conner, a member of the Post's Ladies Auxiliary, the sponsor of the dinner. It will held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m at the VFW Post, located at 105

The event will also include a silent auction, the proceeds of which will be used for various post activities throughout the year, such as mailing packages to military personnel.

For more information, contact any auxiliary member or Conner at 669-3869.

Holiday Closures

With the exception of emergency services, all Gray County, state and federal offices will be closed Tuesday, Nov. 11, in observance of Veterans Day. City of Pampa will

be open and schools will be in session as usual. No mail, however, will be delivered by the U.S. Post

Veterans Day is the annual American holiday honoring military veterans.



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Wednesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 55. Calm wind becoming south-southeast between 5 and 10 mph. Wednesday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 42. East-southeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south-

Thursday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 67. Westsouthwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming north-northwest. Thursday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 36. North-northwest wind between 5 and 10 mph.

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AMARILLO — Jerry L. of Pampa. Rush, 66, died Nov. 9, 2008, in Amarillo. Services are ter pending with Carmichael- www.carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors whatley.com.

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Obituaries

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Henry Louis Gray, 55

DALHART — Henry Louis Gray, 55, died Tuesday, Nov. 4, 2008, in Oklahoma City, Okla.

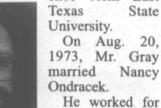
Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. today in First Baptist Church in ating Channing with the Rev. Tim Hooten, pastor of First Baptist Church in Channing, officiating. Burial followed in Channing Cemetery under he direction of Horizon Funeral Home of Dalhart.

Mr. Gray was born June 30, 1955, in Dalhart, to

Vinson Clyde "Vinnie" Gray and Ruth Virginia (Ward) Gray. He was raised in Channing, gradufrom Channing High School in 1973.

In 1980, Mr. Gray earned Bachelor of Science degree in

computer science and physics and in 1986 received his master's in computer sci-



Nancy married Ondracek. He worked for Northrup Grummen as a

senior software

engineer. An avid

outdoorsman, he

enjoyed canoeing and camping, Dutch oven cooking, reading and participating in

ence form East historical re-enactments.

Mr. Gray was a volunteer leader and trainer for the Boys Scouts and Girl Scouts of America. He was preceded in death by his father.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy Gray of Allen; a daughter, Kathrin Sprouse of Fairview; a son, JR Gray of Allen; his mother, Virginia Ruth Ward Gray of Channing; a sister, Joan Gray-Soria of Pampa; and a

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Emergency Services

Pampa PD

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents between 7 a.m Thursday and 7 a.m. Friday.

Thursday, Nov. 8 Twenty traffic stops were made.

An accident was reported in the intersection of Ballard and Browning

Calls and stops concerning animals occurred in the 2300 block of North Primrose, the 900 block of South Nelson, the 1800 block of North Beech, the 500 block of North Yeager, the 1500 block of North Williston, the 500 block of North Faulkner, the 800 block of East Francis and the 400 block of South Ballard.

A canine search was conducted in the 2400 block of North Charles. Five attempts to serve papers were

Phone harassment was reported in

the 2500 block of North Williston.

Criminal trespassing was reported in the 2300 block of North Hobart. Disorderly conduct was reported in

the 1900 block of North Duncan and the 2600 block of North Hobart. A forgery was reported in the 2500 block of Christine, where a check was

reported stolen and cashed for \$1,800 Violation of a city ordinance was reported in the 1600 block of North

Hobart. Burglary was reported in the 300 block of North Wynne, where copper was reported stolen out of a house. Coins were also stolen.

Welfare checks were made in the 1400 block of North Hobart and the 900 block of South Varnon.

A suspicious person call was received from the 900 block of Cinderella.

Friday, Nov. 7

Eleven traffic stops were made. A stop at the intersection of Tyng and Canadian streets resulted in at least one

A welfare check was made in the

1000 block of North Terry. A suspicious person call was received from the 600 block of West

Crawford. One open door was investigated.

One alarm was investigated.

Fire

Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls between 7 a.m. Friday and 7 a.m. today.

Friday, Nov. 7 1:25 a.m. - One unit and three per-

sonnel responded to the 2100 block of Coffee on a medical call. Saturday, Nov. 8

9:42 a.m. - One unit and four personnel responded to the 100 block of South Russell on a call for lifting assistance.

12:13 p.m. - One unit and three pernnel responded to the 1100 block of Crane Road on a call for lifting assis-

3:17 p.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to a rubbish fire in the 1400 block of South Barnes.

7:11 p.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to the 2200 block of North Dwight on a call for lifting assis-

12:29 a.m. - One unit and two personnel responded to an unauthorized burn in the 300 block of Wynne.

Sunday, Nov. 9

11:36 a.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to the 1200 block of Duncan on a medical call.

Monday, Nov. 10 12:18 a.m. - One unit and four personnel responded to the 500 block of Magnolia on a call for medical assis-

Ambulance

Guardian EMS ambulance responded to the following calls between 7 a.m. Saturday and 7 a.m. today. Saturday, Nov. 8

7:53 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 100 block of South Russell on a

call for lifting assistance. 10:36 a.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 200 block of North Cuyler and transported a patient to Pampa Regional

Medical Center. 4:09 p.m. – A mobile ICU responded to the 1500 block of West Kentucky and transported a patient to PRMC.

4:09 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 2200 block of Dwight. No trans-

5:38 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 1200 block of North Wells and transported a patient to PRMC.

6:43 p.m. - A mobile ICU responded to PRMC and transported a patient to a

local nursing facility. Sunday, Nov. 9

12:27 a.m. - A mobile ICU responded to the 900 block of South Barnes. Call canceled.

Newspaper Report Questions Costs of State's Pre-K Program

designed to help Texas children from low-income families prepare for school has cost taxpayers more than three times the typical pre-kindergarten curriculum, a newspaper reported Sunday.

The program also raises questions about payments to educators involved in the program, according to the San Antonio Express-News.

Critics say the Texas Early Education Model, or TEEM, approach is little more than an

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MARY ELLEN & Harvester Clothing Room now in Church Bldg. Middle dble. Landry said. "But it gives them doors facing Mary Ellen St., a fair shot. They get to start on watch for signs. Open Tues., the same footing. These kids are Nov. 11th, New Hours, 9-12.

AUSTIN (AP) — A program effort by the State Center for Early Childhood Development staff to market research and products through commercial vendors. Supporters believe the program will help thousands of children.

The state center, which operates TEEM, is under the Children's Learning Institute at the University of Texas Health Science Center-Houston.

State records show the program's developers received about \$500,000 in royalties from book publishers and ven-

"This preschool scheme is not about preparing these little ones to be ready for school," said Jay Spuck, a retired Houston area school administrator, former classroom teacher and education advocate. "It is about advancing a political agenda of implanting corporate interests into nursery schools. It is all about trademarks, copyrights, patents, contracts, royalties, power and greed. The goal is to privatize education, cradle to college.'

TEEM has cost about \$80 million since it started five years ago. Despite the high cost, Susan Landry, who directs the state center, says she's optimistic it will help thousands of 3- and 4-year-olds achieve greater academic success in public schools.

"I really expect these kids to show effects of this program long term. It is probably not an inoculation against everything bad in education (and society), writing their names, they are

writing letters and they are so proud of it."

The Texas Legislature passed TEEM in 2003 to improve prekindergarten coordination between public schools, Head

Start and child care centers. At

participating must come from low-income families.

About 52,000 preschool children in 3,082 classrooms among 40 Texas communities are participating in TEEM this fall. It

least 75 percent of youngsters started with 3,834 children in 11 communities.

Materials, licensing fees and mentoring for a TEEM classroom cost \$11,175 for the first year of a participating school, child care center or Head Start program as compared to \$4,000 for a typical pre-K classroom. State and federal grants pay for the TEEM costs. Landry said TEEM classroom startup costs drop significantly in subsequent

Lions Camp Award



photo by Lee Porter

Jennifer Black, left, was recently awarded Texas Lions Camp Lifetime Membership Award. The award was presented by ReDonn Woods. Black received the award after coming to a fellow Lion's rescue during a regular local Lions Club meeting. Because of her nursing experience, Black was able to save Ed Weins from choking.



staff photo by David Bowser

John R. Spearman, right, of Gray County talks with Danny Krienke of Perryton during a meeting of the Groundwater Conservation District No. 1 Thursday (Nov. 6) in Amarillo.

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table has been dropping. The Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District board will also consider bids for tax delinquent properties in Donley, Carson and Potter Counties. They will also consider support of the Alliance Texas Groundwater Districts amicus, of friend of the court, brief in the City of Aspermont v. Rolling Plains Groundwater Conservation District lawsuit. The board will hear the third quarter transportation and produc-

Parade Cutie

ConocoPhillips and the also consider drilling permits for domestic wells by Clara Sailor southeast of Pampa, Brett Hall northeast of Miami, Robert Philips at Howardwick, Dome Development northeast of Amarillo, Weldon Black east of Pampa, Duane Horner north of Amarillo, Don Duck north of Amarillo, Tony Richardson west of Pampa, Rusty Atherton east of Wheeler, Danny Stokes west of Pampa and Gale and Brian Humphreys northeast of Amarillo. The board will

tion reports from the City of consider irrigation well per-Amarillo, the City of Borger, mit applications by Steven J. Mitchel north of Amarillo, Canadian River Municipal Don Taylor east of McLean Water Authority. They will and Brett Hall in Roberts County. They will consider permit applications for wells larger than four inches by James and Joe Franklin east of Lefors, Charley Russell southwest of Wheeler and Billy Buckingham southeast of Wheeler. The board will also consider a permit amendment for a six-inch well for Timothy Gee. The Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District board of directors will meet beginning at 9 a.m. Wednesday at their offices at 201 W. Third Street in White Deer.

Pampa Commission Meets Tomorrow

Perhaps the most interesting agenda item at the Pampa City Commission meeting Tuesday afternoon will take place behind closed doors.

The city commission will go into executive session to discuss appointments to the Pampa Economic Development Corporation board. Any action will have to be done in open session.

The commission will also hear a report on a Pampa

Vets

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Lock. "They were so proud that they were singled out and they got to solute all those guys. They were tickled to death," Martin said.

Before the tribute, The Pampa High School Band performed the national anthem and other numbers Martin described as "wonderful."

"We know that they came out here to say thanks to the vets. We want to thank you for your sacrifice and being a part of our program."

Martin said that the way Pampa and the schools have treated all the visitors at the wall will have a lasting impact on people that have travelled long distances to view the wall.

"The way the schools have been and the way Pampa has treated (the visitors), they won't forget Pampa."

- the ones whose cases are

most entangled in highly clas-

sified information - might

have to go before a new court

designed especially to handle

sensitive national security

cases, according to advisers

and Democrats involved in

Obama plans US trials for detainees

WASHINGTON (AP) -Obama's President-elect advisers are quietly crafting a proposal to ship dozens, if not hundreds, of imprisoned terrorism suspects to the United States to face criminal trials, a plan that would make good on his promise to close the Guantanamo Bay prison but could require creation of a controversial new system of justicetype:bold,italic;

During his campaign, described Obama Guantanamo as a "sad chapter in American history" and has said generally that the U.S. legal system is equipped to handle the detainees. But he has offered few details on what he planned to do once the facility is closed.

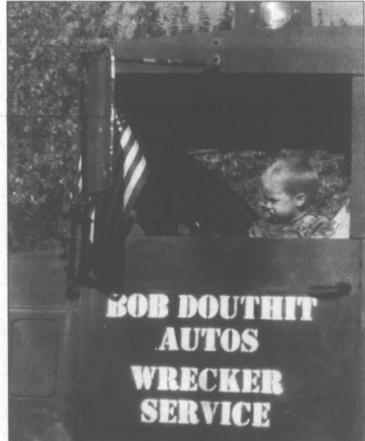
Under plans being put together in Obama's camp, some detainees would be released and many others would be prosecuted in U.S. criminal courts.

A third group of detainees

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This toddler appears to be the youngest float driver in Saturday's parade, but is actually on the lap of an adult.

Ariz. boy accused in slaying appears in court

ST. JOHNS, Ariz. (AP) -An 8-year-old boy is due in court Monday to face two counts of premeditated murder in the shooting death of his father and a friend, a hearing on the same day mourners were to gather for

a funeral. Police say the boy, a thirdgrader, confessed to planning and carrying out the shooting deaths of his father, Vincent Romero, 29, and a co-worker who rented a room from him. The men were found dead inside Romero's home northeast of Phoenix on Wednesday.

Authorities had no motive for the shootings.

"That's what's puzzling to us," Police Chief Roy Melnick said Monday on NBC's "Today" show. "There's no record of any problems in school, no reported abuse."

Romero came from a family of hunters and wanted to make sure the boy wasn't afraid of guns, said the Very Rev. John Paul Sauter of St. Johns Catholic Church. He said the father taught his son how to use a rifle to kill prairie dogs.

Police say the boy used a .22-caliber rifle to kill his father and the other man, Timothy Romans, 39, of San Carlos.

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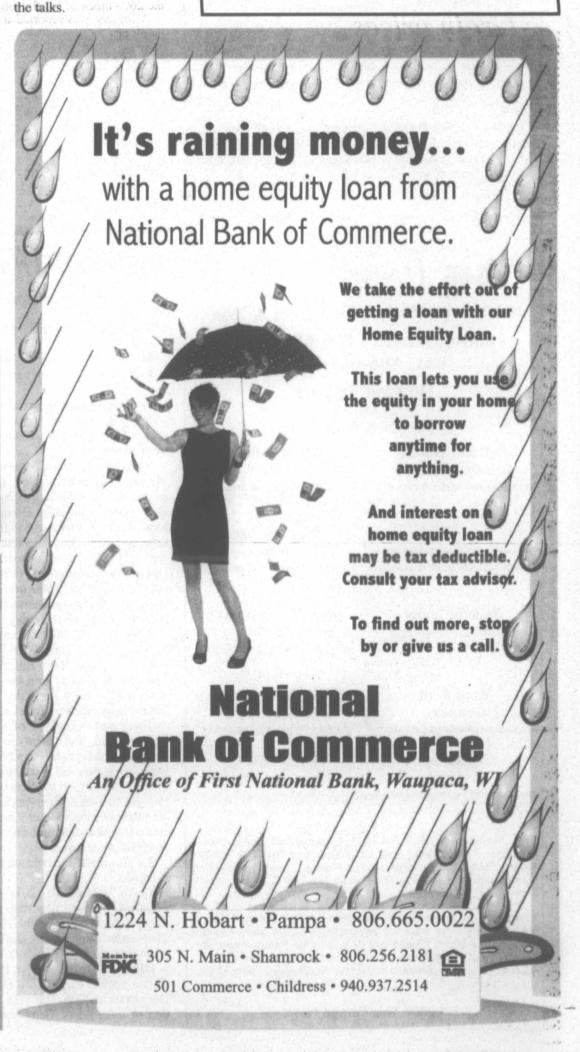
They will also hear an update on the Texas Municipal League conference, Park and Recreation equipment and the Pampa Trap and Skeet Club.

In other business, they

will consider on second and final reading ordinances approving a negotiated settlement with Atmos Energy, the natural gas utility, and setting a cap on sewer rates.

The city commission will meet beginning at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the commission chambers on the third floor of City Hall.





Viewpoints

My Own Personal 'Bucket List'

in college: watching the special features on DVDs. It wasn't anything like other college kids, such as slip n' sliding down dorm hallways, or drinking beer through a straw. My habbit was simple and nerdy, but this habit changed my life a few weeks

I love special features. They can make or break a movie for me. In college, I couldn't afford cable so I rotated watching the same 17

order to make the experience more enjoyable and refreshing, I started watching the special features on all

I fell in love with "Behind the Scenes" and actor com- rules that mentaries during movies. No one understood my love for special features. I am the fool who will buy a two-disc special edition, special feature loaded DVD set for \$10

more than the original DVD. No, I don't like movies

I picked up a weird habbit DVDs over and over. In that much-I like special features that much.

Rachel

If I had friends over, would hold the same

movies dur-

Stennett Staff Writer most people for have

ing special features. No getting up for popcorn or soda during special features (this must be done before the special features start), no talking during special features and most of all, no guessing the ending of special features.

Stewing in a time of nerdom and boredom during a lunch break, I sat and watched the special features of the movie, "The Bucket List." Watching "The Bucket List" I was engrossed at my normal level, and then I saw the portion of the special features had a segement about

making your own bucket list. If you haven't seen the

movie, it is based two who dying making a list of things they want to do before the

kick the bucket. Naturally, the movie brings out introspection. What would you do if you were told you had a month, year, day to live?

I had two realizations at this moment during my lunch break.

One — I am both genuis and idiot. I wrote a "100 things I want to do before I die" list long beore the movie came out. I could have skipped college and authored this movie and been a few steps further in life than I am right now.

Two — If I would have

my own bucket list, I really would have been further in life than I am right now.

So, at this point in my lunch break I turned to my journal that I had written my "100 Things" list in three years ago. I realized I never finished my list, which stopped at 23 items. The list had the basics (not in the original order.)

1.) Go to college 2.) Get married

3.) Live in Africa and write a book about the expe-

rience. 4.) Own a Blue McCaw parrot.

5.) Have a child and name it Rachel Candace Stennett

Stuff most people have on their list, right? The point is, I have only done three things out of my total list, and I made it three years ago. I can't understand why I have

actually done anything on let myself get so caught up in things that are not important. Sure, work is neccessary, and joining church groups and clubs are important but they were not on my list. They aren't my purpose for life. The list is obviously more important if these are thing I must get accomplished by the time I die.

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We all have to face the simple truth that is the bucket list. It is easy to get caught up in the complicated, timeconsuming monotony of life and forget about where we are living. Whether your goals are to do the impossible like eating seven saltine crackers in a minute, chugging a gallon of milk in an hour or to sky dive off of Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe, I encourage you to do it.

I plan to follow my own advice. This evening I will cross off "watch E.T." from my list.

Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Nov. 10, the 315th day of 2008. There are 51 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 10, 1775, the U.S. Marines were organized under

authority of the Continental Congress. On this date: In 1871, journalist-explorer Henry M. Stanley found Scottish missionary David Livingstone, who had not been

heard from for years, near Lake Tanganyika in central Africa. In 1917, 41 suffragists were arrested for picketing in front of the White House.

In 1919, the American Legion opened its first national convention, in Minneapolis.

In 1928, Japan's Emperor Hirohito was formally enthroned, almost two years after his ascension.

In 1938, Kate Smith first sang Irving Berlin's "God Bless America" on her CBS radio program, which aired on Thursdays.

In 1938, Turkish statesman Mustafa Kemal Ataturk died in Istanbul at age 57.

In 1954, the U.S. Marine Corps Memorial, depicting the raising of the American flag on Iwo Jima in 1945, was dedicated by President Eisenhower in Arlington, Va.

In 1969, the children's educational program "Sesame Street' made its debut on National Educational Television

In 1975, the ore-hauling ship SS Edmund Fitzgerald and its crew of 29 vanished during a storm in Lake Superior.

In 1982, Soviet leader Leonid I. Brezhnev died at age 75. Ten years ago: The Pentagon stepped up the movement of warships to the Persian Gulf as the Clinton administration swept aside the idea of negotiations with Iraq over U.N. weapons inspections rejected by the Iraqis.

Five years ago: Democrat John Kerry shook up his faltering presidential campaign, replacing campaign manager Jim Jordan with Mary Beth Cahill. Federal regulators allowed customers to switch home phone numbers to their cell phones. A World Trade Organization panel upheld a ruling that U.S. duties on steel imports were illegal.



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Fort Worth Star-Telegram on competitive elections:

A sample of editorial opinion around

If the special-interest money in this year's state legislative races were beer, some of the candidates would be done in

by alcohol poisoning. Some \$70,000 from Texans for Lawsuit Reform to Republican Sen. Kim Brimer and another \$94,000 in money and services to Republican state House candidate Mark Shelton. A total of \$58,000 in donations and media from the Texas Values in Action Coalition to Democrat Wendy Davis, who's challenging Brimer. Directmail help worth \$39,000 from Texans for Insurance Reform for Democrat Rep. Dan

Barretts race against Shelton. Another \$62,000 from TIR to Democrat Chris Turner, who's trying to oust Republican Rep. Bill Zedler. And \$200,000 to Zedler from the Stars Over Texas PAC, which is funded heavily by Texas House Speaker Tom Craddick.

That's just a fraction of the millions being raised and spent to control a Legislature that favors Republicans 77-71 (with two vacancies) in the House and 19-11 (one vacancy) in the Senate. But don't imagine that these deep-pocketed battles are just about the speaker's race, property taxes, transportation and divvying up the state budget next year.

It's also about the balance of power in Congress.

That's because, in 2011, the Texas Senate will draw a new map of congressional districts based on the 2010 Census. That undertaking could shake the U.S. Capitol as much as Tuesday's elections.

Disenchantment with Republicans shifted control of the U.S. House to the Democrats in 2006. This year, a combination of retirements, Democratic momentum and Republican faux pas has pushed even more seats into tight races.

But, as in many states, the makeup of Texas' congressional delegation is dictated overwhelmingly by the redistricting machinations in Austin.

And that's why it's high time to change

how they do it.

Remember 2001? Democrats and Republicans skirmished over redistricting and never got a map out during the regular session, so Gov. Rick Perry let the task go to a panel of federal judges. The map they approved upset Hispanics, who wanted another predominantly Hispanic congressional district. But Republicans were even more upset because the judges left intact lines that guaranteed Democrats would continue to hold a majority of Texas seats in Congress. That was the result of 1991 Democratic gerrymandering. which Republicans still

were fuming about. Remember 2003?

Tom DeLay, then speaker of the U.S. House, helped Republicans secure the upper hand in the Texas Legislature and then pressured them to redraw congressional districts, typically done only once a decade. Democratic House members fled to Oklahoma. Democratic senators holed up in New Mexico. Three special sessions, \$5 million, three years of litigation and untold tons of acrimony later, Republicans dominated the congressional delegation.

Remember SB1068?

That was the 2007 incarnation of Republican state Sen. Jeff Wentworth's perennial proposal to establish a bipartisan redistricting commission. Republicans and Democrats each would appoint four members for two-year terms, and they would choose a nonvoting chairman. No party officers, elected officials or lobbyists allowed. Redistricting would be done only once a decade except under exceptional circumstances, such as a court order striking down the commission's plan. The

Texas Senate actually approved a Congressional Redistricting Commission in 2007 and 2005, but the House didn't move the bills along.

One of the major contributors to the exceedingly partisan rancor that too often has paralyzed Washington is the lack of competitive congressional races.

With sophisticated computer programs, lawmakers can draw districts to protect

their own. In 2004, more than 85 percent of U.S. House incumbents won with more than 60 percent majorities, according to the opengovernment advocacy group Common

Running in safe districts, incumbents don't have to reach out to the broadest spectrum of voters. And candidates for open seats often can win by taking more extreme positions that appeal to core constituencies.

But political tides turn. As 2006 showed and 2008 may also voter angst and anger can sweep one party out and another in.

And then the party in power exacts revenge for past slights, with gerrymanders that often are nonsensical studies in manipulation. And it's the public and a fair democratic process that suffer.

The drawing of voting districts shouldn't be driven by self-serving motives of helping incumbents keep their jobs or helping a particular party gain, retain or aggregate power.

As much as possible, voting districts should be drawn to be compact, to fall along sensible boundaries and to join voters with common interests. If officeholders are serving voters' interests, they'll get re-elected.

Regardless of which party holds majorities in the Legislature, the upcoming session is prime time to improve the redistricting system. Both the public and the parties will benefit. And by 2011, it will be late. URL: http://www.startelegram.com

Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

MOM'S DESCENT INTO ALZHEIMER'S CONSUMES HER DAUGHTER'S LIFE

DEAR ABBY: My beautiful, loving mother is now in the middle stages of Alzheimer's disease. This cruel disease has robbed her of her memories as well as the ability to reason and function. She held my hand through every trial and triumph in my life, and I want to support her the way she has always supported me. But caring for Mama is becoming more and more difficult as she drifts further and further away. Not only am I caring for my mother, I also have DEAR ABBY: I am 43, and my boyfriend, a career and three children. I have so little time to myself. From the financial considerations to the behavioral challenges to safety concerns, I can't keep my head above water. Please tell me what to do. -- OVER-WHELMED IN CINCINNATI

DEAR OVERWHELMED: I'll try. I know from personal experience how difficult it is to see a loved one face the changes that Alzheimer's disease brings. Although you feel alone and overwhelmed right now, the truth is you are not. Today, an estimated 10 million Americans are caring for someone with Alzheimer's or another dementia. More than 40 percent of them rate their emotional stress level as high or very high, and it is a danger to their health. Some signs to be aware of: feeling you have to "do it all yourself" and that you should be doing more; withdrawing from family, friends and activities that you used to enjoy; worrying that the person you care for is safe; feeling anxious about money and health-care decisions; denying the impact of the disease and its effect on your family; feeling grief or sadness that your relationship with the person isn't what it used to be; becoming frustrated and angry when the person continually repeats things and doesn't seem to listen; and having health problems that are taking a toll on you. If any of these apply to you, it is

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important that you take care of your own physical and mental health. Make time to talk to your doctor and contact the Alzheimer's Association because it offers a full range of services. The toll-free number is (800) 272-3900 or visit www.alz.org and take the Caregiver Stress Check interactive quiz. You will find with it a list of helpful referrals there.

"Sid," is 52. We have been together a year and a half. I was married once, and Sid has been married three times. He wants to live together, and I want to be engaged with a wedding date before I move in. We truly love each other and communicate very well. Because of a previous rebound marriage that lasted only a year, Sid is cautious about making another mistake. After we had been together for a year, I gave him a year to make up his mind about marriage. In the months that followed, I could tell from some of the remarks he made that he had no burning desire to be married any time soon. After five months of listening to those statements, I gave Sid an ultimatum. He asked me for a week to think about it, then he told me he still wasn't ready -- he needed a few more months. So I broke up with him. Was I right in giving Sid an ultimatum? -- OUT OF PATIENCE IN **MIAMI**

DEAR OUT OF PATIENCE: Let me be sure I have the math right. If you promised Sid another year to make up his mind and then gave him an ultimatum after five months and one week, then you jumped the gun. If you gave him the second year and he continued to stall, then you did the right thing. After three wrong turns down the aisle, Sid is no longer the marrying kind.

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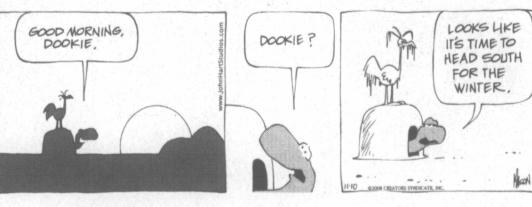
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Sports

Pampa Optimist Youth Club Packers repeat as city champions

The Pampa Optimist Youth Club 5th and 6th grade football season came to an end last Saturday night with the completion of the Pampa City Tournament held at Harvester Field. The Memory Gardens Packers "topped the depth chart as the number one seed in the tournament and came away with a 44-0 victory over the number four seed Cowboys to advance to the championship game. The second game of the tournament was a defensive battle as the third seeded Dolphins were able to pull out a two point victory on a safety with 34 seconds left in the regulation to upset the second seed Chargers. The Dolphins advanced to the championship game Saturday night to face the Packers.

The Packers were led on Saturday night be their starting offensive line of Landon Taylor, Austin Hernandez, Omar Tovar, Josh Miner, Dakota Roberson, Eric and Dayton Kuehne Hernandez as they were able to score three touchdowns on their first four possessions through the air and on the ground. The Packer defense pitched its second straight shutout on the day coming away with 30-0 victory and its second straight championship.

Offense Highlights on the day for the Packers:

Rickie Johnson- 11 carries for 171 yards, four touch-



Front row (I-r): Chance Butler, Jonah Bagley, Aaron Aerola, Blaze Sullivan, Josh Miner, Adam Zuniga, Rickie Johnson, Dayton Tipton, Anthony Paz. Second row (I-r): Andreas Losoya, Landon Taylor, Eric Kuehne, Paden Watson, Cade Engle, Austin Hernandez, Omar Tovar, Chanceton Roberts. Third row (I-r): Coach Daniel Zuniga, Coach Brian Sullivan, Dakota Roberson, Dayton Tipton, Coach Chris Engle.

downs, one two point conversion.

Cade Engle- six carries for 61 yards four receptions for 67 yards and three touch-

Adam Zuniga- four for seven passing for 67 yards and two touchdowns, seven carries for 42 yards, two touchdowns and a two point conversion.

Jonah Bagley- 12 carries for 76 yards and one touch-

Blaze Sullivan- seven carries for 43 yards and a two point conversion.

Dayton Hernandez- three

touchdown.

carry for one yard

Josh Minter- two carries for seven yards Andreas Losoya- one

highlights Defensive include only giving up three first downs on the day and pitching two shutouts:

Leaders

Blaze Sullivan- 15 tackles Jonah Bagley- 12 tackles Dayton Hernandez- nine

Rickie Johnson- eight tackles, one fumble recovery, five passes defended

Cade Engle- six tackles, carries for 43 yards and a one interception, one fumble

three recovery, defended

Adam Zuniga- six tackles Omar Tovar- six tackles Aaron Aerola- five tackles, one pass defended

Eric Kuehne- five tackles Josh Miner- five tackles Landon Taylor- three tackles

Andreas Losoya- three tackles Dayton Tipton- three

Paden Watson- two tack-

Anthony Paz- two tackles

Dakota Roberson- one

Weekend **Sports In Brief**

NEW YORK (AP) — Penn State slipped to the back of the one-loss pack Sunday in The Associated Press college football poll, while No. 1 Alabama and No. 2 Texas Tech strengthened their hold on the top spots.

The Nittany Lions fell four places to No. 7 in the Top 25 after losing for the first time this season. The 24-23 loss at Iowa on a field goal in the final seconds all but eliminated coach Joe Paterno's team from the national title race and left only Alabama and Texas Tech as unbeaten teams from the six BCS conferences.

The Crimson Tide (10-0) needed overtime to stay perfect, beating LSU 27-21 in Nick Saban's return to Baton Rouge, La., as Alabama coach. The Tide received 44 first-place votes and 1,604 points from the media panel.

The Red Raiders (10-0) followed up their big win over Texas last week with a resounding 56-20 victory over Oklahoma State. The impressive performance earned the Red Raiders the remaining 21 first-place votes, up from 12 last week, and 1,574 points.

Alabama plays Mississippi State at home on Saturday and Texas Tech has a week off before playing at Oklahoma on Nov. 22, the Red Raiders' fourth consecutive game against a ranked opponent.

No. 3 Florida, No. 4 Texas, No. 5 Oklahoma and No. 6 Southern California, all with oneloss but still with national title hopes, all moved up one spot and are ahead of Penn State.

No. 8 Utah (10-0) moved up two spots, jumping over Boise State (9-0), which stayed at No. 9. The Utes and Broncos are both trying to break into the **Bowl Championship Series** from conferences without an automatic bid to the bigmoney games.

Ohio State moved up two spots and completes the first 10.

SHANGHAI, (AP) — Sergio Garcia won the rain-delayed HSBC Champions to take the No. 2 spot in the world ranking behind Tiger Woods, beating Oliver Wilson with a birdie on the second hole of a playoff early Monday.

The Spanish star made a 7-foot birdie putt on the par-5 18th — the only hole used for the playoff at Sheshan Golf Club — after the Englishman missed a 10-footer.

Garcia forced the playoff by holing a 5-foot birdie on 18 to finish with a 4-under 68 and match Wilson at 14-under 274. Wilson, a surprise star for Europe in the Ryder Cup, reached the playoff by saving his par on 18 with a 7footer for a 70.

Wilson was attempting to win his first European tour title.

The finish moved Garcia into the No. 2 spot in the

world rankings behind Tiger Woods, pushing Phil Mickelson to No. 3.

Mickelson, the 2007 champion, shot a 73 to tie for eighth in the \$5 million tournament, five strokes behind the leaders.

Peter Hanson (66) and Geoff Ogilvy (70) finished a stroke off the lead, while Henrik Stenson (71) was three behind.

AVONDALE, (AP) — Jimmie Johnson moved inches away from his record-tying third consecutive Sprint Cup championship with a dominating victory Sunday at Phoenix International Raceway, where he led a race-high 217 of the 313 laps to deflate Carl Edwards' title

Johnson heads into next week's season finale up 141 points over Edwards and needs only to finish 36th or better to join Cale Yarborough (1976-78) as the only drivers in NASCAR history to win three straight Cup titles.

The win was his third straight at Phoenix, and had Edwards on the edge of conceding after his own fourth-place finish.

Johnson has made a mockery of the Chase for the championship, reeling off 14 wins in 49 races since NASCAR adopted the format in 2004. He contended for the title in 2004 and 2005, only to come up just short both seasons.

He's on the verge of joining Yarborough, David Pearson. Lee Petty and Darrel Waltrip as a threechampion. Jeff time Gordon, his Hendrick Motorsports teammate, has four titles and Dale Earnhardt and Richard Petty won a NASCARrecord seven.

Johnson has done it in dominating fashion, particularly this year: he's finished in the top 10 in seven Chase races and his lowest finish was a sub-par 15th last week at Texas.

On Saturday, Edwards dominated at Phoenix to stay in mathematical contention for the Nationwide Series title.

NEW YORK (AP) -Yankees left-hander Andy Pettitte filed for free agency Sunday after repeatedly saying he hopes to return to the club next

Pettitte went 14-14 last season with a 4.54 ERA his highest ERA since 1999. General manager Brian Cashman said last week he wants Pettitte to return next season, but the 36-year-old veteran said Friday night he hadn't heard from the team.

Pettitte likely would have to agree to a cut from his \$16 million salary last season, when he was 2-7 with a 6.23 ERA in his final 11 starts, and missed his last turn because of a sore pitching shoulder. End-of-season tests failed to reveal significant issues.

Lefors football gain district title



The Pirates motto of "DC in 3" came true. Last Friday nights win over Groom clinched the district title for the Pirates. The Pirates will play Motley County next Friday night with the site to be choosen over a coin toss Saturday in Lubbock. The winner of the coin toss gets to play on their home field. Motley County beat Lefors last year in the playoffs but the Pirates are ready for them this year. Picture Coach Czubinski serves the football players spaghetti that he prepared as a celebration supper

for winning district going 4-0 and ending the season 7-2. Pictured left to right: Trever Czubinski, Keenan

Ravens soar past Texans, 41-13

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Baltimore Ravens' offense is *- starting to look as good as their stifling defense.

Rookie Joe Flacco threw two touchdown passes, Willis McGahee ran for 112 yards and two scores and the Ravens pulled away from the Houston Texans in the sec-Reliant Stadium on Sunday.

won four in a row and are AFC North.

be at this point. But we can't trying to get to."

HOUSTON (AP) — The got to keep going."

Baltimore held the sloppy Texans to 75 yards rushing and had four interceptions off Sage Rosenfels, who started for injured Matt Schaub.

The Ravens also reached 40 points on the road for the first time since 1999 and have averaged 33.5 points in ond half for a 41-13 win at the past four games — and they felt like they could've Flacco threw a touchdown Rosenfels' next throw and The Ravens (6-3) have scored more in Houston.

"We're seeing signs of tied with Pittsburgh atop the what we're capable of," said Flacco, who completed 15 of "That's a quarter of your 23 passes for 185 yards. "But 27-13. season, winning all your as far as all of us are congames," cornerback Samari cerned, we can get a lot bet- drives, to answer their score know we're able to do that," Rolle said. "I don't think a lot ter. We can kind of see down and stop the momentum," Flacco said. of people figured we would the road and see where we're Flacco said. "They were

while, have lost two in a row game. We still had the lead, after winning the previous so we just knew we needed three. They collapsed in the to go back down there and fourth quarter after Rosenfels do what we've been doing threw a 60-yard touchdown all game." pass to Kevin Walter late in the third to make it 19-13.

pass to Todd Heap with 14:03 left. Flacco found Derrick Mason for the 2-point con-

"Those are always big get complacent. We've just The Texans (3-6), mean-going to get back in the McGahee and Rolle are champion New York Giants dislocated left shoulder.

Linebacker Ray Lewis then intercepted Rosenfels But a pass interference for the second time and penalty on Houston's Eugene Heap caught another touch-Wilson gave the Ravens a down pass, this one from first-and-goal at the 1, and Troy Smith. Rolle picked off McGahee scored 2 minutes

"When the defense gives version that put Baltimore up you the opportunity to have a short field and go in and really put it away, it's good to

starting to feel like they were for the Ravens is that the defending Super Bowl played the second half with a

healthy again and contributed — but the four-game winning immediately. McGahee has streak has filled the locker, overcome knee, rib and ankle room with confidence. injuries this season and Rolle returned after missing six surely setting ourselves up games with a neck injury.

"We're just slowly but for next month — December The Ravens will get a true - and we'll see where it gauge of how good they are goes from there," said receiv-Even more encouraging next week, when they visit er Derrick Mason, who

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your door. You have quite a few potential

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fact that "being right" is about ego, noth-

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necessary. If you want to understand

more of what you need, relax with the

moment. Zoom in on what you want.

Evaluate and decide which way to go.

**** Reach out for someone you

care about. If you walk in this person's

shoes, you will see life much differently.

Move through a financial matter with

care. Others will look to better and more

positive changes. Tonight: Out or work-

**** Work with a partner more

directly. If you understand a situation and

what is happening better, new beginnings

become possible. Your creativity

emerges in the p.m. What was a problem

might no longer be later on. Tonight:

**** How you deal with someone

defines a situation. If you can, make a

decision that incorporates others' ideas.

Listen to your inner voice with a close

partner. Your caring makes someone

★★★ Dive into work full steam ahead.

Stay anchored, and you'll quickly

accomplish a lot. Your solid approach

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★★★ Use your unusual imagination to

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You could be delighted by the outcome.

Funnel afternoon energy into completing

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that you can. Tonight: Put your feet up.

*** Anchor in and accomplish as

much as possible. Others might not agree

with you, but listen as much as you can.

A brainstorming situation is remarkable.

It could solidify your plans. Be aware of

what you need to do. Tonight: Act on a

**** Your ability to move a central

idea forward earmarks your success.

Keep communication open; you could be

delighted by what comes up. Your prior-

ities change midafternoon. Don't fight

the change, even if you hadn't planned

*** Though your checkbook says

one thing, your intuition tells you anoth-

er. Before you act on this changing situa-

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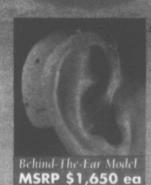
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