

## PAMPA FORECAST



Saturday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 23 West southwest wind between 5

Sunday: Sunny. with a high near 64. North
Sunday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around Monday: Sunny with a high near 58 , East
northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south Monday Night: Mostly clear. with a low around
33 . Breezy. with a south wind between 10 and Tuesday: Sunny. with a high near 70 . Windy.
with a southwest wind between 15 and 20 mph .
Tuesday Night: Mostly clear. with a low around

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## VFW


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and Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry,
He joined the VFW in 1988 in He joined the VFW in 1988 in
Cameron Park, Calif. He is a Life Cameron Park, Calif. He is a Life
Member of Post 4084 in Ridgecrest, Member
Calif.
Eubank
Eubank is the owner of Recon Construction of California.
He and his wife live in He and his wife live in Eugene,
Ore.
Depute, a member of the VFW since 1996, served in the U.S. Air Force from. 1964 to 1984, including service in Vietnam in 1969 and
1970 . 1970. in 1946, in San Diego, Calif., Depute is a retired Consumer Safety Officer for the Department of Commerce
He and his wife Millie live in League City.

## Obituaries

Faustine Marie Brown Connelly, 86 Inc., $724-929-5300,700$ Broad Avenue, Belle VerFaustine Marie Brown Connelly, 86, of Fayette tory.com. www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrema-
nor City, Pa., died Friday, February 11, 2011, at the Resi- Funeral services will be in the funeral home Mon-
dence at Hilltop, Monongahela, Pa.
day at 12 p.m. with John Curry officiating. InterShe was born in Charleroi, Pa., on March 6, 1924, ment will follow in Monongahela Cemetery,
the daughter of the late John Paul and Mary Loretta The family suggests memorials in Faustine's name (Paluson) Brown. Faustine graduated from Chareleroi to Western Pennsylvania Humane Society, 1608
High School in 1942 and was a registered nurse Fallen Timber Road, Elizabeth, PA 15037. graduating from the Allegheny General Hospital
School of Nursing on December 10, 1945. She was on the staff of the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital and
a nurse with the former Dr. Dent and Dr. Connelly in
Fayette City. She was known as the nurse with the
million dollar smile." She was active in St. Mary's Episcopal Church and
many community activities with her family. She was
an accomplished horsewoman and loved golf wnow many community activities with her family. She was
an accomplished horsewoman and loved golf, snow
skiing, dancing, bowling, and the outdoors. She en-
ioyed her life in the Mon Valley and her vacation skiing, dancing, bowling, and the outdoors. She en-
joyed her life in the Mon Valley, and her vacation
homes at Hidden Valley, Pa. and in Sarasota, Fla. She cherished her grandchildren and enjoyed many in 1957 He School. He married Marilyn Blaine She cherished her grandchildren and enjoyed many in 1957 . He worked for Pantex for over 20 years.
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Survivors include her son, Shane Miller, and his. Jimmy was an avid skater and taught speed skating snou sktting adventures. son, Shane Miller, and his Jr where, he was the union steward for many years.
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wife. Debra, of Fayette City, Pa.; her daughter, Faus- and hockey. He was a loving father and grandfather. wife. Debra, of Fayette City, Pa.; her daughter, Faus- and hockey. He was a loving father and grandfather.
tina Miller Curry, and her husband, John, of Pampa; tina Miller Curry, and her husband, John, of Pampa; Survivors include his two daughters, Pam Brackett
two grandchildren, Faustine Curry, of Mount Pleas- and husband Larry of Amarillo, and Shanna Kramer two grandchildren, Faustine Curry, of Mount Pleas- and husband Larry of Amarillo, and Shanna Kramer
ant, and Stewart Miller Curry, and his wife, Brandi, and husband Ron of Weatherford; a son, Jamey Noel of Amarillo; and great-granddaughter, Cambre Jade of Grand Junction, Colo., nine grandchildren, five
Curry, of Amarillo, and a brother, John Charles great-grandchildren; a sister, Dorothy Hammons of Curry, of Amarillo, and a brother. John Charles great-grandchildren; a sister, Dorothy Hammons of
(Buster) Brown of Blaine, Wash. She was preced-. Amarillo; a brother, Jerry Noel of Amarillo. Jimmy (Buster) Brown of Blane, Wash. She was preced-. Amarillo; a brother, Jerry Noel of Amar
ed in death by her parents, husband, Steve Miller was preceded in death by his parents.
in in 1967 , and husband, Dr. J. R Connelly in 1987. Memorials may be made to a favorite charity.
Friends will be received 11 a.m. until 11 p.m. Mon- Sign the online register at www.carmichael-what-
day in the Ferguson Funeraf Home and Crematory, Iey.com.

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Last Minute Ads

Jimmy L. Noel, 74
BLANCHARD, OKLa- Jimmy Lial
February 7 , 2011. in Blanchard Okia Noel, 74, died ebruary 7, 2011 , in Blanchard, Okla ded Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, February 14, 2011, at Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, with
Rev. Fines Marchman, pastor of First Baptist Church Rev. Fines Marchman, pas.
of Skellytown, officiating.
Mr. Noel was born December 2, 1936, in QuemaMr. Noel was born December 2, 1936, in Quema-
o. He attended schools in Pampa, graduating from ley.com. 0.0

| continued from Fri. | fingerprinting in the 200 | block of N. Dogwood Ln. |
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| Police Department | block of W. Kingsmill. | An information call |
|  | Water was shut off in | was reported in the 1000 |
| Wednesday, Feb. 9 | the 2500 block of N. As- | block of N. Sumner |
| An abandoned vehicle | pen | Thursday, Feb. 10 |
| as reported in the 900 | Officers delivered | A domestic disturbance |
| block of N. Hobart. | message in the 2100 | was reported in the 300 |
| Water was shut off | block of N. Coffee. | block of S. Jean. |
| the 2600 block of N . | Water was shut off in |  |
| Duncan. Officers conducted | the 1600 block of N . | The Pampa Police Department reported the |
| Officers conducted | Mary Ellen. | partment reported the |
| welfare check in the | Officers conducted | following incidents ${ }^{\text {dur }}$ |
| 2100 block of N. Coffee. | follow-up investigation | ing the 24 -hour period |
| A motorist assist was | in the 200 block of | ending at $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Friday. |
| provided in the 400 block | Kingsmill. | Police reported two |
| of N. Somerville | An open door was re- | traffic stops and five ac- |
| Water was shut off in | ported in the 400 block | cidents. |
| the 1000 block of Quail | of W. Atchison. | Animal Control Offi- |
|  | Water was shut of | cers̀ reported three ani- |
| Water was shut off in | đhé 2100 block of N . | mal-related calls. |
| the 2400 block of. N . | Charles. | Pampa EMS reported ${ }^{\text {c }}$ |
| Charles. | Officers provided -a | two ambulance calls. The |
| Officers conducted | motorist assist in the 500 | Pampa Fire Department |
| Owelfare check in the 1800 | block of W. Brown. | reported one medical |
| ock of N. Williston. | An information call |  |
| An abandoned vehicle | was reported in the 200 | reported six |
|  | block of W. Kingsmill. | aling with water |
| , | An information cal |  |

Thursday, Feb. 10
Officers assisted Officers assisted mo-
torists in thee 500 block torists in thee Soo block of West Brown, at Har-
yester and Charles and in the 1400 block of Charles. Criminal trespass was
reported in the 1000 reported in the 100
block of North Hobart. An assault was report ed in the 1000 block o Southteve.
Police repo Police reported a case
of identity theft. Firefighters reported a fire investigation in the 800 block of North Nel
son. A domestic disturbance
was reported in the 1100 Wlock of West Gwendo Friday, Feb. 11 Officers checked build
ings in the 1200 block of North Hobart and in
the 2800 block the 2800 block of North Charles.


## AFTERNOONRUSH Gas prices highest ever for February

Cornyn to run for Whip
WASHINGTON (AP) - United States Sen. John
Cormyn will run for the No. 2 position in the Senate, offiCornyn will run for the No. 2 position in the Senate, offi-
cials in the senator's Washington, D.C. office confirmed
Friday. Friday. Current GOP Senate Whip Jon Kyl of Arizona
announced Thursday that he will retire at the end of Cornyn will face Sen. Lamar Alexander (R-Tenn.) in the bid for the Senate Whip position. Cornyn was first
elected to the Senate in 2002 and is chairman of the elected to the Senate in 2002 and is chair
National Republican Senatorial Committee.
North Texas eyes Okla. water OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) A North Texas water
district is increasing its efforts to convince Oklahoma district is increasing its efforts to convince Oklahoma
officials to sell water from the southeastern corner of the state.
Tarrant Tarrant Regional Water District general manager Jim Oliver said Friday that he's encouraged by the
business-like approach of new Gov. Mary Fallin and business-like ap
state lawmakers
The district sued the Oklahoma Water Resources
Board in 2007 to force the board Board in 2007 to force the board to provide access to
Oklahoma water. A federal judge dismissed the lawsuit last year.
District
District consultant Hopper Smith says the district would rather negotiate a solution than litigate one.
Fallin spokesman Alex Weintz says the governor
is willing to listen to the district's proposal - but that Oklahoma's needs must come first.
The district serves about 1.8 million people in the Fort
Alleged abuse victim testifies
LUBBOCK (AP) A former inmate of a West Texas
youth prison testified that the man accused of sexually youth prison testified that the man accused of sexually
abusing him tried to convince him their alleged sexual encounters were consensual.
The 26 -year-old former inmate, who cried several
times on the witness stand, testified for more than three times on the witness stand, testified for more than three
hours. Friday against John Paul Hernandez, the former principal at the school who is accused of sexually abus-
ing-teens and young men at the West Texas State School
in Pyot in in Pyote in 2004 and 200
the past two days.
Prosecutors alleg
ege Hernandez, 45, and another former school administrator gave inmates special treatment,
candy and promises of financial aid before sexually candy and promises of financial aid before sexually
N.M. lawmakers question outage SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) New Mexico lawmakers
are hearing from state regulators, utility officials and residents who
eral days.
The state
The state Senate is conducting a special hearing Friday
on the natural gas outage that left tens of thousands of New Mexicans without service as temperatures plunged Among those testifying are executives with New the Public Regulation Commission and Gov.. Susana The Public Regulation Commission has already taken S. Sen Jeff Bingaman is planning a field hearing of the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee in
New Mexico later this month to address the issue.
Execution drug supply to expire mistic the state can find the drug sodium thiopental or an alternative to carry out executions after Texas' supply.
expires at the end of March. Rick Thaler, director of the Texas Department of
Criminal Justice Institutional Division, said Friday outside a state prison board meeting the issue has been a top priority within the agency for several months.
Sodium thiopental is one of three drugs used in the letha turer in the U.S. has suspended production and supplies elsewhere have been scarce.
Two executions are scheduled this month, including one ext week. Another is set for early April, days after the Texrent Texas supply expires.
The nation's most
1880 s-era schooners unearthed SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Utility crews digging
ut an area near San Francisco's Candlestick Park have out an area near San Francisco's Candlestick Park have
unearthed two 1880 -era schooners that had once been used to ferry goods throughout the Bay Area, long before ridges and highways existed here.
Maritime experts say the ships are likely scow schoohers, 90 -foot tong wooden workhorses common during chooners currently survives: the Alma is housed at the San Francisco Maritime National Historic Park.
Crews worked this week to excavate the area and
examine the vessels. Scamine the vessels.
on project the the Sal consultant on the construc boat frames will be measured, photographed and drawn, and wood samples taken.
Relics like shoes, pottery and bottles will be saved, but

## Police ID slain man

FRISCO (AP) - Police have identified a man killed in a shooting in a Dallas suburb as a 47 -year-old Frisce resident.
Frisco police Sgt. Adam Henderson says Kenneth
James Andrews was found in an alley of a residential rea Thursday with multiple gunshot wounds.
Henderson says the shooting appears to be an isolated neident, possibly related to Andrews' business dealings The violence caused the Frisco Independent Schoo District to lock down three nearby schools for about an our as police searched the area for a suspect.

NEW YORK (AP) U.S. gasoline prices have umped to the highest levels ever for this time of year. umped to the highest levels ever for this time of year The national average hit $\$ 3.127$ per gallon on Friday, about 50 cents higher than a year ago. The rise in gas pump prices has so far outpaced the

increases seen in 2008 . Gas prices began tor increases seen in 2008. Gas prices began to soar in late
February of that year, eventually hitting an all-time high of $\$ 4.11$ per gallon in July.
memories dramatic price rise at the pump brings back many drivers to join ears agols when price spikes forced SUV' for more fuel-efficient cars, "it would be a mis take to think we're going to have that all over again," Gasoline has oil analyst Tom Kloza.
Gemporary combination of forcesember because of a emporary combination of forces that pushed energy prices higher; including stronger oil demand from
China, a frigid winter in the U.S and tension in Egypt, Kloza said.
The price of Brent crude, a key benchmark that influences U.S. gasoline prices, hit $\$ 100$ per barrel in January for the first time since 2008 .
"It was a perfect storm," said Kloza
Kl
Kl was a perfect storm, said crude demand will slide in the U.S
Kloza by May, as refineries slow fuel production while they switch to summer blends of gas. World oil consump-
tion also may not rise as much as expected One of the biggest differences between now and 2008

## PHOENIX (AP)-Gov, rights groups and other Jan Brewer sued the federal

 Jan Brewer sued the federalgovernment Thursday for
failing to control Arizona's
border with Mexico and border with Mexico and and for sticking the state with huge costs associated
with jailing illegal immigrants who commit crimes. The lawsuit claims the
federal government failed to protect Arizona
from an "instion" of ille gal immigrants. It seeks
increased reimbursements and extra seafeguarsemens. such
as additional border es.
Brewer's court filing
serves as a cour serves as a countersuit in
the federal government's legal challenge to Arizona's
new enforcement immigra tion law. The U.S. Justice
Department is seeking to
invalidate the law invalidate the law.
"Becuuse

other choice," Brewer said
as sign-carrying protesters
yelled chants at her and at other champions of the
immigration law.
Justice Department
spokeswoman Tracy
Schmaler declined to com ment on the filing. But a spokesman for the U.S.
Department of Homeland Security, which is in charge of policing the country's
borders, called Brewer's lawsuit a meritless action
and said Border Patrol staffing is higher than ever. Not only do actions like
this ignore all of the statistical evidence, they also belitte the significant progress that our men and women protect this border and the it," spokesman Mathew
Chandler said. "We welcome any state and local
government or law enforcegent agency to join with
ment
us address the remaining us to adares
challenges.
B Bewer's
a cowert order lhat would require the federal govern-
ment to take extra steps to protect Arizona - such as more border fences - until the border is controlled. Brewer also asks for addi-
tional border agents and technology along the state's border with Mexico.
The govemor isn't The governor isn't seek-
ing a lump-sum award ing a lump-sum award,
but rather asks for policy ut rather asks for policy
changes in the way the federal government reimburses
states for the costs of jailing illegal immigrants who are convicted of state crimes.
Such changes would give the state more reimbursethe stat
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of complaints that the fedor complaints that the fed
eravinment hasn't eral government hass
done enough to lessen the
tate's role as state's role as the nation's
busiest illegal busiest illegal entry point.
Its passage ignited protests Its passage ignited protests
over whether the law would lead to racial profiling, and prompted lawsuits by the
Justice Department, civil

Iraders are more cautious. Affer rising above $\$ 100.94$ a barrel on the ICE Futures-Exchange.
Arizona gov. Brewer countersues Feds
$\$ 147$ per barrel three years ago, oil prices tumbled to
below $\$ 33$ per barrel in 2009 . The market remembers below $\$ 33$ per barrel in 2009 . The market remembers
that, Kloza said, and even the most bullish traders no longer think they can chase commodity prices higher without risk.
Meanwhile, Meanwhile, oil prices tumbled Friday after Egypt's
President Hosni Mubarak handed over power to the Presiden nossit Cairo.
military and left handed Benchmark West Texas Intermediate crude for March delivery fell $\$ 1.15$ to settle at $\$ 85.58$ a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange. That's lower
than the price on Jan. 25, when the demonstrations in Egypt began. Triders and investors have been concerned that the spread to other parts of the Middle East and disrupt
oil supplies. Now that Mubarak has stepped down the oil supplies. Now that Mubarak has stepped down, the
military says it will oversee a democratic transition to a new government.
"The market is getting whipsawed." oil analyst Stephen Schork said "Everyone is playing, the card that stability in Egypt is good for oil" shipments. oil fell 1.49 cents to settle at $\$ 2.6958$ per gallon and gasoline lost less than a penny to settle at $\$ 2.4652$ per gallon. Natural gas lost 7. ogcents $^{2}$ to settle at $\$ 3.910$ per In Londo Brent crude fir 50 cent In London, Brent crude fell 50 cents to setter
\$100.94 a barrel on the ICE Futures-Exchange.


## Viewpoints

## Today in History




Stuck inside of Memphis with the Pampa blues again



Sunday Horoscope


## Democracy protests finally bring down Egypt's Mubarak

 move appeared to have pushed the military into forcing him
out completely. Hundreds of thousind marched through-
out the day in cities across the country as soldiers stood by, out the day in cities across the country as soldiers stood by
besieging his palaces in Cairo and Alexandria and the state TV building. A governor of a southem province was forced to flee to safety in the face of protests there.
Mubarak himself flew to his isolated palace in the Red Sea resort of Sharm el-Sheikh. 250 miles from the turmoi in Cairo. His fall came 32 years to the day after the collapse of the shah's govermment in Iran.
Vice President Suleiman - who appears to have lost his Vice President Suleiman who appears to have losim as
post as well in the military takeover appeared grim as
he delivered the short announcement. post as well in the military takeover.
he delifered the shor announcement
-In these grave circumstances that the country is passing In these grave circumstances that the country is passing
through, President Hosni Mubarak has decided to leave through, President Hossi Mubarak has decided "o
his position as president of the republic." he said "He has his position as president of the republic, he said He has
mandated the Amed Forces Supreme Gouncil to run the state. God is our protector and succor,"
Nobel Peace laureate Mohammed ElBaradei, whose Nobel Peace laureate Mohammed ElBaradef, whose
young supporters were among the organizers of the protest Cupid's Special




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Weather puts the big freeze on most agricultural activities


winds. Producers were busy tending to
livestock, putting out feed ahead of the livestock, putting out feed ahead of the
storm, placing livestock behind wind-
breaks, breaks, thawing water and breaking iice.
The cold, windy weather was very hard on the cattle that did not have shelter. Effects of this weather on crops cannot be fully determined at the time back to early 1900's were broken. The
ground was frozen so hard that no land ground was frozen so hard that no land
preparation for field crops could be preparation tor field crops could be
done Supplemental feeding of cattle on rangeland continued. ROLLING PLAINS: The region received
much needed moisture but itarrived as more than 6 inches of ice and as snow.
It was extremely
cold, with tem-
coltemely
peratures drop-
ping into the single digits and with wind chills below zero. The upside Was that when the snow melted most of Many ranchers were struggling to keep
the moisture was directly absorbed by their tiven. the soil. The hard dreety absorbed by their livestock hydrated as many water the soil. The hard freeze was expected troughs were frozen over. Supplemental
to dramatically reduce insect popula- feeding of livestock continued. tions. The weather was hard on live-
stock, and producers had to supply
large amounts of supplemental feed and large amounts of supplemental feed and
hay. Livestock were in generally fair condition with some in poor condition. The extreme cold froze stock ponds,
and some producers had to haul water and some producers had to haul water
to livestock. SOU T H PLAINS: Subfreezing tem-
peratures lasted peratures lasted
for three days
and five nithys. for three days
and five nights.
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Dear Abby.
By Pauline \& Jeanne Phillips
DEAR ABBY: I am a 17 -year- They are not shameful, and expe- home dinner at my expense. What's old girl who is obsessed with re- riencing them does not mean they right - pack the leftovers for my maining a virgin. I'm uncomfortable must be acted upon.
around guys my-age for fear they The more you. tell yourself own personal use or divide them
up fuests? - LEFT HOLDING NOT to think about something. THE BAG sex.
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see a mildly racy scene in a movie deal with obsessive thoughts is to the leftovers with them because
or have a sexual thought and experi- divert the thought into an action that's the pattern you set all these or have a sexual thought and experi- divert the thought into an action that's the pattern you set all these
ence some sort of physiological re-- that IS acceptable. In your case, years. Because you now prefer to action, I become extremely upset. I becoming involved in sports might keep them for your personal use, must repeatedly reassure myself that rechannel some of your sexual en- pare down the menu and prepare
any arousal was not deliberate.
ergy. The key is to stay busy. But less food. I'm sick of feeling so anxious if your obsessive thoughts persist, You migh ancess food away didn't know about sex at all. What censed mental health professional. out of sight, oxt of mind. If you are
can I do? - EMBARRASSED IN DEAR ABBY: After entratio. questioned, deal with it by point NEW YORK EMBARRASSD DEAR ABBY: After entertain questioned, deal with it by pointDEAR EMBARRASSED: Stop holiday dinhers; which includes pur- one needs to cut back - and while beating yourself up for having chasing all the food and beverages, in the past you sent food home
normal feelings for someone your must I send guests home with left- with your guests, for the foreseeage. As young women (and men) overs? Over the years, it has been able future "charity" begins at age. As young women (and men) overs? Over the years, it has been able future "charity"
mature, sexual feelings happen. "expected" that I'd give them a take- home. YOUR home.


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## GrayCares

the group's clients. Those services included local transportation, visitations, minor home maintenance and repairs, yard care, snow removal and pet visits. Last year alone, those volunteers provided 549 hours
and 15 minutes of service to 77 different people, a conand 15 minutes of service to 77 different people, a con-
tribution of $\$ 11,122$ to the Pampa community, With seed money from Accolade Home Care GrayCares voluntecrs also built three wheelchair ramps in 2010 through a project called Operation Ramp.
According to GrayCares Director Donna Brauchi, GrayCares has no intention of letting up after its firs birthday. "GrayCares Living at Home, Inc, Eontinues it,
commitment to independent living for older addults, commitment to independent living for older adults,
said Brauchi in a release. "New voluntecrs are alway said Brauchi in a releas."
needed and welcome."
For more information about Gray Cares or to volun teer, make a donation or request services, call 806
$688-7109$ 688-7109.
< Graycares volunteers built three wheelcha amps in 2010 through Operation Ramp.

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and happy and eagep to learn. It's so great to get to be around them and be a part of them learning. "That's why I wanted to be a teacher. It's what I
wanted to do from the beginning, and it turned out

## Sports

Harvesters clinch district with win over rival Borger


## Sports

Harvesters earned district in March

SPORTS:




## Sports

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THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane

there's lots of padding to keep me from crying

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THE POLAR OLYMPICS


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Nest Heads


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said could change radically given time Be smarr, and don't force anv isutes if yevarare single. take youir time betore commiting.
Soricone might not be all he or the appears to be. If you are atatached, you might ditter her opminons with respect. Both of you come her oppinions with respect. Both of you conce
from different perpectives. CANCER might be hard to work with
A baby bom loday. Feb, 14 , 2011 , is an
tanaus Sun with a Cancer Moon. The Slars Show the Kind of Day You'll
Have: 5 -Dynamic: ; - Positive: 3-Aver. age; 2-So-so: 1-Difficult
ARIES (March 21-April 19) $\star \star \star$ You could be overly emovional.
withe cerything thatis swirling atround you Take a decp breath Tumst your abilities Pres.
sure builds yas ugele many diferent cont sure builds as you juggle many difterent conf
cems You will land on your feet fike a cat cems You will land y your feen
with nine lives Tonight Homeward boun
Tis TAURLS (April 20 - May 20 )
$\star \star \star \star$ You could be hardd pressed to get
anyibing done. Dent tiry to fugle too muct anything done. Don't try to juggle too much at one ume. You are unusually resourcetul
and buoyant. Walk in someone s shoes who
is at a distance. Tonight: Ruin errands on the. is at a distance. Tonight: Ruin errands on
way home
way home
GEMIN (May 21- June 20)
GEMINI (May 21- June 20)
$\star \star \star \star \star$ Youknow your limits. Establisha $\star \star \star \star$ You know yur timis. Stablisha
beter sense of direction Rework a personal
maiter with a partner Set avide time for this matter with a partuer Set aside time for this
discussion when you are not so driven. Undiscussion when you are not so dnven. Un-
dertand that someone only wants to please you' Tonight Talk turkey
CANCER (June 21 - Jaly 22)
$\star \star \star \star \star$ You could hit your share of
obstacles, only because so many peopple feel obbtactes, only because so mant people feel
you are capabie of nearly anything. A partner or assexiat supports you Don't feel pres-
sired by his or her difticult ounctions. They sured by his or her ditficult questions. They
are only questions. Tonight Talk over dinner are only questons. Tongh. 22 )
LEO (July 2 2-Aug.
$\star \star$ Observe from behind the scenes. The situation could become a problem if
you don't handle it property. Undentanding evolves between you and a a condidant who undentand, work. Resist a power play
by not playing. Tonight Get some R and R by not playing. Tonight Get some R and R.

Shoe


Mother Goose and Grim
 Zits


Garfield


Beetle Bailey Comeone else make a suggestion.
CAPRICO $\star \star \star$ You could come off far stronger than you intended to. Relax. Being though-
ful as opposed to more challenging could Work! Investigate a situatoon for whiat it has
to offer Let the other pernon ralk You then to offer Let the other person talk. You
leam more anyway. Tonigh: Defer AQUARIUS (Jan. 20- Feb. 18) $\star \star \star \star$ If possible, foxus on work. An
emotional stuation could be a bit demanding. Your inner dialoguve might be probiemat-
ic and off. Give this situtution time to timmer
. ic and off. Give this situation time to simmer-
You could te delighted by the difference later Tonight Squeceze inat least a brisk walk.
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day. f you so choose You also might want to day. if you so choose. You also might want to
walk away from a demanding. pushy person Waik away from a demmanding. pushy person call is yours, in any case. Investigate what is key in the long nun, and decide what is bo
Tonight A quiet talk setlles a pobblem. Tonight A Aquiet talk
BORN TODAY
Teamsters union leader Jimmy Hoffa (1913), Washington Post reponer Carl Bernstein (1944), commetologist Keyyn Aucoin


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Interesting choices headline SDIII-SCDEEN Bland humor, characters 83rd Academy Award list

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| Picture Arts and Sciences announced the nominees for the 83 rd Annual Academy awards. While there were a couple of sur- | The Fighter |
|  | Inception |
| awards. While there were a couple of surprise inclusions and shutouts the nominees | The Kids ${ }_{4}$ Are |
| stuck pretty close to the previous awards of this season. "The King's Speech" |  |
|  | The King' |
| lead the nominations with 12, "True Grit" walked away with 10, and both "The | 127 Hours |
|  | The Social |
| Social Network" and "Inception" scored 8 nominations each. | Toy Story True Grit |
| While its good to see "Inception" in |  |
| the Best Picture category, it's a bit disappointing that Christopher Nolan was not nominated for Best Director. It's also disheartening to see "The Town," one of my |  |
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| favorite films of the year, left out of both the Best Picture and Director categories, as |  |
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| I really thought this might be Ben Affleck's year for another win. |  |
| Another surprising shutout is Andrew | Javier Bar |
|  | Jeff Bridge |
| Social Network" was one of the year |  |
| best. And personally I was hoping "Scott Pilgrim vs. The World" would have at least |  |
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| Pilgrim vs. The World" would have at least been nominated for some visual effects awards, so it's a big dišappointment to see | BEST ACTRES |
|  | Ammette Bening, "The Kids Are A |
| it shut out. |  |
| In the Best Picture category the biggest surprise was the inclusion of indie drama, | Jennifer Lawrence, "Winter's |
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| Winter's Bone, which, while well-liked by critics. wasn't expected to be this nominated. Meanwhile "True Grit," which was |  |
|  | BEST SUP |
| nated. Meanwhile "True Grit," which was all but shut out by the Golden Globes. was rightfully nominated for Best Picture. |  |
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| Best Director. Best Actor for Jeff Bridges, |  |
| Best Directer. Best Actor for Jeft Bridges, <br> Best Supporting. Actress for Haile Steinfeld Best Adapted Screenplay Best | Geoffrey Rush, "The King's |
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| Steinfeld, Best Adapted Screenplay, Best | BEST SUP |
| (inematography, and 4 technical awards. <br> I myself look forward to the Oscars every year and this year is no different, especially | Amy Ad |
|  | Helena Bonham Carter, "The |
| year and this year is no different, especially with James. Franco, who is nominated for |  |
| Best Actor for his performance in "127 | Melissa Leo, "The Figh |
| Hours," and Anne Hathaway hosting. You can view a list of big category nominees | Hail |
|  | Jackie Weaver, "Animal |
| below, and don't forget to pick up the paper on Febniary 26th for our complete list of predictions for the big show. |  |
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Public Meeting Notice
2012 Unified Transportation Program and 2011-2014 Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan Revision

The Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) will host an open-house
of the 2012 Unified Transportation Program (UTP), which covers fiscal years
(FY) 2012 through 2021 and the FY 2011 January out-of-cycle revision to the
The public meeting will be held from 4:00-7:00 p.m. on Tuesday; February
22. 2011 at the TxDOT - EI Paso Meroplitan Planning 22, 2011 at the TxDOT - EI Paso Metropolitan Planning Organization Of fice, 10767 Gateway Boulevard West, EI Paso, Texas.

Unified Transportation Program
of Texas transportation projects including roadways, aviation struction transportation. waterways and coastal waters, and rail projects and in-

Beginning promptly at 6:00 p.m.,
and on-hand to discuss the development process and ånswer questions. Forms will be provided in order to receive written comments. All interested parties are

For additional information, please go to www.txdot.gov/public_invoivement/ utp htm or call the toll-free information line at (800) 687-8108.

Written comments may be submitted on the UTP website at www.txdot gov, using search engine keyword: 2012 UTP: by email at: FIN_UTP@txdot.gov,
or by mall to David Plutowski. PE UTP Engineer. 150 E. Riverside Drive. or by mall to David Plutowski. P.E. UTP Engineer, 150 E. Riverside Drive
Austin. Texas. 78704 Public comments will be received until March 3.2011 :

Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan
The STIP is a mechanism used by TXDOT and the Federal Highway Ádministration to fund projects for the next four years and includes all federally funded projects. This public meeting pertains specifically to the FY 2011- January
out-of-cycle STIP revision for a single project in the San Antonio area. TxDOT representatives will be on-hand to answer STIP related questions.
The FY 2011 STIP Amendment for January 2011 may be viewed online at http://www txdot gov/business/governments/stips/htm or visit any TxDOT District affice prior to the meeting. Locations of these offices can be found at: intp:/ wiw. dot state. Ix.us/local information. Written comments may be sub-

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 in time for Valentine's in theaters just To perpety does thate this ruse, Danny enlists try. Still, it's hard to give a film good the aidofa fake wife: his nurse Katherine(Jennifer Aniston, who's apparently grades for effort when you spend the settled in nicely in the rele of "beauti-
entire thing waiting to leave. A mil everyday woman beneath frumpy
A misguided remake of 1969 's exterior"). Because Palmer "Cactus Flower" (which itself was a Danny convinces Katherine to string film version of a Broadway farce adapt- along her two children, who Danny pro-
ed from a French play) ed from a French play), "Just Go With ceeds to bribe into participating. Palmer tt " puts Sandler in the role of Danny, a then proceeds to fall for a series of the
Beveriy Hills plastic surgeon who hooks most transpare Beverly Hills plastic surgeon who hooks most transparent lies in the galaxy,
girls into sleeping with him by wear- and Danny's charade of philandering is painted over with a veneer of wellmeaning schmaltz.
Oh, and Nicole Kidman shows up a
one point for some reason, but by then one point for some reason, but by then
it's really not worth trying to explain anything anymore.
The premise, to be honest, probably isnt as ridiculous as it sounded
just now. It's worked before, in fact Goldie Hawn won an Oscar for "Cactus Flower" in 1969 .
"Just Go With It," though, lacks the
charisma and heart charisma and hear that the original
brought to the table. Every character in it just comes off as a terrible person (Sandler and Aniston) or too dumb to care about (Decker). It's a shame, because Sandler's genuine, self-effacing
charm does shine through at points charm does shine through at points.
Those points, though. are few and far between, and it just serves to remind you how terrible the rest of the movie actually is.


Empezando a las 6:00 p.m. en punto. Representantes de TXDOT harán una presentación breve sobre el propósito y desarroilo del UTP. Información adicional y una exhibición públicagestarán disponibles y representantes de TxDOT estarán presentes para discutir el proceso del desarrollo y para contestar preguntas. Se proveeran formas para
nas interesadas se les urge asistir.

Para más información, por favor vaya al www.txdot.gov/public_involvement/ utp. htm o llame gratis a la linea de información (800) 687-8108.
Comentarios por escrito pueden ser sometidos en el sitio de Web del UTP: hittp://www.txdot.gov, por correo electrónico a: FIN UTP@txdot.gov; o por correo a: David Plutowski, P.E., UTP Engineer, 150 E. Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas, 78704. Comentarios públicos serán aceptados hasta el 3 de Marzo del

Plan de Mejoras al Transporte Estatal
El STIP es el mecanismo usado por TXDOT y la Administración Federal de Carreteras para financiar proyectos durante los próximos cuatro años incluyendo los proyectos financiados por el gobierno federal. Esta reunion publica
pertenece especificamente a revisión de enero, fuera de ciclo del año fiscal 2011 STIP para un solo proyecto en el área de San Antonio Representantes de TXDOT estarán presentes para contestar preguntas relacionadas al STIP

La enmienda al STIP del 2011 para enero 2011 puede ser vista visitando la siguiente página: http://www.txdot.gov/business/governments/stips/htm o visitando cualquier oficina del Distrito de TxDOT antes de la reunión. La localización de estas oficinas se pueden encontrar en la siguiente página: http':ll www. dot.state. Lx, us/local information. Comentarios por escrito pueden ser sometidos a: Lori Morel, 118 Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704
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razonable para satisfacer sus necesidades

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Laycocks to celebrate 60 years Ray and Mary Bob Laycock are cel-
ebrating their 0 th Weding Ammiverary
with family and friends on Saturday with family and friends on Saturday. Ray married Mary Bob. Denson on Hesting the reception will be their chil the home of the bride's parents, Cecil and Husband Travis Dorsey of Houston.

Weekly Menus
Pampa Independent School District


Pampa Senior Citizens Center
MONDAY, February 14
Chicken Fried Steak or Chicken
Broccoli Noodle Mashed Potatoes Chicken Fried Steak or Chicken
Broccoli/ Noodle, Mashed Potatoes,
Spinach, Beets, Northern Beans, Cole Spinach, Beets, Northern Beans, Cole
Slaw or Tossed Salad, Jello- Devilsfood Cake - Cherry Creme Pie or Fruit Cup,
Hot Roll or Combread HOESDAY February Meatoaf or Chicken Breast Stuffing, Potatoes Veggies, Green Beans, Fried Squash, Beans, Cole Slaw or Tossed Chocolate Icebox Pie or Fruit Cup. Ho Roll or Combread
WEDNESDAY, February 16 Roast Beef Brisket/Brown Gravy
or Cook's Choice. Mashed Potatoes. Carrots, Green Peas, Butter Beans, Cole

## Meals on Wheels

MONDAY, February 14
BBO. Potato Salad, - Baked Beans, Applesauce
TUESDAY, February
Meatloaf, Scalloped Potatoes, Peas Pineapple
WEDNESDAY, February 10
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Discount: \$302 Sale Price: $\$ 10_{0}$ อใ8

## 2011 Chevy Camaro

Discount: $\$ 508$
Sale Price: $52 \pi_{0} 4 \sqrt{2} 2$


## 2011 Chevy Traverse

Rebate Total: \$2,000 Discount: \$661 Total Savings: \$2,661 Sale Price: $5_{8} 0_{5} 124$

## 2011 Chevy Silverado Crew

Rebate Total: \$2,500 Discount: $\mathbf{\$ 1 , 5 8 8}$ Total Savings: $\$ 4,088$
Sale Price: $\$ 33,492$





