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# Pampa ISD hires 2 new principals

By Sasha Heller

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The Pampa Independent School District (PISD) Board on Thursday hired two new principals for Austin and Travis elementary schools.

The Board hired Kathy Phillips, assistant principal in the Southlake Carroll School District, to serve as the new principal at Austin Elementary, beginning next year. Phillips has previously worked as an elementary school counselor and taught. Austin principal Beverly Underwood plans to retire at the end of this school year.

will retire in a couple of months. Studebaker, currently exterior piping. He said they should wait for mechanical the assistant principal at Pampa High School, has previously taught as well.

In other business, the Board received a construction update on the district's new central administration facility from developer James Hicks. Hicks reported that demolition of the old Albertson's

building is 90 to 95 percent complete. "That part of the project is going really well," Hicks

Hicks noted that the construction crew is almost fin-

Jennifer Studebaker will serve as the new principal at ished installing the interior piping. He then recommend-

Travis Elementary next year, replacing Joe Fabian who ed the Board not continue at this time with replacing the bids to be submitted next week.

> "It does need to be done but I don't think we should do it right now," Hicks said. Hicks added that the developers have received inquiries from more than 100 contractors, subcontractors and sup-

> "The project is being well received," Hicks said. "The response and the activity on the project has been very

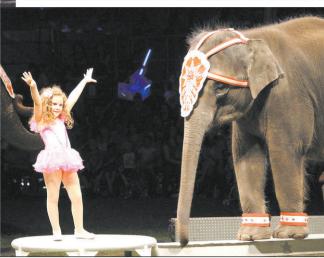
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#### **BIG TOP OVER PAMPA**









Photos courtesy of Carson & Barnes Circus

Billed as "the world's biggest big-top show," the Carson & Barnes Circus will be in Pampa for two shows on May 4.

# Circus coming to Pampa May 4

By TIMOTHY P. HOWSARE

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The big top is coming to Pampa.

The Carson & Barnes Circus of Hugo, Okla., will do two big-top shows at 2 and 5 p.m. on May 4 at Recreation Park. The shows will feature clowns, jugglers, elephants, ac-

robats — everything you expect from a big-top circus. There will be elephant rides, camel rides and pony

School children can experience the magic of the circus

and meet the animals up close and personal before the scheduled performances.

Starting at 9:30 a.m., any school group or anyone from the public can show up when the circus folks start rolling out the canvas, said Charles Watson, advance coordinator for Carson & Barnes.

There will be a free petting zoo, and clowns will be entertaining as people walk in, he said.

Though he works behind a desk on most days, Watson himself is a juggler and a clown.

"I'm a first-generation performer," he said. "I'm the CIRCUS cont. on page 3

# Bill would ensure free breakfast for poorest students

By Chris Hooks The Texas Tribune

Many students at Arnoldo Cantu Sr. Elementary School in San Juan, a Rio Grande Valley town just east of McAllen, do not have much. The Texas Education Agency estimates that 89 percent of the students in the school's district are from low-income households. But every morning, all of the school's 927 students can count on a federally subsidized breakfast.

Offering free breakfasts to all interested students in low-income areas, not just to those who qualify under federal guidelines, is a program that some state legislators are trying to expand to schools in poor neighborhoods across Texas.

Senate Bill 376, written by state Sen. Eddie Lucio Jr., D-Brownsville, would require schools to offer free breakfast to all students at public schools where 80 percent of the student body qualifies for free or reduced-price meals.

The left-leaning Center for Public Policy Prioriies estimates the bill could mean a morning meal

for as many as 731,000 additional students. "As one of 10 kids growing up in Brownsville many years ago, I understand the struggles that parents go through to maintain their households, and

feed their children," Lucio said. The bill has passed the Senate and will go to the House, where a similar bill has passed out of a

Under the School Breakfast Program, which began in 1966, children whose household income below 185 percent of the federal poverty line are eligible for a low-cost school breakfast; those below 130 percent receive free breakfasts. (For the current school year, 185 percent of the poverty level is \$42,643 for a family of four; 130 percent of the poverty level is \$29,965 for a family of four.) The federal government reimburses the school for each meal served. The breakfast program, and a similar one for lunches, is administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Research has shown that students who eat breakfast are better able to concentrate and do better in

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The smoker that Brian McAdoo made for the

Zion Lutheran Church annual ZBQ.

29th Annual ZBQ set for May 4

By Zachary Green zgreen@thepampanews.com Zion Lutheran Church will host

their 29th Annual ZBQ from 5 to 7 p.m. on Saturday May 4. Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$11 at the door. Tickets can be purchased by calling the church office at 806-669-2774.

The menu will feature smoked brisket, sausage, beans, cole slaw, potato salad and desserts. There will also be a silent auction after the dinner. Items for the auction are donated by businesses in town.

This will be the second year the church has used a big smoker. The smoker can hold 55-60 briskets at one time and only requires one to two people to man the smoker. In previous years, the church had to use four to five of the old type smokers that can only hold 15-20 briskets and it took between eight and 10 people to Church member and treasurer Brian

Kuehl, said the new smoker will al-

low for the event to stay consistent. "Before we would have it at Celanese, Thomas Automotive, or a member's house, but now we can have it at the church every year.'

The new smoker was built by church member Brian McAdoo. McAdoo owns a cabinet shop downtown and used to weld.

The neat thing about this event is that all of the proceeds go back to the community in some form or fashion. ZBQ cont. on page 3

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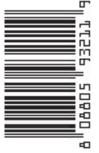
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But in Texas, participation in the School Breakfast Program is less than 60 percent of that of the National School Lunch Program.

Childhood nutrition activists say the stigma of receiving free breakfasts when other students eat at home keeps some students from participating.

Because federal subsidies are tied to participation, the schools do not save money by serving fewer meals, said Anne Olson of the Christian Life Commission, an advocacy organization affiliated with the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Moreover, she said, it negates society's interest in feeding "children who otherwise might not be able to eat breakfast at home, at a time when they're developing physically and mentally.'

The Houston Independent School District, the largest in Texas, where more than 80 percent of students are from low-income households, has made breakfast free for all elementary and middle school students.

One result has been increased participation — and a corresponding increase in federal subsidies.

There are additional benefits, said Brian Giles, the senior food administrator of the district. "Anyone who's taught a student

who may not have been fed on a given day knows that meal can mean the difference between a good day and a bad day for a child," he Though the bill passed the Senate

easily, there were some objections to expanding the program. Sen. Robert Nichols, R-Jacksonville, said the proposed bill was an inappropriate use of taxpayer money. "I was always raised to believe

that there's no such thing as a free lunch — even though it's breakfast," he said.

"Somebody pays. Ultimately, it costs the federal government, which in turn costs us all."

But Lucio, who was a middle school teacher before he was elected to public office, argues that the benefits outweigh the costs.

"I think we have an obligation to make sure that every Texas child has the resources they need to reach their full potential," he said.

### Circus

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only one in my family in the circus. When I have kids they will be second-generation."

Watson said this is his first year with Carson & Barnes, working his way up from smaller circuses.

By calling ahead, school groups can have a staff member from the circus meet them and lead them through the animal compound. This will be followed by an educational program about Asian elephants, which are endangered.

Included with the program is a special visit by "Melvino the Clown," who will entertain with a short comedy skit.

All of this is available to students at no cost.

To make reservations, call 580-326-2233.

Advance tickets can be purchased at the city's recreation center for \$12 for adults and \$6 for children ages 2 to 11. Children 2 and under are free. Tickets can be purchased online at Carsonbarnescircus.com and at the gate.

### **PISD**

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The Board also began discussions of the planned Heritage Room which will be featured prominently in the district's new central admin building.

Superintendent David Young offered the Board some options regarding formation of a Heritage Room Committee that would oversee management of the room. Board members plan for the seven-person Heritage Room Committee to be comprised of two or three school board members and four or five PISD alumni and community representatives. Contact the district to inquire about joining the committee as a community rep.



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The church will donate to individuals or groups in the community based on

Good Samaritan, Gray Cares and Relay for Life are some of the organizations to benefit from the

The event is sponsered by Thrivent Financial but Kuehl said all of their church members will either participate or contribute in some way.

The event will be held in the fellowship hall of Zion Lutheran Church at 1200 N. Duncan St.

There are also takeout meals available.

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Tonight: Clear skies with a low of 45. No chance of rain. Wind south southeast at 14 mph. Sunset at 8:27 p.m.

Sunday: Partly cloudy with a high of 81. No chance of rain. WInd south southwest at 15 mph. Sunrise at 6:55 a.m.

Sunday night: Partly cloudy with a low of 53. No chance of rain. Wind south at 14 mph. Sunset at 8:28 p.m.

Monday: Partly cloudy with a high of 87. Ten percent chance of rain Wind south at 16 mph. Sunrise at 6:54 a.m.

Monday night: Cloudy with a low of 55. No chance of rain. Wind south at 16 mph. Sunset at 8:29 p.m.

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## **Obituaries**

#### **Bonzie Groce Harris**

Bonzie Groce Harris was born March 1, 1913 in Cumberland County, Ky., to Charlie B. Groce and Alice K.

Ferguson Groce. Bonzie went home on April 18, 2013 at the age of 100 years, 1 month and 17 days.

Bonzie married Levie C. Harris on Oct. 30, 1939 in Kentucky. In 1942, Bonzie and Levie left Kentucky and moved to farm near Randlett and Walters, Okla. In 1947, they moved to Skellytown, Texas. In the 1980s, they began living between Skellytown and the Lake Texoma area and in 2000 Lake Texoma became their permanent residence. Bonzie was a homemaker and loved

flowers and was always gardening.

She will be remembered for her beautiful Christmas dec-

orations and lights at her home. She loved to cook for her family and cherished their visits. Everyone was welcome

Bonzie was preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, Levie, in 2005; parents Charlie and Alice Groce; brothers Curtis E. Groce, William Travis Groce, Pitts Groce; and sister Sally Minnie Groce Thrasher. Bonzie is survived by her five children, Jerlene K.

Harris Teague and husband Dr. Willard D. Teague Jr. of Springfield, Mo., Travis C. Harris and wife Jackie of Edmund, Okla., the Rev. Lonnie Harris and wife Carolyn of Terrell, J.T. Harris and wife Alice of Pleasanton, Willie Price "Red" Harris and wife Terry of Mead, Okla, 11 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, one great-great grandson and a host of other family and friends.

Celebration of life service was held Monday, April 22, 2013 at Brown's Funeral Service in Durant, Okla., with the Rev. Steve Harris officiating. The Revs. Charity Harris, Tim Teague, Justin Harris and Dr. Kent Teague assisted with the service. Burial was in Walters Cemetery

in Walters, Okla.

### Woman, 80, swallows diamond at Fla. charity event

The idea behind the Tampa Woman's Club charity event was simple.

**Bonzie** 

Groce

**Harris** 

\$5,000 diamond.

Organizers of the Saturday afternoon event placed \$10 cubic zirconia stones in the bottom of 399 of the 400 champagne glasses. The prized diamond, donated by Continental Wholesale Diamonds, was placed in the last.

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Tucker, 80, accidentally swallowed it.

Tucker told local media that she didn't want to put For \$20, you could buy a her finger in the glass to get flute of champagne and a the jewel. Instead she took a chance to win a one-carat, few sips of champagne. As the table, Tucker eventushe was talking and laughing with other women at the table, she realized she swallowed the jewel.

"What a dumb thing," she said.

Meanwhile, organizers and jewelers Joy Pierson and Andy Meyer were puzzled that no one came forward uled for Monday. The problem? Miriam with the diamond.

to be at one of two tables," Pierson said, who along with in a biohazard bag and gave Meyer examined each stone it to Tucker's daughter. with probes and a loupe.

ally spoke up. "She said she tested and verified. swallowed what was in her glass," Pierson said.

Roth insisted that Tucker follow her to a hospital for an X-ray. The diamond didn't daughter, where the diamond show up, but Tucker already had a colonoscopy sched-

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"We knew the winner had ton what happened and he retrieved the diamond, put it

After the procedure, they As they hovered near went to a jewelry store and had the diamond cleaned,

"It's an amazing story," said Tucker, who hasn't de-Event chairwoman Gina cided on a setting for the diamond. She plans to bequeath it to her 13-year-old grandwill "stay in the family with a story to go with it."

The jewelers said they've She told Dr. Bruce Edger- participated in other charity events in which they held a drawing for a diamond. But this was the first time

they used a champagne glass.

# Amarillo man

#### arrested for DWI • David Taylor Autry, 41, Amarillo, was arrest-

ed Thursday by the Gray County Sheriff's Office for driving while intoxicated. James Robinson,

36, Lefors, was arrested Thursday by GCSO for failure to appear, driving while license invalid and no seatbelt. Marvin Monroe Finney

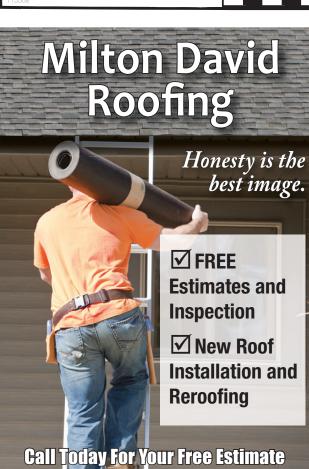
III, 37, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by GCSO for interfering with an emergency call. Kimberly Robinson,

39, Lefors, was arrested Thursday by the Pampa Police Department for theft by check. · Jimmy Duane Burks,

40, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by PPD for violating a promise to appear, capias pro fine — speeding and capias pro fine — ran stop sign.

· Billy Eugene Massengale, 37, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by PPD for assault causing bodily · Clayton Durnad John-

son, 49, Pampa, was arrested Thursday by GCSO and sent to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



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# Falling gold is a good thing

In the last two days, gold has plunged so deep that it's being called the worst drop at least in percent-

age terms - in 30 years. That brings us back to the early Ronald LAWRENCE Reagan period,

when

**KUDLOW** 

falling gold was regarded as a good thing.

Back then, lower gold showed inflation coming down after the horrible 1970s. It also showed confidence in the economy recovering and greater M2 money measure respect for the dollar. Over the next two decades, in the '80s and '90s, gold basically dropped in round numbers from \$800 an ounce all the way to \$250. Stocks soared. So did jobs and the economy. It was one hell of a good period.

But markets have reacted a bit differently this time. On Monday, stocks fell over 200 points in tandem with gold's \$150 drop. Maybe it was tax-selling in the stock market. Or the constant rumor of Cyprus gold-selling to raise bailout cash. But It doesn't look like the '80s and '90s. And I'm hearing the usual cacophony of impending catastrophe. But I'm not buying

it. I still think falling gold is a good thing. And whatever the short-term turbulence, a more subdued price for gold (and commodities) bodes well for the future economy. There is no end-of-the-world scenario here, as there was after the financial meltdown. Nor is there an end-of-the-U.S.-dollar scenario, as many investors fear, nor an end to euro. Nor is there any massive inflation scenario, supposedly from the Fed cranking up all those printing presses.

The reality is that all those QE reserves from the Fed never circulated through the economy. Most of them are on deposit at the central bank. And because everyone is still risk-averse, the demand for cash is so high that the turnover, or velocity, of money keeps falling.

Last I looked, the was growing at less than 7 percent. And the Fed's favorite inflation target, the personal consumption deflator, was only 1.3 percent over the past 12 months. The muchheralded printingpress/roaring-inflation episode hasn't happened — at least not yet.

The U.S. economy is growing slowly at 2 to 3 percent, but at least it's growth. Profits have propelled stocks to all-time highs. Housing is gradually recovering. Jobs are erratic, but

And even the dolinvestors aren't happy. lar is up over the past year against the broad trade-weighted index of currencies. It's not a Reagan recovery, nor is it a Clinton recovery. But it's not the end of the world, either. I think the real message of the gold selloff is that it's a good thing, not a bad one.

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Letter to the Editor

# Please don't waste the water

Dear Editor,

I have been a resident of Pampa Texas for over two years and I find it to be a wonderful and caring community. But I am baffled as to why local residents place the welfare of their lawns above the future needs of their children and grandchildren. In the past two summers I have seen residents and businesses with sprinklers set to run almost every day regardless of wind, rain, or shine. I have seen sprinklers running during the hottest part of the day.

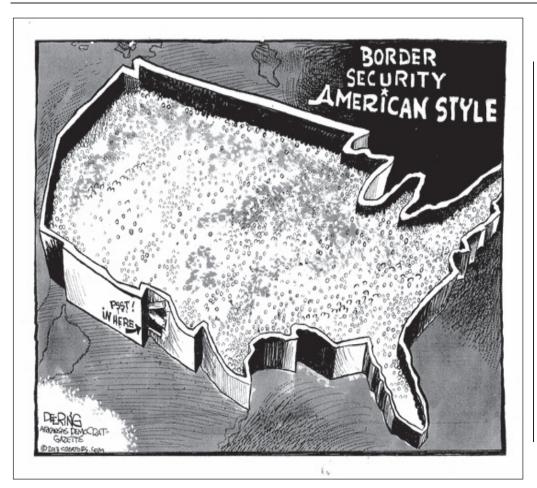
And I have seen gallons of water spraying onto streets and sidewalks resulting in streams flowing down roads and miniature lakes at intersec-

People say their sprinklers are on a schedule and adjusting them to the weather conditions is inconvenient. But a sprinkler system does not free a person or business from the obligation of judicious water usage.

I asked the city why Pampa does not implement water restrictions and was told past attempts resulted in increased water use. I am stunned. Pampa is a drought prone area. There have been numerous reports indicating our available water is decreasing. And yet when asked to cut back, we increased our water consumption? This does not sound like the considerate familyoriented community I have come to love.

I appreciate the Pampa News and Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District's attempts at educating the community about xeriscaping, rain sensors, and proper watering techniques. My desire is not for Pampa to become a city of dead lawns, flowers, and trees. But that we would take water conservation to heart and be conscientious of every drop we use.

Thank you, **Nadine Dunaway** 



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Bouncin' Around

# The things a grandmother will do

Taking care of someone's pets and mail while they are away, watering their plants, keeping an eye on things — most of us have done this. So when



**SMITH** 

our daughter and her family told us they were going to Canada for two weeks over the past Christmas holidays, we didn't think there would be any problems with that. After all. a cat (who bears

the unlikely name of "Mouse") does not need a lot of care. And our daughter had only one plant which had not yet succumbed to her lack of gardening abilities. But then it happened. The day before they left, we got a phone call: "Mom? Don't forget to give Clark food and water while we're gone." Clark? I was all for taking care of our cute, cuddly grandcat. But Clark? No, he's not a horse, or a snake, or a vicious dog. Think smaller. No, much smaller. And with more than four legs. That puts him in the classification of arachnid.

More specifically, a Texas Brown Tarantula, named Clark after Clark Kent. This particular tarantula was a "mildmannered" spider that had been "rescued" by our grandchildren. And I had to conquer my intense dislike of all things creepy-crawly and feed him with yet something else creepycrawly: crickets. Armed with instructions to put one live cricket inside Clarkie's container every couple of days, to remove any uneaten dead crickets, and to keep his water dish (a bottle cap) full of fresh water, I set out for Walmart to buy some crickets. With my chirping cargo safely in hand, I steeled myself for my duty. The things a grandmother does for her grandchildren. I managed to extract a live cricket from the container, and drop it into Clark's con-

He instantly went from a smallish spider to a lightningfast hunter, and that cricket was history. By the time the hair on the back of my neck had finally laid back down, Mouse (remember — the sweet cat?) was curled up on my lap. The next day I went back, only to find a container full of dead crickets, who couldn't tolerate the chilly temperature in the family's

They had set the thermostat low hoping to save on heating costs while they were gone. Back I went to Walmart to get another container of crickets, which resided in our kitchen pantry and drove our cat, Boris, crazy for the next two weeks. I finally conquered my initial disgust enough to do some research about tarantulas.

They do have a bad reputation for being deadly, but the



Clark the Tarantula

Texas Brown is actually quite gentle and the males are very fragile if dropped, especially when they are molting. Males typically live about seven to 10 years, while females may live to be 30. They may bite, but the bites are seldom fatal, unless a person is allergic to the venom. The hairs on the tarantula's body can come out and irritate human skin, rather like small porcupine quills. Clark survived my care, as did the poinsettia plant. Unfortunately, Clark and the plant both expired about the same time. We don't know what caused Clark's demise, but he was respectfully buried in the backyard, and his obituary read "loved and missed by family and friends." Well, maybe not by Mouse.

Judi Smith resides in Pampa and can be reached at nonny46@yahoo.com.

# A new look for your lawn

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Almost everyone wants a nice looking lawn. It's pleas- plants will allow the maximum water conservation. ing to the eye and increases the "curb appeal". But does a "nice looking lawn" have to be green? In the Texas Panhandle, where we must watch our use of water, it's good group on separate zones. to know that there are attractive options to lush — and water guzzling — grass.

There was a time when, if you wanted a low-maintenance, low-water lawn, you pretty much had two choices: dirt, if you didn't care how it looked; or gravel, if you wanted something nicer. Both saved water. Neither was slows erosion and helps prevent soil temperature fluctua-

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#### Seven principles of Xeriscape

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- 2. Evaluate Soil and Improve if Necessary
- Soil can vary within a site. An analysis based on random sampling can provide information for plant selection and soil amendments. Check with a local landscaper or the county AgriLife Extension office about having your soil tested.
- 3. Create Practical Turf Areas
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- 4. Use Appropriate Plants
- Plant selection should be based on the intended use in

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- Group plants with like water needs, and water each
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- 6. Use Organic Mulch
- Mulch minimizes evaporation, reduces weed growth, tions. Organic mulch like wood chips or bark is best.
- Use of plastic is not recommended. It prevents air and water from filtering into the soil, and organic mulch will The xeriscaping at the Panhandle Groundwater
- 7. Maintain Appropriately
- Proper pruning, weeding and fertilization, plus attention to the irrigation system, will preserve and enhance the quality of the xeriscape.
- A landscape adapted to the environment will require less maintenance, less fertilizer and reduce the use of pesticides and other chemicals.

#### **Get more Information**

The Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District publishes a couple of brochures to help guide you. If you call (806-883-2501) or email (info@pgcd.us) we will be glad to send these to you, but we strongly encourage you to come by our offices in White Deer on the corner of Third and Omohundro (one block west of the white deer statue) to see our own xeriscape garden.

Further information can be found on the web on many sites by searching "xeriscape" or "xeriscaping, visit the Texas Water Development Board at Twdb.state.tx.us and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension at agrilifeextension.

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# Tips for teens, employers for summer hiring

SUBMITTED BY TEXAS **WORKFORCE COMMISSION** 

AUSTIN — As summer approaches, the number of teenagers looking for work increases dramatically. According to a 2012 U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) study, the number of 16- to 19-year-olds employed or searching for work last year skyrocketed between April and July, increasing by almost 2 million workers for a total of more than 7.3 million in July 1.

can help Texas high school

Andres Alcantar. "TWC is committed to helping Texas' throughout their careers."

TWC reminds employers, workers and parents to familiarize themselves with that address child labor issues. Any person under the age of 18 is considered a child when employed. Fed- important factor as Texas employment eral and state child labor laws are designed to protect students learn the value of youth against potentially

of earning their first pay- that could interfere with their youths join the workforce." check," said Texas Work- safety, health or well-being. force Commission Chairman Employers also must comply with wage and hour laws and regulations enforced by future workforce acquire the U.S. Department of Laskills that will benefit them bor (DOL), available online at Youthrules.dol.gov. "I

urge teenagers, parents and employers to educate themselves on the child labor laws state and federal laws, as designed to protect our chilwell as safety regulations dren," said TWC Commissioner Representing Labor Ronny Congleton. "Safety should always be the most

In Texas, certain child la-

bor laws apply to different age groups and different job types. For example, children aged 11 or older may deliver newspapers to customers on established routes.

Children aged 14 or 15 may perform office and clerical work, some kitchen work, cashiering, bagging and carrying out customer orders, among other tasks, as long as it takes place during certain hours.

Children aged 16 or 17 can

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# **Community Calendar**

#### City Commission meetings

The Pampa City Commission meets at 4 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. The meetings are held on the third floor of City Hall.

#### School board meetings

The Pampa Independent School District board meets at 5:45 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month. Check The Pampa News for meeting loca-

#### Immunization clinic 3 times a month

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) hosts an immunization clinic in Pampa three times a month. The clinics are held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. on the first three Wednesdays of each month. The first 10 people in line for the morning and first 10 in the afternoon will always receive shots. However, if there are more than 10, they still may be able to accommodate the patients, or ask them to come back at another time. For more information, call 665-4752 or 806-874-3211. The clinic is located at 736 S. Cuyler St.

#### PAWS meets first Tuesdays

Pampa Animal Welfare

Society meets the first Tuesday of each month in the north meeting room at the Lovett Memorial Library. The meetings are at 6:30 p.m. and are open to the public.

There is a desperate need for more members, especially when the new shelter opens. PAWS members are needed to work at the shelter from 3 to 5:30 p.m. each day and to work adoption days or take animals to the vets when needed, but mostly people are needed to love and work with the animals where they will be more adoptable.

For more information, call the shelter after 3 p.m. at 669-5775 and ask for the PAWS volunteer.

#### **County Commission** meetings

The Gray County Commission meets at 9 a.m. on the first and 15th of each month. If the date falls on a Saturday, the meeting will be held on Friday. If the date falls on a Sunday, the meeting with be held on Monday. The meetings are held on the second floor of the Gray County Courthouse.

#### Jam sessions every Friday night

The Woody Guthrie Folk Music Center has a jam sessions every Friday night starting at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to play or listen. The center is located at 320 S. Cuyler St. For more information, call 806-664-0824.

#### **Meredith House** presents live music

Meredith House, assisted-living facility at 812 W. 25th Ave., has a band performing at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday and Saturday night. Join them for Western music, gospel and the classics. For more information, call 806-665-

#### Monday night dance club

Monday The night dance club meets from 7 to 9 p.m., each Monday, in the Pampa Chamber of Commerce building on the corner of Ballard and Kingsmill. Admission is \$3.50. Cold drinks and coffee are offered. The club plays country music. For more inforatmion, call Della at 806-665-2858.

#### Carver School alumni. former teachers

Did you attend the Carver School before Pampa School District integrated? Or did you ever teach at Carver School?

The Pampa News is working on an ongoing series that documents the Carver School and would like to share your stories, your memories of the school and your experiences there. Contact reporter Sasha Heller at sheller@thepampanews. com or call the news office at 806-669-2525.

#### **Autism Awareness** fundraiser and walk

The Autism Awareness and Community Fundraiser and Walk will be April 27 at Central Park. Walk registration is at 10 a.m. and the walk begins at 11 a.m. There will be live entertainment featuring The Mark Patterson Band, Zumba and more. Other activities include a silent auction, bounce house and face painting and access to informational resources. The event is hosted by FAPE For Kids, Corp. with proceeds going to Amarillo Autism in Action, Southwest AMBUCS and FAPE For Kids, Corp.

#### **Voting applications** available at City Hall

Applications for ballot by mail for the May 11 City of Pampa and Pampa ISD elections are available by request.

To receive an application for both City of Pampa and Pampa ISD elections, please call the City Secretary's office at 806-669-5750.

Reasons for voting by mail are: 65 years of age or older; disability; absence from the city/

America show on Sunday. Other members will go on to

represent Texas Tech at the

Western Heritage Classic in

vidual results can be found

Additional team and indi-

amercanstockhorse.org.

the beginning of May.

tturanchhorseteam.com.

county and confinement in jail.

The last day to request an application for ballot by mail is May 3. Early voting by personal appearance begins April 29 and ends May 7.

#### Circus coming to Pampa May 4

The City of Pampa welcomes the Carson & Barnes Circus will be in town on Saturday, May 4. Performances will be at 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. For advance ticket information and reservations, call 806-669-1044 ext. 1.

#### **Pampa High Senior** All-Night Party

The All-Night Party will be held the evening of Pampa High School's Graduation on June 1, 2013. All parents interested in helpwith the Senior All-Night Party are encouraged to contact Jennifer Read at 663-2351. Anyone wishing to make a donation may send it to: Class of 2013, Jona Smith, 2601 Dogwood, Pampa, TX 79065.

Editor's note: Email submissions to thowsare@ thepampanews.com. Submissions should be 100 words or less and written in the third person. Please include the title of the event, the date and time, physical address, the admission cost or whether it is a free event and a contact number and/or email address for the public.







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### Texas Tech students win Ranch Horse National Championship

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Texas Tech University's Ranch Horse Team took home the national champion title April 19-20 at the American Stock Horse Association (ASHA) National Collegiate Championship major from Pampa.

teams Thirteen across the country traveled to compete for national honors including Missouri State University, New Mexico State University and Colorado State University.

Texas Tech's team members from the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources competed in three divisions, Non-Pro, Limited Non-Pro and Novice. The team members ranked among the top-10 slots in every division, aiding them to their national victory. National High-Point and Reserve High-Point earners included:

· Kelsey Stokes, agriculeconomics/business major from Afton, National Non-Pro High-Point Cham-

 Kelsey Watring, animal Science major from Lakewood, Colo., National Non-Pro Reserve High-Point Champion • Pate Stewart, wildlife bi-

National Limited Non-Pro High-Point Champion • Jordan Williams, agricultural economics major from Weatherford, National Limited Non-Pro Reserve High-

ology major from Munday,

Point Champion Completing the team are:

• Parke Greeson, animal business major from Victoria Blaze Cogdell, agricultural economics major from

Silverton Jennifer Bouse, math major from Angleton

exercise and sports science major form Idalia, Colo. · Gage Moorhouse, agricultural economics major

Hannah Langendoerfer,

from Guthrie Ashley Daniel an agricultural education from Guthrie

• Landon Brown, animal business major from Welch • Beth Hughs, public rela-

tions major from Abilene • Kate Reagan, agribusiness and economics major from Silverton

· Luke Abraham, range management major from Canadian

 Courtney Fredriksen, pull off this national chambusiness/marketing major pionship." from Van Alstyne

As the spring season "I am extremely proud of comes to a close, the team how everyone did during the hosted a Stock Horse of weekend, both in and out of Texas (SHOT) show this the show pen," said Cooper weekend in Lubbock, where Cogdell, Ranch Horse Team the members competed tocoach. "They did a great job gether as a team for the last For more information, visit Show in Abilene. One team of representing Texas Tech time during the spring seamember, Tyler O'Neal, is an and really came together son. The team will host a agricultural communications with all their hard work to Ranch Horse Association of

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### Pampa FD call log — April 23-25

• At 10:15 a.m., one unit, two personnel to downed power lines at State Highway 152 and County Road 4.

• At 5:03 p.m., two units and four personnel to grass fire at McCullough and Tignor.

At 7:29 p.m., two units, six personnel to gas leak in 800 olock of Deane.

April 24

• At 2:21 a.m., three units, six personnel to train engine fire at Danzinger railroad crossing. No serious damage

• At 6:53 a.m., to odor investigation in 600 block of

• At 6:31 p.m., to medical assist in 1500 block of West

April 25

• At 12:31 p.m., one unit, medical first responder to the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway.

• At 2:02 p.m., one unit, medical first responder to the 1000 block West Wilks.

• At 6:57 p.m., two units, six personnel to a smoke alarm in the 2700 block of Cherokee.

• At 9:01 p.m., one unit, medical first responder at the intersection of Kentucky and Terrace.

#### Texan gets life term in 1982 slaying of girlfriend

man

A jury in Houston on ard Pena after convicting criminal history him of murder.

Prosecutors say Pena 19-year-old Sherri Strong and made it look like she killed herself.

was found dead on June 16, a reconciliation.

A 1982, in Pena's garage.

been sentenced to life in iff's Office says Pena told prison for the 1982 slaying authorities that Strong of his girlfriend in a case hanged herself and he put reopened years after her her body on the floor before calling for help.

Cold case investigators sentenced reopened the case after 65-vear-old Manuel Rich- reviewing Pena's violent 1982. He was arrested in 2011 and convicted Wednesday.

The defense said Strong was depressed after believ-Investigators say Strong ing Pena's ex-wife wanted

Skvotsova told the state

pital had all the necessary

fire equipment, but conced-

ed mental hospitals should

be better equiped for emer-

gencies than the current

President Vladimir Putin

Russia has a poor fire

safety record, with about

12,000 deaths reported in

In January, a fire in an

underground parking lot

killed 10 migrant workers

from Tajikistan who were

working and living there.

In a similar incident in

workers were killed by fire

In one of the most high-

profile cases of negligence,

in a night club in the city

Moscow.

The Harris County Sher-

slab of concrete, removing two chunks that weighed 600 pounds apiece. An engine hoist was used to get the chest out of its tomb. The job took 11

> hours. "Just to see the way

moved from their box at

the First Lutheran Church

of Oklahoma City, mem-

bers of the assembled

crowd let out a collective

still in use today.

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Williams said.

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ter research director Chad

everything looks in excel-

Getting the chest out of

the basement was no pic-

nic. Pinion Design and

Contracting cut out the

chest from under a 12-inch

CITY everything is preserved chest's removal.

"We volunteered to do this a year ago, and to see I knew were in there but all the items laid out here is amazing. "The only thing we have

to do now is fill the hole." The ladies' shoes were part of the contents of the Gov. Mary Fallin and Mayor Mick Cornett read Century Chest, which for 100 years had been enremarks from their predecased in a concrete tomb cessors, Gov. Lee Cruce in the church's basement. and Mayor Whit Grant, In 1913, the church sold that were given in 1913 space in the chest to raise when the chest was buried. money for a pipe organ Cornett noted the references to women's suffrage The shoes still had a in Grant's letter and how glossy shine, as did the he would likely be amazed metallic 1913 telephone. the state is governed by a A blue women's hat with woman 100 years later.

a red ribbon looked as First Lutheran's stewthough it had just been ardship ended with its opening, and the chest and "This is more than we its contents were turned could have hoped for," over to the Oklahoma His-Oklahoma History Centory Center.

Church members had taken pledges over the last "I was expecting some century to make sure the things to be damaged, but chest was opened on April 22, 2013.

> passed down from generations of members in some "It's been a great suc-

The duty had been

cess," First Lutheran pastor Jerry Peterson told The Oklahoman.

"I can say we did it. We're not a large church, but we fulfilled that 100year pledge today. They did it right 100 years

As the patent is fantastic," said Peter awe-struck by some of the leather shoes were re- Plank, who assisted in the items he didn't expect to of 1913 placed a can of

Oklahoma City church opens

100-year time capsule

"There were some things some that were surprises,"

"I was intrigued by the pen used by President McKinley that had been placed in the chest.

buffalo horn was fascinating. Today is just the tip of the iceberg of what will be unfolding this year." Chet Brooks currently serves as the assistant

Tribe of Indians. He drove from Bartlesville on Monday to see the opening of the chest.

Delaware Tribe in 1913 had a letter to tribe members of 2013, and I wanted to see that," Brooks said.

"The clothing and phone were really neat. It's a fun way to see what our state was like back then.'

Also included in the chest was a quilt with embroidered names of community leaders, numer- have been rolled up will ous photos, recordings of need to be flattened out by voices from 1913 that will using moisture," Williams eventually be digitized, a said.

Peterson was especially camera and a phonograph. The Ladies Aid Society

coffee for 2013 Ladies Aid Society members.

The items highlighting technology of the time were crowd favorites. "The phone was inter-

esting in so many ways,' Williams said. "They wondered what "The spoon made out of we would think of some-

thing that was relatively new to them. 'They thought we would scoff at it, but we're not doing that. We're amazed by it. We're amazed they chief of the Delaware had the foresight to put

this in the chest and share

it with the people of 2013." While the chest has been "One of the chiefs of the opened and items unpacked, work remains to be done on the items.

The wax cylinders that hold the voice recordings will need to be digitized. Dozens of messages will be read and cataloged. The History Center ex-

pects to open a Century Chest exhibit in the fall.

"All of these items that

#### 38 die in mental hospital fire outside Moscow

too quickly.

law requires.

safety regulations.

MOSCOW (AP) — A state television that the fire swept quickly through fire alarm seems to have a psychiatric hospital out- worked, but the fire spread side Moscow early Friday, killing 38 people, some of them sedated and in their television said that the hosbeds, officials said.

The one-story brick-andwood hospital building housed patients with severe mental disorders, Health Ministry officials said. An Emergencies Ministry official said the fire started in called for a thorough invesa wooden annex and then tigation into the deadly fire spread to the main brick and asked regional authoribuilding, which had wood- ties to pay more attention to en beams.

Health Minister Veronika Skvortsova said that half of the patients took sedatives at night. She insisted that the patients were not tied to their beds and were not given any medication that would leave them unconscious and unable to escape.

At least 29 people were September, 14 Vietnamese burned alive, said Irina Gumennaya, a spokeswoman at a clothing factory near for the federal Investigative Committee.

Investigators said the 38 dead included 36 patients more than 150 people died and two doctors. They said a nurse managed to escape of Perm after a pyrotechand save one patient, while nic show ignited a wooden another patient got out on ceiling his own.

The Emergencies Ministry also posted a list of the patients indicating they ranged in age from 20 to 76. Gumennaya told Russian news agencies that most of the people died in their beds.

Moscow region Governor Andrei Vorobyev said some of the hospital windows were barred. Gumennaya cited the surviving nurse as saying that the doors inside the hospital were not locked.

Investigators said they are looking at violations of fire regulations and a short circuit as possible causes for the blaze that engulfed the hospital in the Ramensky settlement, some 85 kilometers (53 miles) north of Moscow.

Vadim Belovoshin of the Emergencies Ministry said that it took firefighters an hour to get to the hospital because a ferry across a canal was closed and they had

to make a detour. Vorobyev told Russian

### Ex-military leader in Texas gets jail for abuse

SAN ANTONIO (AP) months in jail and booted from the service for using bleach to abuse recruits.

A military judge on Thursday sentenced Staff attention or collapsed. Sgt. Robert Hudson of Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland.

making trainees sick dur- duct discharge. cruit in 2011.

Authorities say Hudson -An ex-trainer at a South complained that a latrine Texas military installation smelled like urine and has been sentenced to five he dumped bleach in the area. He forced several recruits into the bathroom to clean up.

Some required medical

Hudson pleaded guilty to six charges and 14 specifications in a plea Hudson pleaded guilty agreement. A judge then to misconduct charges for decided on the bad-con-

ing latrine duty and hav- Hudson is the 17 person ing sex with a female re- convicted in the training instructor scandal.



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#### A DOG'S LIFE



Pictured are Lizzy, an 11-year-old Beagle, and Pebbles, a 4-month-old St. Bernard, with their owners Sarah Deaver and Harley Organ, respectively. Both canines participated in a pet show held Thursday at Meredith House, an assisted-living residence in Pampa. The winners of the show were Deaver, Janine Lucas, Dillon Ewing, Malessa Martinez, Lori Byrne and Lindsey. Deaver's dog, Lizzy, won most friendly. Lucas' dog, Pebbles, won Best in Show. Ewing's dog, Paco, won Most Macho. Martinez' dog, Blair, won Most Elegant. Byrne's dog, Lilly, won most sociable. Lindsey's dog, Trixie, won Most Loveable.

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#### NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

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Notice is hereby given that the polling place listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 11, 2013 for voting in a School Board Trustee Election, to elect one Trustee each for places 2, 4, 5, 6, and 7.

#### LOCATION OF POLLING PLACE

MK Brown Auditorium

Pampa, TX 79065 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted weekday beginning April 29, 2013 and ending on May 7, 2013 at the Pampa City Hall as

### Pampa City Hall 200 W. Kingsmill Pampa, TX 79065

April 29, 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
April 30, 2013	7:00 a.m 7:00 p.m.
May 1, 2013	7:00 a.m 7:00 p.m.
May 2, 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
May 3, 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
May 6, 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
May 7, 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.

Applications for ballots by mail will be received between March 12, 2013 and May 3, 2013 and applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to

Karen Price, City Secretary

Lee Porter, Pampa ISD Board President

AVISO DE ELECCIÓN GENERAL

Votantes Registrados de Pampa, Texas

SE NOTIFICA que el centro electoral citado abajo estará abierto desde las 7:00 de la mañana hasta las 7:00 de la tarde el 11 de mayo 2013 para votar en la Elección de los Miembros del Consejo Escolar, para elegir a un consejero para lugares 2,4,5,6, and 7.

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> Pampa City Hall 200 W. Kingsmill Pampa, TX 79065

29 de abril 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
30 de abril 2013	7:00 a.m 7:00 p.m.
1 de mayo 2013	7:00 a.m 7:00 p.m.
2 de mayo 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
3 de mayo 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
6 de mayo 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
7 de mayo 2013	8:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.

Las solicitudes de boletas por correo serán recibidas entre el 12 de marzo de 2013 y el 3 de mayo 2013, y las solicitudes para la votación por correo deberán enviarse a:

> Karen Price, City Secretary P.O. Box 2499 Pampa, TX 79066

Lee Porter, Pampa ISD Board President

#### CIUDAD DE PAMPA, TEXAS

NOTICIA DE ELECCIONES GENERALES Y ELECCIONES ESPECIALES

Para todos los votantes registrados de la Ciudad de Pampa, Texas Noticia es proporsionada por este medio que los puestos para votar que se enlistan en esta catrta seran abiertpos de 7:00 am y asta las 7:00 pm el dia Mayo 11, 2013, para votatar en las elecciones Generales para elejir un Alcade y Comisionados para las salas 1 y 3 para ser Comisionados de la Ciudad de Pampa,

Noticia es proporcionada por este medio que los puntos para votar enlistados en esta carta seran abiertos de 7:00 am y asta las 7:00 pm el día Mayo 11,2013, para votar en las Eleciones Espesiales para someter a los votantres calificados de la Ciudad de Pampa la legalización que en los limetes corporativos de la Ciudad de Pampa, Texas se permita la venta de bevidas mezcladas en restaurantres que tienen certificado de comida y bebidas vigente solamente, esta proposición sera aderida a la voleta de votación y se

#### Proposicion 1

[] A FAVOR la venta de bebidas alcoholicas mezcladas (cocteles) en restaurantes solo por seedores de un certificado de comidas y bebidas.
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Esta carta fue difundida y aprobada este 18 de Ablil, 2013.

Pampa, Texas ntacion de la Comision de la Ciudad

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To the Registered Voters of the City of Pampa, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling place listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 11, 2013, for voting in a General Election to elect a Mayor and Commission Members for Ward 1 and for Ward 3 to the City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas.

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Karen L. Price City Secretary P.O. Box 2499 Pampa, TX 79066-2499

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Issued this the 18th day of April, 2013.

# PampaSports

#### AT&T SHOWS SUPPORT FOR HARVESTERS



Photo by Zachary Green

The AT&T store in Pampa shows support for the Pampa High School baseball team by wearing jerseys Friday in support of the team's quest to win the district championship. Pictured are back row from left, Liz Ortiz, Kristy Powell, Joy Larsen and Carl Hill. Front row, Chad Rohan, Martha Palomares and Heather Douglas. Results of the game can be found on our Facebook page. The full story and pictures from the game will be in Tuesday's edition of The Pampa News. The game was designated "Black Out Friday.'

## Hidden Hills scramble from April 24

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seniors scramble on April James Lee. 24. Here are the results.

Lindsey, Joe Mabry and Harwood. Melvin Ball.

score of 61, was the team of Jim Brashears, Harley and Frank Snow.

Third place with a score of 63, was the team of Hidden Hills Golf John Howell, Gerrell Course hosted a 4-man Owens, Ray Covalt and

Fourth place with a First place with a score score of 65, was the team of 59, was the team of of Rod Porter, Jim Bridg-Kelly Everson, Tom es, John McCall and Bill

The closest to the hole Second place with a winner for hole No. 6 was Joe Mabry.

The closest to the hole Knutson, Carl Johnson winner for hole No. 15 was Harley Knutson.

# JDRF Home Run **Derby Sunday**

#### STAFF REPORT

ey for Juvenile Diabetes cost is \$5 for 10 balls. Research Foundation.

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# Obama consoles families, survivors of Texas blast

consoled a rural Texas community rocked by a deadly fertilizer plant explosion, telling mourners Thursday they are not alone in their grief and they will have the nation's support to rebuild from the devastation.

"This small town's family is bigger now," Obama said during a memorial service at Baylor University for victims of last week's explosion in nearby West, Texas, that killed 14 and injured 200. Nearly 10,000 gathered to remember the first responders killed in the blast, a crowd more than triple the size of West's entire popula-

"To the families, the neighbors grappling with unbearable loss, we are here to say you are not alone. You are not forgotten," Obama said to applause. "We may not all live here in Texas, but we're neighbors too. We're Americans too, and we stand with

The April 17 explosion left a crater more than 90 feet wide and damaged dozens of buildings, displacing many residents from their homes. The Insurance Council of Texas estimates it caused more than \$100 million in damage, and crews were sifting the rubble to search for clues to what caused the explosion or whether foul play was involved.

The blast came about 20 minutes after a fire was reported at West Fertilizer. Ten of those killed were first responders who sped out to the nighttime blaze.

The memorial service honored those first responders and two civilians who tried to fight the fire and were posthumously named volunteer first responders.

Among the dead were brothers Douglas and Robert Snokhous, West High School graduates who volunteered together for the town's fire department for more than 13 years.

As Obama spoke, the gymnasium lit up with the flashes of cameras and cellphones, glimmering like stars in the dimly lit room. The president spoke for 16 hard as you could, knowing the danger," Obama said.

The service opened with a photo slideshow set to country music and projected onto a movie screen. It showed images of the men from their childhood, their weddings and other moments throughand friends. Mourners were given programs with fullpage profiles of each of the victims, describing their lives, their values and their

Both the president and first lady Michelle Obama wiped away a tear as bagpipes sounded "Amazing Grace."

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"How does one find such ning to visit privately with it when it collapsed Wednes-President Barack Obama love to be willing to lay relatives and friends of fire- day in Savar, a suburb of down your life so that oth- fighters killed in the exploers may live?" asked Texas sion, the White House said. Sen. John Cornyn, speaking on behalf of the state's congressional delegation. "This will forever be the legacy of those who ran toward the fire arena. The vehicles entered last week."

Texas Gov. Rick Perry eulogized the unpaid first responders, lamenting that and journey that drew to a close too soon.

"These are volunteers. Ordinary individuals blessed with extraordinary courage and a determination to do what they could to save lives," he said. "They're the ones who proudly said 'not on my watch' in the moments immediately following that explosion."

Perry's remarks were followed by video of the victims' grim-faced family members remembering their lives and expressing pride for their heroism. The brother-in-law of Cody Dragoo, another volunteer firefighter. remembered how Dragoo would leave notes for his wife, Patty, when he was traveling, and how he loved hunting and NASCAR.

Obama added his appearance at the memorial service onto a long-planned trip to Texas for Thursday's opening of George W. Bush's presidential library at Southern Methodist University. Bush sent his sympathies in a statement read at the service by Baylor President Ken Starr, the former special prosecutor who investigated President Bill Clinton.

Obama's solemn reflections at the memorial required an abrupt shift in tone by the president, whose morning in Dallas was filled with smiles, music and pageantry as he and the other four living presidents celebrated one of their own. Less than an hour later, Obama was airborne over West, circling the scene of the explosion ,Äî still a harrowing site more than a week after tragedy first touched the small

helicopter. From his Obama saw what looked like a massive construction minutes, quoting scripture site, with cranes and dozens and lauding the men whose of vehicles dotting a wide flag-draped coffins laid be- swath of brown earth. Piles fore him. "When you got to of burnt rubble and scorched the scene, you forgot fear earth were clearly visible. and you fought that blaze as Obama could also see the school field first responders used as a staging ground.

Obama has made such a trip countless times before, touring damage and consoling survivors of other disasters including Hurricane Irene, Hurricane Sandy and a string of mass shootings. out lives filled with children It was just one week ago that Obama was in Boston, offering solace to the nation at a memorial for victims of the Boston Marathon bombing, another larger-than-life tragedy that compounded the nation's grief the same week as

the explosion in West. After the service, the president and first lady were plan-

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Fire trucks and other first responders' vehicles paraded through Waco en route to the ceremony at Baylor's sports beneath an archway formed by the ladders from two fire trucks with an American flag hung between them. each had a personal story Many of the mourners wore the uniforms of police, firefighters and paramedics and wiped tears from their eyes.

Brian Crawford, fire chief in the Dallas suburb of Plano, attended with 11 others from his department even though they live 100 miles from West.

"With these unfortunate circumstances, it's time to show we are all a family," Crawford said. "These were our brothers and they paid the price."

As the service drew to a close, a bell was rung once for each victim, reverberating through the hall and setting off a long moment of

Then, with hushed sobs breaking the quiet, a loudspeaker re-enacting a dispatcher's radio identified the victims one by one, calling each firefighter to duty for the last time:

"Until we meet again. Dispatch clear."

#### **Toll in Bangladesh** collapse passes 300

SAVAR, Bangladesh (AP) - More than two days after their factory collapsed on them, at least some garment workers were still alive in the corpse-littered debris Friday, pinned beneath tons of mangled metal and concrete. Rescue crews struggled to save them, knowing they probably had just a few hours left to live, as desperate relatives clashed with police in their anger and grief.

Amid the chaos, the cries for help and the smell of decaying bodies at the eightstory building where more than 300 died, what happened to 18-year-old Mussamat Anna passes as luck. Rescue workers cut off the garment worker's mangled right hand to pull her free from the debris Thursday

'First a machine fell over my hand and I was crushed under the debris. ... Then the roof collapsed over me," she told an Associated Press cameraman from a hospital bed Friday.

The death toll topped 300 on Friday and it remained unclear what the final grim number would be. Military spokesman Shahin Islam told reporters that 304 bodies had been recovered.

Brig. Gen. Mohammed Siddiqul Alam Shikder, who is overseeing rescue operations, said 2,200 people have been rescued.

The garment manufacturers' group said the factories in the building employed 3,122 workers, but it was not clear how many were inside Bangladesh's capital, Dhaka.

An army rescue worker, Maj. Abdul Latif, said Friday that he found one survivor still trapped under concrete slabs, surrounded by several bodies. At another place in the building, four survivors were found pinned under the debris, a fire official said. An Associated Press cameraman who accompanied a rescue crew heard two men's anguished cries for help; it was unknown Friday whether they were still alive. Rescue workers said they

were proceeding very cautiously inside the crumbling building, using their hands, hammers and shovels, to avoid more injuries and collapses. But they said the trapped workers were so badly hurt and weakened that they would need to be extricated within a few hours if they are to survive. Facing high humidity and temperatures as high as 35 degrees Celsius (95 degrees Fahrenheit), and dropping to about 24 C (75 F) at night, many survivors could also be badly dehydrated.

A military official, Maj. Gen. Chowdhury Hasan Suhrawardy, told reporters that search and rescue operations would continue until at least Saturday.

"We know a human being can survive for up to 72 hours in this situation. So our efforts will continue nonstop," he said.

Hundreds of rescuers, some crawling through the maze of rubble, spent a third day working amid the cries of the trapped and the wails of workers' relatives gathered outside the building, which housed numerous garment factories and a handful of other companies.

Police cordoned off the building site, pushing back thousands of bystanders and relatives, after rescue workers said the crowds were hampering their work.

Clashes later erupted between relatives of those still trapped and police officers, who used batons to disperse the mobs. Police said 50 people were injured in the

now. They will die if we youth front. don't find them soon," said mother was missing.

Elsewhere, many thousands of workers from the two of Rana's relatives for hundreds of garment factories across the Savar industrial zone and other nearby industrial areas took to the streets to protest the collapse and poor safety standards.

Local news reports said protesters smashed dozens of vehicles at one strike Friday. Most of the other protests were largely peaceful.

Dozens of people have wreckage well after Wednesday morning's collapse.

Forty people had been trapped on the fourth floor of the Rana Plaza building until rescuers reached them Thursday evening. Twelve were soon freed, and crews worked to get the others out safely, said Brig. Gen. Shikder. Crowds at the scene burst into applause as survivors were brought out.

Police say cracks in the building had led them to order an evacuation Tuesday, but the factories ignored the order and were operating when it collapsed Wednesday. Video shot before the collapse shows cracks in the walls, with apparent attempts at repair. It also shows columns missing chunks of concrete and police talking to building operators.

Officials said soon after the collapse that numerous construction regulations had been violated.

Abdul Halim, an official with Savar's engineering department, said the owner of Rana Plaza was originally allowed to construct a fivestory building but added another three stories illegally. Mahbubul Haque Shakil,

a spokesman for Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina, said she had ordered police to arrest the owner of the building as well as the owners of the garment factories in "the short-est possible time." Local police chief Mo-

hammed Asaduzzaman said police and the government's Capital Development Authority have filed separate cases of negligence against the building owner.

Habibur Rahman, police superintendent of Dhaka district, identified the owner of the building as Mohammed "We want to go inside the Sohel Rana, a local leader building and find our people of ruling Awami League's

Shahinur Rahman, whose also looking for the owners of the garment factories.

questioning, police officer Mohammad Kawser said.

The disaster is the worst ever for Bangladesh's booming and powerful garment industry, surpassing a fire five months ago that killed 112 people and brought widespread pledges to improve the country's workersafety standards. Instead, very little has

been rescued from the changed in Bangladesh, where wages, among the lowest in the world, have made it a magnet for numerous global brands. Bangladesh's garment in-

dustry was the third-largest in the world in 2011, after China and Italy. It has grown rapidly in the past decade, a boom fueled by Bangladesh's exceptionally low labor costs. The country's minimum wage is now the equivalent of about \$38 a month. Among the garment mak-

ers in the building were Phantom Apparels, Phantom Tac, Ether Tex, New Wave Style and New Wave Bottoms. Altogether, they produced several million shirts, pants and other garments a The New Wave compa-

nies, according to their website, make clothing for several major North American and European retailers. Primark Britain's

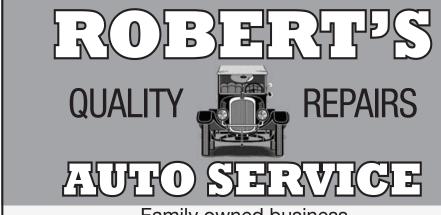
knowledged it was using a

factory in Rana Plaza, but many other retailers distanced themselves from the disaster, saying they were not involved with the factories at the time of the collapse or had not recently ordered garments from them. Wal-Mart said none of its

clothing had been authorized to be made in the facility, but it is investigating whether there was any unauthorized production. U.S. State Department

spokesman Patrick Ventrell said the collapse underscored the "urgent need" for Bangladesh's government, as well as the factory owners, buyers and labor groups, to improve working conditions in the country. Human Rights Watch says

Bangladesh's Ministry of Labor has only 18 inspectors to monitor thousands of garment factories in the Rahman said police were sprawling Dhaka district, where much of the nation's garment industry is located.



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# George Jones, country superstar, has died at 81

less, hard-living country of hits about good times and regrets and peaked with the heartbreaking classic "He Stopped Loving Her Today," has died. He was 81.

Jones died Friday at Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville, according to his publicist Kirt Webster. He was hospitalized with fever and irregular blood pressure, forcing him to postpone two shows.

With one of the most golden voices of any genre, a clenched, precise, profoundly expressive baritone, Jones had No. 1 songs in five separate decades, 1950s to 1990s. He was idolized not just by fellow country artists, but by Frank Sinatra, Pete Townshend, Elvis Costello, James Taylor and countless others. "If we all could sound like we wanted to, we'd all sound like George Jones," Waylon Jennings

In a career that lasted more than 50 years, "Possum" evolved from young honkytonker to elder statesman as he recorded more than 150 albums and became the champion and symbol of traditional country music, a well-lined link to his hero, Hank Williams. Jones survived long battles with alcoholism and drug addiction, brawls, accidents and close encounters with death, including bypass surgery and a tour bus crash that he only avoided by deciding at the last moment to take a plane.

His failure to appear for concerts left him with the nickname "No Show Jones," and he later recorded a song by that name and often opened his shows by singing it. His wild life was revealed in song and in his handsome, troubled face, with its dark, deep-set eyes and dimpled

In song, he was rowdy and regretful, tender and tragic. His hits included the sentimental "Who's Gonna Fill Their Shoes," the foottapping "The Race is On." the foot-stomping "I Don't Need Your Rockin' Chair," years, including "Golden Ring," "Near You," "South-"Golden ern California" and "We're sang with such peers as Willie Nelson and Merle Haggard and with Costello and other rock performers.

"He Stopped Loving Her Today," a weeper among weepers about a man who to his grave. The 1980 balof all time.

Jones won

- George Jones, the peer- Stopped Loving Her Today" and in 1999 for "Choices." singer who recorded dozens He was elected to the Country Music Hall of Fame in 1992 and in 2008 was among the artists honored in Eddie & Pearl in the late Washington at the Kennedy

> appearances and put out records, though his hit records declined.

"I don't want to completely quit because I don't know Bells' out at the time," Jones what to do with myself," there as long as the people want me to be out there."

Jones was a purist who lamented the transformation family feeling of the 1950s to the hit factory of the early 21st century. He was so caught up in country, old country, that when a record company executive suggested he record with James Taylor, Jones insisted he had never heard of the million selling singer-songwriter. He was equally unimpressed when told that Neil Young had come to visit backstage and declined to see him, saying he didn't know who he was. He did listen to the Rolling Stones, only because of the guitar playing of Keith Richards, a country fan who would eventually record with Jones.

Asked about what he thought about Carrie Underwood, Taylor Swift and other young stars, Jones said they were good but they weren't making traditional country music.

"What they need to do really, I think, is find their own title," he said.

In 1991, country star Alan Jackson dedicated his hit song "Don't Rock the Jukebox" to Jones, asking in the song that country music remain faithful to the Jones style instead of drifting toward rock 'n' roll.

Jones was born Sept. 12, 1931, in a log house near the east Texas town of Saratoga, the youngest of eight children. He sang in church and at age 11 began performing for tips on the streets of Beaumont, Texas. His first outing was such a success the melancholy "She Thinks that listeners tossed him I Still Care," the rockin' coins, placed a cup by his "White Lightning," and the side and filled it with money. barfly lament "Still Doing Jones estimated he made Time." Jones also recorded more than \$24 for his twoseveral duets with Tammy hour performance, enough Wynette, his wife for six to feed his family for a week, but he used up the cash at a local arcade.

"That was my first time Gonna Hold On." He also to earn money for singing and my first time to blow it afterward," he recalled in "I Lived to Tell it All," a painfully self-critical memoir But his signature song was published in 1996. "It started what almost became a lifetime trend.

The family lived in a govcarries his love for a woman ernment-subsidized housing project, and his father, lad, which Jones was sure a laborer, was an alcoholic would never be a hit, often who would rouse the chilappears on surveys as the dren from bed in the middle most popular country song of the night to sing for him. His father also noted that Grammy young George liked music

try guitar, with a horse and top stars. lariat on the front, that Jones practiced on obsessively.

He got his start on radio with husband and wife team 1940s. Hank Williams once dropped by the studio to Jones continued to make promote a new record, and Jones was invited to back him on guitar. When it came time to play, he froze.

"Hank had **'Wedding** recalled in a 2003 Associhe said in 2005. "I'll be out ated Press interview. "He started singing it, and I never hit the first note the whole song. I just stared." After the first of his four

of country music from the marriages failed, he enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1951 and served three years. He cut his first record when he got out, an original fittingly called "No Money in This

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) awards in 1981 for "He and bought him a Gene Au- was one of country music's keys to keep him from ca- Stopped Loving Her Today,"

"I sing top songs that fit the hardworking, everyday loving person. That's what country music is about," Jones said in a 1991 AP interview. "My fans and real true country music fans know I'm not a phony. I just sing it the way it is and put feeling in it if I can and try to live the song."

Jones was married to Wynette, his third wife, from 1969 to 1975. (Wynette died in 1998.) Their relationship played out in Nashville like a country song, with hard drinking, fights and reconciliations. Jones' weary knowledge of domestic warfare was immortalized in such classics as "The Battle," set to the martial beat of "The Battle Hymn of the Repub-

After one argument, Jones He had his first hit with drove off on a riding mower changed his life. His long-

rousing. Years earlier, mar- a ballad by Curly Putnam ried to his second wife, he had also sped off in a mower in search of a drink. Jones referred to his mowing days in the 1996 release, "Honky Tonk Song."

His drug and alcohol abuse grew worse in the late the Night," and partly be-'70s, and Jones had to file cause he was too drunk to for bankruptcy in 1978. A manager had started him on cocaine, hoping to counteract his boozy, lethargic performances, and Jones was eventually arrested in Jackson, Miss., in 1983 on cocaine possession charges. He agreed to perform a benefit concert and was sentenced to six months probation.

"In the 1970s, I was drunk the majority of the time,' Jones wrote in his memoir. "If you saw me sober, chances are you saw me asleep.'

In 1980, a 3-minute song "Why Baby Why" in 1955, in search of a drink because time producer, Billy Sherrill, enough to reco and by the early '60s Jones Wynette had taken his car recommended he record "He spoken lines."

and Bobby Braddock. The song took more than a year to record, partly because Jones couldn't master the melody, which he confused with Kris Kristofferson's "Help Me Make it Through recite a brief, spoken interlude ("She came to see him one last time/And we all wondered if she would/And it kept running through my mind/This time he's over her for good.")

"Pretty simple, eh?" Jones wrote in his memoir. "I couldn't get it. I had been able to sing while drunk all of my life. I'd fooled millions of people. But I could never speak without slurring when drunk. What we needed to complete that song was the narration, but Billy could never catch me sober enough to record four simple

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right track. CAPRICORN nearly always

#### is conservative yet successful. ARIES (March 21-April 19)

\*\*\* Responsibilities could feel home. heavy on your shoulders. Don't worry so much -- your creativity and energy will allow you to accomplish what is necessary. You might try to cheer up a depressed friend, but know that the decision is up to him or her. Tonight: Till the wee hours.

#### TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★★ Keep reaching out for more information. Play around with different facts and figures, and study them. You are capable of changing your perspective, thus your attitude. You simply need to claim your power. Others will respond accordingly. Tonight: Let your mind wander.

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

★★★★ Others have been giving you their opinions. You might want to tell someone off, but don't; instead, start the process of negotiating. Beware of a tendency to hold back feelings. Expect a blow-up to occur if you choose not to change this pattern. Tonight: Have a longoverdue talk.

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

★★★★ You could be confused about your long-term direction. Information that is forthcoming needs to be weighed before you make an important decision. Feedback from others could be very pivotal in the decision-making process. Tonight: Go along with someone's suggestion.

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

\*\*\* You easily could be surprised by a particular situation. You also might want to ask yourself how you are going to cover all of the ground that you must. You will get great practice juggling different concerns. You understand what needs to happen. Tonight: Take care of yourself

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ You might want to deal with a This year, you often are concerned personal issue that you have been avoidabout key people in your life. Once you ing. Success will follow you if you tap detach from the worry, you'll be able to into your imagination. The unexpected draws unusual results. Forthcoming news could be exciting and also open up doors. Tonight: Know when to call it a night.

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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ You might want to slow down. ent for you. If you are attached, planning a Personal matters take a higher priority than you anticipated. Budget tightly, but leave some funds for excess. You'll want to pull back and think before acting. A partner acts up, which sets off a series of questions in your mind. Tonight: At

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

★★★ You seriousness comes through in conversation after conversation. You might question whether the way you are heading is the best direction for you. Reach out to a close loved one to get some feedback and perhaps a new perspective. Tonight: Head to the gym or go for a walk.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★ When you look at a situation, you only see it through one filtering system. Getting feedback from people you respect can help you see the big picture. Some of you might decide to use a different method to cut through some emotional heaviness. Tonight: How about some baseball?

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

★★★★★ Though you are assured and efficient, your actions could make others feel insecure. Teach others some of your more positive traits by being a good role model. You don't even need to add any comments. You could be surprised at what happens! Tonight: Off doing your

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

★★ What you believed was a possibility yesterday might need to be abandoned for now. Like it or not, a personal matter steals the limelight. Clear it up efficiently so that it doesn't rear its ugly head again. Reach out to a trusted friend or adviser. Tonight: Avoid the grumpy people.

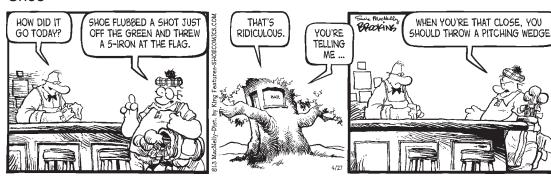
#### PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Today's meetings, calls and social networking might keep you busy. Even if you receive a negative response at first, you'll negotiate well. Your positive attitude creates ideas and solutions that others will like but have not thought of. Tonight: Catch up on a friend's news.

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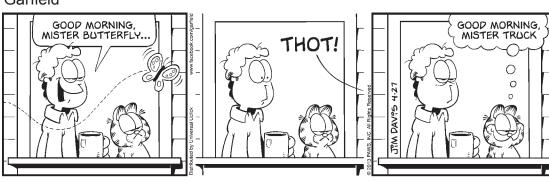


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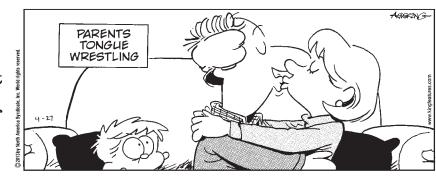


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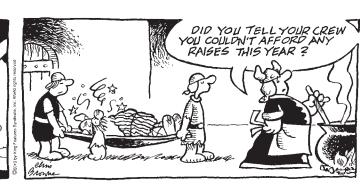
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Hagar The Horrible





Peanuts



#### **Blondie**



# Lifestyles

#### Weekly Menus

#### Pampa Independent School District

MONDAY, April 29

Chicken fried steak or chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, carrots, mixed fruit, fresh fruit, hot roll

Breakfast- French toast sticks, syrup

TUESDAY, April 30

Pizza dippers or macaroni & cheese, green beans, broccoli florets, fresh fruit, juice

Breakfast- Biscuit, gravy WEDNESDAY, May 1

Barbeque on a bun or steak fingers, french fries, baked beans, applesauce, fresh fruit

**Breakfast-** Cinnamon tastries

THURSDAY, May 2

Philly steak sandwich or pizza, English peas, tossed salad, fresh fruit

**Breakfast-** Pancake n sausage on a stick, syrup FRIDAY, May 3

Taco salad or hot dog, corn, vegetarian beans, mandarin oranges, fresh fruit, Spanish rice

Breakfast- Cereal, toast

#### Pampa Senior Citizens Center

MONDAY, April 29

Chicken fried steak or chicken & ham tetrazini, mashed potatoes, spinach, beets, northern beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, German chocolate cake butterscotch pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread TUESDAY, April 30

Talapia filet/wild rice or beef pot pie, Au Gratin potatoes, California blend, fried squash, pinto beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, angel food cake/fruit topping, chocolate icebox pie, fruit cup, hot roll, corn-

WEDNESDAY, May 1

bread

Roast beef brisket/brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, broccoli casserole, corn, butter beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, marble cake, coconut cream pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread **THURSDAY**, May 2

Chicken strips or hamburger steak, potato salad, mac & tomatoes, green beans, pinto beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, lemon bundt cake, blackberry cobbler, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread

FRIDAY, May 3

Fried cod filet/hushpuppies or 3-way chili, potato wedges, turnip greens, beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, pecan brownies, cherry cream pie, fruit cup, garlic bread, hot roll, cornbread

#### Pampa Meals on Wheels

MONDAY, April 29

Chicken pot pie, picked beets, salad, pineapple TUESDAY, April 30

Eggs/sausage, hashed browns, biscuit, pears

WEDNESDAY, May 1 Lasagna, green beans, garlic bread, salad, peaches

THURSDAY, May 2

Soppy joe, tater tots, cole slaw, mixed fruit FRIDAY, May 3

Salmon patties, macaroni/cheese, pickled beets, apricots

#### TRTA met in Corpus Christi

SUBMITTED

More than 900 educa- Less, TRTA executive tors met April 9-11 in Cor- director. "We equip our pus Christi for the 60th members with facts and Annual Convention of the confidence to share the Texas Retired Teachers. message that now is the Public education retirees time for the Legislature to met and discussed the make retirees a priority,"

future of Lee added. health largest organization of care and pension

Gaylene Skaggs

issues. Attend- retired public education ing from employees and seeks to Pāmpa advance their well-being a s through community in-Gaylene volvement and legislative

Skaggs, president of the Pampa Retired Teachers.

"We're in a critical time," said TRTA President Maridell Fryar.

"Public education retirees are concerned about making the Teacher Retirement System pension fund actuarially sound. We believe now is the time for the state to increase its support of the fund and make it solvent. We are also concerned about the more immediate issues concerning funding for the TRA-Care health insurance program."

The convention, titled 'Diamond Jubilee by the Sea," celebrated the organization's 60 years of fighting for better benefits for retired public school personnel. Retired public educators had the opportunity to learn about TRTA's progress with the Texas Legislature, tell their stories and partici-

"TRS is a strong system that provides retirement

pate in training sessions.

LIONS CLUB SWEETHEARTS





lie Bagley. Jacee Smith was named first runnerup and Kristen Ladd was chosen to represent the Pampa Lions Club in the District 2T-1 Convention this coming weekend in Dumas. Above, Dr. Jay Johnson presents Kristen Ladd a bouquet of roses from the Pampa Lions Club. Ladd was chosen to represent the club as their queen in the upcoming District 2T-1 Convention.

Jerry and Debbie Weaver of Pampa are proud to an-

Weaver to Nicholas Alexander Burklow. Abigail will be graduating in May 2013 from West Texas A&M University with a Masters of Science in Communication Disorders. Nicholas is the son of Randy and Jacque Burklow

Abigail Weaver and Nicholas Burklow



**ENGAGEMENTS** 

#### ENGAGEMENTS

security for one out of ev-

ery 20 Texans," said Tim

TRTA is the nation's

public education retirees.

It advocates improved

benefits for current and

efforts.

Laura McGrath and Michael Loughmiller



Mike and Paula McGrath of Pampa are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura Louise McGrath to Michael Andrew Loughmiller. Laura is a graduate of Pampa High School and is employed at The Coffee Shop in Pampa. Michael is the son of Bryan and Cindy Loughmiller also of Pampa.

The groom is a graduate of Pampa High School and is employed at Smith Bits a Schlumberger Company in Pampa. The couple plan to wed May 18, 2013 in Pampa,





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# P.E.O met March 26

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The bi-monthly meeting of the Philanthropic Educational Organization Sisterhood, Chapter CS, was held on March 26 at the home of Lynn Smith. Smith and Jana Vinson served as co-hosts.

New officers for the 2013-14 year were installed by past President Kay Harvey. The new officers are Karen Smith, President; Donna Brauchi, Vice President; Lynn Smith, recording secretary; Kathy Flume, corresponding secretary; Carol Fields, treasurer; Martha Campbell, guard; and Karen Bridges, chaplain.

Following the business portion of the meeting, Nancy Ruff gave a program based on the biblical account of Mary washing the feet of Jesus. On behalf of Chapter CS members, Judy Sutton presented a gift of appreciation to past President Kay Harvey.





Submitted photos

Above, New PEO officers include, from left, Martha Campbell, guard; Karen Smith, President; Donna Brauchi, Vice President; Lynn Smith, recording secretary; Karen Bridges, chaplain; Kathy Flume, corresponding secretary. Not pictured is the treasurer Carol Fields. Left, PEO's past President Kay Harvey, holding a gift from PEO Chapter CS.

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The following is a list of support groups that meet regularly each week in Pampa. Information for each meeting is submitted to The Pampa News office and may not be completely updated or accurate. Please notify the newsroom if a change is necessary.

The Pampa News welcomes all submitted materials for area support groups. Please include the meeting time, date and location and, if applicable, provide a contact number for each group.

- Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, meet at 5:30 p.m., Thursdays, and at 2 p.m., Fridays, at the Tralee Crisis Center, 308 S. Cuyler St. For more info, call the Center at 806-669-1131.
- Narcotics Anonymous The Pampa Group meets at 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, and at 6 p.m., Saturdays, at 805 N. Gray St. Narcotics Anonymous Rufe Jordan Unit also meets at 6 p.m., Mondays, and at 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays, at 1992 Hilton Road.
- Diabetics Support meets at 7 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month in the Pampa Regional Medical Center cafeteria. For more info, contact Cynthia Ackley at 806-663-5504.
- **Cancer Support** meets at 1 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Pampa Re-

gional Medical Center cafeteria. For more info, contact Beth Kean at 806-359-4673. Ext. 235.

- Malcoholics Anonymous Open Door Club meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 910 W. Kentucky Ave. Al-Anon meets at noon on Mondays. For more information, call 665-9072.
- Pampa Caregiver Support meets at the Pampa Nursing Center on 1321 W. Kentucky Ave. at 6 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month. For more information call 806-669-2551.
- Accolade Home Care sponsors a **Parkinson's Support Group** the second Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. The group meets at Accolade at 1313 N. Hobart St. For more information, call Lindsey Been at 665-9700 or 324-3230.
- ery meets every Thursday evening at 8 p.m. at First Assembly of God, 500 S. Cuyler St. We all know someone who is in need of some spiritual Bible studies that will enrich their life and make a difference in their outlook on life.

Invite anyone that you know, no matter their age, to attend. Through this time, God can change lives.

For more information, contact Darlene Lewis at 806-440-4489.

# Church Calendar

### Southside Church of Christ

Southside Church of Christ is located at 11923 W. McCullough Ave, Pampa. The church extends an open invitation to you to come and worship where the gospel, "God's Word," is always taught and preached. The church offers an annual Songfest, set for Sept. 21-22 this year. On Saturday, the Songfest will begin at 4 p.m. and end at around 9 p.m. Din-

On Saturday, the Songfest will begin at 4 p.m. and end at around 9 p.m. Dinner will be served immediately following. On Sunday, the church will follow its regular schedule and dinner will be served immediately following morning services. The Songfest is not a competition—it is a gathering of the churches of Christ to come together to praise the Lord through preaching, praying and singing praises unto our Lord and savior Jesus

Christ.

Regular worship services are: Sunday morning Bible study, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.; morning worship begins at 10:45 a.m. to noon; Wednesday night Bible study is from 5 to 6 p.m.

#### McLean Cowboy Church

The church is non denominational and the Pastor is Ronnie Ferguson. Services are every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. The church also has a children's ministry at 10:30 a.m. on Sundays. The ages for the childrens ministry are nursery through fifth grade.

The church offers a variety of bible studies and special events. The church also offers a drug and alcohol recovery group that meets twice a week and is based on the teachings of the Bible.

You don't have to be a cowboy or know how to ride a horse at their church. Just come as you are and remember "the Church alive is worth the drive."

The church is located at the intersection of state Highway 273 and Interstate 40 in McLean. For more information call 806-779-0260.

Editor's note: Email submissions to thowsare@ thepampanews.com. Submissions should be 100 words or less and written in the third person. Please include the name of the church, the dates and times of worship services and community events, physical address, and a contact number and/or email address for the public.

# Well-groomed man sought in Rogaine, pill thefts

ASSOCIATED PRESS

GOLDEN, Colo. (AP) — Authorities in Colorado are looking for a well-groomed man suspected of stealing more than \$2,600 worth of teeth-whitening strips, weight-loss pills, probiotics, condoms, Rogaine and other hair-growth products from several Walgreens

Jefferson County sheriff's officials said Thursday that the thefts happened

stores.

April 11. The sa

The same man also is suspected of stealing from Walgreens stores in Arvada and Golden a day earlier.

Investigators say the man, wearing a sweater, tie, slacks and a neatly groomed mustache and beard, apparently used a coat that he was carrying to conceal the stolen goods.

Investigators say it appears he would buy a DVD before leaving the store as a possible cover for the door alarm activating.

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# FLOAT PARTY AT PAMPA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL



Photos by Sasha Heller

CASA of the High Plains' Junior High Penny Campaign was a big success, raising \$1,728 for CASA. The sixth-graders at Pampa Junior High raised the largest portion of that total. As a reward for their hard work, CASA representatives treated the students to an ice cream float party on Friday. Pictured above, from left, are Indy Sullivan, 14, Harper Kelly, 13, and Student Counil rep Ethan Brock, 14. Shown at right enjoying their floats are Madison Floyd, 14, Sienna Albers, 14 and Brayden Dyson, 14.



### Pampa Recreation softball standings



#### **STANDINGS**

2013 Spring Mixed Softball

	W - L	W - L
Mixed D2	Conf.	Overall
VFW	4-0	4-0
Domino's Pizza	3-1	3-1
Chaney Construction	3-1	3-1
Steve's Refrigeration	2-2	2-2
NOV Mobile Rigs	1-3	1-3
Rednecks	1-3	1-3
ATM	0-4	0-4



#### **STANDINGS**

2013 Spring **Mens Softball** 

	W - L	W - L
Mixed D1	Conf.	Overall
One Stop Flooring	2-0	3-0
Elite	1-1	2-1
SWM	0-2	1-2
Big Stix	0-2	0-3





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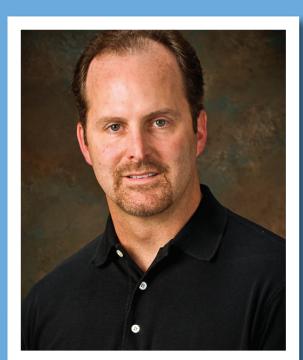
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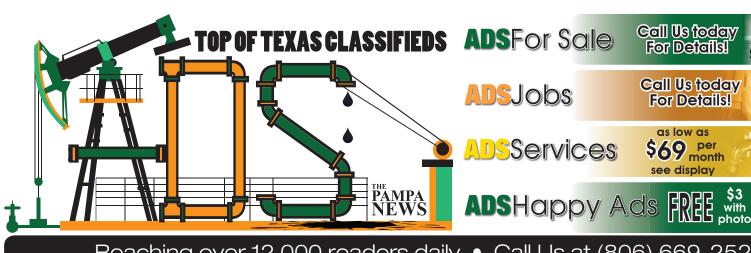
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sibility, carry out school emotionally stabilized. assignments and chores, Next, continue looking HE is responsible enough lead to a job. to be trusted with their Then, once you are feelmost precious possession, ing better about yourself,

which is you. been married for 27 years your unhappy marriage. been trying to work things hospital.

believe I am mature for my haven't been able to find a and bought myself some age and won't do anything full-time job after our most pretty flowers and knickfoolish. I don't know why recent move, so I am finan-knacks as a pick-me-up. my parents are being like cially dependent on him. While I was paying for this. Please give me some I have two adult children them, the ladies behind the advice on how to persuade who don't live near me. counter asked me if I needthem. — REALLY READY Most of the people I know ed a card for the flowers. are through the church, and I explained I was buying **REALLY** they are all great supporters them for myself because I

start dating, your parents know how to fix my life at room, about an hour later will have to make the ul- this point. Have you any more flowers arrived. I timate decision on when suggestions? — TRAPPED thought my mom had sent you enter the "dating ON THE EAST COAST them to me from afar. The

most likely be based on will have to do it in stages. Soon! From the Ladies at whether you have demon- The first should be to talk the Pink Smock." strated the beginnings of with a licensed therapist Abby, that has to be the who is not associated with most thoughtful thing a Here's how: You need the church. It will help stranger has ever done for to have proven to them you to clarify your think- me, and I wanted to share you can handle respon- ing and become more it. I am so touched!

be honest with them and for full-time employment. keep your word. It will If necessary, start by volalso depend upon wheth- unteering. It will help to er they know the boy in widen your circle of acquestion, and whether quaintances and perhaps

you will be better able to DEAR ABBY: I have decide what to do about

to a man who is a church DEAR ABBY: After bepastor. We have had to ing diagnosed with mulmove every six to eight tiple sclerosis last year, years, partly because he I moved 900 miles from was repeatedly unfaithful. home. Shortly after the We have gone through his move, my dog had to be put alcoholism, gambling and to sleep. Because of all the womanizing, and my two stress, my M.S. flared up suicide attempts. We have and I was admitted to the

was lonely, so I went to the don't know which hosparents won't let me date. I I work part-time, but gift shop (the Pink Smock) pital the Pink Smock is was alone.

think you are ready to I feel trapped, and I don't After I returned to my game." Their decision will DEAR TRAPPED: You card read: "Feel Better

RACHEL IN SANFORD, in, but whoever runs it

should know what an as-**DEAR RACHEL: Your set those caring women in** letter is an example of the gift shop are. Kudos to what strong medicine an them, and I hope you are DEAR ABBY: I am a out, but I suspect that he's After my third day there I act of kindness can be. I doing much better now.

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