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HOME SWEET HOME


Janna Sims (second from fight) and son Terry (right) discuss their soon-to-be netwoóme with Habitat for Humanity board of directors members (from left) Christy Robinsof Jason Bagwell and Robin Bailey on Thursday afternoon. \&
Habitat's first Pampa family official

## Arnie Aurellano editorathepampanews.com

 When Janna Sims' home was destroyed by a fire in Augustof last year, she was left with nothing. On Thursday afternoon, Humanity, she beamed as she stood inside what will soon be her new home, discussing how she wanted her kitchen to look. "We're very blessed," Sims
said. "I'm excited. It's going to be a lot of work, but I'm very, very happy."

Sims and her two children,
17 -year-old Terry and 4-year17 -year-old Terry and 4 -year-
old Sterling, toured their soonold Sterling, toured their soon-
to-be residence with the Pampa to-be residence with the Pampa
Habitat for Humanity board of directors yesterday, shortly after signing, papers making
them Habitat's firs them Habitat's first local beneficiaries.
Sims applied for a Habitat Sims applied for a Habitat
house in July, and Habitat picked her family to be its first, home recipient in September
after a lengthy selection process. after a lengthy selection process.
She can still remember the phone call when she found out phone call when she
she'd been chosen.
 phone, I started telling my famso great", , Karen Price, head of Pampa Habitat's selection commitee, said that the organization is looking forward to helping Sims rebuild after such loss. "Because she did lose her home from fire, we feel like she She met all he was willing to criteria, and Habitat. That's a very important part of it. A lot of imporHABITAT cont. on page 2

## Jingle Bell Walk/Run on

 Dec. 3, deadline Nov. 29| Molle Bryant oryant@thepampanews.com | will go to the Optimist Club's Children's Shopping Tour. <br> "The Jingle Bell Walk/Run |
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| ye | will be at the end of the day |
| on Main, get your bells ring- | once it gets dark," said Sandee |
| ing for the Pampa High School | Stokes, PHS cheerleading spon- |
| Cheerleaders' Jingle Bell Walk/ | sor. "We'll start at City Hall, and |
| Run. | we have a one mile route lined |
| The event will take place at | up. People can walk or run, and |
| on Saturday, Dec. 3. The | they can do the one mile route |
| eadline to sponsor the event, | or the 5 K .' |
| ts \$25, will | Stokes encou |
| on Monday. The deadline to reg- | bring their four-legged friends |
| Nov. 29, with a \$20 entry fee | "People can |
| that guarantees the participant | as long as they're on leashes. |
| Jingle Bell Walk shirt. Lat | Last year, people put bells and |
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| and will take place on the day | or lights on their strollers. We'll |
| of the event at 10 a.m., but those | have jingle bells people can |
| who register past the deadline | wear," she said |
| may not wind up with a shi | This is the second yea |
| All proceeds from the event | JINGLE cont. on page 3 |

## HIGH MAINTENANCE


Bob Cook (left) and Garrett Morton of Xcel Energy connect temporary power line to provide a power source for the Happy

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## PAMPA FORECAST

| Today | Saturday | Sunday |
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| Hillill |  |  |
| High 68 | High 74 | High 48 |

Today: Sunny, with a high near 68 . Wind chill Today: Sunny, with a high near 68 . Wind chill
values between 24 and 34 early. Windy, with a south southwest wind 15 to 20 mph increasing to between 25 and 30 mph . Winds could gust
as high as 40 mph o between 25 anh
as high as 40 mph

Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low around 46 . Windy, with a southwest wind between
20 mph , with gusts as high as 30 mph .

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 74. Windy, with a west southwest wind between
and 25 mph , with gusts as high as 35 mph .

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 35 . Windy, woen 10 and 20 mph with gusts as high as ween 10 and 20 mph , with gusts as high as
25 mph . Sunday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 4
Breezy, with a east northeast wind between and 15 mph , with gusts as high as 20 mph .

Sunday Night: . Mostly cloudy, with a low
around 41 . East southeast wind around 5 mph .
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## Last Minute Ads



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As sons Terry and Sterling (seated right) look on, Janna Sims (seated center, with pen) signs the paperwork making her family Pampa Habitat for Humanity's first home recipients. Also present were ( were board members Karen Smith and Karen Bridges

## Habitat

cont. from page 1
made applications, but when they realized that there's work involved in it, they re not always willing partner. She was very willing."
To maintain her eligibility for the house, Sims and her family must put in 250 "sweat-equity hours," which hey have already begun to accrue. That includes going doing volunteer work at their church, Pampa's Church of the Nazarene. Sims said that they will also be voluneering with Meals on Wheels and the Salvation Army. "We've been trying to find as much volunteer work
as possible so we can get these (hours) going," Sims as possible so we can get these (hours) going,' Sims
said.
Habitat board member Jason Bagwell said that once
Habitat board member Jason Bagwell said that once Sims reaches 100 sweat-equity hours and places the
phase can begin.
"By around January or February, we believe she'll have enough hours," Bagwell said. "I like building houses," he added with a grin. I lik fixing people's houses up. I'm not big on paperwork so we're really houses up. I'm not big on paperwork lly get started."
Operating under that timetable, Bagwell said that the Prims family should be in the house before summer. Price said that Habitat is now looking for volunteer to help during the construction process. us with this, because that's what we need," Price said. "This is a community project." Anyone interested in volunteering can contact Habi ${ }_{-}^{\text {a }}$
tat for Humanity at $806-665-0349$.

## Obituaries

Clyde T. "Plunky" Durham Jr., 78
 Plunky" Durt
died November
in Amarillo. Services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, November 19 , Church in Pampa, with Rev. Darren Willis, pastor of New Hope Baptist
Church of Pampa, officiat-
iiig.
Burial will be at Mem-

ory Gardens Cemetery in Durham
Pampa, with military hon-
ors courtesy of U.S. Army, Fort Hood. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral
Directors of Pampa.
Mr. Durham was born Aril 29, 1933, Mr. Durham was born April 29, 1933, in Pampa where
he attended Pampa schools. He was employed by Hardin R Roth Service Station. He was a mechanic for Wauke-sha-Pearce, and later worked for Phillips Petroleum Re-
finery as a heavy equipment toerator He worked for the finery as a heavy equipment operator. He worked for the
City of Pampa, retiring in 2002 . He was a member of St. City of Pampa, retiring in 2002. He was a member of St.
Mark CME Church in Pampa. Clyde enjoyed hunting rabbits and was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan.
Survivors include seven sons, Clyde Durham and Marvin Oliver, both of Oklahoma City, Jerry Norman and wife Vickey of Borger, Joe Graves of Pampa, Virgil
Hunter and Ronnie Hunter, both of Denver, Colo., and Quinton Young of Fort Worth; five daughters, Kaylo Har-
rison and husband Clifford of Fort Worth, Regina "Regrison and husband Clifford of Fort Worth, Regina "RegRidley, both of Oklahoma City, and Deloris Crawford of Ridley, both of Oklahoma City, and Deloris Crawford of nieces and nephews; and a sister, Juanda Newell and husband Kenneth of San Antonio. He was preceded in death by his parents; and three brothers, Eddie L. Durham, Memorials may be wade to and Bork CME Church.

## BananaGrAms!

Replace each of the question marks below with Livi rearrange the letters to form a common word. Each vowel will only be used once.

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## AEGILR?

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## Elm. Pampa, TX 70965

Sign the online regisise at www.carmichael-whatey.
Luther E. Hankins, 78
Luther E. Hankins, 78, died November 16, 2011, in Pampa.
Pampa.
Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, No vember 19,2011 , at Fairview Cemetery, with Pastor Pau Nachtigall, Interim Hospice chaplain, officiating. Mili tary honors are courtesy of the U.S. Navy, and arrange-
ments are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.
Mr. Hankins was born October 30, 1933, in Ripley Mr. Hankins was born October 30, 1933, in Ripley,
Okla., where he graduated from high school. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1950, and served during the Korean Conflict. He married Patsy Ruth Murrell on Decembè
18, 1954, in Los Angeles, Calif. She preceded him in death on July 13, 2004. Luther worked for Cities Service and Occidental Petroleum companies for 37 years. He
was a very loving husband, father and grandfather. was a very loving husband, father and grandfather. Survivors include a son, Jeff Hankins of Fort Worth; Lrandson, Jeremy Hankins of Fort Worth; granddaughter Plains, Mo.; two nieces, Joan Hanks and husband Alan of Dana Point, Calif. and Gayla Ludlum and husband Chris of Lakeside, Calif.; sister-in-law, Phyllis Ramsey and husband Jim of Cushing, Okla.; brother-in-law, Bobby other loving family members. Luther was preceded in death by his parents, a son Bruce, two sisters and on Sbother.
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Sign the online register at ww.carmichael-whatley;
com.
Billy Joe Lynch, 76
Skellytown-Billy Joe
ynch 16,2011 , in Pampa. Services are pending
with Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pam-
${ }^{\text {pa }}$ Mr. Lynch was born August 8 , 1935 , in Leesburg. He married Captolia Tollison on August 15, 1953, in Panhandle area oilfield for
38 years, and worked for Lynch
he White Deer Indepen-
dent School District for 9 years, retiring in 2003. Billy was a member of the First Baptist Church of Skellytown with his family. with his family
two daughters, Kathy Hilliard of Schulenbof the home, two daughters, Kathy Hilliard of Schulenburg, and Sarah Anson and husband Larry of Rolla, Mo.; a son, Billy
Lynch and wife Miriam of White Deer; a brother, Adrian Lynch and wife Margie of Coolidge; seven grandchildrem and seven great-grandchildren. Billy was preceded in death by four sisters and two brothers.
Memorials may be made to High Plains Food Bank 815 Ross, Amarilo, TX 79102, or Pampa Regiona
Medical Center, One Medical Plaza, Pampa, TX 79065 : Sign the online register at www,carmichael-whatley
Yest -ay's Answer: WEARY, PROUD; GLAD, SCARED:
SECURE, LOVED: EAGER, SORRY

## MORNINGRUSH

Prison sentence for smugglers $\underset{\text { CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) - A Brownsville man and }}{\text { three accomplices have been sentenced to federal prison }}$ three accomplices have been sentenced to federaal prison
for their roles in a drug smuggling and money launderfor their roles in a a dug smuggling and money launder-
ing ring that moved cocaine from the border to Dallas and Atlanta.
The U.S. attorney's office says Arturo Gomez led the
ring from his auto body repair shops in Brownsville. The 51 -year-old had pleaded guilty to conspiracy to possess and distribute cocaine as well as money laundering. U.S.
District Judge Hayden Head sentenced Gomez in Corpus District Juge Hayden Head sentenced
Christi Thursday to 25 years in prison.
Christi Thursday to 25 years in prison.
Three other members of the group were given sen$t 20$ years. thursday ranging from nearly six years to almost
US reviews deportation cases
WASHINGTON (AP) - The Obama administration has begun its promised review of backlogged deportation
cases, focusing on illegal immigrants whe have commitcases, focusing on illegal immigrants who have commit-
ted crimes or are considered pubblic safety or national security threats.
An agency memo outlining the new approach says govermment lawyers will start with a pilot program to
look at all new deportation cases in im look at all new deportation cases in inmigration courts.
Other illegal immigrants, including those brought to Other illegal immigrants, including those brought to
the U.S. illegally as children, probably will have their cases delayed indefinitely.
Republicans say the steps amount to "backdoor amnes-
ty" for illegal immigrans. Gas igal immans.
Gas prices down four cents
HOUSTON (AP) - Retails gasoline prices in Texas
and nationwide have decelined this week. and nationwide have declined this week.
AAA Texas on Thursday reported the a AAA Texas on Thursday reported the average price at
the pump statewide was $\$ 3.22$ a gallon, or 4 cents less the pump statew
than last week.
Thas national average price for gasoline dropped a
Tickel nat nickel, to settle at $\$ 3.39$ per gallon. The association says Amarillo has the most expensive
gasoline in Texas gasoline in Texas this week, topping off at 53.26 a gal-
lon. The least expensive gasoline statewide is in Corpus lon. The east expensive gasoline sta
AAA Texas says the corrent average retail gasoline
price is 50 cents more than what motorists were paying price is 50 cents more than what motorists were paying
a year ago.
Smucker recalls peanut butter
ORRVILLE, Ohio (AP) - J.M. Smucker Co is recall-
ing thousands of 16 -oonce jars of it Smuckers ing thousands of 16 -ounce jars of its smucker' Natural
Peanut Butter Chunky because of possible salmonella contamintaio,
The Ohio-ased company says the jars covered in the recall would have been purchased in the last week or so. They have "Best if Used By" dates of Aus. 3,2012 and
Aug. 4. 2012, plus the production codes 1307004 and Aug. 4, 2012, plus the production-codes 1307004 and
1308004
Smucker says 3,000 jars are being recalled from stores. Another 16,000 had never left warehouses.
Smucker says no illnesses have been reported.
The product was distributed in: Arkansas, Colorado,
Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky Maine, Maryland, Michi, ${ }^{\text {ana, M, Minesoata, Missouri, }}$
Nebraska, New Jersey, New York, Nort Dakota, Ohio,
 PETA urges Turkey name change URKEY (AP) - Animal rights group People for the
Ethical Treatment of Animals is asking the town of Ethical Treatment of Animats is asking the town of
Turkey to ditch the bird this Thanksgiving - sort of. Turkey to dirch the bird this Thanksgivin - sort or.
Through a letter sent to Turkey Mayor Pat Carson on Monday, PETA urged him to change the name of the town to "Tofurk"" in time for next week's holiday. The letter says that the birds live endure cruelty
throughout their lives and that eating Tofurky treyeys throughout their lives and that eating Tofurky, turkey's
vegetarian altermative, comes without the suffering of vegetarian alemative, comes
the turkeys.
PETA wrote that it will treat the whole city to a vegan holiday feast if the name is changed. "Thanksgiving is murder on turkeys," PETA Executive "By changing its name to 'Tofurky', Turkey would ses. ay clear message that delicious, savory mock meat is an easy way to celebrate without causing suffering - and
give a bird something to be thankful for."

## Jingle



Improve appearance of old carpet

## Dear Pat: I just finished remodeling my house. I can only replace

 the carpet in two rooms because I ran over budget. How can Imake old carpeting look better make old carpeting look better,
and how should I maintain the new carpet? - Andrea $\mathbf{R}$.
Dear Andrea: You certainly are
not the first person not the first person to overrun a bud-
get and have to cut back a bit on the get and have to cut back a bit on the
final touches. Generally, unless your old carpeting is extremely damaged, you can use some tricks to make it look better for a year or two until you can afford to replace it.
Crushing is one of the most con mon and unsightly problems with old carpeting. It can be caused by the weight of furniture (usually
from the feet) or by foot your family. The crushing from foot traffic is worse because those areas probably also have other types of
damage. damage.
The best temporary method to improve crushing is just to hide
it. Try to reposition your furniture so the heavily traveled areas are covered. The small crushed areas
from the furniture feet that will be from the furniture feet that will be
exposed can be fluffed up some exposed can be fluffed up some.
Vacuum them several times, and use a spray carpet cleaner on them. While they are still slightly damp. vacuum them again.
Depending on the
Depending on the type of car-
pet you have, pilling made have pet you have, pilling made have
occurred in the high-traffic areas These are small balls of fiber on the carpet surface. Take a sharp scissors
and trim them off as level as you and trim them off as level as you
can. It may not look like new, but can. It may not look like new, but
it will definitely look better than it did before.
If you have young children, you
likely have some likely have some snagged spots.
This is where sharp objects, such as This is where sharp objects, such as
toys, table legs, etc., have pulled up toys, table legs, etc., have pulled up
a piece of the carpet. Cut the snag a piece of the carpet. Cut the snag
off. Never pull on it because you may just make the spot larger. Since you are going to replace
the carpet in a year or so, pull some the carpet in a year or so, pull some
fibers out from a spot hidden under the furniture. Glue them into the open spot, and trim them off level
with the rest of the carpet Use a hot with the rest of the carpet. Use a hot?
melt glue gun to put a small blob melt glue gun to put a small blob of
adhesive on the fibers before you place them in the spot.

height. If it is too high, it will not
adequately clean. If it is too low, it adequately clean. If it is too low, it
will cause excessive wear-and-tear will cause exces
on the fibers.
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Professional cleaning should be
done every two years. This deep done every two years. This deep
cleaning will remove the stickycleaning will remove the sticky-
type of dirt that your vacuum leaves type of dirt that your vacuum leaves
behind. For high-traffic areas, rent a steam carpet cleaner at the super-
market or home center store. and market or home center store, and
clean those spots each year. Also, clean those spots each year. Also,
rearrange some furniture every couple years to change the foot-traffic patterns. pas

## Send your questions to Here's How, 6906 Rovalgreen Dr Cincinnat

 Royalgreen Dr,. Cincinnvisi www.dulley. com.
If you have pile carpet, sprouting on relatively new carpet. This is where one or several fibers stick up
further than others, giving the further than others, giving the carpet
a rough appearance. Trim them off a rough appearance. Trim them of
level and, again, never try to pull level and, again, never try to pull a
long one out thinking it is just loose: Regular vacuuming is the best method to maintain your new carpet. More than 75 percent of the dirt in carpets is loose and dry, so
the vacuum will pick it up. Make sure to set the beater bar on the
vacuum cleaner head to the proper

## HOME HOW-TO

Carpet Care
The carpeting in your house may show the results of spills, burns
or damage from stains. Fortunately, you may be able extend the or damage from stains. Fortunately, you may be able extend the
life of your carpet with elbow work and some proper maintenance.
PATCH
Sometime
Sometimes, no matter how hard you try, an area may
be beyond repair. Find a carpet scrap that matches
the damaged area from an unnoticeable place such
as a closet and

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& \text { as a closet, and use it as a patch }
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## Viewpoints

## Today in History

Today is Friday, Nov. 18, the 322nd day of 2011
There are 43 days left in the year. There are 43 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History: On Nov. 18, 1883, the United States and Canada adopted a system of Standard Time zones
On this date: On this date:
In 1910, British suffragists clashed with police
outside Parliament on what became Friday." in 1928, Wait Disney's first sound-synchronized
animated cartoon, "Steamboat Willie" starring Mickey Mouse, premiered in New York.
In 1936, Germany and Italy recognized the Spanish government of Francisco Franco. In 1958, the cargo freighter SS Carl D. Bradley
sank during a storm in Lake Michigan, claiming 33 sank during a storm in Lake Michigan, claiming 33
of the 35 lives on board. of the 35 lives on board.
In 1966 U. . Roman
with the rule against eating meat on Fridays outside of Lent.
In 1978, U.S. Rep. Leo J. Ryan, D-Calif., and four others were killed in Jonestown, Guyana, by members of the Peoples Temple; the killings were
followed by a night of mass murder and suicide by more than 900 cult members.
In than 90 cult members.
In 1987, the congressional Iran-Contra committees
issued their final report, saying President Ronald issued their final report, saying President Ronald
Reagan bore "ultimate responsibility" for wrongdoReagan bore "ultimate responsibility for wrongdo-
ing by his aides. In 1991, Shiite Muslim kidnappers in Lebanon
freed Anglican Church envoy Terry Waite and Thomas Sutherland, the American dean of agriculture at the American University of Beirut. Inc. announced they were merging in a deal to creat the third-largest U.S. oil and gas company. Five years ago: President George W. Bush, in
Hanoi for a summit of Pacific Hanoi for a summit of Pacific Rim countries, lined up support for pressuring long-defiant North Korea
to prove it was serious about dismantling its nuclear weapons program.
One year ago: President Barack Obama rallied former diplomatic and military chiefs from both parties ing a nuclear weapons deal with Russia (The renate ratified the treaty the following month.) General Motors stock resumed trading on Wall Street, signaling the rebirth of an American corporate icon that had
collapsed into bankruptcy and was rescued with a $\$ 50$ collapsed into bankruptcy and was rescued with a $\$ \$ 0$
billion infusion from taxpayers. billion infusion from taxpayers.
Today's Birthdays: Actress Brenda Vaccaro is 72. Author-poet Margaret Atwood is 72. Actress Linda Evans is 69 . Actress Susan Sullivan is 69. Country
singer Jacky Ward is 65 . Actor Jameson Parker is 64 . singer Jacky Ward is 65 . Actor Jameson Parker is 64 .
Actress-singer Andrea Marcovicci is 63 . Rock musician Herman Rarebell is 62 . Singer Graham Parker is 61 . Actor Delroy Lindo is 59 . Comedian Kevin Nealon is 58. Pro Football Hall of Fame quarterback Warren Moon is 55 . Actor Oscar Nunez is 53 . Actress Elizabeth Perkins is 51 . Singer Kim Wilde is
51. Rock musician Kirk Hammett (Metallica) is 49 Rock singer Tim DeLaughter is 46. Actor Romany Malco is 43. Actor Owen Wilson is 43. Singer Duncan Sheik is 42. Actor Mike Epps is 41. Actress Peta Wilson is 41 . Actress Chloe Sevigny is 37 . Country singer Jessi Alexander is 35. Actor Ste Parker is 32. Rapper Mike Jones is 31. Actor Danıon Wayans Jr. is 29 . Actor Nathan Kress is 19 .
Thought for Today: "'It can't happen Thought for Today: "'It can't happen here'"
number one on the list of famous last words." David Crosby, rock singer-musician.

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What Newt knows (that Cain doesn't)

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| None of this is new. Newt's first wife, Jackie Battley, was his high |  |  |
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| when they married; she was seven |  |  |
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| years older. The marriage lasted |  |  |
| 18 years, until Newt took up with | President Bill Clinton for his rela- | religious belief is being challen |
| Marianne Ginther, whom he married in 1981. Back in 1985, Battley told |  |  |
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| The Washington Post a story that has since become apocryphal: Newt | staffer 23 years his junior. What | is driven out |
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| and the children went to visit her in the hospital while she was recover- |  | dom |
|  | to a friendly reporter, effectively | Now that Gingric |
| ing from surgery for ovarian cancer, and Newt wanted to discuss the divorce. Ouch. |  |  |
|  | Brody of the Christian Broadcasting |  |
|  |  | press. But unike Can's bagg |
| A little worse than Cain's fondling? Except -- nota bene -- | no question at times in my life, par- | old |
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| Gingrich cleaned that one up earlier this year. Not only did he dispute the account, but Jackie Gingrich |  |  |
|  |  | A cynic might say Gingri |
|  |  | ce his life story |
| Cushman, one of his two daughters from that marriage, wrote a column for Creators Syndicate (also my syn- |  |  |
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| dicate) titled "Setting the Record | th |  |
| Straight" in which she insisted that it was not cancer at all, that her mother | his mea culp |  |
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| requested the divorce prior to thehospital stay, and that her father had |  | precisely such a political |
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| hospital stay, and that her father had taken them to the hospital to visit |  |  |
| their mother and not to discuss the divorce. | response). He put it out, apolo and turned it into old news. | Sorry, Mr. Cain. 9-9-9 was ing to be enough. And |
| Are you listening, Hermah Cain? We call this damage control. | sta, according to her | Libya... |
|  | devout Catholic. A devout Catholic |  |
| oday, both of the Gingrich d work with their dad. One |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Susan } \\ & \text { author, } \end{aligned}$ |
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THE FAMILY CIRCUS
By Bil Keane

"Coach was right when he said we
were the team to beat this year were the team to beat this year -

Non Sequitur

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## dailly horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Nov. $\begin{gathered}\text { © } \\ \text { You might need to close your door to com- }\end{gathered}$ You might need to close your door to com-
Yout often feel a conflict between your plete some imporant work or just think
emotional needs and your image. Don't out a new project. Avoid all assumptions. look at these two principles as opposites; By late aftemoon, you are more than ready
look for their similarities. Center yourself look for their similanties. Center yourself for anything. It is the weekend! Tonight sexy, you are even more so this year. You LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) attract suitors leff and right. If you are at- $\quad \star \star \star \star$ Your ability to visualize differtached, your significant other might really ent situations and at the same time make
enjoy your warmer style. The two of you them real to others comes through. People enjoy your warmer style. The two of you them real to others comes through. People
could bond even more firmly if you give flock around you to understand what you coud beon cren more firmly if you give flock around you to understand what you
up being critical. VIRGO is always your are seeing. By midaftemoon, you might opt to close your door and/or screen your
The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll calls. Tonight: Take care of yourself first. Have: 5-Dynamic: 4Positive: 3-Average; ARIES (March 21-April 19) $\star \star \star \star$ You cannot sit on your creativ ity, as it will energize you no matter what you do or where you are. Still, you do have a certain amount of mandatory erra
meetings. Tonight: Let the fun begin. meetings. Tonight: Let the fun begin
TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
$\star \star \star$ You might already be in weekend mode. Make sure you can afford to take personal day or work from home. Are you insights, which can
the good times begin.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
$\star \star \star \star$ Your ability to communicate
emerges as a necessity. You might wonder why you are doing certain things. Be a statement or action. Slow down a little. Tap into your feelings more, too. Tonight: Break from your routine.
CANCER (June 21-July

R (June 21-July 22)
You could be a bit po
averwhelmed Leam to ask for help
often. Advice from a key person at a dis-
tance only confuses your thinking more.
Go for a walk or get into some other physi-
cal activity to clear your head. Tonigh: Let
it all happen.
CORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
$\star \star \star$ You'll not only push a project to
completion, you also will enjoy its success. completion, you als owircnjoy is stccess. As a result, your interactions with others
bring you to a new level of comfort and security Don't push a co-workero or a a fiend.
You won't like the results. Tonight: Where You won't like the results. Tonight: Where
the fun is, of course. the fun is, of course.
SAGTTTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) $\star \star \star \star \star \star$ You might feel as if there is no purpose in pushing so hard to get more
of your thinking incorporated into a situation. If you give up the pushing, delight surrounds what actually might occur. Your creabiviy comes out when you least expect Bunny - you go on and on.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 2 . $\underset{\star \text { CA }}{\text { CAR You relate well to individuals. }}$ Dok t push so hard to accomplish your goals. A partner gives you feedbpack. There are some potential gens of wisdom here. Reach out to an expert or a trusted, respect
fiend for feedback. Tonight See life dif frend for feedback. Tonight: See life difAQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) $\star \star \star \star \star \star$ Others come forward and head. Tonight: Let this appears to be a very social moment. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You hear surprising news that might take a $\star \star \star \star$ Use the daylight hours to the max, as you feel more empowered. When facing vagueness, ask questions. You
might be surprised by what could open up. Be goal-oriented. In the attemoon, take a hard look at your finances. Can you cover all your bases? Tonight: Fun doesn't need to break the be k .
VIRGO (.tug. 23-Sept. 22) few minutes to internalize. Tonigh
another person to treat.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
$\qquad$ $\star \star \star$ Clear your desk and decide to acyouplish as much as you can. Somehow cause someone isn't all that clear. Opportu-
con nities stem from a conversation. Be evilling
to umpp on them. Schedule late in the day. Tonight: Let it all happen.

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Shoe


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Garfield


Beetle Bailey


Peanuts


## Blondie

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## Sports

## PHS wrestling booster club rebuilding, raising money



## BANKING IT IN



Junior Hannah Baker shoots a jumper during Meet the Harvesters on Monday at McNeely Fieldhouse. Baker helped the girls win by four.

## Schedule changes

- The rampa High schooi varsity and junior varsity boys basketball team will play at Stratford $22 .{ }^{\text {.Th }}$


Dear Abby...
By Pauline \& Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: My fi-
ance, "Todd," and I have

 He proposed this summer and our wedding is planned for next year. I thought planning
our wedding would be fun ut it has turned out to be a nightmare. I want orange as our primary color, but now Todd is aying he "hates" the color orange, although he never
mentioned it before. I tried to get him to agree to pair it with a color of his choice, but he
refused. Todd is being unreason able and will not agree with me on the color. Since it mainly affects the bridal party, I feel it should be my deci-
sion. He says it isn't, and that se won't even wear an orange tie or anything like it. What is your opinion? - STUCK N THE COLOR IN GEOR-
GIA in't just "your" wedding 's Todd's wedding, too. If
e would find standing at
eatara opposite a line of
Udosmaids clad in orange he color so much that he
tonniere that's orange -
is applying for a grant given to wrestling programs: "We are applying for the Nike grant," Whinery said. "This grant will give the team headgrant will give the team head-
gear, shoes and the other equipment it needs with the Nike
logo." logo."
Head coach Michael Stovall Head coach Michael Stovall
said the booster club helps prosaid the booster club helps pro-
vide support for the team, and ide support for
not just monetary.
iThey "They help when they need,"
Stovall said. "It's parental Stovall said. "It's parental sup-
port for these port for these kids and that's
what's important. Sometimes it's not monetarily. Sometimes Cavalier Activity Center and are
they show up to tournaments
and putting together other fundraisand give a pat on the back and a ers. way to go.". There's a selection process for "Whinery dance is $\$ 5$ per person," There's a seection process for Whinery said. "We are trying
the grant. The receipent will
to get stuff going for a t-Shir the grant. The receipent will to
be annouced in January 2012. sale. Whinery said some of the ath-
letes still need letes still need equipment. "We have four kids that don't have shoes," Whinery said. "We
need compression shorts and need compression shorts and
tops for girls when they weigh in at competitions."
Whinery said the boosters are putting on a dance $7: 30$
$\mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. December 3 at the Dennis Stovail said the high schoo is hosting its first dual in thre years on Tuesday. "They will have their fund
raiser there and will have the concession stand set up," Stovall said.
The b by cleaning up trash during two by cleaning up trash during two
home football games.

## MLB approves sale of Astros

MILWAUKEE (AP) - Baseball own-
ers unanimously approved the sale of the ers unanimously approved the sale of the
Houston Astros from Drayton McLane to Jim Crane on Thursday, which will
to lead to the team moving from the NL
Central to the AL West for the 2013
season.
The decision will give each league 15
The decision will give each league 15
teams, baseball's first realignment since teams, baseball's first realignment since
the Milwaukee Brewers switched from the AL to the NL after the 1997 season. As part of the Astros' agreement to
switch leagues, the sale price was cut from $\$ 680$ million to $\$ 615$ million, a person at Thursday's meeting told The Associated Press. The person spoke o weren't announced,
Major League Baseball will make up part of the $\$ 65$ million difference paying McLane $\$ 35$ million over thre
years, the person said years, the person said also approved two additional wild-card teams for the postseason, meaning 10 of the 30 teams make the playoffs. Selig
said he hopes the expanded playoffs said he hopes the expanded playoffs can
start next year, but he said the specifics start next year, but he said the specifics
are being worked out. The players' asso-
ciation favors the move. "You do things for a long period of the long run" Sdition will really help us in the long run," Selig said.
Owners also approved Owners also approved longtime San rancisco Giants executive Larry Bae
to replace Bill Neukom as the team's controlling owner.
In addition, MLB executive vice president Rob Manfred said progress was made on a new collective bargain ing agreement to replace the deal that
expires Dec. 11. Selig saluted Selig saluted McLane, who bough
the team in 1992 for about $\$ 117$ mil lion. The Astros struggled mightily on the field last season, losing 106 games. "Drayton should have a wonderful egacy of what he did for the Astros, go them a new ballpark and did all these things," Selig said. "He sure left a much
better franchise than we he came in." better franchise than we he came in."
Crane founded a Houston-based logis tics company in 2008. He is chairman and chief executive officer of Crane Capital, a private equity fund company

## CROSSWORD

 By THOMAS JOSEPHACROSS 40 Wood

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