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## Tralee Thriftique: More than a thrift store



Photos by John Lee  
 Top, Maria Bueno and Glenda Lumpkin are the friendly faces that you will see when shopping at Tralee Thriftique. The store offers just about anything someone would need from household items to clothing. They have a section for men, women and children. They accept any donations other than large furniture. The store is located next to Heard-Jones on Cuyler in downtown Pampa.

By JOHN LEE  
 jcleee@thepampanews.com

Although Tralee Crisis Center's resale store has been at their current location for almost five years, it only became Tralee Thriftique in December of 2012.

They decided to change the name as part of their remodel and image change more than two years ago.

Since then, the staff at Tralee Thriftique said the store has seen an increase in business, including some out-of-towners.

Tralee Crisis Center's DeeDee Laramore said the agency has had a thrift store since 1994 when they opened at 308 S. Cuyler. The building was donated to Tralee Crisis Center by National Bank of Commerce.

In 1997, the building was renovated when the Tralee Crisis Center's board of directors took over store responsibilities.

It was moved to its current location, next door to Heard-Jones Health Mart, in March 2010 after outgrowing its previous

location. The profits made at Tralee Thriftique all go towards helping victims of domestic violence, sexual abuse or other violent crimes. At least 10 percent or more of the donations are given free to Tralee clients who are in need of clothing and household goods for

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## Sgt. Gass back to Lubbock for additional treatment

**Amarillo Bulls to hold fundraiser for Houston Gass.**

STAFF REPORT

After coming home last weekend, Pampa Police Officer Sergeant Houston Gass is heading back to Lubbock.

Pampa Police Officer Kenneth Hopson told The Pampa News that Sgt. Gass needed to have more surgeries done next week but is doing well.

The Amarillo hockey team, the Amarillo Bulls, will be holding a fundraiser for Sgt. Gass on Jan. 31 during their Back to Badge night.

"We are asking all law enforcement and emergency responders to come," Rick



Sgt. Houston Gass

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## Pampans to play in All-Star Tournament

STAFF REPORT

Pampa High School will have three representatives today at the Panhandle Golden Spread All-Star Volleyball Tournament. The tournament is hosted by Randall High School and be-

gins at 11 a.m. today. Madison Brown, Taylor Eubank and Allison Noble will be competing. Best of luck to the three of you girls and congratulations on this honor.

## February 2015 immunization clinic schedule

SUBMITTED PAMPA DSHS

The Department of State Health Services has released their Immunization Clinic Schedule for February 2015.

For Pampa, clinics will be held for the

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## PHS choir to hold annual "Dinner Theatre"



SUBMITTED

The Pampa High School Choir Department is preparing for their Annual "Dinner Theatre" production titled "Evening on Broadway." The event will take place on Wednesday, Jan. 28 and Thursday, Jan. 29 starting at 7 p.m. in the M.K. Brown Heritage Room. There will be many performances from various students and groups from the high school choirs. Some musicals that will be featured are: West Side Story; Dreamgirls; Footloose; Phantom of the Opera; Les Miserables and many more.

In addition to the student performances guests will enjoy a dinner consisting of: salad, roasted pork tenderloin with cranberry-jalapeno relish, Italian green beans, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, dessert and tea/water and/or coffee.

This is one of the choir department's largest fundraiser that takes place in the spring and helps the students fund their annual choir trip. This year the choir students will be traveling to New York. Reservations are \$25 per person and can be made through any choir student or by contacting Mrs. Montgomery or Mr. Mays at brianna.montgomery@pampaisd.net or Julie Frost at 806-662-4111. In addition to the show, they students will also be holding a silent auction where 100 percent of the item goes to the students' account.

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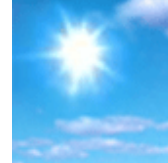
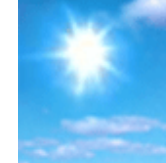
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## PAMPA FORECAST

Today	Sunday	Monday
		
High 49 Low 29	High 59 Low 33	High 67 Low 37

**Today:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 49. Wind chill values between 16 and 26 early. West wind around 10 mph. Sunrise at 7:50 a.m.

**Tonight:** Mostly clear, with a low around 29. Wind chill values between 22 and 27. West wind around 10 mph. Sunset at 6:03 p.m.

**Sunday:** Sunny, with a high near 59. Northwest wind around 10 mph. Sunrise at 7:49 a.m.

**Sunday night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 33. West northwest wind around 10 mph. Sunset at 6:04 p.m.

**Monday:** Sunny, with a high near 67. Northwest wind around 10 mph. Sunrise at 7:49 a.m.

**Monday night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 37. West wind 5 to 10 mph. Sunset at 6:05 p.m.

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# PISD School Board to meet Monday

**STAFF REPORT**  
A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Pampa Independent School District will be held Jan. 29, beginning at 7 p.m. in the Pampa ISD

Central Office, 1233 N. Hobart.  
First, the Board will have a Spotlight on Excellence at 7:00 p.m. There will then be time set aside for public com-

ments at 7:30 p.m. before a public hearing regarding the Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR) at 7:45 p.m. The Board will then consider approving the following Consent Agenda items:

of a mobile device management system.

## CITY BRIEFS

**2014 COOKBOOKS** are here! \$3 ea. Bunches of yummy recipes inside !! Pampa News, 403 W. Atchison, M-F 8-5pm.

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• Quarterly Investment Report

• Board meeting minutes for Dec. 16, 2014 and Jan. 8, 2015.

• Approving monthly financial reports.

• Approving signatures for bank accounts for campus activity accounts

Next, the Board will move on to discuss and consider taking action on the following agenda items:

Discussion / Action Items

• Consideration and possible action regarding recommendation from PISD Stakeholder Committee regarding potential bond election.

• Approving purchase

• Approving a bid for property and casualty insurance.

• Discussion and possible action to seek bids or cooperative purchase agreement pricing related to potential summer projects.

• Consideration and possible action to solicit bids for a pickup for the PISD Maintenance Department.

• First reading of TASB Policy Update 101.

After action items, the Board will discuss employment of professional employee(s) before hearing the following reports:

• Implementation of Chrome Books at the PISD secondary campuses.

• First Semester Arrest and Citation Report.

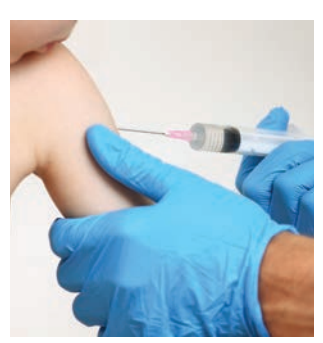
• First semester major injury report.

• Student enrollment report.

## Clinic

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first 10 clients at 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and




from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Feb. 4.

There will also be clinics for the same times on Feb. 11 and Feb. 18. The Department of State Health Services in Pampa is located at 121 S. Gillespie.

For McLean, their only clinic will be from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Feb. 10 at Lovett Library located at 302 N. Main in McLean.

All clinic times subject to change or cancellation in case of extenuating circumstances.

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## Tralee

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themselves and their families, the remaining items

are sold to the public.

Currently, the store is in need of children's clothes as they are hoping to put a new set of clothes. They store is also in need of household items to sell.

They do not accept large furniture such as beds and couches, as it would overwhelm the store. But those looking to donate the large items can take them down to their main office at 308 S. Cuyler as they use them for their clients.

The employees of the Thriftique include Maria Bueno and Glenda Lumpkin who love working at the Thriftique because it is a great asset to the community.

"They (the clients) come in and shop, and they get whatever they need by being able to come to this store," Lumpkin said. "If it was closed you would lose that. That's an asset to the community. I love working here, I wouldn't trade it for anything in the world."

Tralee Crisis Center's Thriftique is located at 114 N. Cuyler in Pampa. Their hours are from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information, call 669-1131.

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## Gass

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Matchett, general manager/vice president of the Amarillo Bulls said.

"We just want to show our support and help out the best we can."

Any law enforcement and first responders who can furnish an ID or come to the game in uniform will be given a free ticket. Their families will receive a discounted ticket of \$7 with \$2 of the purchase going back to Sgt. Gass.

There will also be a pass the bucket or boot going around where fans can donate to the fundraiser.

"There will be plenty of opportunities to donate to the family," Matchett said.

Fans are also encouraged to wear blue to show support for law enforcement.

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# Obituaries

## Roy G. Floyd

Roy G. Floyd, 87, died Jan. 22, 2015, in Pampa. Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2015, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, with Pastor Brian Thomas of Harvest Bible Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.



Roy G. Floyd

Mr. Floyd was born Jan. 19, 1928, in Granite, Okla. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean Conflict. He married Elsie Hartman on March 21, 1950, in Arnet, Okla. She preceded him in death on June 29, 2000. Roy had been a resident of Pampa since 1950. He worked as a mechanic for Celanese Corporation, retiring in 1991 after 20 years of service. He was a member of First United Methodist Church and the Moose Lodge.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara Davis in 2007.

Survivors include his son, Terry Floyd of Amarillo; and one grandson, Jared Floyd and wife Amber of Pampa, and one great-granddaughter, Madison Floyd of Pampa.

Memorials may be made to Harrington Cancer Foundation, 1600 Wallace Boulevard, Amarillo, Texas 79106.

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

## James Dean Hartson

James Dean Hartson died in Houston on Jan. 19, 2015. James was born in Pampa on Oct. 24, 1958.

Cremation will be by A-Cremation of Houston. James will be buried with his Mother and Grandmother at Hopewell Cemetery in Gilmer, Texas.

James was preceded in death by his mother Sheila Janette Landers, His dad Cleburn Franklin Hartson and his grandmother Maurice Roper.

Survivors include sons Ryan Landrum, Christopher Landers and Brandon Hartson of Dallas. Brother, Patrick Hartson of Houston. Aunt and uncle Glen and Barbara Preas of Pampa. Grandchildren, Michelle Hays, Austin Hartson and Arlicia Landrum of Nacogdoches. Special friends Dan and Trina Donalson of Houston.

James loved his Family and Friends and spent as much time as possible with them. He was a great Father, Brother, Nephew and friend. James was a truck driver, and he always told the best stories. He will be missed dearly.

Memorials may be made to the Diabetes Foundation.

## Jacqueline Hill Brown

Jacqueline Hill Brown, 61, of Amarillo, died Friday, Jan. 23, 2015.

Services will be at 1 p.m., Monday, Jan. 26, 2015, at Hillside Christian Church Northwest with Craig Albracht and Chris Condit officiating. Burial will be at 11 a.m., Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2015, in Rising Star Cemetery. Arrangements are by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors, 2800 Paramount Blvd.



Jacqueline Hill Brown

Jackie was born Dec. 15, 1953, in Kermit, Texas to Jack and Joyce Tyler Hill. She graduated from Dallas Christian College where she met Dwight Brown. They were married May 25, 1974. She served alongside her husband in ministries in the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandle. She was a loving and dedicated wife, mother and nana.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Joyce Hill.

Survivors include her husband, Dwight Brown of Amarillo; two sons, Matt Brown and wife, Kellen of Carrollton and Jason Brown and wife Whitney of Canyon; a daughter, Stacey Gibson and husband Brian of Joplin, Missouri; her father, Jack Hill of Brownwood; a sister, Paula Ann Cole of Brownwood; a brother, Terry Weldon Hill and wife Christie of Friendswood, Texas, and seven grandchildren, Judah, Eden, Jacob, Elise, Harper, Emery and Cohen.

The family will receive guests on Sunday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

The family suggests memorials be made to your favorite charity.

Sign the online guestbook at [www.boxwellbrothers.com](http://www.boxwellbrothers.com).

## Charlie Neal Gee

Charlie Neal Gee, 99, died January 23, 2015 in Pampa.

Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, 2015, at Greenleaf Cemetery in Brownwood, with Rev. Mark White, pastor of Union Presbyterian Church of Brownwood, officiating.



Charlie Neal Gee

Memorial services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, 2015, at First Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Jim Friedewald, pastor, and Nancy Ruff, commissioned ruling elder, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Gee was born Feb. 2, 1915, in Thorndale, Texas to Barnett and Kathryn Badu Young. She graduated from Breckinridge High School and Draughton's Business School in San Antonio. She received a B.A. degree from Howard Payne College in Brownwood with a degree in business administration. She served her country during World War II, by working for the 8th Service Command, Army Services Forces, Camp Hood, Texas, then taught for two years at Howard Payne College, followed by work with the Department of Welfare and several law firms. She married Owen Fuller Gee on Jan. 17, 1959, in Pampa.

Charlie Neal had been a resident of Pampa since 1947, moving from Brownwood where she was the assistant manager of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce for six years. She was an administrative secretary for Cabot Corporation for 11 and half years, retiring in 1959. Charlie and Owen worked with Cabot in many countries, including France and the Netherlands, returning to Pampa in 1961. He preceded her in death on Febr. 18, 1998.

She was a member of First Presbyterian Church, Gray County Texas Genealogical Society, Knife & Fork Club, Twentieth Century Culture Club, Pampa Garden Club, and Community Concert Association. She was an amateur photographer and a member of the Amarillo Photographic Society.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Joe Hardin Young, in 1933.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Patricia Sides of Corpus Christi; four step grandsons: Edward Owen Sides and Van Kent Sides and wife Karen, all of Austin, Charles Christopher Sides of Corpus Christi, and Patrick Owen Sides and wife Nettie of Robstown; nine step great-grandchildren and several step great-great-grandchildren; and a niece, Carol Gee, Esq., San Francisco, California.

Memorials may be made to Heifer International, 1 World Ave., Little Rock, Arkansas 72202, or First Presbyterian Church Book of Remembrance, 525 N. Gray, Pampa, Texas 79065.

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

# NBC SWITCHES OVER TO AIMBANK



Photo by Lindsey Tomaschik

NBC spent its final day operating under the name of National Bank of Commerce on Friday. NBC debit cards became inactive Friday afternoon, and it is now operating as a branch of AimBank.

# City Commission to meet Monday

### STAFF REPORT

The Pampa City Commission will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 26 at City Hall.

The mayor and commissioners will discuss and consider taking action on the following agenda items:

- Approving the minutes of the Jan. 12, 2015 Regular Commission Meeting as presented.
- Excuse the absence of Commissioner John Studebaker from the Jan. 12, 2015 Regular City Commission Meeting.
- Adopting a Resolution of the City of Pampa approving a grant from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission to the Pampa Police Department in the amount of \$25,338.99 for a mobile vision server upgrade and DVR units for police cars.
- Approving on first reading a Resolution of the City of Pampa approving a grant from the Pampa Economic Development Corporation to Pampa Energy Center in the amount of \$350,000 for improvements on County Road J.
- Approving the List of Disbursements dated December 2014.
- Consent agenda

### Executive session

- Interim City Manager appointment

### Work Session

- iPad Training – Donny Hooper

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## Bouncin' Around Blizzard of 1978

Someone asked recently if I remembered the blizzard of 1978. Oh yes, I definitely remember that particular “snowmageddon” and how we who were living in northern Illinois at the time were affected. I was nine months pregnant with our first and only child. I had been working part time, but on Dec. 26 the doctor told me that “it could be any day” and that

I should quit my job. So I quit my job (that had been the plan all along) and stayed home, waiting for Baby’s arrival... and waited... and waited. There was a bit of road construction in town, and my husband even went so far as to drive us over those roads in hopes that I would go into labor before the end of the year. Didn’t work. I ate spicy foods, but all that happened was a bad case of heartburn. I went shopping, haunted the library, and watched daytime television. On Jan. 25, they were forecasting a “Panhandle Hook” snowstorm that might bring us a “few inches” of snow. Thanks to all the people here in the Panhandle who wished the

storm north, that “few inches” began in the afternoon of Jan. 26, and came down at the rate of about two inches an hour. This was before everyone, including us, had snow blowers, and I was definitely not allowed to shovel snow. My husband and his boss left work early, and Ron came home where we watched the snow pile up in our driveway and cover our cars. We didn’t have a garage, so it didn’t take long to bury the vehicles. On Friday the 27th it had finally stopped snowing, and Ron went out to begin shoveling out our driveway. The plows finally made it on Saturday, filling the apron of the driveway again. The flat total was about 23 inches, but drifts were measured at eight to nine feet. At the time, we had two cars, a 1973 Dodge Dart, and a 1974 Ford Gran Torino. The Torino could be eccentric and Ron said if we had to make a run to the hospital and the Torino wouldn’t start, he would push it into the street and hope a snowplow would hit it. Sunday dawned clear and cold, and we went to church as usual. That afternoon I begged to go for a ride, as I was suffering a severe case of cabin fever by then, having sat in the house for a month. We drove

out into the country, and I not only enjoyed being out where I could see the beautiful sculpted snow drifts, I insisted on getting out of the car to take pictures. I didn’t realize at the time that within 24 hours I would be in labor. That night we got a call from one of Ron’s good friends, Robbie, whose wife had just given birth to a son that day, and I grumbled because I was still waiting. Monday morning, I woke early as I would usually get up first and get dressed and start breakfast. The first contraction happened about then. I called the doctor, and he said we should go to the hospital, so I woke Ron saying, “You’re not going to work today.” His reply, “Of course I’m going to work; I’ve been off four days!” I finally got him to realize that we were changing plans for the day, and we were soon in the Torino, which obligingly had started, and on our way to the hospital. After about six hours, the baby was not making much progress, and the nurse said they would send me home. With my typical stubbornness, I said, “I came here to have a baby, and I’m not leaving without one.”

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## Effects of low gas prices

\$1.84 is what United had on their sign the last time I filled up. For most of us it’s been nice to save an extra \$10 when we fill up with gas, but the flip side of that is not always for the best. Since I was a kid, my life has been affected directly or indirectly with the oilfield. Dad worked for Ingersoll-Rand and my step dad was a contract pumper. Now my husband works in the oilfield. When gas prices go down, we know that hours could be cut and jobs could be lost. When prices are high, times are good. Companies are hiring and of course people complain about the high price of gas. Gallon for gallon, gaso-

line is still one of cheapest thing you can buy. I know every profession has its ups and downs, but everyone in the Panhandle can feel the strain of the oil and gas industry. When you have been laid off or hours are less, you have to cut back. That means not going out to eat, spending less at the local stores and doing without extra services that you’re used to having. If you’re new to this, just know it will go back up. It always does and times will be better. Hopefully sooner than later. When times are good, save for the lean times. Also, when you go to fill up with gas and it’s \$3.50 a gallon be happy, someone still has their job.

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## Playing with Peyton

### ■ Growing pains of a young parent.

When I was asked to do a third, brief column concerning something other than sports and my love for video games and other nerdy things, I was thinking, “What is the third most important thing in my life?” Oh, that’s right! My wife, Maria, and my son, Peyton. I jest, of course. As many of you already know, my wife of almost four years and I had our first child, a boy, over the summer last year. Peyton, now five months old, has been a blessing, a learning experience and a time-filler all in one 15-pound little person. The winter has been a little rough on the little guy, though. Right after Thanksgiving he caught the flu, but we were able to catch it early enough he just kept us up for a couple nights. Then right around Christmas he caught RSV and had to be on breathing treatments for two-and-a-half weeks. He definitely knows how to keep mom and dad on their toes, but he has since recovered and seems

to be his happy playful little self. We are working on getting him into the crawling stage now, he can sit up for the most part just fine. There have been a couple moments, however, where him and I will be sitting on the couch and he will reach for a toy between him and I and all of the sudden he face-plants into my upper arm. He has shown at times, though, that he can support himself on his arms and legs, it’s just the motion of crawling he still has trouble with. I will occasionally share pictures of Peyton in my articles so you can see how he is growing. The picture this week was a daddy-Peyton selfie that I took just a few hours before the Denver Broncos’ playoff game on Jan. 18. As you can see Peyton’s hat is still a little big for him, but we are both wearing No. 18 Broncos gear.



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**DR. DAVID YOUNG**

This time of year I have the opportunity to perform one of my least favorite tasks as a school superintendent: making a weather-related decision about whether or not school can occur on a regular schedule. There are many factors that go into this analysis on a very tight time frame. I thought I would take this opportunity to share some details about how exactly this decision-making process works. Let me begin by stating the obvious: the absolute focal point in determining whether or not a delay or cancellation is called for is the safety of our students, parents and staff as they travel to and from school. Impacting that safe travel is the fact that some students are transported by school bus, some by their parents and some driving themselves. Further variation exists in that some students travel long distances to school and some commutes are very short. All of these factors are considered as a decision is being made regarding whether or not to have school when we are experiencing whether phenomena such as sleet, snow or ice. The timing of a deci-

sion is also important. Trust me when I say that every superintendent’s dream is for the impending weather situation to manifest itself early enough that a clear decision can be made in time for the 6 o’clock news the night before school is to be impacted. Doing so allows families more than enough time to adjust their plans and make arrangements for the next day. This is, however, rarely the case and weather decisions must be made early in the morning before buses begin to roll or breakfast begin to be prepared on campuses. In Pampa ISD, our goal is to have a decision made no later than 5:30 a.m. so that we can communicate with students, parents and staff in time to adjust their morning routines if necessary. To meet this timeline, district staff (usually yours truly and the PISD Transportation Director) get up around 4:00 a.m. and begin to travel the roads across the school district. We examine bus routes, neighborhoods around schools, and major access routes to determine whether or not we can safely get kids to school on time. This process often takes more than an hour depending on road conditions. Making the decision about starting school is often complicated by the fact that conditions can change rapidly in the

Texas Panhandle. Sometimes roads can behave very differently during the morning commuting time between 7:15 and 8 a.m. than they did at 4:30 or 5 a.m. The superintendents in our area also communicate a great deal in these situations about what each school district is experiencing and any decision that needs to be made. However, weather pattern variations sometimes make this information less useful as conditions can be dramatically different in communities that are only separated by 10-20 miles. The City of Pampa is an invaluable ally in bad weather situations. A high degree of communication exists between the school and the city when making the school start decision. Pampa is blessed by a city staff that is collaborative and works diligently to clear areas around schools, sand intersections that may be difficult to traverse, and communicates with school personnel to target areas we identify as needing extra care. Please join me in thanking these individuals for the tireless work they do. Also deserving of commendation are members of the PISD custodial, maintenance and transportation departments. These folks do a great job day in and day out, but never is that more evident than in situations when the weather is

less than cooperative. I would like to say a huge thank you to each and every member of these teams. Once a decision is made, the final step in the process is to notify everyone as to whether we are starting on regular schedule, calling for a delayed start (usually two hours) or cancelling school. We share our decision through all available media outlets such as television stations, local radio and the newspaper. Additionally, information is usually shared through district-operated social media such as Facebook or Twitter. An automated phone call is also made to the households of all PISD students and staff. Parents may also sign up to receive notifications through our student information system. If you have questions or are experiencing difficulty receiving communication from any or all of these sources, please contact a PISD campus or the district office. It is my hope that you find the information I’ve shared here to be helpful. Please know that it is intended to be so. Adverse weather situations present many challenges for us all to deal with. As for the school perspective, it is important to remember that our guiding light in making these decisions (as it is in all other decisions as well) is student safety.



# Snow

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They let me stay, and 26 hours later, our daughter was finally born. My poor tired husband made it home after stopping to order flowers for me, and got some sleep. That evening he picked up our mothers and took them to dinner, and as they left the restaurant, that was the time the Torino decided it wasn't going to start. Ron got a jump for the car after putting the ladies in a cab for the hospital. He got the Torino home,

pulled the Dodge out, put the Torino in the driveway, and finally got back up to the hospital to see our new daughter.

So yes, I do remember the blizzard of 1978, and the one that came a year later with an equal amount of snow. In both storms, we had snow piles over seven feet high on both sides of the driveway. If it appears there is another "Panhandle Hook" brewing here, don't tell our friends in Illinois that we will be rooting for the storm.

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# Pictures from Wednesday's snowfall



Submitted photos

Top left photo, this scenic photo of Lake Meredith was submitted to TPN via Facebook. Sharon Wampler of the Pampa Post Office submitted the additional three photos. She offered commentary for the various places she went. Top right, she wonders how the pioneers of Pampa kept warm at a time like this. Left, American the Beautiful and Texas' flags still waved proudly on Thursday. Bottom, The bench snow was undisturbed.



## Area support groups

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 6 p.m., Thursdays, starting June 26 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.

■ **Cancer Support** meets from 12-1 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month at Central Baptist Church. For more info, contact Beth Kean at 800-274-4673

■ **Alcoholics 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.

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous Primary Purpose** meets daily at noon and 8 p.m. at 112 W. Foster Ave.

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous Keep It Simple** meets Thursdays at 6 p.m. at the Methodist church in White Deer.

■ **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. They also have an **Alzheimer's support group**, which is held on the third Monday of each month at First United Methodist Church, located at 201 E. Foster, at noon. For more information, call Lindsey Presson at 806-665-9700 or 806-324-3230.



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# Explaining reduced benefits

**TOM MARGENAU**  
Creator's Syndicate



**Q:** In a recent column, you said that if you took reduced benefits on your own Social Security record, you could not later switch to full benefits on a spouse's Social Security record. Yet I just did that. I signed up for my own Social Security when I was 62 several years ago. My husband just turned 66 and filed for his own Social Security. I am now also 66 and the Social Security people had me file for full wife's benefits on his record. So how does this jive with what you wrote in your column?

stantly trying to make to my readers is that as a general rule, you cannot file for reduced benefits on one record and later switch to full benefits on another record. (That rule does NOT apply to widows and widowers.)

The law (again, except for widows and widowers) says that if you are under age 66 when you apply for Social Security, you must file for any and all benefits you are eligible for at the same time. So had your husband already been getting his

Social Security at the time you filed for your own at age 62, you would have been required to file for both reduced retirement benefits and any reduced wife's benefits you might have been due on his record.

But the difference in your case is that your husband was not yet getting Social Security when you applied for your own benefits. So you were not required to file for any spousal benefits on his account at that time -- because he had no account.

When he did file for his own retirement benefits at age 66, then at that point, you could also file on his record. So you are now able to claim a full wife's benefit, which will be added to your reduced retirement benefit. Here is how the Social Security people will figure your spousal supplement. They will take your full age-66 rate (even though you took benefits at 62) and they will subtract that from one half of your husband's age-66 rate. Any difference will be added to your reduced retirement rate.

So that's how things will work in your situation. But now let me get back to my overall point about the impact of taking Social Security benefits before age 66. Over the years, thousands of women have told me this: "I plan to file for wife's benefits on my husband's record at age 62, and then

switch to full benefits on my own record when I turn 66." And my message to them is that they simply can NOT do that. If they waited until age 66, then they could file for full spousal benefits and at 70, switch to a full retirement benefit and get a 32 percent delayed retirement bonus added to their monthly Social Security retirement checks.

But again, assuming their spouse is already getting Social Security when they turn 62, they can't file for one benefit then and switch to another benefit later on. However, they could switch if the spouse dies. To clarify all of this, let's follow an example. Barney applied for his Social Security when he was 66. He started getting \$2,000 per month. His slightly younger wife, Betty, turned 62 the next year and applied for Social Security. Her own full retirement benefit is \$1,200, but because she took benefits at 62, her rate is reduced to \$900.

Some might wonder if Betty is due any benefits on Barney's account. After all, they ask: "Isn't a wife due half of her husband's Social Security?" If she waited until 66, she would be due half. But again, Betty filed at age 62, so her spousal rate would be cut to about one third. One third of Barney's \$2,000 Social Security check comes out to about \$666. Well, Betty is already getting more than that in her own \$900 retirement benefit, so she isn't due anything on Barney's record.

Others might wonder if Betty could take that

reduced wife's benefit of \$666 at age 62 and then at age 66, switch to her own full retirement rate of \$1,200. And again, the answer is NO. She can NOT take reduced benefits on one record and later switch to full benefits on another account.

When Barney was 72 years old, he died. Betty, who was 67 at the time, is now due widow's benefits. And because she was over age 66 when she became a widow, she is due 100 percent of Barney's Social Security. She gets a full widow's rate even though she took reduced benefits at 62. Let's say that at the time of death, with annual cost-of-living increases, Barney was getting \$2,400 per month and Betty was getting \$1,100 per month. Betty will keep getting her own \$1,100 retirement benefit, but she will also start getting \$1,300 in widow's benefits to take her total benefits up to Barney's month-of-death rate of \$2,400.

I want to make one more point about widow(er)s. Remember that earlier in this column, I pointed out that the rule that normally says that if you apply for Social Security before age 66, you must file for any and all benefits you are due. But I said that rule does not apply to widows or widowers. Here is an example of how that would work.

Fred is retiring at age 62. He is a widower. His wife, Wilma, had worked and paid Social Security taxes until she died a couple years ago. Fred's full age-66 retirement rate is \$2,100. Wilma's full Social Security rate

is \$2,400. Fred can file for reduced widower's benefits at 62. He would get about 82 percent of Wilma's benefit, or around \$1,968 per month. He could get those benefits until age 66, when he could switch to his full retirement benefit of \$2,100. Or he could choose to delay switching to his own account until age 70, when he would get 132 percent of his full rate, or \$2,772.

And finally, I want to get back to the letter writer's Social Security case that started this column. Remember, she said she took reduced retirement benefits at 62, and then when her husband recently filed for his own Social Security at age 66, started getting part of his benefits added to her own. That couple actually had another option using one of the Social Security maximizing strategies discussed so often in this space. He could file for husband's benefits on his wife's record and get half of her age 66 rate. He could get those benefits until age 70 when he could take 132 percent of his own rate. And then at that point, his wife could file for her spousal benefit, although that supplement would be based on his age 66 rate, not his age 70 amount.

If you are pulling your hair out after reading this column, maybe now you'll understand why I've got an ever-growing bald spot on the top of my head!

*If you have a Social Security question, Tom Margenau has the answer. Contact him at [thomas.margenau@comcast.net](mailto:thomas.margenau@comcast.net).*

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## Preparation for Winter Activities

Snow, ice and frigid weather can pose problems for the body. With snow likely in January's forecast across the U.S., knowing how to properly shovel can prevent harm to the musculoskeletal system. **Live Well Chiropractic** suggests the following tips for snow shoveling:

- If you must shovel snow, be careful. Listen to weather forecasts so you can rise early and have time to shovel before work.
  - Layer clothing to keep your muscles warm and flexible.
  - Shoveling can strain "de-conditioned" muscles between your shoulders, in your upper back, lower back, buttocks and legs. So, do some warm-up stretching before you grab that shovel.

- When you do shovel, push the snow straight ahead. Don't try to throw it. Walk it to the snow bank. Avoid sudden twisting and turning motions.
- Bend your knees to lift when shoveling. Let the muscles of your legs and arms do the work, not your back.
- Take frequent rest breaks to take the strain off your muscles. A fatigued body asks for injury.
- Stop if you feel chest pain, or get really tired or have

shortness of breath. You may need emergency medical help. After snow shoveling, if you are sore, apply an ice bag to the affected area for 20 minutes, then take it off for a couple of hours. Repeat a couple of times each day over the next day or two. If you continue to feel soreness, pain or strain after following these tips, it may be time to visit a doctor of chiropractic. Our doctors are here to help with all your winter aches and pains.

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## SUNDAY Horoscope

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Sunday, Jan. 25, 2015:

This year you are opening up to many new experiences. You might be seen more frequently on the social scene. You tend not to be judgmental, and as result you will draw a variety of personalities toward you. If you are single, you open up to dating many different types of people. However, this year someone special most likely will mosey on into your life. You will know when this person appears. If you are attached, the two of you might expand your immediate circle of friends. A new mutual hobby is also likely. ARIES can be provocative.

**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)

★★★★★ A power play involving a respected elder or boss could backfire. Strong feelings are likely to emerge from the experience. Make a point of getting together with a loved one, or make time for a special child in your life. Tonight: Beam in more of what you want.

This Week: Try not to get so caught up in your own mind.

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

★★★ You might prefer to take a backseat in what seems to be happening around you. By being an observer, you could discover a new side of a loved one. Indulge yourself and buy that special item you have been coveting for a while. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

This Week: A friend will make you smile.

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

★★★★★ Don't hesitate to reach out to your friends. Join them in whatever activity they

seem to be involved with. For some, it might be a spectator sport; for others, it could be an interactive activity. You'll recharge your batteries in the process. Tonight: Forget tomorrow, live it up!

This Week: By Tuesday, you will know what to do.

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

★★★ Take responsibility and deal with someone who often rains on your parade. Express more understanding or ask for some insight as to why he or she behaves a certain way. An open discussion could provide you with a fresh perspective. Tonight: In the limelight.

This Week: A get-together could make all the difference!

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

★★★★ Reach out to someone at a distance this morning. In fact, you might want to make a round of calls to those you typically don't have time to check in with. Enjoy a lively exchange of news. Encourage a visit in the near future. Tonight: Whatever you choose, let it be distracting.

This Week: You are on top of your game.

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

★★★★ One-on-one relating will take you down a unique path. You are likely to gain an unusual understanding of a special person in your life, which will allow you to bypass a hassle in the near future. Demonstrate your caring through a kind gesture. Tonight: Keep it intimate.

This Week: Your ability to make a difference with others emerges.

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

★★★★ A partner or loved one could be unusually challenging right now. Your caring will evolve to a new level once you understand

where this person is coming from. Several friends might want to draw you into a happening later in the evening. Go for it! Tonight: Defer to others.

This Week: You enjoy one-on-one talks, but you only have so much time.

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

★★★ You might want to put a halt on weekend indulgences and head to the gym or start some other form of exercise. As a result, you will reduce your stress, feel better and make a better impression. A friend or loved one will cheer you along. Tonight: Be good to yourself.

This Week: Others pick up the ball and run with it. Do your thing!

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

★★★★ Don't hold back or let a financial matter trip you up. Your caring will make all the difference to a child or new friend. Remember not to get twisted up in life's mundane details so much. Tonight: Be happy, and others will follow your lead.

This Week: Dive into errands Monday and Tuesday.

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

★★★ Devote more quality time to a roommate or family member. Your attention and caring will be returned tenfold,

but don't let that be the reason you choose to indulge this person today. Tonight: Invite a friend over for a casual dinner.

This Week: Your creativity marks Monday and Tuesday.

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

★★★★★ Make an effort toward a child or loved one who perhaps doesn't feel as upbeat as you might. Your friendship tends to help this person gain perspective on his or her life. Tonight: Say what you feel and what you think, but know that you might get some mixed reactions.

This Week: You have a lot of ground to cover!

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

★★★ Make it a day of indulgence. For some of you, you might decide just to stay in bed, whereas others might choose to dine at a favorite restaurant or pick up a few items at a favorite store. Just do whatever will make you smile. Tonight: Togetherness is the theme.

This Week: Make calls, return emails and schedule meetings.

**BORN TODAY**

Writer Virginia Woolf (1882), singer/songwriter Alicia Keys (1981), playwright W. Somerset Maugham (1874)

### Weekly Menus

#### Pampa Independent School District

**MONDAY, January 26**

Macaroni & cheese or chicken nuggets, mixed fruit, steamed broccoli, mixed vegetables

**Breakfast** - Pancake n' sausage on a stick

**TUESDAY, January 27**

Breakfast for lunch or steak fingers, pineapple tidbits, black eyed peas, tossed salad

**Breakfast** - Donut

**WEDNESDAY, January 28**

Teriyaki chicken or pizza dippers, diced peaches, green beans, baby carrots

**Breakfast** - Poptart

**THURSDAY, January 29**

Sloppy Joe or pizza, sliced apples, vegetarian beans, sliced cucumbers

**Breakfast** - Cinnamon roll, sausage patty

**FRIDAY, January 30**

Grilled cheese sandwich or hot dog, Mandarin oranges, french fries, celery sticks

**Breakfast** - Cereal, toast

#### Pampa Meals on Wheels

**MONDAY, January 26**

Spaghetti/meatsauce, green beans, bread stick, salad, cookies

**TUESDAY, January 27**

Polish sausage, cheese grits, mixed greens, cake

**WEDNESDAY, January 28**

Tater tot casserole, cabbage, black-eyed peas, mixed fruit

**THURSDAY, January 29**

Hot dogs/buns, chili, onion rings, peach cobbler

**FRIDAY, January 30**

Roast, okra/tomatoes, pinto beans, cornbread, pudding

#### Pampa Senior Citizens Center

**MONDAY, January 26**

Chicken fried steak or chicken & dumplings, mashed potatoes, spinach, beets, Northern beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, lemon cake, blueberry cream pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread

**TUESDAY, January 27**

Chicken pot pie or meatloaf, scalloped potatoes, green bean casserole, corn, pinto beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, milk chocolate cake, pineapple squares, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread

**WEDNESDAY, January 28**

Roast beef brisket/brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, baby carrots, green peas, butter beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, chocolate pistachio bundt cake, coconut cream pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread

**THURSDAY, January 29**

Chicken strips or corned beef & cabbage, boiled potatoes, turnip greens, fried okra, black eyed peas, saw, tossed salad, Jell-O, ugly duckling cake, chocolate icebox pie, fruit cup, hot roll, cornbread

**FRIDAY, January 30**

Cod fish filet/hushpuppies or corn dogs, potato wedges, broccoli casserole, beans, slaw, tossed salad, Jell-O, walnut brownies, peach cobbler, fruit cup, hot roll, garlic bread stick, cornbread

## High Plains producers expected to harvest most since 2010

LUBBOCK (AP) — High Plains cotton producers plagued by too little rainfall in recent years are forecast to have their best harvest since 2010.

The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal reports the 2014 harvest for producers in 16 counties near Lubbock should reach 2.5 million bales. Details are from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Plains Cotton Growers spokesman Steve Verett (vuh-RET) said Friday that adequate rain helped production in all 39 High Plains counties, including the 16. The forecast is 3.4 million bales.

The last time growers in the world's largest contiguous growing patch surpassed this season's projected harvest was 2010, when 5.3 million bales were produced.

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### ENGAGEMENTS

Judson Eddins and Brittany Anderson



Mr. and Mrs. Gary Anderson announce the engagement of their daughter, Brittany Renee' Anderson to Judson Arthur Eddins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eddins. The couple plans to marry in May.

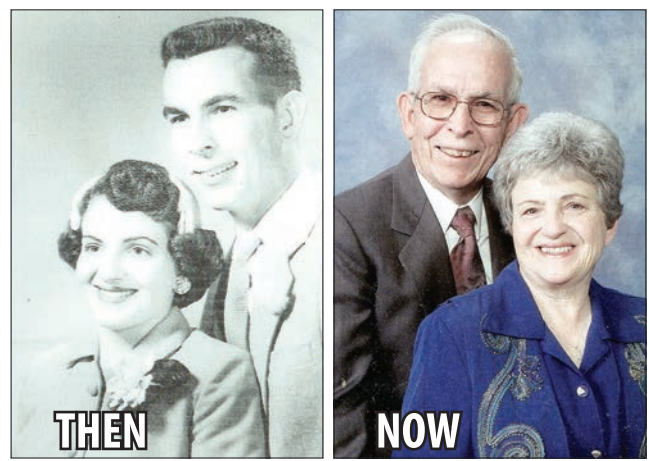
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The couple were married January 22, 1955, in Prague, Oklahoma. After Don graduated in 1958, from OSU in Stillwater, Oklahoma, they moved to Pampa.

Almeda (Whitlow) was a stay-at-home mom. Don worked at Cabot / Ingersoll-Rand as a mechanical engineer, retiring in 1992 after 34 years of service.

They are both very involved with their church, Church of Christ on Somerville Street, which was formerly Wells Street Church of Christ. Don is currently an elder with the church.

The Carters enjoy traveling, camping, fishing, spending time with family and friends, making sourdough pancakes, gardening at "the farm," and making the famous "Don & Dale's Spicy Pepper" from homegrown peppers.

The Carters have two children: Steve Carter and wife Ranelle of Hugoton, Kansas; and Kerri (Carter) Smith and husband Rodger of Allen, Texas. They have three grandchildren: Tim Carter of Nogales, Arizona; Kristen Carter of The Colony, Texas; and Kooper Smith of Allen, Texas.

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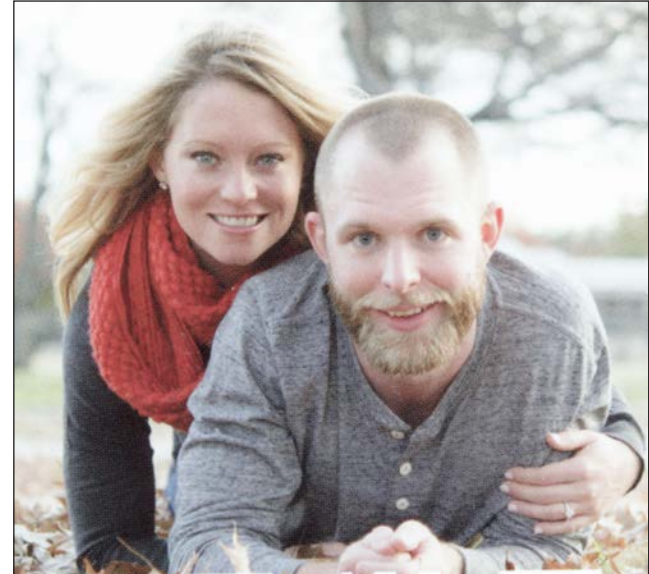


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### ENGAGEMENTS

Chelsea McCullough and Zane Smith



Frank and Renee McCullough of Pampa would like to announce the engagement of their daughter Chelsea of Addison, TX. to Zane Smith also of Addison.

Chelsea has a Master in Exercise Physiology from Texas Tech University. She is employed as Sports Medicine Director at Baylor Medical Center, in Frisco, TX.

Zane is the son of Nathan and Cheryl Smith of Copperas Cove, TX. He has a Business Degree from West Texas A&M and is employed by the U.S. Treasury Dept.

The wedding is planned for May 23, 2015 in Frisco, TX.

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# PAMPA Sports

## Poynor's Pointers

Character really does count.

I have been following a couple of stories from the world of college and pro football. One is about the suspensions handed out after a brawl at a college bowl game. The other is the story about the Patriots possibly illegally deflating footballs to make them easier to throw and catch in last week's AFC championship football game. I've talked to different coaches and they have wide opinions about how important these stories really are. Here's my take.



**GREG POYNOR**

One of the reasons I love athletics so much is its ability to teach kids character. I still believe that is one of the most important things we do as coaches. Winning games is important and all coaches realize you have to win to keep your job. But that is not the most important thing we do. The most influential people in my life were my parents and my coaches. They were the ones that taught me how important it was to "do right and act right."

I knew if I got in trouble at school I was also going to be in trouble at home and in trouble at practice. That helped keep a teenage boy that was bent towards mischief on the straight and narrow path. I feel like some of that is going away.

More and more often parents are fighting the school and taking the side of their kids. At the same time more and more coaches seem to have the attitude of winning at all cost.

I try often to remind myself and my coaches the reason that most of us became teachers/coaches and that is to make a positive difference in kids lives. So what exactly are we trying to teach the kids in my program. Here are a few that I think are important for us to be successful and for the kids to grow as people.

1. Unselfishness. We try to teach them it's not all about them it's all about us as a team.
2. Responsibility — You are responsible for your actions. Don't blame others.
3. Commitment — Once you start, finish it and see it through.
4. Discipline- to things right even when no one is watching.
5. Toughness — Mentally and physical tough people win in sports and in life.
6. Tenacity — Never give up. Compete until it is over.

I hope in the next few weeks to go into some detail about how and why we try to teach these things. My hope is that our program will be one that is not only very successful with wins and losses but also successful as a place to mold young kids into men.

*Greg Poynor is the head football coach and athletic director at Pampa High School. He can be reached by calling the high school at 669-4800.*

## JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS IN ACTION



Photos by Zachary Green  
Left, Carson Eubank fires a three during the JV game against Fritch this year. Above, Corbin Hair tries to fight through the defense. Hair has since been called up to the varsity team. Below, Jordan Baker on the fastbreak has a wide open layup. The team played Bushland on Friday.



## NFL says no conclusion yet on Pats' deflated footballs

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) — The NFL says it is still investigating how the New England Patriots used underinflated balls in their last game but has no conclusions yet and no timetable for resolving the cheating accusations with the Super Bowl nine days away.

The league said Friday that evidence shows the Patriots used underinflated footballs during the first half of the AFC championship game Sunday night against the Indianapolis Colts.

It issued a statement that the Patriots have pledged full cooperation and have given the league information it requested and made personnel available upon request. Quarterback Tom Brady said Thursday afternoon he had not been contacted at that point.

The NFL said it began its investigation Sunday night and expects full cooperation from other clubs. It has hired an investigatory company to help in reviewing electronic and video information.

The league said when it is able to come to conclusions, they will be shared publicly.

"Over the past several days, nearly 40 interviews have been conducted, including of Patriots personnel, game officials, and third parties with relevant information and expertise," the statement said.

"We have obtained and are continuing to obtain additional information, including video and other electronic information and physical evidence," the statement said.

The NFL requires game balls to be inflated to between 12 1/2 and 13 1/2 pounds per square inch.

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# PAMPA Sports

## Golf Tips of the Week

### Tour news.

This weekend saw another example, following Charl Schwatzel's collapse the previous week, of a "choke"; this time on a bigger scale. Martin Kaymer, the man who led the US Open from start to finish, gave up a 10-shot lead with 13 to play in the Abu Dhabi HSBC Golf Championship.

But is that really so bad, and isn't that what makes golf so great? Over 13 holes it's easy to see two drives go

a little wild, costing you penalty shots, which along with a chunked chip and a missed putt means you've given up five shots. Then, your closest competitor blows hot and makes five birdies (or in this case eight).

You never have golf under control. Just when you think you've cracked it, it bites you back. So be careful Jimmy Walker. The last two rounds of the Sony Open saw him shoot 62-63 to win by nine shots. Golf is more than a journey, it's a roller coaster ride.

Talking of giving up a lead you couldn't possibly lose: any Packers fans?

*Tim Stadler is the PGA Professional at the Pampa Country Club. He can be reached at 665-8431.*



**TIM STADLER**

## Watch the Pros - Monday

### College Basketball

Syracuse at North Carolina.....ESPN 6 p.m.  
Delaware State at North Carolina Central.....ESPNU 6 p.m.  
Texas at Iowa State.....ESPN 8 p.m.

### Women's College Basketball

Texas A&M at South Carolina.....ESPN2 6 p.m.

### Tennis

Australian Open quarterfinals.....ESPN2 8 p.m.

### Soccer

Stoke at Rochdale.....FS2 2 p.m.

## Watch the Pros - Sunday

### NBA Basketball

Miami Heat at Chicago Bulls.....KVII 12 p.m.  
OKC Thunder at Cleveland Cavaliers.....KVII 2:30 p.m.

### College Basketball

Duke at St. John's.....KCIT 1 p.m.  
Indiana at Ohio State.....KFDA 12:30 p.m.  
Louisville at Pittsburgh.....KFDA 2:45 p.m.  
Seton Hall at Butler.....FSSW 2 p.m.  
Northern Iowa at Illinois State.....ESPNU 3 p.m.  
Notre Dame at North Carolina State.....ESPNU 5:30 p.m.  
Washington at Utah.....ESPNU 7:30 p.m.  
Creighton at Villanova.....FS1 6 p.m.

### Soccer

West Ham at Bristol City.....FS2 8 a.m.  
Arsenal at Brighton.....FS2 10 a.m.

### Auto Racing

Rolex 24 at Daytona.....FS1 6 a.m.

### Women's College Basketball

Arkansas at Florida.....ESPNU 11 a.m.  
Vanderbilt at Alabama.....FSSW 12 p.m.  
Central Florida at SMU.....ESPNU 1 p.m.  
Butler at Xavier.....FS1 1:30 p.m.  
UCONN at Cincinnati.....ESPN2 2 p.m.  
Iowa State at Texas.....FS1 3:30 p.m.  
Duke at North Carolina.....ESPN2 4 p.m.  
Miami at Louisville.....FSSW 4 p.m.

### X Games

Freestyle skiing/snowmobiling/snowboarding.....ESPN 12 p.m.

### Figure skating

US Championships.....KAMR 3 p.m.

### Golf

Humana Challenge.....GOLF 2 p.m.  
Champions Mitsubishi Electric Champ.....GOLF 6:30 p.m.

### NFL Football

Team Carter v. Team Irvin.....ESPN 7 p.m.

### Tennis

Australian Open round of 16.....ESPN2 8 p.m.

## The PAMPA NEWS Sports Briefs

### Girls Basketball

7th grade tournament.....TODAY - Dalhart  
7th/8th v Borger.....5/6:15 p.m. - Monday Jan. 26 - PJHS  
JV/Varsity/9th v. Dalhart.....4:30/6/7:30 - Jan. 27 - McNeely  
8th grade tournament.....Jan. 31 - Dalhart

### Boys Basketball

7th grade tournament.....TODAY - Borger  
7th/8th at Borger.....5/6:15 p.m. - Monday Jan. 26 - Borger  
JV/9th/Varsity v. Dalhart.....4:30/6/7:30 - Jan. 27 - McNeely  
8th grade tournament.....Jan. 31 - Borger

### Swimming

District at Lubbock.....TODAY - Lubbock

### Tennis

At Frenship.....Jan. 30-31 - Frenship

### Wrestling

Girls at tournament.....TODAY - Palo Duro  
V. Borger and Bushland Senior night.....5 - Jan. 29 - McNeely

### Soccer

Boys tournament.....TODAY - Wichita Falls  
Boys v River Road.....5/7 p.m. - Jan. 27 - Harvester Field  
Girls JV v. Amarillo High.....5 p.m. - Jan. 30 - Harvester Field  
Boys at Lubbock High.....12/2 p.m. - Jan. 31 - Lubbock

\*Game times and locations are subject to change. Please refer to the Pampa ISD Athletics Department website for an updated schedule. You can reach it by going to [www.pampaisd.net](http://www.pampaisd.net) and then clicking Athletics Department under the departments tab. \*

## Watch the Pros - Saturday

### College Basketball

Kentucky at South Carolina.....ESPN 11 a.m.  
Oklahoma State at Kansas State.....ESPN2 11 a.m.  
Tulsa at East Carolina.....ESPNN 11 a.m.  
Rutgers at Penn State.....ESPNU 11 a.m.  
DePaul at Xavier.....FS1 11 a.m.  
College of Charleston at Drexel.....OLN 11 a.m.  
Kansas at Texas.....KFDA 1 p.m.  
Florida State at North Carolina.....ESPN 1 p.m.  
Arkansas at Missouri.....ESPN2 1 p.m.  
TCU at West Virginia.....ESPNU 1 p.m.  
Georgetown at Marquette.....FS1 1:30 p.m.  
Northeastern at William and Mary.....OLN 1 p.m.  
UCLA at Oregon.....KFDA 3 p.m.  
Michigan State at Nebraska.....ESPN 3 p.m.  
Miami at Syracuse.....ESPN2 3 p.m.  
Iowa State at Texas Tech.....ESPNU 3 p.m.  
UTSA at Western Kentucky.....FCSP 2 p.m.  
Oklahoma at Baylor.....ESPN2 5 p.m.  
LSU at Vanderbilt.....ESPNU 5 p.m.  
Wisconsin at Michigan.....ESPN 6 p.m.  
Memphis at Tulane.....ESPNU 7 p.m.  
San Diego State at Colorado State.....ESPNU 9 p.m.  
Arizona State at Stanford.....ESPNU 11 p.m.

### Women's College Basketball

Anderson at Queens.....KCPN 10:30 a.m.  
Kansas State at Baylor.....FSSW 11 a.m.  
West Virginia at Kansas.....FSSW 1 p.m.  
Texas Tech at Oklahoma.....FSSW 3 p.m.  
San Diego at BYU.....BYU 3 p.m.

### X Games

Freestyle skiing, snowmobiling.....KVII 12 p.m.  
Freestyle skiing.....ESPN 8 p.m.

### Auto Racing

Rolex 24 at Daytona.....KCIT 1 p.m.  
Rolex 24 at Daytona.....FS2 3 p.m.  
Rolex 24 at Daytona.....FS1 7 p.m.

### Figure skating

US Championships.....KAMR 2 p.m.  
US Championships.....KAMR 7 p.m.

### College Football

Senior Bowl.....NFL 3 p.m.

### Soccer

Middlesbrough at Manchester City.....FS1 9 a.m.  
West Brom at Birmingham.....FS2 9 a.m.  
Bolton at Liverpool.....FS2 11:30 p.m.  
Concacaf under-20 championship.....FS2 7 p.m.

### Golf

Qatar Masters.....GOLF 3:30 a.m.  
Humana Challenge.....GOLF 2 p.m.  
Champions Mitsubishi Electric Champ.....GOLF 6:30 p.m.

### Boxing/Fighting

UFC Fight Night Prelims from Sweden.....FS1 4 p.m.  
Gustafsson v. Johnson.....KCIT 7 p.m.

### Tennis

Australian Open round of 16.....ESPN2 8 p.m.

### Horse Racing

From Hong Kong.....TVG 11 p.m.  
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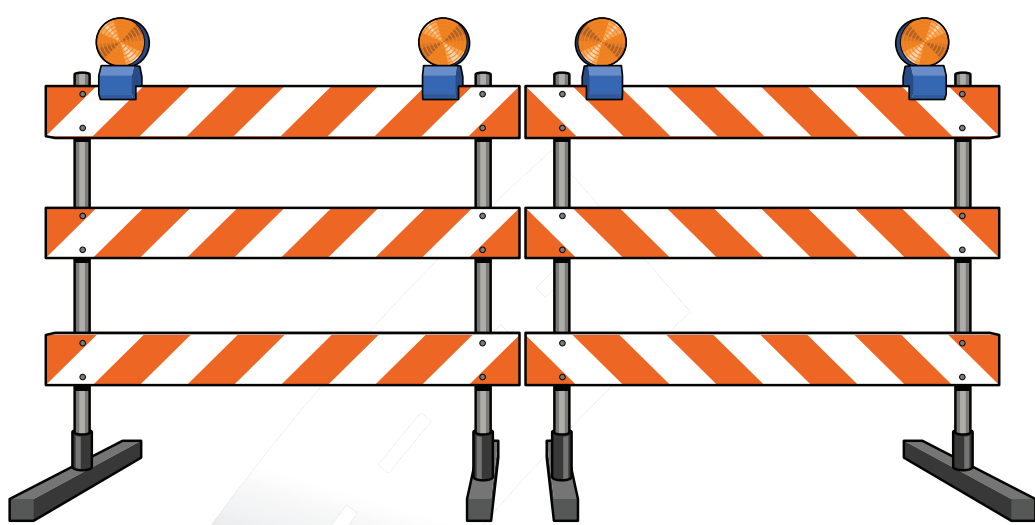
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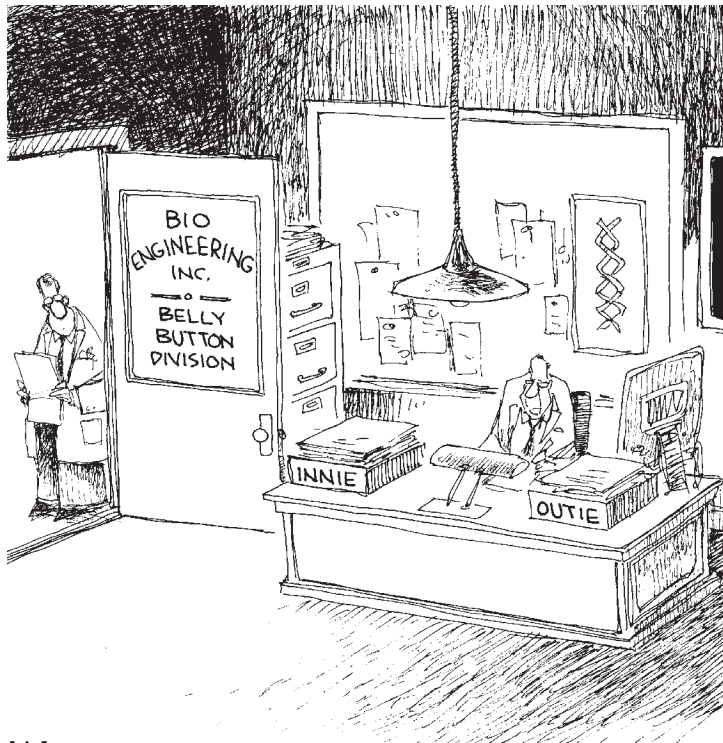


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# DAILY Horoscope

A baby born today has a Sun in Aquarius and a Moon in Aries if born before 8:27 a.m. (PST). Afterward, the Moon will be in Taurus.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Monday, Jan. 26, 2015:

This year you have a strong sense of direction, and you tend to command others' attention and respect. Your home and domestic life will become far more important than in the past. You also might develop a home-based business. If you are single, it will become clear that you won't need to maintain that status. Someone quite special could enter your life sometime soon. If you are attached, your significant other demands a lot of your time. Make it your pleasure. Be careful not to overspend and make an impulse purchase. TAURUS is as stubborn as you are.

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 are likely to indulge a loved one. At the same time, you might want to share a master plan that you would like to try out. Take into consideration the temperament of the person you choose to share with. Tonight: Act as if there were no tomorrow.

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

★★★★★ You'll emerge from the weekend willing to greet whatever heads your way. Someone could drop by or email you with an idea that will be nothing less than inspirational. You might want to say less and listen to others' first impressions. Tonight: Wish upon a star.

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

★★★ You might not feel like your usual sociable self. Make that OK. Pull back and try to find the right solution to a problematic situation. You could be unsure about what to think as you hear others' different ideas. Try to be less spontaneous right now. Tonight: Vanish.

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

★★★★ You could be thinking about how you might want to present a new idea. The words one chooses often tend to be more important than the idea itself. Some people can't seem to get past the words. Be smart. Present a winning idea like it's already won. Tonight: Hang with friends.

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

★★★★ You are in the limelight, and you'll sparkle accordingly. You might not be aware of how much someone else listens to you and is able to respond with equally exciting statements. This person has

an extraordinary imagination. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

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

★★★★ Reach out for more information, especially if you feel as if someone's statement is incomplete. Try to look at the matter from a detached perspective. Someone who cares a lot about you will come through at the last minute. Tonight: Don't trigger a reaction.

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

★★★★★ Deal with a loved one directly. This person will appreciate the attention and the way you interact with him or her. An associate in your daily life might irritate you with an obscure thought. Be polite and listen anyway. Tonight: Chat over dinner.

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

★★★★★ Others come forward, as they have a lot to share. You could be questioning the pros and cons of going along with someone else's idea. Sometimes you need to have this person take the lead; otherwise, he or she might not feel good about relating to you. Tonight: Say "yes."

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

★★★ You are likely to trudge into the day with the mentality of "same old, same old." Of all the signs, you have the best ability to spice up life, so why aren't you doing so? Make a point of not holding back. Tonight: Just be yourself!

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

★★★★ Someone might want to share more news, but you'll need to be up for it. This person could be a child or new friend. You will need to state your limits or time constraints before you give in to his or her whimsical needs. Tonight: Let the party go on.

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

★★★★★ You might feel worn out by what is happening around you. It wouldn't be inappropriate to consider taking the day off. Stay focused, and understand your limits and needs. You will be more resilient and responsive if you take a break. Tonight: Don't stray too far from home.

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

★★★★ Focus on one thing at a time. You could be unusually tired and/or withdrawn. Know that you don't need to share everything that is on your mind. Listen to what others are saying. The conversation could trigger a wild idea. Tonight: Chat with a pal.

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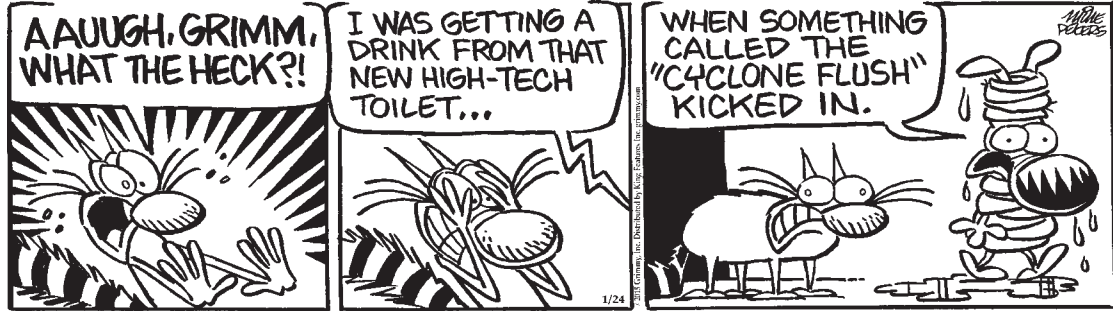
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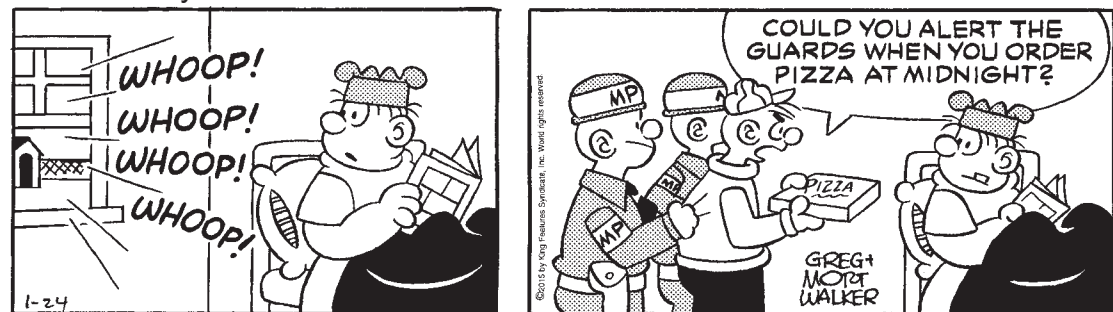
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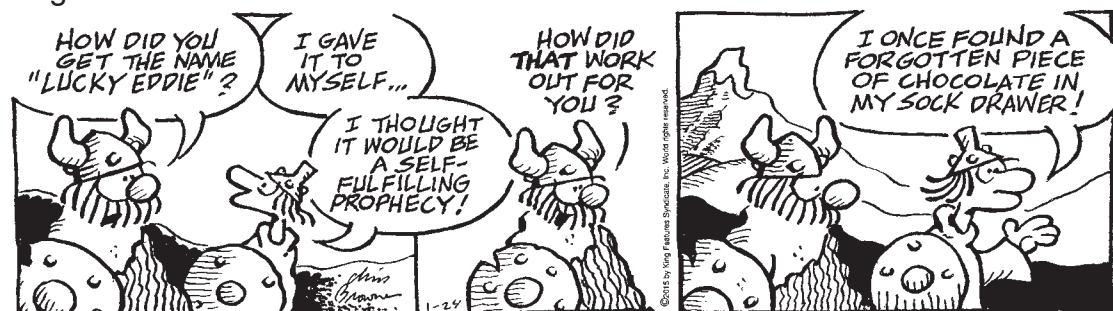
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# THURSDAY'S SNOWY ADVENTURES



Submitted photos  
 Top left, Ariana Gallegos, 7, and Jr. Gallegos, 9, with Jack, their snowman.  
 Top right, Myla and Alondra Zarate building 'Olaf' from Frozen. Above, this picture was taken on Jan. 22. Pictured are cousins, Hudson Scribner, Hope Scribner, Tate LeBlanc, Cy LeBlanc and Hagen Hudson.



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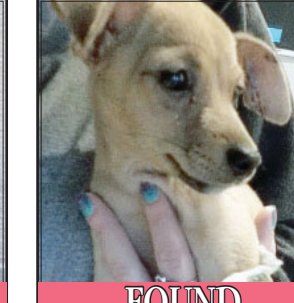


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Chaumont	\$50,000	Residential Lots
Chaumont	\$40,000	Residential Lots
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Lynn St	\$10,500	Residential Lots
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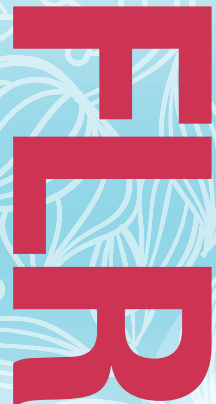
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**BLOW OUT PRICE**  
**\$28,510**





# Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I'm 15. Yesterday, they told our class that one of my friend's parents had died suddenly. Every single person in our grade cried, except for me. I felt bad about not crying for my friend's loss, but I just didn't.

Another friend told me that last night people were texting, and it had been mentioned several times that I wasn't crying and that it looked like I didn't care, even though I do. I feel bad about not crying, but I don't want to lie and say that I did. Please help me. — DRY-EYED IN COLORADO

DEAR DRY-EYED: If you feel that any explanation is called for, simply say that when you heard the news you were so stunned that you couldn't

cry. Your reaction is very common. When bad news is conveyed, some people are just struck numb. Believe me, not everyone who can cry on command is necessarily grieving.

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend, "Chico," and I have been going together for six years. We have discussed marriage, but for the past few months he has become distant and not as loving as he once was. Chico is the dependent type who often needs to be reminded by his parents or me about things he needs to do.

When I asked Chico what was going on, he said he is confused and he thinks he relies too much on his parents and me for direction.

He said he didn't want to break up, but he would like some time alone. He

assured me there is no one else involved and he wants to continue talking on the phone to me once in a while.

I don't know what to do! Should I believe what he is saying about needing time, or do you think this is Chico's way of telling me it's over? — HEARTBROKEN IN HOBOKEN

DEAR HEARTBROKEN: Frankly, I think Chico is trying to break it to you gently that it's over. Wish him well and let him go.

You probably meant well, but the problem with giving someone "directions" is, it prevents that person's own compass from guiding him where he needs to go. Look at it this way: This may be a period of growth for Chico and for you as well.

DEAR ABBY: I have been dating someone over the last two years and our relationship has had a lot of ups and downs. We are in

our 50s and we have both been married before.

The problem is, he thinks he always has to be right. He'll never admit to being wrong. We love each other and spend most of our time together, but every time we have an argument, he calls our relationship off. I am always the one who calls to patch things up. Should I let this relationship go once and for all? — TIRED OF THE DRAMA IN ATLANTA

DEAR TIRED OF THE DRAMA: Yes, I think so. Your gentleman friend has an unhealthy way of dealing with conflict. Unless your idea of a happy marriage is one in which you are always the peacemaker, I doubt it would last.

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AXYDLBAAXR  
is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

1-26 CRYPTOQUOTE

AFSM A W V O C P S D W Z S Y M D G S J V ,  
Q C F J G G I W D Y C A Q L F  
R F W L W H V J R F C . A F S M Q Z J H S C  
P S D W Z S Q M J O S E Y J L S , Q C F J G G  
P S D W M L S M L A Q L F C Q G S M D S .  
— J M C S G J O J Z C  
Saturday's Cryptoquote: TRUTH IS FOUND NEITHER IN THE THESIS NOR THE ANTITHESIS, BUT IN AN EMERGENT SYNTHESIS WHICH RECONCILES THE TWO. — GEORG HEGEL

## BANANAGRAMS!

Each set of letters below is arranged alphabetically, and the ? is in the correct alphabetical position. Figure out what letter the ? represents and rearrange the letters to spell a six-letter word. For example, in AABL?TT the ? could be an L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S or T. Here it represents an N, which can be combined with the other letters to spell BLATANT. We've given you the first letter as a hint.

LEVEL

ADI?RTU  
U

A?ENOPT  
N

ADE?RRU  
E

Yesterday's Answer: ABOUND, FUTILE, CELERY 1.24

## BANANAGRAMS!

Add a C to each of the words below, and then rearrange the letters in each word to form a new five-letter word.

LEVEL

FEAT  
THAW  
TART  
HOME

Yesterday's Answer: UNDERGO, ERODING, READING, DARLING, DIALING, DIGITAL, AGILITY, ABILITY 1.26

## SUDOKU

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

9	2	3	4	8	5	1	6	7
5	6	7	2	1	3	9	4	8
1	8	4	7	6	9	5	2	3
4	5	6	9	3	8	2	7	1
7	1	8	5	2	6	4	3	9
2	3	9	1	7	4	8	5	6
3	4	2	6	9	1	7	8	5
8	7	1	3	5	2	6	9	4
6	9	5	8	4	7	3	1	2

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Level: Advanced

## SUDOKU

Answer to yesterday's puzzle:

6	7	9	2	1	8	4	5	3
4	1	8	3	6	5	9	7	2
5	2	3	7	9	4	8	1	6
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9	4	6	5	8	1	2	3	7
8	3	2	4	7	6	1	9	5
2	6	5	8	3	9	7	4	1
3	9	1	6	4	7	5	2	8
7	8	4	1	5	2	3	6	9

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5		3				4		
	2			3		5		

Level: Beginner

## CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

39 Carry on  
1 Ignored the limit  
5 Sweet treats  
10 Dugout, e.g.  
12 Rust, for one  
13 Broadway backer  
14 Pigeon perch  
15 King of France  
16 CEO's deg.  
18 Carpet feature  
19 Sere-naded  
21 History class topics  
22 Signs of sorrow  
24 "Twilight" writer  
25 Diving descents  
29 Conks out  
30 Rehab target  
32 Sushi choice  
33 Put away  
34 Road sealer  
35 Diploma holders  
37 Hear again

DOWN

1 Battle souvenirs  
2 Succeed  
3 Car part  
4 Female rabbit  
5 Rum mixer  
6 Reduce drastically  
7 Abduct  
8 Whodunit awards  
9 Oozes

11 Shade  
17 Adipose tissue  
20 Toy store section  
21 Globe  
23 Book buyers  
25 Violent  
26 Interact

11 Shade  
27 Miniature  
28 Alarms  
29 "The Re-hearsal"  
31 Secret meeting  
33 Pharaoh symbols  
36 Flop  
38 Corn unit

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9
10				11		12			
13						14			
15				16	17			18	
19			20				21		
	22						23		
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	25	26					27	28	
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32				33			34		
35			36			37	38		
39						40			
41							42		

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## CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

1 Atomizer's output  
5 Go over 21, in blackjack  
9 — Carlo  
10 Door sign  
12 English county  
13 "— Rae"  
14 Consider the same  
16 Make a choice  
17 Istanbul native  
18 Tremors  
21 Glimpse  
22 Pulled gently  
23 Marine mammal  
24 Uncool crowd  
26 Unruly bloc  
29 Business bloc  
30 Naked  
31 Mine rock  
32 Horse-related  
34 Really impressed  
37 Beneath  
38 Soda bottle size  
39 Bakery workers  
40 "Take — Train"  
41 Singer Bennett

DOWN

1 Place for a muezzin  
2 Under-write  
3 Chop-house order  
4 Printed matter  
5 Still of films  
6 First numero  
7 Cox-swain's call  
8 Helped out in an office  
9 Track contests  
11 "Dog-gone!"  
15 Not fluctuating  
19 Hideous  
20 Wisdom bringer  
22 "Of — I Sing"  
23 Sopping  
24 "Dog-gone!"  
25 Holiday ring  
26 Horse with no wins  
27 Cantankerous  
28 Saloon orders  
29 Spring shape  
30 Con game  
33 Throw in the towel  
35 Petite  
36 Memorable time

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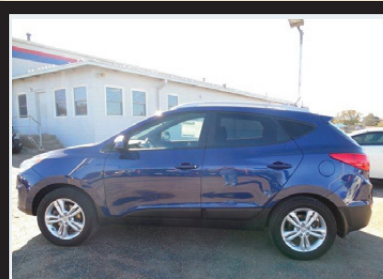
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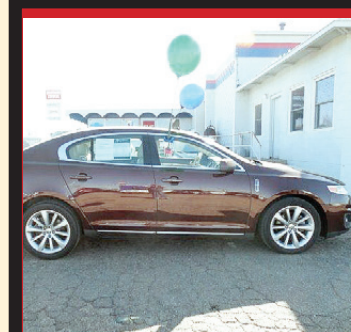
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