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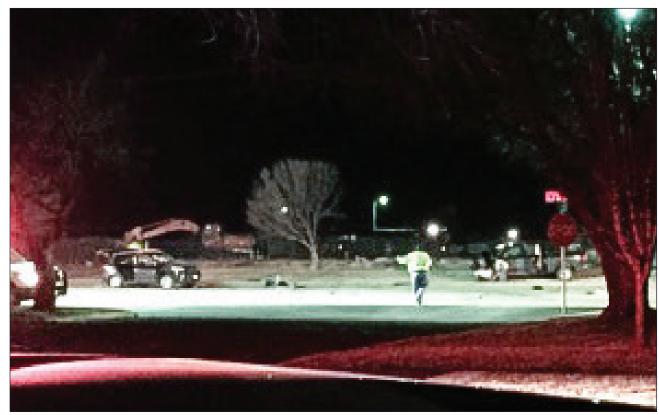
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Fatality accident results in arrest for intoxication manslaughter



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Pampa Police were called to the scence of an accident at 23rd and Russell at 8:48 p.m. Tuesday. Traffic was blocked off on 23rd for a few hours while the scene was being investigated and cleaned.

SUBMITTED BY PPD

On Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2015, at 8:48 p.m. Pampa Police Department was dispatched to the intersection of 23rd and Russell in reference to a two vehicle accident with injuries. Upon arrival at the scene one of the drivers was

pronounced dead at the scene, and

a passenger in the vehicle was taken to Pampa Regional Medical Center with non-life threatening injuries.

The driver of the other vehicle was found to be intoxicated.

The suspect identified as 20-yearold Lyndell Quade Chennault of Pampa. Chennault was taken to Pampa Regional Medical Center and then released. Chennault was arrested for Intoxicated Manslaughter and booked into the Gray County

The deceased driver was identified as 40-year-old Catrina Howell of Pampa. Howell was driving a 2008 Hyundai Santa Fe and

was headed west on 23rd when the accident occurred. Chennault was driving north on Russell St. in a

2013 Chevrolet pickup. Justice of the Peace Kurt Curfman ordered an au-

topsy that was conducted in Lubbock Wednesday.

The incident is still under investigation by PPD traffic unit and Criminal Investigation Division.

POYNOR WINS BOWL PICKS



Photo by Lindsey Tomaschik

Greg Poynor was awarded with his \$100 check on Wednesday morning for winning the Bowl Pick'em contest that was sponsored by Xtra Auto Center and The Pampa News. The Pampa News thanks everyone for their participation.

SNOWY CONDITIONS LEAD TO TRAFFIC WOES



cy conditions on U.S. Highway 60 led to multiple wrecks and

traffic delays, including the one pictured here in front of Cabot.

New Pampa Animal Shelter to celebrate anniversary

Lyndell

Quade

Jail.

Chennault



By LINDSEY TOMASCHIK

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The Pampa Animal Shelter will be celebrating its one-year anniversary on Saturday. In observance of this mile-mark event, there will be cookies and punch served at the shelter, located at 752 Municipal Drive, as well as some specials on animal adoptions.

Faustina Curry, president of PAWS, said that it has been a wonderful year. "It's been a learning experience getting into

the swing of things in the new building," she She added that it has been nice on cold days to

pull up to the shelter and be able to go inside to a heated, well-lit building, as the old shelter was lacking in these departments.

From 3 to 5 p.m., Saturday afternoon Curry said that they wanted to acknowledge that they

have been in the new building for one year. Specials for the anniversary celebration will include \$25 each for all spayed and neutered cats as well as \$50 for select dogs.

Curry said that there are currently about 25 dogs and more than 50 cats at the shelter that are in need of good homes.

Lynn Ledford will also have her nametag machine up and running at the event, and tags will be sold for \$7 apiece for the animals.

Curry added that they will also be microchipping animals for \$20.

Those not in any place to adopt an animal at this time are still welcome to stop by the comeand-go event, and PAWS is always accepting donations of blankets, large towels, kitten and puppy chow and wet cat food for the animals in the shelter.

They also openly welcome those wishing to volunteer their time to come by the shelter and interact with the animals regularly.

For more information on the animal shelter's one year anniversary event, or to find out how you can help out, call the Pampa Animal Shelter at 806-669-5775 or stop by during regular business hours.





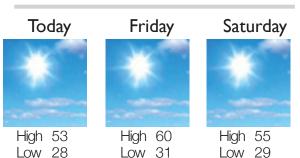


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PAMPA FORECAST



Today: Sunny, with a high near 53. North northwest wind 5 to 10 mph. Sunrise at 7:53 a.m.

Tonight: Clear, with a low around 28. Light and variable wind becoming southwest 5 to 10 mph Sunset at 5:54 p.m.

Friday: Sunny, with a high near 60. Southwest wind 10 to 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph. Sunrise at 7:53 a.m.

Friday night: Mostly clear, with a low around

31. South southwest wind around 10 mph becoming west after midnight. Sunset at 5:55 p.m.

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Amarillo teacher finalist for National Teacher of the Year

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Peeples worked as a School teacher Shanna that eventually chose teachers.

A high school English nalists. The other three English and serves as the teacher from Amarillo is finalists come from Ala- English department chair among four finalists for bama, Hawaii and Indi- as well as an instructional coach for other teachers.

The person named Na-The Council of Chief disc jockey, medical as- tional Teacher of the Year State School Officers, sistant, pet sitter and in April will spend a year which runs the program, journalist before becom- traveling the nation to Wednesday ing a teacher. She says represent educators and that Palo Duro High teaching is a profession advocate on behalf of

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Obituaries

Dorothy Herd

Dorothy Herd, 96, died Jan. 13, 2015 in Pampa. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 16,

Dorothy Herd

2015, at Prairie Dell Cemetery in Hemphill County, with Rev. Jim Yates, Interim Hospice chaplain, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

> Mrs. Herd was born June 7, 1918, in Canadian to Thomas and Ruby Moore. She married Clemon Herd in July of 1935 in Canadian. He preceded her in death on Sept. 26, 1975. Dorothy had been a resident of Pampa since 1959. She was a bookkeeper and secretary for Bruce & Sons for 30 and a half years, retiring in 1996. She was a member of Central Baptist

Church, and the American Business Women's Associa-Dorothy was preceded in death by a daughter, Wanda Kuykendall in 1998; a son, James Herd in 2006; a broth-

er, Walt Moore, a sister, Naomi Briggs; a great-grandson, Dusty Baker, and a great-great-grandson, Ethan Neale. Survivors include a daughter, Linda Hollis and husband Russell of Pampa; a brother, Morris Moore of Canadian; six grandchildren, Donnie Kuykendall of Hunter, Okla.,

Janice Touchstone of Leedy, Okla., Jill Schroeder and Monty Joe Kuykendall, both of Pampa, Yoby Henthorn of Anchorage, Alaska, and Cayl Hollis of Chicago, Ill.; 11 great-grandchildren and 25 great-great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to offer a special thanks to Coronado Healthcare Center and Interim Hospice for their animals. loving care. Memorials may be made to Interim Hospice, 2217 Per-

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ryton Parkway, Pampa, Texas 79065; or the American

Geneva Lou Wheless Schiffman

Geneva Lou Wheless Schiffman, 75, left this earth for her heavenly home on Jan. 9, 2015, in Amarillo. Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 17, 2015, in

Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with Rev. Jim Fox, chaplain of IntegraCare Hospice of Amarillo, and Rev. Philip Elsheimer, retired pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors. Geneva was born July 17, 1939. in

Blanchard, Okla. to Addie Marie and Samuel Tilden Wheless. She had three sisters, Mary, Trula and Emma, and three brothers, True, Bill and Sammy Joe. After graduation she moved to Pampa and worked at Hi-Land Phar-

macy where she met the love of her life Orval Benjamin (Bob) Schiffman, Jr. At 21 years of age she married Bob in Sayer, Okla. on June 3, 1960, and began raising him and his three children, Bobby J, Benny and Janet. In 1961 they added a daughter, Carla, and in 1963 they added a son, Matthew, to make the family complete. Geneva and Bob were faithfully devoted to each other for 54 years, seven months and six days. Bob proudly called her the most important thing in his life.

On July 1, 1966, Geneva and Bob started their oilfield repair business, Schiffman Machine Company which they have run together for the last 48 years and he lovingly referred to her as the Chairman of the Board. In the early years she would get the oldest three kids ready and delivered to school and take the youngest two to work where she ran the office, and when needed, she would be out in the shop in overalls cleaning parts and doing what she could to help out. She would then pick up the kids from school, go home and start supper, begin the never ending laundry, fix baths for the kids and get them in bed, and then when all was done she would rest. For last 35 years she has been semi-retired letting Carla run the office, while she worked from home doing the Federal and State Reports, which Bob and Carla jokingly said "if any reports were wrong, and someone was going to jail, she could have the vacation!" Never a dull day!

Geneva supported the kids in all their activities as they grew up. She was always on the go in her trusty station wagon taking the kids here and there. She was called Mom by many of the neighbor kids that were always at her house playing with her brood. Everyone was welcome and she always had a supply of snacks, fruit and pop-cicles

Over the years she was a member of the Desk and Derrick Club of Pampa, Top O' Texas Square Dancers, and numerous booster clubs associated with the kid's activities. She was an avid bowler for more than 30 years and was still "rolling the old marble" up until the time of her death.

She was a League Secretary for many years and bowled in many state and national tournaments around the country. She has had a box seat at the Top O' Texas Rodeo for many years and she loved going to rodeos and cheering for the cowboys and cowgirls and especially watching the

Another favorite activity she enjoyed with Bob was going to Oklahoma on the weekends and playing the slot machines – Cha-Ching! They called this going to their Senior Citizens Activity Center. Geneva was preceded in death by her parents, her in-laws, Orval and Ethel Schiffman; her three brothers and sister, Trula Wheless.

Survivors include her husband, Bob and their schnauzer, Katie Bell; two daughters, Carla Schiffman of Pampa and Betty Janet Schiffman of Turkey, Texas; three sons, Matthew Schiffman, Bobby J Schiffman and wife Rosemary and Benjamin (Benny) Schiffman and wife Cathy, all of Pampa; two sisters, Mary Wheless of Norman, Okla. and Emma Bowers and husband Jimmy of Miami; grandkids, Beverly Schiffman of Groom, Bonnie Aycock and husband Jeff of Tamarac, Fla., Shawn Rogers and wife Haley of Comanche, Cody Schiffman and wife Kim of Canada, Dakota Schiffman, Kevin Schiffman and Mariah Schiffman (Granny's favorite nurse-maid) of Pampa, David Greene of Turkey, Texas and Peyton Preston of Abilene; great-grandkids, Rebecca, Samantha, Christopher, Dylan, Grady, Corbett, Madison, Gacie, Serenity, Dusty, Braxton, Jayla and Harley; two brothers-in-law Jim Schiffman and his wife Tsuneko of Tamecula, Calif. and Carl Schiffman and wife Charlotte of Ft. Worth; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and their families across the country.

Geneva always dressed casually, and in her honor, the family requests that family and friends who attend her service dress accordingly.

Memorials may be made to the Pampa Animal Welfare Society (PAWS), PO Box 2095, Pampa TX 79066-2095.

Sign the online guest register at www.carmichaelwhatley.com.

Mary Leah Clark

Mary Leah Clark, 69, daughter of Melvin and Alta Clark, loving mother of Leah Nell Canon and Charlotte Canon Manteiga, passed away on Jan. 4, 2015 at her home in Pampa, after a long battle with COPD.

Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 17, 2015, at Missionary Baptist Church in Paducah, with Pastor Kyle Ohsfeldt of Grace Baptist Church of Pampa, officiating. Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Clark was born Nov. 20, 1945 in Paducah. She became a nurse in 1974 and worked for several years in the service of the elderly as a tribute to her grandmother, Mary Chloe Brownfield. On a much more personal nature, she switched to the care of recovering addicts, and in 1998, she received a Bachelor's degree in counseling from Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. Mary worked as a chemical dependence counselor until her retirement in 2008. She then moved to Pampa in order to take care of her ailing father and stepmother. She loved

helping others, reading, and her beloved pets, Sebastian, Meows-a-lot, and Little Lady. Mary will be greatly missed by her family, friends and pets.

She was preceded in death by her father, Melvin Leon Clark; and three brothers, Melvin Otho Clark, Leon Ray Clark and Gerald Wayne Clark.

Survivors include two daughters, Leah Canon of Killeen, and Charlotte Manteiga and husband Felipe of Pampa; her mother, Alta Brownfield Clark of Paducah; three grandchildren, Charles Jordan Sanders, Morgan Rae Sanders and Erik Nathaniel Brito; and her niece, Lisa Busby of Pampa.

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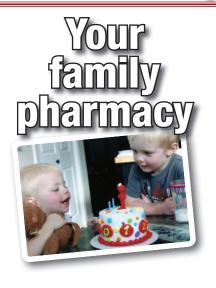


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Bereavement and Healing Emancipation

Feelings of emancipation at the death of an abusive or long-



TRACY LEE

who displays emancipation, as non-caring or non-loving. Nothing could be further from the truth. A survivor who expe-

riences emancipation at the death of a loved one is generally the survivor who loved the abusive person deeper than any other survivor. They are generally the sole person, who was willing to experience the abuse of this loved one when no one else would. When a person has suffered abuse over an extended period, at the hands of someone they love, it is natural for them to feel freedom once that cycle breaks

The same holds true for a survivor who has been the caregiver for a loved one who has suffered a debilitating illness. Caring for a dying loved one over an extended period can interfere with the caregiver's life. It often

necessitates they put their needs and wants on hold while they share their loved one's death. Quite often, as before, this caregiver is the only survivor who was willing to make this sacrifice within their family.

If you witness an emancipatory type behavior in the recently bereaved, realize that it is likely the result of liberty from horrific experiences.

This person may need great understanding and gentle reconstruction of their selfesteem, self-value and self worth.

Juvenile behaviors may be underlying and professional guidance and/or intervention might be helpful.

My name is Tracy Renee Lee. I am a funeral director, author and professional speaker. I write books and weekly bereavement articles related to understanding and coping with grief. I am the American Funeral Director of the Year Runner-Up and recipient of the BBB's Integrity Award. I deliver powerful messages and motivate audiences on their "Road to Recovery". It is my life's work to comfort the bereaved and help them live on. Please follow my blog http://pushin-up-daisies. blogspot.com/, follow me on @PushnUpDaisies Twitter and visit my website for additional encouragement, information or booking speeches www.QueenCityFuneral-Home.com.

OUT OF THE BOX

A look into my crazy world.

When ReDonn and John asked me to start a weekly non-sports



they were crazy. I said "wait a minute, you want

column I

looked at

them like

the sports writer to **GREEN** talk about something other than

sports?" I do a lot better when

someone gives me a specific topic, but they refused to do so.

I decided to call my column out of the box since I am usually in a press box or at a scorer's table.

I hope that through the coming weeks I can give you a little insight into what goes on in my crazy world, or as most would

say, head. If you don't already know I have a wife,

Lynsie (Guyer) and two spoiled rotten dogs. One is Luna, she is a

Siberian Husky

The other is Jasmine, whom we were told is part lab, part border col-

However, she looks nothing like it as she only weighs about 20 pounds.

She, on the other hand, thinks she is a ferocious guard dog.

When I was at college I had the opportunity to study abroad in Greece. I think through the next few weeks I will try to tell you some stories of my adventures and share some photos as well.

I hope I won't bore everyone to death as I try to talk about something other than sports.

I know today's column was rather short but I will try to make them a bit longer in the future.

I hope you enjoy my articles and stay tuned for more in the near future.

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Tales from the Final Frontier

PlayStation Network draws ire from gamers.

Oh, PlayStation Network. What did I ever do before online gaming? Well recently I had to find out.

On Christmas, perhaps one of the biggest gaming days of the year, you get hacked and

better.

JOHN LEE

go down for not one, not two, but four days. What were these gamers like myself to do? Spend time with our families? Come on, Sony, you know

I recently jumped ships from Microsoft to Sony for this generation of consoles.

I must admit, I am a little disappointed in Sony's stability with their Internet services.

Between being a new father and working more than 40 hours on a light week, finding time to take part

in my favorite hobby, video games and online gaming, the hours are few at times.

I like to know that when I turn my console on, it will connect to PSN no problem. To be fair to Sony, their rival

company, Microsoft, was also down during the infamous Christmas Day hack of 2014. But Microsoft got themselves up and running less than 48 hours after the hack. During the hack, hacker group Lizard Squad took credit for disap-

pointing gamers everywhere who may have gotten a PS4 as a present. On New Year's Day Sony announced PSN users would get five free days extended to their PlaySta-

tion Plus memberships. If the Christmas Day hack was the only time PSN was hacked it would be one thing, but I am sure veteran PSN users haven't forgotten about

the security intrusion of 2011 when 77 million (with six zeros) registered accounts were affected. In June 2011, users who registered prior to April 20 (the hack lasted 23 days from April 20 to mid-May) three free PlayStation 3 games and two

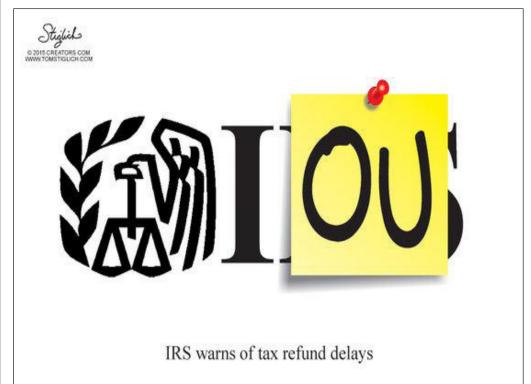
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PlayStation portable games. It is nice that Sony reimburses gamers for the frustrations they endure, but it is simply a band-aid over a bigger wound.

Sony needs to fix their issues and fix them quick because right now Microsoft's Xbox One is making a push back to relevancy and Xbox Live has historically shown to be stronger than PSN.

Heavens forbid gamers get to spend more time with their loved ones!

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Corker's folly

What can Sen. Bob Corker be thinking? On his first Sunday-new



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show appearance of the year, right at the beginning of a new Republican Senate era, does Corker communi-

cate a new GOP message of growth and reform? Does he talk about business and personal tax reduction that might rejuvenate start-ups, higher wages and job-creation? Does he talk about rolling back Obamacare or regulations in general? Does he discuss sensible immigration reform, including border security? Freetrade promotion that will help consumers and businesses? Education reform? The Keystone pipeline?

No. His first Republican message is: Raise the federal gasoline tax. He said this on Fox News Sunday and he repeated it on CNBC the next day.

What a great idea. American consumers and businesses finally get a break with plunging oil and gasoline prices. Main Street finally has something to cheer about. And then Mr. Corker weighs in with a wet-blanket proposal to raise federal gasoline and diesel taxes by 12 cents a gallon over two years from the current 18.4 cents.

I have a counter idea for Mr. Corker. Why not lead the way for a complete reform of the Highway Trust Fund,

transportation spending purposes. That should Administration?

Corker can start by going to the history books. There he'll learn that President Eisenhower's original version of federal highway funding was to devote money to interstate highways. Not to mass transit or the "Big Bertha" boondoggle in Seattle. Not to the infamous "Big Dig" project in Boston, which finished five times over budget and nine years behind schedule. Not to a museum honoring the long defunct Packard luxury car. Not to hiking trails on old rail lines in small towns and other exotic, earmarked, boondoggled forms of taxpayer waste. (Hat tip: CNBC producer Jake Novak.) Ike said the money should go to interstate highways.

Next, the good senator can read congressional testimony from the Cato Institute's Chris Edwards on federal highway transit funding. Edwards has at least a dozen good ideas to reform so-called infrastructure spending.

In particular, Edwards says that if you took the transit-spending portion out of the HTF and placed it with the states and localities where it belongs, the trust fund would actually be in balance. If states like California want to build \$100 billion speed trains to nowhere, let them. But people in the rest of the country shouldn't have to pay for it with gas and diesel taxes.

Think of this: A quarter of HTF spending today is for non-highway

and the Federal Highway be stopped. That was not

Federal redistribution of gas-tax revenues is almost always unfair, with fast-growing states like Texas getting far less than they need. Federal rules like Davis-Bacon raise building costs for state and local infrastructure by at least 20 percent. Federal aid breeds cronyism, political connections and bureaucratic power in Washington D.C. And Federal aid distorts state and local decision-making, especially for local urban transit.

Why should federalgovernment disbursements of tax money from the 50 states be for local busses, subways and other forms of urban transit? Actually, there was a time when most of that was privately funded, owned and operated. And today, there's actually a lot of local experimentation going on for the privatization of toll roads (Indiana) or public-private partnerships for roads (Texas, Florida, California and

Virginia). Whatever it is, you can trust that private management will be more efficient than the federal government. And state and local officials and their wasteful programs can be removed more easily than federal legislation that never expires.

And all this talk of infrastructure stimulus for the economy is nonsense. In a piece called "An Autopsy for the Keynesians" in the Wall Street Journal, University of

Chicago professor John Cochrane described how the spending multipliers never happened, a forecasted depression didn't follow the end of WWII spending, and, more recently, the federal spending sequester of 2013 did not lead to the loss of 700,000 jobs, but instead sparked a modest pickup in employment and economic growth. And Cochrane asked these pointed questions of the infrastructure-

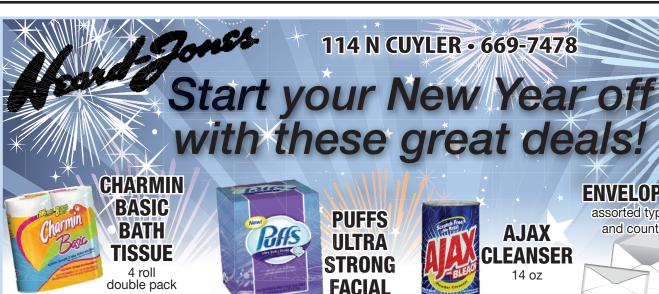
stimulus advocates: 'Can you bring yourself to say that the Keystone XL pipeline, LNG export terminals, nuclear power plants and dams are infrastructure? Can you bring yourself to mention that the Environmental Protection Agency makes it nearly impossible to build any-

thing in the U.S.?" No and no.

Sen. Corker, I hope you have a moment to read this article. And I hope you can read some of the history surrounding Ike's interstate highway program, congressional testimony from Chris Edwards and John Cochrane's Wall Street Journal op-ed. With that background, perhaps you will become a true government reformer, rather than a high-taxer.

Please, Sen. Corker, with the new Republican Congress in place, don't turn the GOP into the dumb party.

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STAFF REPORT

Pampa traveled to Dumas for their final non-district game on Monday night. It was a back and forth game with

lots of lead changes and

The game was tied 13-13 after the first. At half, Pampa trailed

28-25. After three, Pampa

led 43-42. The final score was

Pampa 58-54. Senior Johnathan Ste-

Stevens vens led Pampa with 16 points and went 2-3 from the line. Junior Cade Engle had 12 points and was 6-9 at the line. Junior Shanoaha Bridges had seven points and made his lone free

throw shot. points, one three and went 3-4 from the charity stripe.

Johnathan

Junior Bryson Burrell had six points. Junior Adam Zuniga had six points.

Sophomore Brendon Woelfle had two

Senior Jett Gibson had one point on the night.

"Dumas got hot early from the three point line and got them off to a quick start. We were able to match them but had to mix up our defense a little bit to

keep them off balance,' head coach Matt Embry said. "They had some athleticism and size that was good for us to see going into district play. Johnathan ended up with a double double and had two big fourth quarter baskets to answer them

Embry

praise players.

"Engle and Sieck did a great job pushing the tempo and putting pressure on their defense. They forced them into some fouls and stuck some big free Sophomore Brandon Sieck had six throws," Embry said. "The game ultimately came down to free throws and defense and we were able to win in those categories. It was the kind of game we needed to keep us sharp and focused going into league play on Friday night.

when we had to have it.'

Pampa is now 18-1 on the season.

They will host Perryton at 7:30 p.m. Friday in McNeely.

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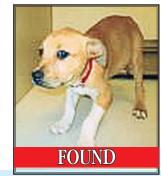
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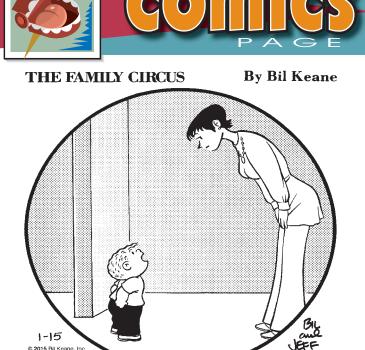


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Non Sequitur

THE CLOSING ARGUMENT



Nest Heads







16, 2015:

This year you could find that you don't like spending time alone. Your personal life is changing, and for the better. As an element of the unexpected runs through your life, you often might feel stressed. Know that this is helping you to eliminate the frivolous aspects of your life. If you are single, the person you choose now might not be who you're with a year from now. Your interests are likely to wane. If you are attached, the two of you will opt to make a major lifestyle change. You will feel far more liberated as a result. SAGITTARIUS understands you very well.

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

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ You could be combative as soon as you wake up. Whether you are responding to your dreams or just letting go of suppressed feelings, your reaction will take you by surprise. Understand that not every idea you come up with is a good one. Tonight: Be a free spirit.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ A partner could feel challenged by you and shut down. Try to be more understanding of this person's sensitivity. A friend might push you hard to follow his or her chosen path. You'll gain some insight into this person if you refuse to commit. Tonight: Head out to happy hour!

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

*** ★ Others could be challenging, as they seem to want to head their own way. You will find yourself in a grumpy mood if you don't let this go. You might be disillusioned by a person you look up to. Consider who put him or her on pedestal. Tonight: Go along with a suggestion.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★ Remain focused on getting the job done. You'll be all smiles when you complete your to-do list. Be more nurturing to someone in your immediate environment. You will laugh, and someone else is likely to respond in kind. Tonight: Check out new information carefully.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Get past some anger involving a partnership or an agreement. This dissatisfaction could surround a past association. Allow your mind to drift, and tap into your imagination

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Jan. when dealing with a creative project. Spontaneity brings surprises. Tonight: Let your inner child out.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★ You suddenly might want to say less and listen more. Pressure continues to come from a loved one who seems to feel as though he or she knows more about a key matter than you do. You could witness an unexpected change in someone close to you. Tonight: Head home early.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ You seem to say the right words and touch a key person in your life. Many times, you stand back and watch what others do. Toss yourself into the moment, and worry less about a project left undone. Tonight: Let your hair down, and paint the town red.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You could be in a situation that allows greater give-and-take. Do not let a family member nudge you into doing something totally unexpected and problematic. Honor a loved one's request, even if you are a bit peeved with him or her. Tonight: Use caution

with your funds. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ You might feel a sudden change in your mood. Know that you don't need to explain this sudden optimism. Someone close to you might be very difficult, and dealing with this person could be problematic. Allow yourself to be more spontaneous. Tonight: TGIF!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

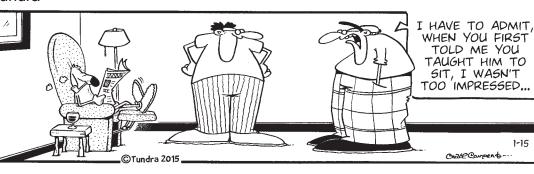
**** You know that you are fortunate to have a close relationship with someone who gives you extra energy just by being him- or herself. You might decide to make an assessment of your other friendships as a result. Tonight: Mysteriously vanish.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ Do not get yourself worked up about a money matter. You might not be sure which way to go with an assertive and/or demanding personality in your life. Relax, and reach out to your friends for support. You'll enjoy being among the crowds. Tonight: Let it all

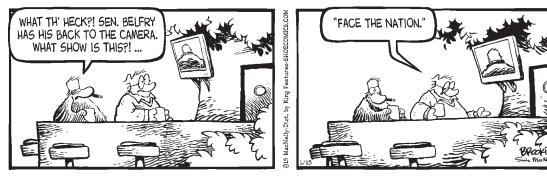
hang out. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

* * * * * You will want to understand more of what is happening with an older relative or friend. You recently might have seen some swift changes occur with this person. An offer could be too good to resist. Stay on top of your to-do list. Tonight: Resist being negative.

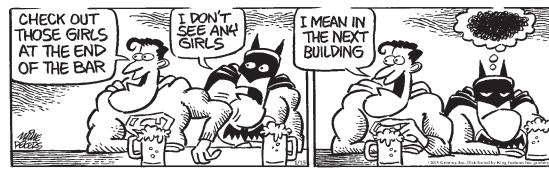
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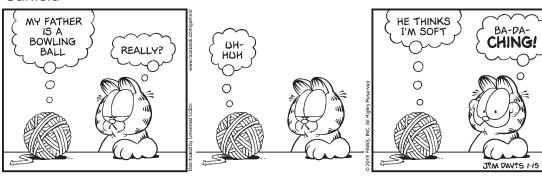
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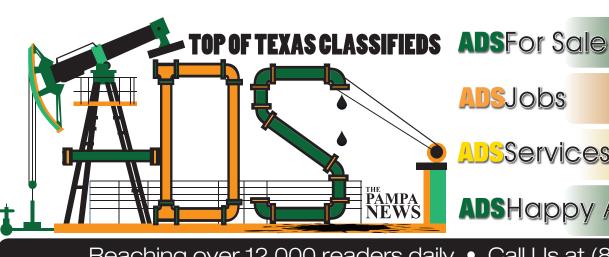


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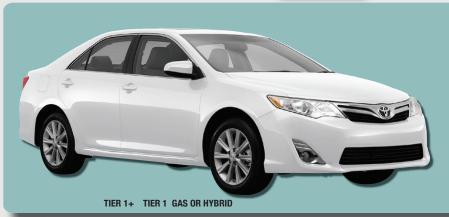


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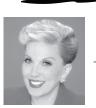
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DEAR ABBY: I am the while I am in here would their home or to add to and potential clients.

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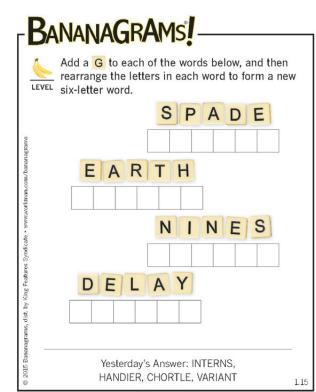
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THE TOON SQUAD TAKES HOME CHAMPIONSHIP



The fifth and sixth grade Optimist Club champions were the Toon Squad. From left, front row, Ashlynn Johnson, Londyn McCoy and Tristan Winkler. Middle row, Robbie Conley April Dusick, Payton Martinez and Celeste Ostercamp. The coaches were Chad Johnson, Ty McCoy and Rick Martinez.

JH WRESTLING TAKES 3RD IN TOURNAMENT ACTION



The Junior High wrestling team went to Hereford for a tournament this weekend. Pampa beat Dumas 42-36 in round one. In the second round Pampa lost to Hereford 52-23. Pampa beat Boys Ranch, 42-33, in the third-place match. Dakota Helfer, Garrett Anderson and Brock Ferguson went 3-0. Carlos Gonzales and Logan Wood went 2-1. Tony Helfer, Thomas Alamanza, Tyler Luster, Brody Larkin and Marcus Ryan all went 1-2. Luke Lunceford, Tyler Leos and Vincent Garcia wrestled hard but none won a match over the weekend. The JH team wrestles in Dumas on Friday.

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Cincinnati at Memphis	ESPN 6 p.m.
Auburn at Florida	ESPN2 6 p.m.
Richmond at George Washington	ESPNU 6 p.m.
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BYU at Pacific	ESPNU 10 p.m.

NBA Basketball

Oklahoma City Thunder at Houston Rockets.....TNT 7 p.m. Cleveland Cavaliers at LA Lakers.....TNT 9:30 p.m.

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