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## New school hours for Aquatic Center

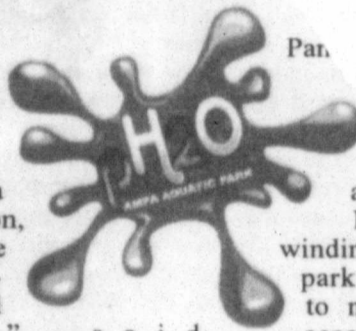
**MOLLIE BRYANT**  
 mbryant@thepampanews.com

Put on your swim trunks and slather on the sunscreen. Pampa's H2O Aquatic Center is in the final days of the summer season, so get it while it's hot.

The water park has had a successful inaugural summer, drawing large crowds since its opening and hosting Pampa's

televised summer celebration last month.

"Overall, it's been a great season, and people have really enjoyed the park," said Enrique Cabrales, Recreation Superintendent of the City of



Pampa had a couple days affected by weather, but those were the only days we saw a dip in attendance.

Now, with summer winding down, the water park has transitioned to new school hours to accommodate the rapidly approaching 2011-2012 school year.

The park will be closed Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for private parties, and open on Sundays from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m., on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., and on Saturdays from noon to 10 p.m.

The park's last day this season will be on Monday, September 5, when it will be open from noon to 7 p.m.

## SHOP AND SAVE



staff photo by Mollie Bryant

Lori Palacios of Pampa takes daughter Serena shoe-shopping at Bealls department store. Most shoes are on the list of tax-free school supplies and clothing items for this weekend.

## Tax-free weekend today through Sunday

**MOLLIE BRYANT**  
 mbryant@thepampanews.com

This weekend will be the Super Bowl of back to school shopping. Put on your cleats, wear a helmet, and prepare yourself and your prized student for a shopping extravaganza filled with new clothes, more notebook paper than you

can shake a stick at and an array of good deals.

The best deal of all, however, is the state tax exemption on clothing, some accessories and school supplies. The state has even added more items to its tax-free list in 2011, meaning even more savings, on top of the sales that many stores will run.

Tax-free Weekend, which will run from Friday, August 19 through Sunday, August 21, is a very exciting time for retailers that have been preparing all week for this sales event.

Walmart manager Derrick Thompson encouraged shoppers to set out as soon as possible to ensure getting everything on **TAX** cont. on page 3

## Clarendon adds sign language; fall outlook good

**ARNIE AURELLANO**  
 editor@thepampanews.com

With classes beginning Aug. 31 for the fall semester, Clarendon College Pampa Center is again starting to buzz with activity.

Pampa Center Vice President Ray Jaramillo, speaking after the school hosted an open community enrollment event on Thursday, said that attendance at the event was good, an encouraging sign for the fall.

"(Dean of Admissions) David (Hall) told me that about 100 people showed up, and that's a great number," he said. "Not all of



Jaramillo

While the college won't know its final registration totals for a few weeks, Jaramillo

said that its current numbers are encouraging.

"I'm going to go out on a limb and say yes, we'll (have a good number)," he said. "Right now, we've got about 350 (enrolled). We're about 150 away from what we were running last year. We're aiming for 500, so we need about 200 more to get over that. It's looking good, I think."

One new addition that Clarendon enrollees may sign up for is the recently announced Beginning American Sign Language class, which will be offered in the evenings at **CLARENDON** cont. on page 3

that number is students, but it's just great to see people coming out and interested in the school. We have these things for the community, so it's good to see people coming."

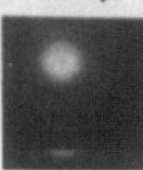


Registration for the fall semester is ongoing and will continue through Sept. 7, Jaramillo said.

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### PAMPA FORECAST

Today	Saturday	Sunday
		
High 102 Low 71	High 97 Low 68 20%	High 92 Low 69 20%

**Today:** Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 102. South southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph.

**Tonight:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 71. South wind around 15 mph.

**Saturday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 p.m. Mostly sunny and hot, with a high near 97. Southwest wind between 10 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Saturday Night:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 68. Southwest wind around 10 mph becoming east.

**Sunday:** A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 92. East southeast wind between 5 and 10 mph.

**Sunday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 69. Southeast wind around 10 mph.

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## Obituaries

### Kenneth Neal Kieth, 71

Kenneth Neal Kieth, 71, died August 16, 2011, in Pampa.

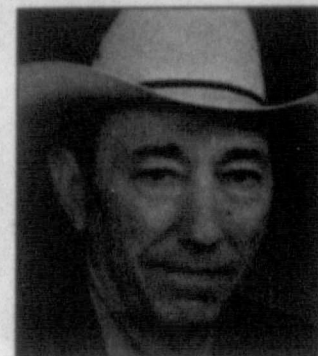
Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 20, 2011, at Memory Gardens Cemetery, with Rev. Kyle Ohsfeldt, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Kieth was born January 27, 1940, in Pampa where he had lived most of his life. He married Patricia LaJuan Thomas on June 6, 1959, in Pampa. She preceded him in death on April 18, 2006. Kenneth started his career in law enforcement as a highway patrol with the Texas Department of Public Safety. He also worked for the Pampa Police Department, was chief deputy with Gray County Sheriff's Department, and retired from Texas Department of Criminal Justice. He was a member of Grace Baptist Church, the Pampa Masonic Lodge #966 AF&AM, and was a 33rd degree Mason. Kenneth enjoyed reading, fishing in the mountains and spending time with his family.

Survivors include three daughters, Kim Dunham and husband Randy of Pampa, Terri Kitchens and husband Rusty of Silt, Colo., and Tamie Reames and husband George of Canadian; a son, Kevin Kieth and wife Teresa of Pampa; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Kenneth was preceded in death by his parents, Herman and Bertha Kieth; and a granddaughter, Amy Kitchens.

Memorials may be made to Grace Baptist Church, 824 S. Barnes, Pampa, TX 79065.

Sign the online register at [www.carmichael-whitley.com](http://www.carmichael-whitley.com).



Kieth

were spent in the field where his wife and kids were right beside him. He is probably best known for his slow talk and his love of storytelling; he will be greatly missed by all.

After retiring and moving to Pampa, he raised gardens with wonderful tomatoes, cucumbers and squash that many people enjoyed. The grandchildren and great-grandchildren loved to come and benefit from his swing, big hugs, and storytelling; he would always make sure you had plenty to eat. Many will remember him with his windshield repair business, which helped keep him very busy in his retirement years. He enjoyed helping in the church nursery for many years. Mr. Cade served as a deacon in each church of the towns they lived. He was a member of Harvest Fellowship Church at the time of his death. He loved being around people and hunting and fishing in the Colorado Mountains. He was preceded in death by his parents; V.L. and Mae Cade and a daughter, Christy Cade.

Survivors include his wife, Earnestine Cade of the home; son, Danny Cade and wife Donna of Lubbock; one daughter, Marilyn Cade Shelton and husband Lonnie of Pampa; grandsons, Brian Cade and wife Sandy of Belgrade, Mont. and Brad Cade and wife Ambra of Amarillo; granddaughters, Kilyn Shelton James and husband Curtis of Sherman, Audra Shelton Tibboel and husband Kevin of Greenville, and Traci Shelton Baize and husband Todd of Telluride, Colo.; 12 great-grandchildren, Levi Cade, Madison Cade, Hayden Cade, Kason Cade, Konner Cade, Brock James, Mason James, Brady Tibboel, Avery Tibboel, Paige Tibboel, Savannah Baize, and Scarlett Baize; one sister, Nancy Cade Edwards of Lubbock.

A special thanks to all the wonderful staff of the Meredith House, Odyssey Hospice and our church family; especially C.W. Parker, Bob Lindsay, Jan Farris, Melissa Strote, and Jenna Saucier.

In lieu of flowers: Odyssey Hospice. 6900 I-40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, TX 79106 or Common Belief Ministries, P.O. Box 536, Howe, TX 75459.

Sign the online register at [www.carmichael-whitley.com](http://www.carmichael-whitley.com).

### Jesus Manuel Bejarano Jr., 19

Jesus Manuel Bejarano Jr., 19, died August 18, 2011, in Pampa.

Memorial services will be at 3 p.m. Friday, August 19, 2011, at St. Vincent dePaul Catholic Church, with Rev. Joseph Ravi, associate pastor, officiating. Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Bejarano was born September 15, 1991, in Chihuahua, Mexico. He had been a resident of Pampa since November of 2010, moving from Phoenix, Ariz.

Survivors include his parents, Jesus and Nancy Bejarano of Pampa; a sister, Melissa Bejarano of the home; and a brother, Jordy Bejarano of the home.

Sign the online register at [www.carmichael-whitley.com](http://www.carmichael-whitley.com).

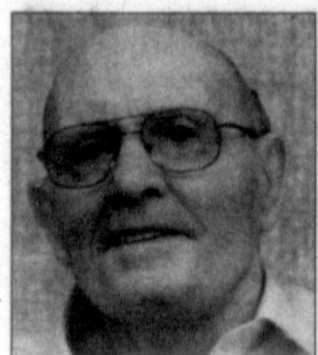
### Aubra Eugene "Gene" Cade, 83

Aubra Eugene "Gene" Cade went to be with the Lord Wednesday, August 17, 2011, after a lengthy illness and we all feel so blessed to have shared in his life of 83 years.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, August 20, 2011, in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with Rev. C.W. Parker, with Harvest Fellowship Church, officiating.

Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Cade was born into a farming family in Slaton, and continued with that farming heritage as a way of life until he retired in 1981; when he moved to Pampa. He served in the Army Armed Forces, being discharged at the end of the Korean conflict. In 1946, he married Earnestine Snider in Lubbock. They farmed with his parents in Lubbock and then expanded to farms in Olton and Morton in 1960. Along with farming and gardening, he raised registered cattle, swine, sheep and horses. He loved being out with his crops and livestock. Many happy days



Cade

### Debbie Brumfield Murphy, 57

AMARILLO—Debbie Brumfield Murphy, 57, died August 15, 2011.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 20, 2011, at Temple Baptist Church with Rev. Chad Mantooth and Rev. Rusty Hancock officiating.

Burial will be at Llano Cemetery East by Cox Funeral Home.

Debbie was born March 2, 1954. She was raised in Pampa and was a 1972 graduate of Pampa High School. While in school, she excelled in all sports as well Girl Scouts. She married Eddie Murphy on September 26, 1971, in Pampa. She volunteered for 5 years at Robert E. Lee Elementary. Before joining the staff as a teacher's assistant where she served for 13 years. Debbie was a devoted wife, mom, grandma and daughter. She loved to read, spend time with her family and go camping and fishing. She was a long time member of Temple Baptist Church where she sang in the choir, taught Sunday school, and served as nursery coordinator. She loved her Lord and her church family. She was a proud member of the Choctaw Nation and was proud of her American Indian heritage. She was preceded in death by her mother, Irene Hantsche in 1993; two brothers, Nicky Brumfield in 2006 and Jerry Brumfield in 2010; and by her stepfather, Ted Hantsche.

Survivors include her husband, Eddie Murphy of Amarillo; two daughters, Stacy Murphy of Dumas and Stephanie Jackson of Amarillo; her parents, Junior and Agnes Brumfield of Pampa; one granddaughter, Janessa Jackson of Amarillo; one niece and nephew, Evelyn Brumfield and Dallas Brumfield.

The family requests memorials to the American Diabetes Association or to Temple Baptist Church.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home, Friday evening from 6 until 8 p.m.

Please sign the online guestbook at [www.coxfuneral-homeamarillo.com](http://www.coxfuneral-homeamarillo.com).



Murphy

## For the record

### Police Department

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 24 hour period ending Thursday, August 18 at 7 a.m.

Animal Control agents

responded to 13 animal related calls.

Police reported 12 traffic related incidents.

The Pampa Fire Department and Pampa EMS responded to 4 medical calls.

**Wednesday, August 17**

The Pampa Fire Department investigated a fire at Varnon and Crawford.

A theft was reported at the 800 block of South Cuyler.

An accident was reported.

A theft was reported at the 1100 block of South Sumner.

Police reported an offense against family and children.

A suspicious person was reported at the 400 block of North Dwight.

Criminal mischief was reported at the 1000 block of East Twiford.

A suspicious person was reported at the 200 block of North Nelson.

A theft was reported. Endangerment of a child or elderly person was reported at the 2800 block of North Charles.

A theft was reported at the 800 block of East Beryl.

A burglary occurred at

the 1300 block of North Coffee.

Police investigated an alarm at the 100 block of South Ward.

A domestic disturbance was reported at the 700 block of North Dwight.

A suspicious person was reported at the 1600 block of East Highway 60.

Disorderly conduct was reported at the 900 block of West Cinderella.

Found property was reported.

Disorderly conduct was reported at the 300 block of North Davis and the 1400 block of North Hobart.

**Thursday, August 18**

Suspicious persons were reported at the 1900 block of North Hobart and the 1000 block of Sirroco.

A violation of city ordinance occurred at the 100 block of East Randy Matson.

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# AFTERNOON RUSH Tax

## Huntsman criticizes Perry

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Republican presidential candidate Jon Huntsman is turning to Twitter to level criticism against a rival, Texas Gov. Rick Perry, and his positions on evolution and climate change.

Huntsman said in a tweet Thursday that he trusts scientists on global warming and believes in evolution, even if it makes him seem "crazy."

The former Utah governor's tweet came the same day that Perry told a New Hampshire crowd that he supports teaching evolution and creationism. Perry said earlier this week that climate change is an unproven scientific theory.

In another tweet, Huntsman says President Barack Obama should call Congress back into session to deal with the economic crisis instead of taking a vacation.

Since the tweets, Huntsman has gained more than 3,000 followers on his Twitter account. He now has nearly 16,000.

## Perry criticizes Obama

PEMBROKE, N.H. (AP) — Republican presidential hopeful Rick Perry says President Obama's call for the resignation of the Syrian president is long overdue.

The Texas governor says Syrian President Bashar Assad supports terrorist groups and has threatened the security of the Syrian people and the region. He says that every diplomatic option should be used to force Assad to step down.

Perry made the comments to construction workers Thursday afternoon during a campaign stop inside a New Hampshire business.

Obama as well as the leaders of Britain, France and Germany and the European Union demanded that Assad resign, saying his brutal suppression of his people had made him unfit to lead.

## Illegal immigrant gets 10 years

McALLEN (AP) — A federal judge has sentenced a Mexican man in the country illegally to 10 years in prison for assaulting a Border Patrol agent and possessing a gun and marijuana.

U.S. District Judge Ricardo Hinojosa issued two five-year sentences to run consecutively to Josue Leonel Torres-Benavides Thursday. The first sentence covered his April 2010 assault on a Border Patrol agent after bailing out of a van with 516 kilograms of marijuana in it. The second was for having a handgun while involved in drug trafficking.

The U.S. Attorney's Office says the 23-year-old Torres-Benavides was in a van leaving the Rio Grande near McAllen when Border Patrol agents tried to stop it near the levee-border wall. The van struck the Border Patrol vehicle and Torres-Benavides took off on foot with a handgun.

## Lack of grout caused collapse

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Experts have determined that the February collapse of an under-construction parking garage in San Antonio happened due to lack of grout.

Two workers were injured in the University Hospital parking garage accident.

Copies of the report, by structural and engineering firm Walter P. Moore and Associates, were released Wednesday to the University Health System board of managers and the San Antonio Express-News (<http://bit.ly/npsMFT>).

The review determined that workers failed to apply grout between sections of vertical columns. The garage had temporary braces, but those weren't strong enough to stabilize the complex with ungrouted joints.

The report says representatives of Zachry Vaughn Layton, the consortium in charge of the project, are now observing all grouting, foundation and pier cap installation work and providing daily written reports.

## Man gets life for carjackings

McALLEN (AP) — A South Texas man has been sentenced to life in prison for masterminding carjackings including a confrontation with an off-duty Border Patrol agent.

Federal prosecutors in McAllen say 27-year-old Jose Antonio Armendariz of Penitas was sentenced Wednesday. A jury in May found Armendariz guilty of two 2006 carjackings, a 2006 hostage taking and the 2009 attempted carjacking of an agent driving his 10-year-old daughter from Arizona to Texas. Armendariz was also convicted of three firearms violations.

Investigators have said members of a trafficking gang mistook the agent's vehicle as one believed to be hauling drug money. The agent noticed he was being followed and displayed his gun, while contacting Mission police. He and his daughter weren't hurt.

Armendariz was the last of eight suspects sent to prison in the case.

## Search for boy suspended

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A collapsing wall and other safety concerns have forced firefighters to temporarily suspend a search for a 6-year-old boy missing after a fire at a San Antonio apartment complex that left 10 people hurt and displaced 70 others.

Battalion Commander Connie Hall with the San Antonio Fire Department said late Wednesday that they'll resume their search Thursday.

Officials initially were searching for the child and an unrelated woman but after interviewing witnesses told the *San Antonio Express-News* they could not confirm whether a woman was missing.

The fire began late Tuesday night at the Summerview apartments on the city's south side. Although extinguished Wednesday the rubble continued to smolder.

Nine residents were transported to the hospital, including two in critical condition.

The cause of the blaze remains under investigation.

their lists. "Traffic will be heavier than normal, so shop early to avoid a crowd," he said. "Pickings may get slim if you come later."

"Traditionally, most folks try to shop for clothes and last minute items," said Troy Newton, manager of United Supermarket in Pampa, adding that his store isn't hit as hard as others. "Certain items they have on their list do fly off the shelf," he added.

Carol Stribling-Chatham of Wayne's Western Wear is optimistic about this weekend's sales. "Our business has been up, so hopefully this weekend will reflect that," she said.

The following school supplies will be sold without sales tax this weekend:

- Binders
- Book bags
- Calculators
- Cellophane tape
- Blackboard chalk
- Compasses
- Composition books
- Crayons

- Erasers
- Folders
- Glue, paste, and paste sticks
- Highlighters
- Index cards
- Index card boxes
- Legal pads
- Lunch boxes
- Markers
- Notebooks
- Paper
- Pencil boxes and other school supply boxes
- Pens, pencils and pencil sharpeners
- Protractors
- Rulers
- Scissors
- Writing tablets

Many clothing items will also be tax-free, but accessories like purses, jewelry and personal flotation devices will remain taxed. Here are the things you can expect to find tax-free.

- Baby clothes
- Backpacks
- Belts with attached buckles
- Cowboy and hiking boots

- Caps and hats
- Coats and wraps
- Diapers
- Dresses
- Gloves
- Gym uniforms
- Hooded shirts and sweatshirts
- Hosiery
- Jackets
- Jeans
- Football and baseball jerseys
- Jogging apparel
- Neckwear and ties
- Pajamas
- Pants and trousers
- Raincoats and ponchos
- Robes
- Shirts
- Most shoes
- Socks
- Shorts
- Suits, slacks and jackets
- Sweatshirts and sweatsuits
- Sweaters
- Swimsuits
- Underclothes
- Work clothes and uniforms

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## Fund

some treatments to go yet, but he's staying positive... His family is being supportive through it all."

To contribute to the benefit fund, contact Gladys Vanderpool at NBC Bank.

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## Clarendon

Pampa Center from 6:30 p.m. to 9:55 p.m. on Tuesdays.

Nick Moorehead of Amarillo, who has a master's degree in American Sign Language, will instruct the course.

"We've been wanting to add (sign language) for a while," Jaramillo said. "We finally found an instructor that's qualified and willing to teach, so that's exciting for us. It's just one academic class, but it could

turn out to be something big."

For more information on registration or sign language classes, contact Clarendon College Pampa Center at 806-665-8801.

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# Viewpoints

## Today in History

Today is Friday, Aug. 19, the 231st day of 2011. There are 134 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On Aug. 19, 1991, Soviet hard-liners made the stunning announcement that President Mikhail S. Gorbachev had been removed from power. (The coup attempt collapsed two days later with Gorbachev temporarily restored as leader until the dissolution of the Soviet Union in Dec. 1991.)

### On this date:

In 1812, the USS Constitution defeated the British frigate Guerriere off Nova Scotia during the War of 1812.

In 1909, the first automobile races were run at the just-opened Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

In 1934, a plebiscite in Germany approved the vesting of sole executive power in Adolf Hitler.

In 1936, the first of a series of show trials orchestrated by Soviet leader Josef Stalin began in Moscow as 16 defendants faced charges of conspiring against the government (all were convicted and executed).

In 1960, a tribunal in Moscow convicted American U2 pilot Francis Gary Powers of espionage. (Although sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment, Powers was returned to the United States in 1962 as part of a prisoner exchange.)

In 1976, President Gerald R. Ford won the Republican presidential nomination at the party's convention in Kansas City.

In 1980, 301 people aboard a Saudi Arabian L-1011 died as the jetliner made a fiery emergency return to the Riyadh airport.

**Ten years ago:** An underground methane and coal dust explosion in Ukraine killed 55 miners.

**Five years ago:** Israeli commandos raided a Hezbollah stronghold deep in Lebanon.

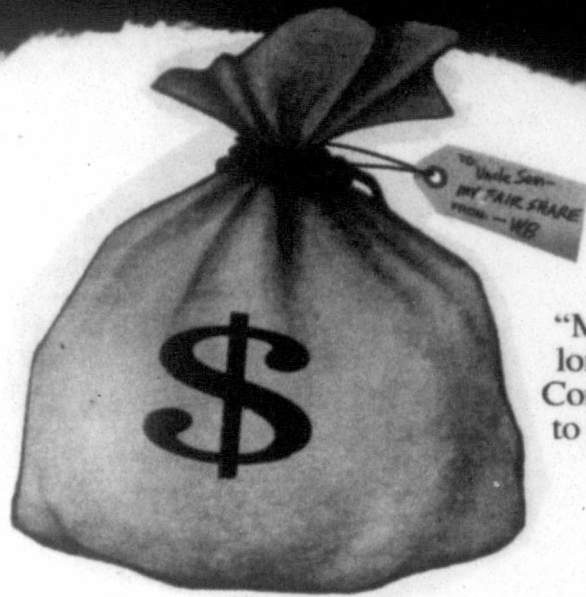
**One year ago:** The last American combat brigade exited Iraq, seven years and five months after the U.S.-led invasion began.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actor L.Q. Jones is 84. Actress Debra Paget is 78. USTA Eastern Tennis Hall of Famer Renee Richards is 77. Former MLB All-Star Bobby Richardson is 76. Actress Diana Muldaur is 73. Rock musician Ginger Baker (Cream, Blind Faith) is 72. Singer Johnny Nash is 71. Actress Jill St. John is 71. Actor and former U.S. senator Fred Thompson is 69. Singer Billy J. Kramer is 68. Country singer-songwriter Eddy Raven is 67. Rock singer Ian Gillan (Deep Purple) is 66. Former President Bill Clinton is 65. Tipper Gore, wife of former Vice President Al Gore, is 63. Actor Gerald McRaney is 63. Rock musician John Deacon (Queen) is 60. Actor-director Jonathan Frakes is 59. Political consultant Mary Matalin is 58. Actor Peter Gallagher is 56. Actor Adam Arkin is 55. Singer-songwriter Gary Chapman is 54. Actor Martin Donovan is 54. Pro Football Hall-of-Famer Anthony Munoz is 53. Rhythm-and-blues singer Ivan Neville is 52. Actor Eric Lutes is 49. Actor John Stamos is 48. Actress Kyra Sedgwick is 46. Actor Kevin Dillon is 46. Country singer Lee Ann Womack is 45. TV reporter Tabitha Soren is 44. Country singer-songwriter Mark McGuinn is 43. Actor Matthew Perry is 42. Country singer Clay Walker is 42. Rapper Fat Joe is 41. Olympic gold medal tennis player Mary Joe Fernandez is 40. Actress Tracie Thoms is 36. Actress Erika Christensen is 29. Pop singer Missy Higgins is 28. Country singer Karli Osborn is 27. Olympic silver medal snowboarder Lindsey Jacobellis is 26. Actor J. Evan Bonifant is 26. Rapper Romeo is 22.

**Thought for Today:** "Cheer up! The worst is yet to come!" Philander Chase Johnson, American author (1866-1939).

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## Dollars and Sense



"My friends and I have been coddled long enough by a billionaire-friendly Congress. It's time for our government to get serious about shared sacrifice."

— Warren Buffett

## Perry roadshow swaggers through Iowa

THOMAS BEAUMONT  
Associated Press

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Rick Perry — the swaggering, back-slapping Texan — grew somber as he spoke amid the carnival din.

"Friday, Iowa's going to bury one of your own, one of those young Navy SEALs who was killed in Afghanistan," he said, pausing as his voice cracked.

"I want you to think about T.J. Tumilson and the sacrifices that are still being made today so a guy like me can stand up on a soapbox at the Iowa State Fair and talk freely about freedom and liberty and America and that we are an exceptional country and we're going to stay an exceptional country."

Then, Perry pointed his left index finger skyward, raised his voice and declared: "We don't need anybody apologizing anywhere in this world about America!"

By that point, much of his Iowa audience was captivated, offering thunderous applause for a frequent if debatable insinuation conservatives like to cast on the Democrat he hopes to succeed, President Barack Obama. The crowd didn't notice — or care — that Perry got Petty Officer Jon T. Tumilson's name wrong.

Welcome to the Rick Perry roadshow.

The newest entrant into the Republican presidential race has added a Texas-size dose of spark to a crop of candidates who haven't seemed to stoke the passions of the tea party or the broader GOP. No matter where he goes, the Lone Star governor seems to own his crowds within minutes of taking the stage.

He moves but doesn't pace. He gestures but not wildly. He sheds his sport coat — and he turns heads.

"I'm looking for who's the toughest and who stands with his values," said Kyle Moeller, a 21-year-old college student who met Perry at the Walcott compound that bills itself as the world's largest truck stop.

"Right now, that looks like Rick Perry."

Perry talks with the passion of a preacher but the calculations of a politician. He puts his feet up on bales of hay. There's an ease about him, a comfort no matter the setting, and a larger-than-life style that commands attention.

He often speaks in sound bites that pack a punch, particularly with a tea party-infused GOP that's latching onto anti-establishment candidates.

"I will go to Washington, D.C., to make it as inconsequential to your lives as I can," he promises in every speech, a sure applause line before conservative audiences.

He knows his audience and plays to it.

At the state fair in Iowa, he ate what he called "corny dogs" and talked about growing up the son of a "dry-land cotton farmer" who appreciates the agricultural way of life. "I got up here and I was trying to figure out how to get this hay here back to Texas," he added.

Over the past week, his charm has been on full display in Iowa and New Hampshire, where voters demand a personal approach and judge candidates in part on their pizzazz. In presidential politics, charismatic candidates often — but not always — have the upper hand. Consider Bill Clinton's victories over George H.W. Bush and Bob Dole. Or George W. Bush's wins over Al Gore and John Kerry.

Yet for all Perry's appeal before large audiences, Thursday's brush with voters in a New Hampshire coffee shop may have revealed some rough edges in his skills as a retail politician.

Perry appeared unprepared to handle detailed questions from New Hampshire voters, who have come to expect frank discussions with presidential candidates. He largely avoided a question about his position on global warming from Tim Chrysostom, 44, of Canterbury, N.H.

"We teach the facts," Perry told him of Texas schools. "You'll have

to go look in the class books."

Chrysostom, a Democrat, wasn't pleased, saying: "That was a pretty direct question and that was a pretty direct dodge."

Another voter later asked for specifics of Perry's plans to improve the economy.

"We have to get America working again," Perry responded, adding a "God bless, brother," before moving to the next voter.

In style and tone, Perry stands in contrast to his GOP rivals.

Former Massachusetts Gov. Mitt Romney, the GOP front-runner, has long struggled to connect with his audiences, and has come across as forced when he's tried. Minnesota Rep. Michele Bachmann jolted the race — for a while at least — earlier this summer with her battle cry that Obama will be a one-term president. But she's a relative novice when it comes to hand-to-hand campaigning. And while Texas Rep. Ron Paul can draw crowds with his rants against the federal government, he's hardly seen as a candidate who can leave an audience spellbound.

Still, there's a danger to Perry's shoot-from-the-hip, free-wheeling style.

He drew scorn early this week from Republicans and Democrats alike when he said that Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke would be committing a "treasonous" act if he decided to "print more money to boost the economy." And even some Republicans cringed when Perry said he would be a president who was "passionate about America — that's in love with America" and seemingly suggested that Obama wasn't that kind of president.

By midweek in New Hampshire, Perry had pulled back a bit. He lingered with his audiences but didn't stick around to chat with reporters. And he slightly toned down the bravado, perhaps an acknowledgement that his big-swinging Texas pitch may not play so well with taciturn New Englanders.

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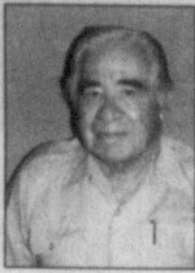
## When Jesus comes, he wants you

When Jesus came into the world as a babe in Bethlehem's manger, the world was very much the same as it is today. Some loved God and lived righteously. Some gave themselves wholly to sin and corruption on every hand. He came into a world greatly in need of spiritual life and guidance. When Jesus comes it means the difference between Heaven and Hell, happiness and misery, salvation and damnation.

When He comes to behold the sin and corruption in our lives, and in our cities—He weeps—Luke 19:41. He sees the sin that we sometimes overlook. He weeps—not because it hurts Him personally, but because sin destroys the souls of men. As the person who loses something that is cherished.

When He comes to us, in conviction, He will tell us all things—John 4:25. He amazed the woman by exposing her past. Conviction makes the "best" moral man to know how much he needs Christ. Compared to His righteousness, we have very little.

When He comes into our hearts by faith, we have a clear concept of Christ, and preach that passeth understanding—1 John 5:20. In conviction we see and know our need—in Christ we have our need supplied. We may not understand how we are saved—but we know we are saved. This assurance comes only when we are completely sur-



**JIMMY FLYNN**

the good word

rendered. We know Him as Saviour, as the guide in life and the provider of all necessities. Every sin is forgiven Hebrews 8:12. Our desires and ambitions are new likewise our attitudes.

When He comes again—all will be perfect—1 Corinthians 13:10.

We will be with Jesus. Satan will be bound and cast into the bottomless pit. Sin will be put down. The ungodly perished from the earth. Afterwards will come the perfect judgment.

Jesus came and gave His life to save us. He is here, in the person of the Holy Spirit, convicting. He wants you to let Him come into your heart—by faith. That He might come to receive you unto the Father after this life. He wants you to receive him, trust him and follow his commandments.

*Jimmy Flynn, Ph.D., is the minister of the Nursing home ministry.*

## CHURCH SPOTLIGHT

### New Bible study starting at FBC

**ANDREW GLOVER**  
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Ladies will have a new option to study scripture when a Bible study at First Baptist Church starts 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 8 at the Fellowship Hall.

Linda Starnes said they will be studying the book of Luke and they will kickoff the sessions with a potluck luncheon 11:30 a.m. Thursday at the Fellowship Hall.

"In the first session we will be studying the book of Luke," Starnes said.

"The study is open to people of all ages. We will have a nursery available if necessary. People have to call and make reservations."

At the luncheon, Starnes said they will hand out the study material. Starnes encourages any interested woman to attend.

"Anyone that is a lady of all ages that wants to learn more about the Lord is welcome to attend," Starnes said.

Anyone interested can call Starnes at 665-7126. First Baptist Church is located one the 200 block of N. West Street.

## GOD'S GOOD NEWS

### Do you know your limit in life?

**DAVID BOULER**  
Highland Park Baptist Church

When the stock market plunged, an investor called his broker to see if he was worried. The broker replied, "Nope, I sleep like a baby!" The client was surprised and asked, "Even with all these ups and downs?" The broker said, "Yes, just like a baby! I sleep an hour, then wake up and cry all night."

Researcher Thomas Holmes created the Social Readjustment Rating Scale in 1967, which deals with our capacity for handling stress. He concluded that experiencing 200 plus life change units in a year could put you over the edge. For example, losing a mate equals 100 units, divorce 60, illness 45, unemployment 45, and even Christmas got

12 life change units. Maybe you feel you have already exceeded your 200 unit limit. Emotionally and physically, you are stretched beyond measure, and you see no relief in sight. It may be time to get some help and some de-stressors in your life.

I think of the wonderful verses Jesus gave us in Matthew 11:28-29: "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." What a wonderful invitation to those who are exhausted and burdened down. He tells us we will find rest in Him -- the rest of a yielded life to His power and leadership. So stop pushing so hard. Give your concerns to God and allow yourself to rest and renew.

*David Boulter is a pastor at Highland Park Baptist Church in Chattanooga, Tenn.*

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# Glue-down flooring not too difficult

Dear Pat: My dining room wall-to-wall carpet is worn, and I want to install hardwood flooring. I am not very good with a hammer and nails, so I want to try a glue-down floor. Can you give me some project tips? — Agnes J.



Dear Agnes: Most people think the job of installing a hardwood floor is difficult, but a glue-down tongue-and-groove floor is fairly simple to install. The materials for a glue-down floor cost more than for standard hardwood, but with you providing the labor, the overall cost is substantially less than having one professionally installed.

Generally, it looks best to run the hardwood parallel to the room's longest wall. Snap a chalk line as your reference to start laying the flooring. If any doors swing into the room, remove them and trim some off the bottom to provide clearance over the new hardwood.

You should use pre-finished hardwood for a glue-down floor. It is laminated, similar to plywood, to provide strength while still being thin. It is usually only three-eighths or one-half inch thick, so the transition to adjacent room flooring will be easier to handle.

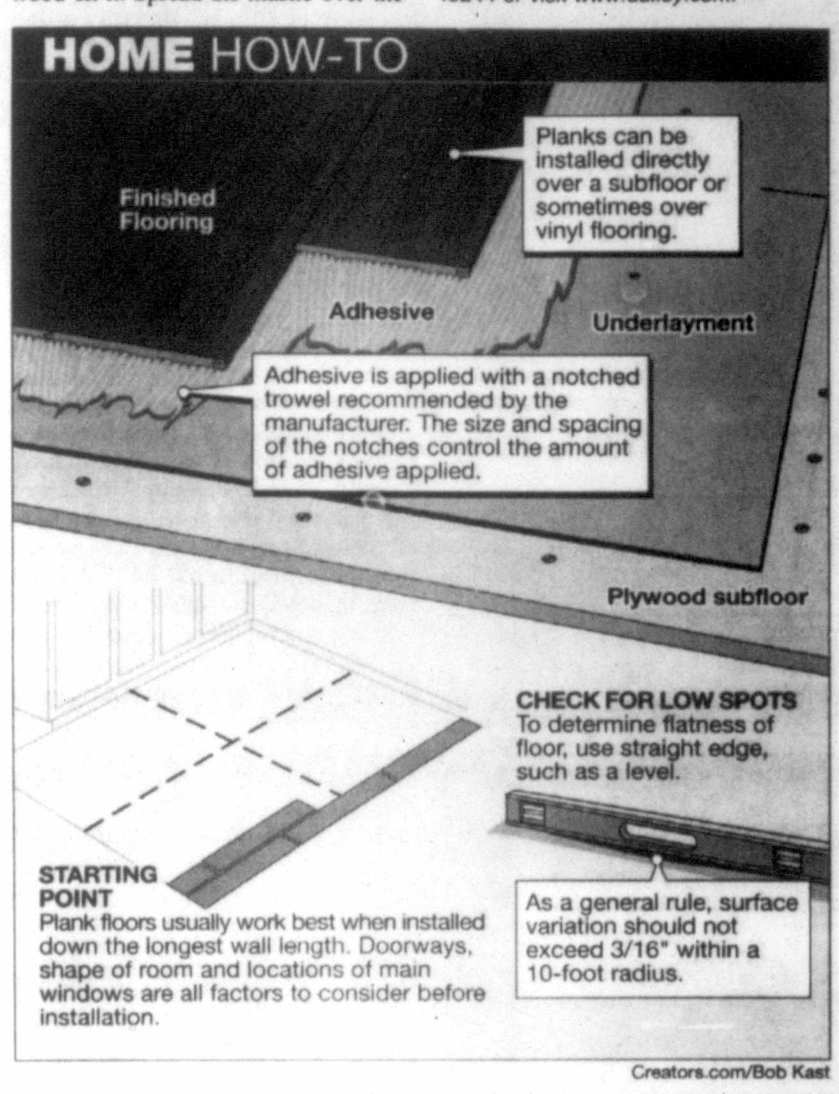
Carefully read the application instructions on the can of mastic. There may be a waiting period for the mastic to set up a little before you place the hardwood on it. Spread the mastic over the

subfloor with a notched trowel. Install the flooring in sections, leaving the final section by the door. Since this is your first time, don't spread more than 60 square feet at a time. Place the first row of hardwood along the chalk line. Temporarily tack it in place through the groove with finishing nails.

Lay the rest of the hardwood pieces, tapping them together lightly with a hammer. When the floor is complete, let the mastic set for 24 hours before walking on it.

Materials required: hand saw, jig saw, notched trowel, long straight edge, belt sander, hammer, pry bar, chalk line, mastic, hardwood, finishing nails.

Send your questions to Here's How, 6906 Royalgreen Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45244 or visit www.dulley.com.



## BANANAGRAMS!

For each of the three words below, change one letter to an **I** and then rearrange the letters to spell a word related to math.

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Yesterday's Answer: Common G; FLIGHT, PIGSTY, TWANGS, SIGHED

## Sudoku

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

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Level: Intermediate

## Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips



DEAR ABBY: My fiancée and I are living in a studio apartment owned by her mother. We're currently looking for another place to live, and can't decide whether or not to get a two-bedroom and a roommate.

**Because of these questions, it might be better to take a place with one bedroom to avoid possible complications.**

DEAR ABBY: Is it appropriate to send anniversary flowers to a widow? My husband's grandfather just passed away, and this will be his grandmother's first wedding anniversary as a widow.

Etiquette guides conflict in their advice regarding sending anniversary cards and flowers to widows. Would flowers be inappropriate? If not, what should the delivery card say? — SENTIMENTAL IN KELLER, TEXAS

DEAR SENTIMENTAL: **Sending flowers would be a kind and thoughtful gesture. The card could read, "You're in our thoughts and in our hearts. With love ..." because this will be anything BUT a happy anniversary. If you live near your husband's grandmother, offer to invite her over or take her out to dinner so she won't be alone.**

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 21-year-old guy who needs to know how to properly introduce myself to a lady. My first instinct is to shake her hand — that's how I introduce myself to guys. I'm always uneasy shaking a girl's hand because I am not sure if it is appropriate. If I am seated, I will stand

to introduce myself, but then there's an awkward pause afterward. Please advise. — A PROPER GENTLEMAN

DEAR GENTLEMAN: **According to the rules of etiquette, it's the woman who dictates whether or not to shake hands. If she extends her hand, you should shake it. If not, keep your hands at your sides — smile, tell her your name and say, "It's nice to meet you." That's all you have to do.**

DEAR ABBY: I live in a nice, quiet neighborhood. A few months ago, however, a young woman who lived across the street from me was brutally stabbed to death by her jealous boyfriend. After a few months of getting the rental home cleaned up, there are new people moving in. Should I make sure they're aware of what happened or should I keep quiet? — CONCERNED IN MISSOURI

DEAR CONCERNED: **Exactly what are you concerned about — that the boyfriend will come back and stab the new renters? They should have already been informed about the history of the place by the person renting the property. But if they weren't, I see little to be gained by your being the bearer of those bad tidings.**

## CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Skirt edges
  - 5 Lobbying orgs.
  - 9 Take on
  - 11 Hi from Ho
  - 13 Speed checker
  - 14 Throat ailment
  - 15 Aussie bird
  - 16 Satisfactory
  - 18 My friends, to Poirot
  - 20 Alien carrier
  - 21 Fizzy drinks
  - 22 Org.'s kin
  - 23 Bad review
  - 24 Performed
  - 25 Rose part
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  - 29 Mariner
  - 30 Liverpool quartet
  - 32 Losing
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  - 36 TV grouch
  - 38 Handed over
- DOWN**
- 1 Female following
  - 2 "Daniel Boone" co-star
  - 3 Criminal's style
  - 4 Soaking site
  - 5 Former lives
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  - 7 Proof of a crime
  - 8 Gathers into bunches
  - 10 Roosevelt's successor
  - 12 Chef's wear
  - 17 Greek letters
  - 19 Eden evictee
  - 22 "— She Sweet?"
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  - 33 Profound
  - 37 Easy mark

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# comics PAGE

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"NOW how many hours till it's mornin'?"

Non Sequitur



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Nest Heads



## daily horoscope

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Friday, Aug. 19, 2011:

This year, you greet change in a positive and upbeat manner. Often, you are unsure of your choices. A key adviser will help you make the right decision. Understand, as only you can, the role of being in the limelight. Carry the attention and responsibility with awareness. If you are single, you rarely have difficulty meeting people. Choosing the right person could be another issue. If you are attached, involve yourself much more in your sweetie's life, and he or she in yours. **TAURUS** has a steady, even attitude.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**

★★★★ You manifest immense practicality. Your creativity takes on a different role than usual. Let it inspire you past any rigidity. A boss or partner could push you into an uncomfortable zone. Tonight: Indulge and relax.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**

★★★★★ You flow with conservative energy, even if there is an implicit demand for change. Friends spout many different ideas and thoughts. If one appeals to you, don't hesitate to run with it. Notice where rigidity is preventing you from living. Tonight: Whatever knocks your socks off.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**

★★★★ Take your time responding to a difficult and possibly overly personal inquiry. You might choose to have a one-on-one chat with the individual in question. Follow through on expanding your knowledge via education, travel or a discussion. Tonight: A must appearance.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**

★★★★★ Eye your objective and follow through. It doesn't have to be a substantial goal; it can be something as simple as clearing your desk before the weekend. You might feel inspired by a close friend or loved one. Tonight: Join friends for a typical TGIF.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**

★★★★ Stay direct in your dealings. Others look to you as a role model. You have that pizzazz and extra energy that carries you to the finish line. Express your willingness to make an adjustment. Consider a change in your diet or exercise pro-

gram. Tonight: You could go till the wee hours.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**

★★★★ You could be questioning which path is the best. Detach and get some expert advice, then you will know which way to go. Ask those people who will be immediately affected for their opinions. The answers reveal yet another way to look at an issue. Tonight: Follow the music.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**

★★★★ Others see greater implications than you deem likely. They are looking at every possibility. Understand their process. Both ways -- yours and theirs -- work. Avoid the judgment game. Open up. Tonight: Interact with a key friend.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**

★★★★ You might want to do something differently but might not be exactly sure what. Someone gives a powerful commentary about your options. You might not agree with everything you hear. There is a lot to be said about the suggestions. Tonight: Do absolutely what you want.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**

★★★★ You might need or want to re-think a work-related matter. Be sure of your choices. Realize you might need a break, as you have pushed very hard. Juggle different concerns with family and/or a roommate. Tonight: Take care of yourself first.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**

★★★★ Your intuition comes in handy, especially with communication. You tend to zero in on what the person is really saying or what hasn't been said. Your ability to integrate valuable information and move to the next step proves to be unusually important. Tonight: Let off steam.

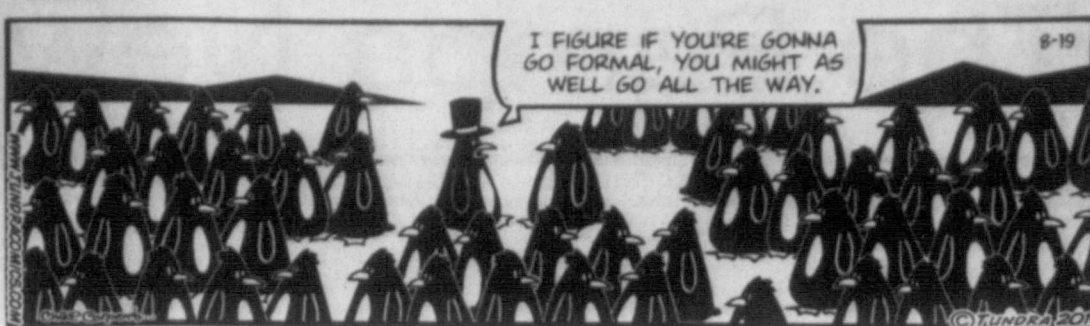
**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**

★★★★ Much is happening on a deep and personal level. You might not choose to share everything that you are feeling at this point. Open up to new possibilities quietly in your mind, where you feel comfortable. Tonight: Happiest close to home.

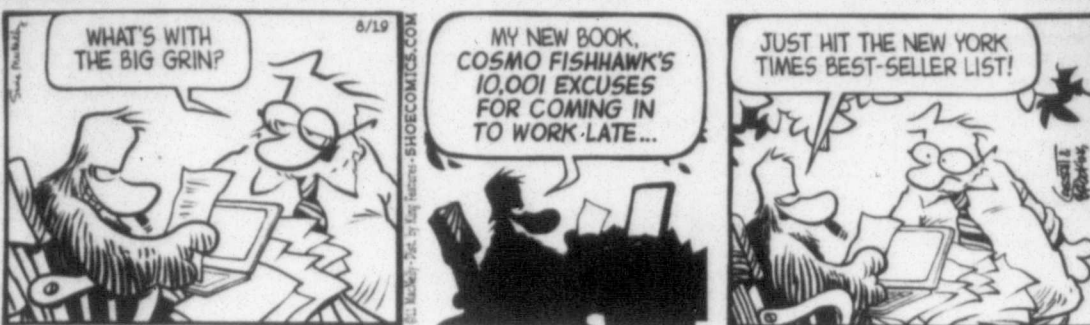
**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**

★★★★ You might want to understand what is happening within your immediate circle. Discussions, even at work, could transform into "What is new? How are you?" conversations. You will find this process of catching up to be important. Tonight: Where your friends are.

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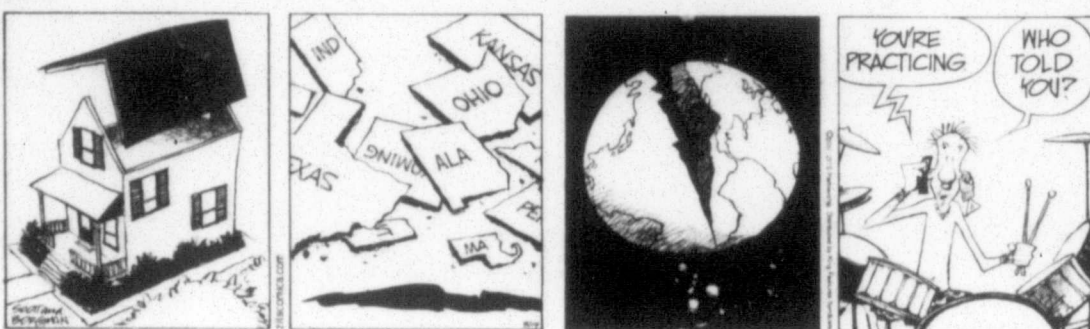
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Zits



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Beetle Bailey



Marvin



Hagar The Horrible



Peanuts



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# The Pampa News Classifieds

### 3 Personal

**ADOPTION:** Adoring couple dreams of baby #1, from art classes to zoo trips, we'll have so much fun! Expenses paid. Branden & Whitney, 1-877-966-0651

### 5 Special Notices

**ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News, MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.**

### 10 Lost/Found

**FOUND:** Fe. small older dog w/ collar. Black & white, gray around mouth. 806-662-6777

### 14d Carpentry

**CUSTOM Building & Remodeling.** New Homes & Additions. Shawn Deaver Const., 806-662-2977

**OVERHEAD DOOR REPAIR:** Kidwell Construction. Call 669-6447, 806-663-0192

### 14e Carpet Serv.

**NUWAY CLEANING SERVICE:** Bob Marx Owner Operator. Call 665-3541

### 14g Elec. Contr.

**RUSSELLCROW Electric:** for your electric needs. Comm., Resi. 665-0878, 440-1171

### 14h Gen. Serv.

**HOUSE Cracking?** In bricks or walls? Childers Brothers, Inc. 800-299-0563, 806-352-9863

**COX Fence Company:** Repair old fence or build new. Free estimates. Call 669-7769

**CERAMIC tile work:** Remodeling, floor, shower, kitchen. Texture, painting, dry wall. Free est. Call 665-3453. Leave message, Jesus Barrazza

### 14n Painting

**INTERIOR Exterior Painting:** Call Steve Porter, 669-9347 or 662-2574

### 14s Plumbing

**TACK'S Plumbing:** 115 W. Foster. 665-7115

### 14w Air Cond/Heat

**BROWNING'S Heating & Air and Refrigeration:** Specialists since 1964. 665-1212

### 19 Situations

**CAREGIVERS:** Will sit 24/7 with elderly in their home or nursing home. Caregivers incl. retired RN & Person w/ 20+ yrs. in elder care. 665-7833, 595-0219

**WILL clean your house or office:** after 6pm. Mon-Thurs, all day Fri & weekends. Ref. Roy. 806-676-1567

**EXP Babysitter:** has openings! Reliable. Hot meals furnished. References. Call 806-440-4964

### 21 Help Wanted

**NOTICE:** Readers are urged to fully investigate advertisements which require payment in advance for information, services or goods.

**Maintenance Tech:** Needed for a 150 unit Apt. Community. HVAC certification helpful but not req'd. Salary DOE. Apply 1601 W. Somerville, or call 665-7149.

**Natural Gas Compressor/Mechanic:** needed. Exp. preferred but not necessary. Good driving record and drug test required. Competitive pay & benefits.

\*Fax resume to (806)669-7399 \*Email to [arios@flugistics.com](mailto:arios@flugistics.com) \*Mail to Po Box 501 Pampa, TX 79066 \*Call 806-669-7499 or an application

**CLASS A CDL DRIVER W/HAZMAT:** Must pass drug test. Apply in person! No Phone Calls Please. Triangle Well Service 129 S. Price Rd. Pampa, TX.

**FULL TIME Teller Needed:** No experience necessary. Great benefits. Apply on line [www.bankofamerica.com/careers](http://www.bankofamerica.com/careers)

**TEXAS Rose Steak house:** is hiring Dish washer. Apply in person. No phone calls!

**APT Manager Position:** Sales & Bookkeeping Ability. Above average salary & bonuses. E-mail resume to [niamantill@yahoo.com](mailto:niamantill@yahoo.com) 665-1875 & 806-383-1985

**\$1000 Sign-On Bonus PAMPA NURSING CENTER:** MAINTENANCE MAN. Applicant must be self motivated with a knowledge of plumbing, minor equipment repairs, painting, life safety regulations & record keeping.

**Apply In Person:** 1321 W. Kentucky EEOE/ADA

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**MOVING:** dk Blonde ent. cr. fits 32" T.V. w/2 side displays \$250, lg. dk Brown dining table w/8 cloth seat chairs, 2/24" leaf like new \$500, dk Brown leather sofa \$200, 25 hp John Deere 190C lawn tractor \$4" cut w/JD 10P trailer \$2,200. 806-669-1252

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### 21 Help Wanted

**CARPENTERS, Painters, Tile Layers & Maintenance:** Apply in person at Hoagies Deli, Coronado Center.

**MEMORY GARDENS CEMETERY:** is accepting applications for Cemetery Grounds Maintenance. Applicant must have exp. in backhoe operation, lawn care & knowledge of equipment repair. Must be able to lift.

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**PANHANDLE Transit:** is hiring drivers with Class B Passenger Endorsement. Please apply at the Workforce Center

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**FOR SALE:** Washers, Dryers, Stoves & Fridges. Repair Service avail. 806-672-1343

**DRESSERS:** washer, refrigerator, tables, very nice electric cookstove, etc. 662-4557

### 69 Misc.

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**NEW Queen Matt Sets:** Sale Price \$266. Red Barn, 1424 S. Barnes. Call anytime 665-2767

**WILL Pick Up:** Your Old or Junk Appliances and Scrap Metal. Free! Call 806-672-1343

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**AMERICAN SELF STORAGE, 2500 N. HOBART PAMPA, TX AUCTION:** Wed. Aug 24, 1pm. Sell by Complete Unit Only. Household & Misc.

#B003 Atwood #A026 Fought #D041 Huffman #A019 Knutson

**INSIDE Sale:** 105 S. Nelson Sat & Sun 8am-7pm

**1119 E. Harvester:** Lots of boys clothes, washer, misc. Sat 8am-1pm

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### 69a Garage Sales

**EVERYTHING 1/2 Price!** St. Vincent's Flea Market. 2300 Hobart. Fri. 8-4, Sat. 8-12. INSIDE doors, furniture, clothes-\$1, chairs, dishwasher, fish tanks 35, 50, 75 gallon, accessories, stands, ceiling lights, weed eater, t-shirts, shorts, lots more. Sat 8-5, 2429 Cherokee

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**MOVING Sale:** No Early Birds! Sat. 8am, 1117 E. Foster. Clothes, furni., elec. dryer, knick knacks, tack.

**BACK Yard:** 1937 N. Faulkner. Fri. 8-6, Sat. 8-7. Furn., lamps, edger, w.eater, sander, drill, misc., fishing rods.

**MOVING Sale:** 815 Ruth St. (behind Woodrow Wilson Elem.) Sat. & Sun. 7am-7. Furn., & appliances, lots of misc.

**GARAGE Sale:** 1100 Sierra Dr., Fri. 8-5, Sat. 8-3, Console T.V. stand, kids clothes.

**END of Summer Sale!** 728 Reid, Fri. 8-2 & 5-8pm, Sat. 8-7 w/s/d's, cookstove, 2 couches, 2 love seats, new baby stroller, school clothes, shoes, lots of misc. Don't miss it!

**GARAGE Sale:** 518 Ward, Sat. & Sun 8-7. Tools, bikes, toys, lots of misc.

**2 FAMILY SALE:** 2128 ASPEN DR FRI & SAT 9-7

**DOLL'S, bk's, nic nac's, Collectibles & More!** Priced to Sell + 9's, Fri. & Sat 9am-6pm, 625 Naida, Pampa

**FRI 8am-217 N. Sumner:** Womens, boys and baby clothes, girls shoes, toys, etc.

**FRI 8-12 & Sat 8-7:** 1001 S. Hobart, T.V.'s, clothes, playstations & games, lots of misc.

**YARD Sale:** 1019 N. Wells, Sat. 8-7. Kids stuff, baby bed, stroller, lots of misc.!!

**2129 Hamilton:** 8 noon Sat. Gun cabinet, tools, couch, tables, kid's jump house, waterslide, battery powered cars, exercise equip., snow cones & much more!! CASH ONLY!

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**FOR Rent/Sale:** 1445 N. Russell, 3 bd, 1 3/4 ba, 2 car gar, basement, corner lot, by High Sch. Open House Sat. 4-6pm. 806-228-0427

**S. Wells-Pampa:** 3 bd, 1 bath, \$550 mo., plus \$550 deposit. Call Bobby 835-2242

**2200 LEA:** 3 bdr / 2 ba, 4 car att gar / extra nice shop. Lrg liv area incl fpl w/ insert, new HVAC. 2280 sq. ft. Must see. \$159,000. 662-3191

**2412 Dogwood:** 4/2/2 app 2332 sq. ft. Lrg liv w/wb fpl, lrg kitchen/din. LRG bdrs, form. din, lots of stor., Buyer AGENTS OK!! 665-2656, 674-3750.

**928 Terry Rd.:** 3/2/2 car garage. Completely remodeled. Lrg. workshop. Buyer Agents Welcome. 806-669-5264 or [r\\_robben25@hotmail.com](mailto:r_robben25@hotmail.com)

**945 Sierra:** Price Reduced!!! 3/1.75/2 1400 sq. ft. 663-0714

**BY Owner 737 Perry-2:** bdr, 1 ba., 2 car gar, Corner Gwendolen/Perry, \$15,000. 663-3639, 663-2967

### 103 Homes For Sale

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**2 bdr., 2 ba. house on 2 lots:** Sunporch, trees. 916 S. Wells. No owner financing. 806-674-7899, 806-669-1985.

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**FSBO 422 Tascosa, Mi:** ami, Tx. 2/1/2 carport, 1410 sf, c/h/a. Appli. Patio, lrg storm cellar, stor. box car, lrg workshop. \$56K. 806-359-7457, 806-674-8837.

**FSBO, 1021 Varnon:** 3 Bdr, 1 Ba. \$2500.00 down, \$400.00 per mo. Contact 806-626-5325

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# NASCAR THIS WEEK

## ON THE TUBE

All times Eastern  
**Sprint Cup**  
Pure Michigan 400,  
1 p.m., Sunday

**Nationwide Series**  
NAPA Auto Parts 200,  
2:30 p.m., Saturday

**Truck Series**  
VFW 200,  
12:30 p.m., Saturday

## BURNING ISSUES

► In NASCAR's defense, rain tires on heavy stock cars don't make for much of a show. When the Nationwide Series ran in the rain at Montreal in 2008, it was... bizarre.

► Please, at least, with an array of evidence to the contrary, let's dispense with this "New Kyle" and "New Kurt" nonsense where the Busch brothers are concerned. Like them or don't, but don't insist that either is changing in a fundamental way.

► The strategy of road racing, which often seems almost opposite to ovals, is becoming more prevalent on... ovals. Track position has always been important at Watkins Glen and Sonoma. It's getting more and more important at all the tracks.

► After years of resistance, Pocono Raceway announced its 2012 races will be 400, not 500, miles.

► Joe Gibbs Racing is merging its engine shop with Toyota Racing Development, continuing the economy-troubled process of consolidation in NASCAR.

► But... will Brad Keselowski be able to excel when his ankle isn't hurting?

► In some ways, NASCAR road racing is just the modern, cleaned-up, totally professional incarnation of moonshiners vs. reverenters.

## 2011 STANDINGS

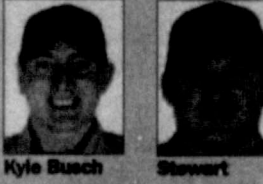
Sprint Cup Series	Pts.
1. Kyle Busch	752
2. Carl Edwards	-6
3. Jimmie Johnson	-14
4. Kevin Harvick	-28
5. Matt Kenseth	-40
6. Kurt Busch	-52
7. Jeff Gordon	-66
8. Dale Earnhardt Jr.	-82
9. Tony Stewart	-93
10. Clint Bowyer	-118
11. Denny Hamlin	-126

Nationwide Series	Pts.
1. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	816
2. Reed Sorenson	-10
3. Elliott Sadler	-24
4. Aric Almirola	-70
5. Justin Allgaier	-80
6. Jason Leffler	-113
7. Kenny Wallace	-130
8. Steve Wallace	-180
9. Brian Scott	-190
10. Michael Annett	-193

Camping World Truck Series	Pts.
1. Austin Dillon	488
2. Johnny Sauter	-1
3. James Buescher	-14
4. Timothy Peters	-23
5. Cole Whit	-35
6. Matt Crafton	-37
7. Joey Coulter	-47
8. Parker Kligerman	-49
9. Ron Hornaday Jr.	-52
10. Todd Bodine	-73



## WHO'S HOT AND WHO'S NOT



► **Who's hot:** Kyle Busch has regained the top of the Sprint Cup standings with a third at Watkins Glen. ... Brad Keselowski has a first and a second in two races.

► **Who's not:** Tony Stewart clings to 10th place in points after the last-lap mayhem left him 27th at Watkins Glen, where he has won five times. ... Boris Said's aggressive style earned him a few new enemies.



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## SPRINT CUP

**Race:** Pure Michigan 400  
**Where:** Michigan International Speedway, Brooklyn (2.0 mi.), 200 laps/400 miles.  
**When:** Sunday, Aug. 21.  
**Last year's winner:** Kevin Harvick, Chevy.  
**Qualifying record:** Ryan Newman, Dodge, 194.232 mph, June 18, 2005.  
**Race record:** Dale Jarrett, Ford, 173.997 mph, June 13, 1999.  
**Last week:** Marcos Ambrose collected the first victory of his Cup career, outdueling Brad Keselowski and giving Ford its first Watkins Glen International victory since 1996. Kyle Busch tied Carl Edwards for the points lead with a third-place result.

## NATIONWIDE

**Race:** NAPA Auto Parts 200  
**Where:** Circuit Gilles Villeneuve, Montreal, Quebec (2.71 mi.), 74 laps/200 miles.  
**When:** Saturday, Aug. 20.  
**Last year's winner:** Boris Said, Ford.  
**Qualifying record:** Marcos Ambrose, Toyota, 97.079 mph, Aug. 29, 2010.  
**Race record:** Kevin Harvick, Chevy, 64.671 mph, Aug. 4, 2007.  
**Last week:** Kurt Busch, substituting for Brad Keselowski, drove the No. 22 Dodge to victory at Watkins Glen. It was the elder Busch brother's first Nationwide victory since 2006. Jimmie Johnson, also making a rare series start, finished second.

## CAMPING WORLD TRUCK

**Race:** VFW 200  
**Where:** Michigan International Speedway, Brooklyn (2.0 mi.), 100 laps/200 miles.  
**When:** Saturday, Aug. 20.  
**Last year's winner:** Aric Almirola, Toyota.  
**Qualifying record:** Kyle Busch, Chevy, 181.612 mph, June 17, 2005.  
**Race record:** Brendan Gaughan, Dodge, 154.044 mph, July 26, 2003.  
**Last race:** Kevin Harvick, in a Chevy, had enough fuel to hold off Kyle Busch's Toyota and win at Pocono Raceway in an event run on Sunday morning after being suspended by rain on Saturday. Chevy drivers took eight of the nine top positions.

**MICHIGAN DATA**

**June 19 Aug. 21**

Distance: 2-mile oval  
Length of frontstretch: 3,800 ft.  
Length of backstretch: 2,242 ft.  
Miles/Laps: 400 mi. = 200 laps

17° Wind  
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27° Wind  
60° Humidity

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT

### MARTIN TRUOX JR.



### SPRINT CUP SERIES

No. 56 NAPA TOYOTA

*Monday's fourth-place Watkins Glen finish for Martin Truex Jr. was his best finish of the season. However, with his last win in 2007 and his slide in the points standings through the years (15th, 23rd, 22nd), Truex has been caught up in a streak of bad luck.*

# If It Weren't For No Luck

Michael Waltrip Racing driver Truex working amid tough seasons

**By Monte Dutton**  
NASCAR This Week

It's tempting to think that Martin Truex Jr. has clouds hanging over him similar to the ones that enshrined Watkins Glen International.

Only it's been overcast in Truex's career for a good bit of the time since June 4, 2007, when he won a NASCAR Sprint Cup race at Dover (Del.) International Speedway. He finished 11th in the points standings that year. Through 2009, Truex competed for Dale Earnhardt Inc. He now drives the No. 56 NAPA Toyota for Michael Waltrip Racing. In the past three years, Truex has finished 15th, 23rd and 22nd, respectively, in the standings. Entering the Heluva Good! Sour Cream Dips at the Glen, he ranked 21st.

"Bad luck is a tough thing," Truex said. "I've had my share of it the past few years."

"People say you make your own luck, and you do, somewhat. But there are times when there is nothing you can do about it."

Truex, 31, doesn't have much to show for the current

season. He finished sixth at Las Vegas Motor Speedway in the season's third race. Since then he has collected eighth-place finishes at Dover, Infineon (Sonoma, Calif.) and Loudon, N.H.

"Luck plays a big part in what we do," said the Mayetta, N.J., native. "It takes a million things to go right to win one of these races. It only takes one to go wrong... a flat tire, the caution coming at the wrong time, a debris caution after you pit under green... things like that."

"There are some things where it doesn't matter what you do, you can't change them — and that's luck. And it's tough to deal with, especially when you've had a good day and your team's done everything right."

At this point, making the Chase is outside the realm of practical consideration.

"You have to just forget about last week, move forward, try to do the best you can with what you have and you know when your team is doing good and when they're not," said Truex. "You just have to forget about all those bad things and push forward and work on the things you can control."

## The Kez has his own way of pain management

**By Monte Dutton**  
NASCAR This Week

Brad Keselowski had the misfortune of suffering a painful ankle injury during the week leading up to a race in which he would have to shift gears.

Keselowski won at Pocono. He finished second at Watkins Glen.

"I think to say that we'd win this week would be a little unrealistic expectation," he said before the Heluva Good! Sour Cream Dips at the Glen. "I think, if you look at my road-course experience, we've shown improvement."

"My foot doesn't feel much different than last week. It's going to take another five and a half-months to get back to 100 percent. It's just something that I'm going to have to fight through."

**The heat goes on** — Feuds don't heal easily these days, the latest example being a failure of Jimmie Johnson and Kurt Busch to figuratively get out of each other's faces.

"When you're in 'that moment,' and you're having words with someone and as the crowd starts to build around, that guy (Busch) all of a sudden gets brave, and when you think

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it's over and you walk away, and that guy gets real tough... that really makes me mad," said Johnson, recalling Pocono. "Bottom line, he just started running his mouth."

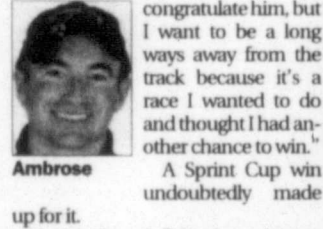
"At the end of the day, I'm not going to let him run his mouth at me. That's just kind of how it is."

"That's not a move of a five-time champion," Busch said Saturday. "That's the move of a guy that has had an issue with a guy like me. We've raced each other hard and I've been spun out and wrecked a few times, and we both know that we look at each other very sternly. That's great competition."

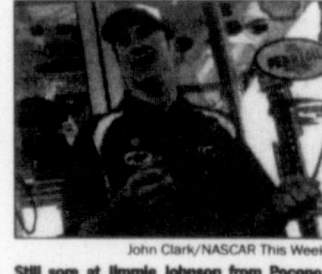
**No-show** — Marcos Ambrose wasn't in the field for Saturday's Nationwide race at Watkins Glen, which he had won the previous three years.

"I'm gonna go fishing," he said on Friday. "I don't really want to be here to watch someone else win my race."

"I had opportunities to do it, and we worked hard with RPM to put a team together and a sponsorship package together, and it just didn't work out.... Whoever wins I'll



Ambrose: A Sprint Cup win undoubtedly made up for it. Gordon, who just happens to have won more NASCAR road races than anyone else, said, not surprisingly, that he thinks a road course should be included in the Chase for the Sprint Cup.



Still sore at Jimmie Johnson from Pocono, Kurt Busch is intimated for the five-time Cup champion these days.

## LEGENDS AND LORE

### The King Won The West Once

Did you know that Richard Petty won a NASCAR Winston West Series race? In fact, he completed in the series seven times and won three of the races. One was at Phoenix International Raceway on Nov. 26, 1978. Petty — yes, his STP Chevrolet wore No. 43 — won by nine seconds over Jimmy Insko in a Pontiac and Bobby Allison in an AMC Matador. They were the only three drivers finishing on the lead lap.



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# Sports

## PHS linebackers look to wreak havoc on opponents

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Last year against Iowa Park, then-junior Devin Coleman of Pampa had to replace an injured Trent Carter at middle linebacker. Back then, Coleman said he was scared to lead the defense.

"Last year I didn't know what (Head coach Heath Parker) was saying to me or what do," Coleman said.

Now a senior, Coleman is ready to lead the linebackers and the defense to a successful 2011.

"It's gone better," Coleman said. "I got my reads down easier and I know what (Parker) is talking about now."

Senior Trevor Smith, who is playing linebacker for the first time, said it's been a challenge adjusting.

"I usually play defensive end," Smith said. "It's been a challenge learning how to get the calls straight, where the play is going to be and our keys. It's a lot responsibility with the pass."

Smith said Coleman and senior Daniel Hulsey have been good leaders.

"They motivate the defense with their effort," Smith said. "In their voices, they are encouraging. They definitely helped me. In the scrimmage Saturday, I was playing both sides and was kind of tired and they encouraged me to keep going."

Linebackers coach Tad Smith said both Coleman and Hulsey have improved and are doing well.

"(Devin) is learning that it's not all about just running hard to the football," Smith said. "It's knowing where to go. He's doing a good job of that...Daniel is doing a better job (in his role as well). He is finally realizing that when he reads his keys it gives him better opportunity to make plays."

Coleman said he thinks the linebackers will do well this year.

"We just got to keep each other pumped and be there for each other," Coleman said.

Hulsey said the core is looking at improving stopping the run and limiting the multi-threat quarterbacks.

"We are going to go hard," Hulsey said. "We are going to do everything we can to stop the run. We are going to contain the inside and stop the outside run. Nothing outside and nothing inside of us."

Coach Smith said that has been a key emphasis in offseason and two-a-days.

"We are going to try to stop the outside run and we will see what happens," Smith said. "They are doing a fine job right now to keep up."

Trevor said they still have a lot of work to do in that area.

"We still have to read our keys better," Smith said. "We need to contain those quarterbacks. Either make them throw off their back foot or push them out-of-bounds and use the sideline as our friend."

Coleman said the linebackers will provide great leadership for the defense.

"We are going to keep together and keep the defense bonding as a team," Coleman said.

Trevor said the linebackers need to be in game mode from the start.

"We need to get serious and start working hard and not wait till the very end," Smith said. "That's kind of what we did last year and we can't do that this year."

Coach Smith said he hopes his linebackers make an impact on the game.

"I hope when we play Iowa Park or something, they are going to roll out and have an inside backer come off a line-man's rear end and smack some old quarterback in the face," Smith said.



Coleman



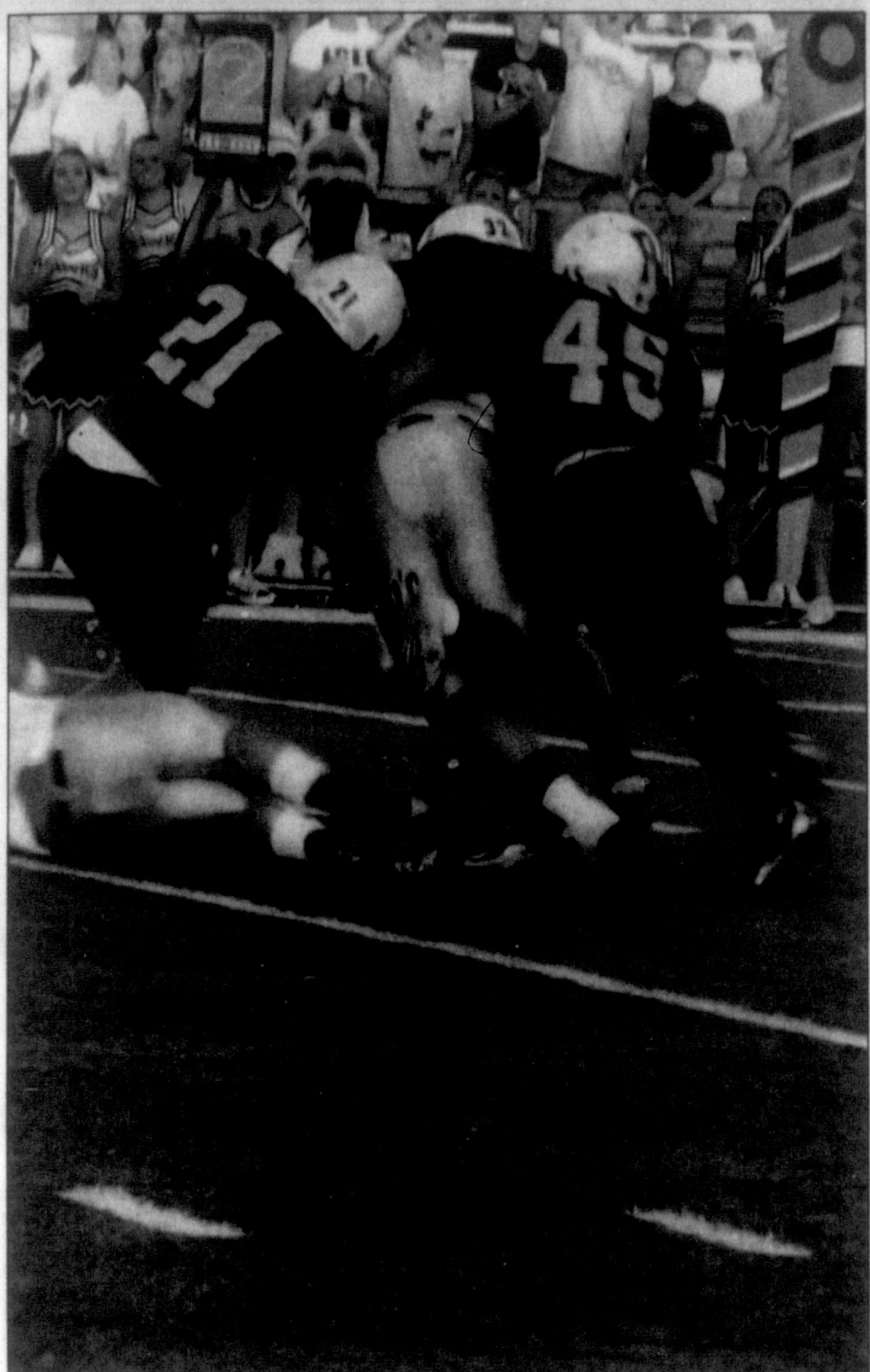
Trevor Smith



Hulsey



Tad Smith



Senior Devin Coleman makes a tackle on an Iowa Park ball carrier last season. Coleman said he understands the game better this season.

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## Intrasquad games for tennis during Green and Gold Week

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Usually the Pampa Harvesters tennis team unites under the colors of Green and Gold. However, this week those are the very colors they are separated by as the team competes in Green and Gold Week.

The teams compete in games towards the end of practice. Head coach Sarah Corse divides the team so each side has an even amount of returning players and newcomers. Senior David Moore, who is competing on the Green Team said it's gone well so far.

"We've won both our volleyball and dodgeball tournaments," Moore said. "It's been a good week with some great competition."

Junior Nick Nelson said the Gold team is looking to make a comeback.

"We got some strong players for the tennis tournament this Saturday," Nelson said.

Moore said he enjoys the week because it's a good week to bond with teammates.

"I enjoy all the different games we play after practice," Moore said.

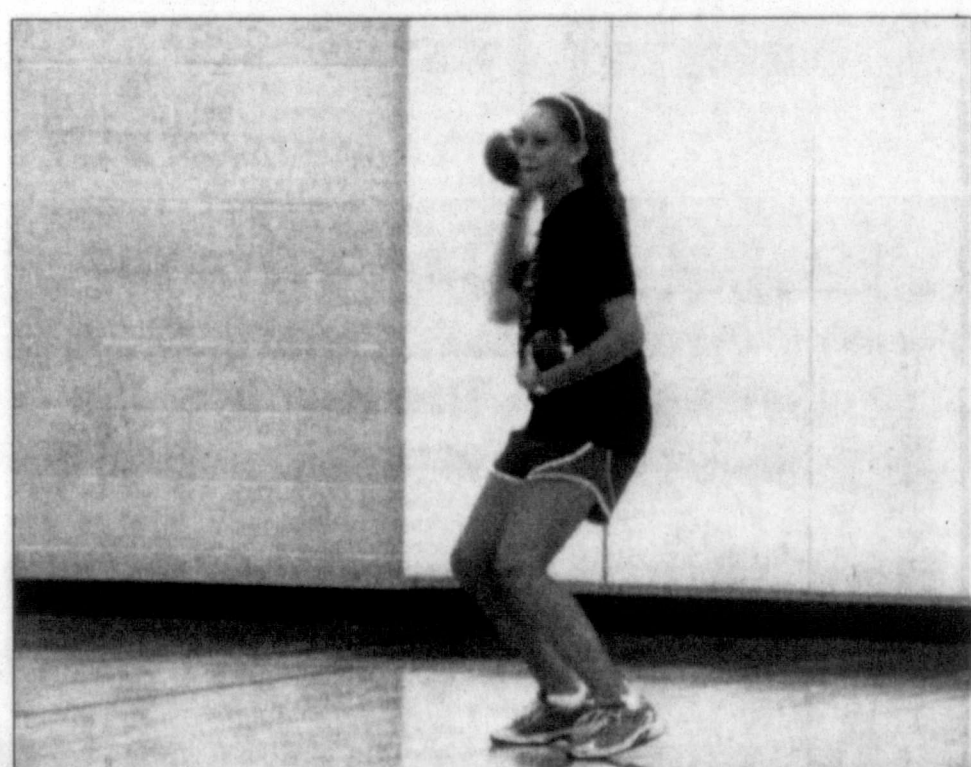
Nelson said it gives him the chance to get to know his new teammates.

"I've gotten to know all the freshmen on the gold team so far," Nelson said. "Throughout the year I will get to know members on the green team that I don't know."

The week ends with the Green and Gold Tournament. Varsity team members pick someone from the community to partner with. Moore is looking to defend his title and said he enjoys getting to play against his teammates and people from the community.

"This year I will have a different partner," Moore said. "I'm confident we can do it. I'm just looking forward to the competition."

The Harvesters start their season August 27 at Plainview.



Senior Elizabeth Terry throws a ball during the tennis team's dodgeball tournament during Green and Gold Week.

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The Harvester tennis team rushes for balls during its intrasquad dodgeball tournament Wednesday. The team competes in games at the end of practice.

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