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# By land or by sea

*Model plane club to host annual Float and Fly at Comanche Trail Park*

By **THOMAS JENKINS**  
 Staff Writer

Let them come by air or sea — or in this case, Comanche Trail Lake — as the Big Spring Model Aircraft Association prepares for its 15th annual Don McKinney Float and Fly set for Saturday and Sunday.

The annual event, which will be held at Comanche Trail Park near the Dora Roberts Community Center, is expected to take to the skies of the park from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. until “dark-thirty” Sunday, will offer model aircraft pilots and enthusiasts the chance to take off from the waters of the city’s municipal lake.

Don McKinney, who the event was named after several years ago, said the annual BSMAA event is loaded with fun for everyone in the family.

“The Float and Fly is a

**“It’s a family-oriented club. The entire organization is set up for youngsters and adults.”**



McKinney

two-day event,” said McKinney. “The Big Spring Model Aircraft Association is once again putting the event on and there will be exhibitions with all sorts of planes, including flying off of the water.”

And while the event is certainly about going from air to water — and vice-versa — McKinney said there will also be plenty of good food to help keep attendees grounded.

“At noon on both days

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HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

**Big Spring Airport Manager Jim Little points to a ramp area near the airport terminal early today. The airport received a \$90,000 federal grant to finance a seal-coating project on the main runway and taxiways.**

## Grant to fund runway project

By **STEVE REAGAN**  
 Staff Writer

Local pilots can expect minimal disruption from a two-month seal-coating project at McMahan-Wrinkle Airport, officials said.

State Rep. Joe Heflin (D-Crosbyton) announced this week that the city of Big Spring will receive a \$60,000 grant from the



Heflin Little.

Federal Aviation Administration to fund improvements at the airport.

The grant is expected to pay about 90 percent of improvements to the airport’s runway and ramp system, said Airport Manager Jim

According to Heflin, word of the FAA grant came through the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) earlier this week.

“I am delighted that Big Spring received this grant,” Heflin said in a statement. “The airport layout project will enhance the safe-

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Sijing Ye will perform with the symphony Saturday.

## Symphony debut concert set Saturday

**‘Great Classics’ to feature guest conductor, 15-year-old pianist**

By **BILL MCCLELLAN**  
 News Editor

Saturday night is the time to get “In Balance” with the Big Spring Symphony, which opens its four-concert season in the Municipal Auditorium.

“Big Spring Symphony in Balance” is the theme

for this year’s compilation of shows, made up of Great Classics this Saturday, A Symphonic Christmas on Dec. 15, Bringing Europe to America on Feb. 9 and An Evening of Broadway on April 26.

Season tickets are available at First Bank of West Texas, Fayes Flowers,

Blum’s Jewelers, the Heritage Museum, Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce and the *Big Spring Herald*. Season tickets are \$50 for adults, \$30 for senior citizens and \$15 for students. The packet includes four tickets that may be used at any concert. Individual concert tickets are \$15 for



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adults, \$10 for seniors and \$5 for students. Tickets will also be available at the door Saturday. The concert begins at 8 p.m.

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**AROUND TOWN**

Big Spring High School will host Meet the Teacher Night Monday. The evening will include a parent informational meeting in the BSHS Auditorium, 707 East 11th Place, at 6:30 p.m. Parents can meet their child’s teachers following the meeting.

Hangar 25 Air Museum is sponsoring Memorial at the Mall, a brief ceremony honoring local men and women lost in the 9/11 attacks and to the war against terror. The ceremony will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday in front of the yellow ribbons at the Big Spring Mall. The public is encouraged to attend. For more information, contact Hangar 25 at 264-1999.

**VOCAL TRASH COMING**

Vocal Trash will perform a free concert at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 15 in the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The group delivers a blend of oldies, rock and roll and contemporary beats designed for the entire family.

Vocal Trash has played around the nation — including a previous performance in Big Spring.

The concert is sponsored by the Big Spring Convention and Visitors Bureau and Howard College.

Come early and join Howard College in presenting the Battle of the Cheerleaders at 5:30 p.m. and a Community Pep Rally at 6:30 p.m.

**NETWORKING SEMINAR**

A Business to Business Networking Seminar will be conducted from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. Tuesday at the Workforce Network.

Topics of discussion will include:

- What is the Workforce?
- Jobs in Texas
- What can the Workforce Network do for me and my business?

The seminar is free and refreshments will be served. The Workforce Network is located at 501 S. Main, on the second floor of the post office. Tuesday’s seminar is put on by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce Business Development Committee.

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## IN BRIEF

### Big Spring Tennis Boosters meeting

The Big Spring High School Tennis Boosters will hold its monthly meeting at 6 p.m. Monday in the Athletic Training Center.

All parents of Big Spring tennis players from junior high to varsity are invited to attend.

### Howard College cheer camp set

Howard College is holding a mini-cheer camp Sept. 15 at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

The camp is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with registration starting at 8 a.m. Cost is \$25.

Campers need to bring a lunch, water bottle and tennis shoes and will get a chance to meet the Howard College cheerleaders.

All registered participants will perform in the Battle of the Cheerleaders at 5:30 p.m.

### Howard College schedules Battle of the Cheerleaders

Howard College is the place to be Sept. 15.

The Battle of the Cheerleaders will take place at 5:30 p.m. at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

All area high schools have been invited to compete. There will be both cheer and dance competitions.

Top cheer, dance and mascot awards will be presented.

Admission is free for the public, who is invited to stick around after the Battle for a community pep rally.

All area schools and communities are invited to participate. Each school will be given the opportunity to recognize their student athletes.

A spirit stick will be awarded to the community/school showing the most spirit.

### Area high school sports calendar

Here's a look at this week's area high school varsity sports calendar:

**Today**  
Big Spring football at San Angelo Central, 7:30 p.m.

Forsan football vs. Seagraves, Homecoming, 7:30 p.m.

Coahoma football vs. Roscoe, 7:30 p.m.

Grady football at Whiteface, 7:30 p.m.

Stanton football vs. Whiteface, 7:30 p.m.

Sands football at Wilson, 7:30 p.m.

**Saturday**  
Big Spring volleyball vs. Wink/Andrews, 10 a.m. at Howard College

Big Spring cross country at Plainview.

### QB Club meeting set for Monday

The Big Spring Quarterback Club will hold its weekly meeting at 7 p.m. today at the Athletic Training Center.

Contact Denise Carillo at 816-1685 or Frank Stiles at 270-3041 for more details.

## Permian outvolleys Lady Steers

By JONATHAN HULL

Sports Editor

ODESSA — Big Spring's Lady Steers volleyball team definitely put up a fight, however, it was another Class 5A school — Odessa Permian's Lady Panthers — that they just couldn't overcome.

Already down two sets to one in a best-of-five match, the Lady Steers found themselves trailing Permian 22-18 in the fourth set.

However, they would trim the margin to 22-20 with momentum seemingly swinging their way.

The next point was played out by a volley that saw the two teams strike the ball more than 20 times. Unfortunately for Big Spring, it was the Lady Panthers who eventually got the kill. They would serve out the next two points to win the match — 25-16, 24-26, 25-6, 25-20.

Senior Callie Partee and junior Hali Torres led Big Spring with

11 kills each with Partee also accounting for five blocks. Clarissa Carrisalez dug out 16 balls and Whitney Worthan contributed with six kills. Jordan Chesworth was responsible for 31 assists.

The Lady Steers held a narrow lead for much of the last set, but were unable to hold onto it and force the match into a fifth and deciding set.

"We've got to get to the point where we want to win more than

the other team and then take it for our own," said Lady Steers' Head Coach Amanda Whitaker. "We played really well in two of the four games tonight, but we should be playing well in every game. It's a mental thing. We didn't keep our heads in each set."

Whitaker feels that the Lady Steers are just a couple steps away from becoming a more con-

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## Forsan celebrating homecoming against Seagraves

By JEFF LANE

Special to the Herald

For Forsan's Buffaloes, tonight's game with Seagraves' Eagles takes on two significant roles.

Not only is it the Buffs' first home game of the 2007 season, but they will also be celebrating homecoming.

The Buffs (0-1) celebrate Homecoming 2007 tonight as they welcome the District 7-1A Eagles (1-0) to Buffalo Stadium.

The Buffs came out on the losing end last week against the Kermit Yellow Jackets, 30-7, while Seagraves won by a narrow margin over Wink's Wildcats, 15-6.

Seagraves beat Forsan last season, 21-7 for their Homecoming game. This year, Buffs' head coach Tommy Thompson is expecting a different result.

"We had just come off a big win against Kermit last year and were feeling good about our chances," said Thompson. "But we came out flat, or maybe the extra incentive they had with Homecoming just gave them a little more of an edge."

The Buffs hope to take advantage of that same Homecoming edge as they are still trying to find their stride in 2007 with the offense adapting to the new spread look.

"It is coming along, and we did have some success last week," Thompson said. "The drive we had to start the third quarter really showed us we have the personnel and the ability to be successful."

Forsan found the end zone for the first time this year on a touchdown drive that ate up nearly nine minutes of the quarter.



Forsan Buffaloes' running back Jeremy Freitag (right) picks up a block from quarterback Alex Huckabee (16) during game action Aug. 31 against Kermit's Yellow Jackets. Freitag scored the only touchdown in Forsan's 30-7 loss. The Buffs celebrate homecoming tonight at 7:30 p.m. against Seagraves.

Courtesy photo/Bob Fishback

"I believe we will see even more success this Friday against Seagraves," said Thompson. "We matchup with them pretty well and with the game being at our place this year, we should have that extra edge."

Thompson said the Buffs will continue to run a balanced attack on offense, continuing to run out of both the spread and Wing-t.

On defense, Forsan will continue in their base 4-3 scheme, but will continue to try and confuse the

Eagles on offense by shifting players around and blitzing.

"Coach (Dave) Park is always working to improve the defense, throughout the week in practice and on the fly during a game," said Thompson. "We did some things very well last week, but in the end just wore down a little. Our conditioning is getting better and the players understanding of what we are trying to do on defense is quickly improving."

The Eagles enter this

season with a new head coach, Thance Springer, who moved over from Hamlin and will be trying to help his new team defend the 2006 District 7-1A title.

"Seagraves had a tough team last year and they have a lot of experience returning," Thompson said. "Having a new coach may have some effect on the team, but overall it should not be negative. We will have to play exceptionally well to take the win."

"Losing the first game of the season was not the

end of the world," he continued. "Of course we wanted the win and need to get on that track this week. But, four teams in our district lost last week, three won and one did not play. One game into the season does not count anyone out."

Thompson knows homecoming games can give teams incentive to perform well and help them find the intensity and drive to win, but they can be a distraction. However, he said he is not concerned with how the team

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## Steers spotlight: Team captain Jon Smith

By JONATHAN HULL

Sports Editor

No matter the sport, one of the greatest individual honors that a player can receive is to be elected team captain.

That's exactly Big Spring Steers' captain Jon Smith views the accolade.

"It's a much bigger responsibility than what I had last year," said Smith. "I take it personal. It means that I have to do right on the field, in the weight room and in the classroom."

Smith is one of three team captains for the 2007 Steers football team, being joined by seniors Matt Casteneda and Justin Amaro.

First-year Head Coach Mike Ritchey acknowledges Smith as a needed presence on and off the field.

"Jon has been a spark plug for the team," said Ritchey. "He's played well on defense and offense and leads by example. He was very energetic during two-a-days and kept spirits high. We can count on him to lead by his example and not just by rhetoric."

Smith was a starter last season

at offensive tackle, but found himself benched halfway through the season. He feels that a change in the coaching philosophy has helped him step up his game a notch.

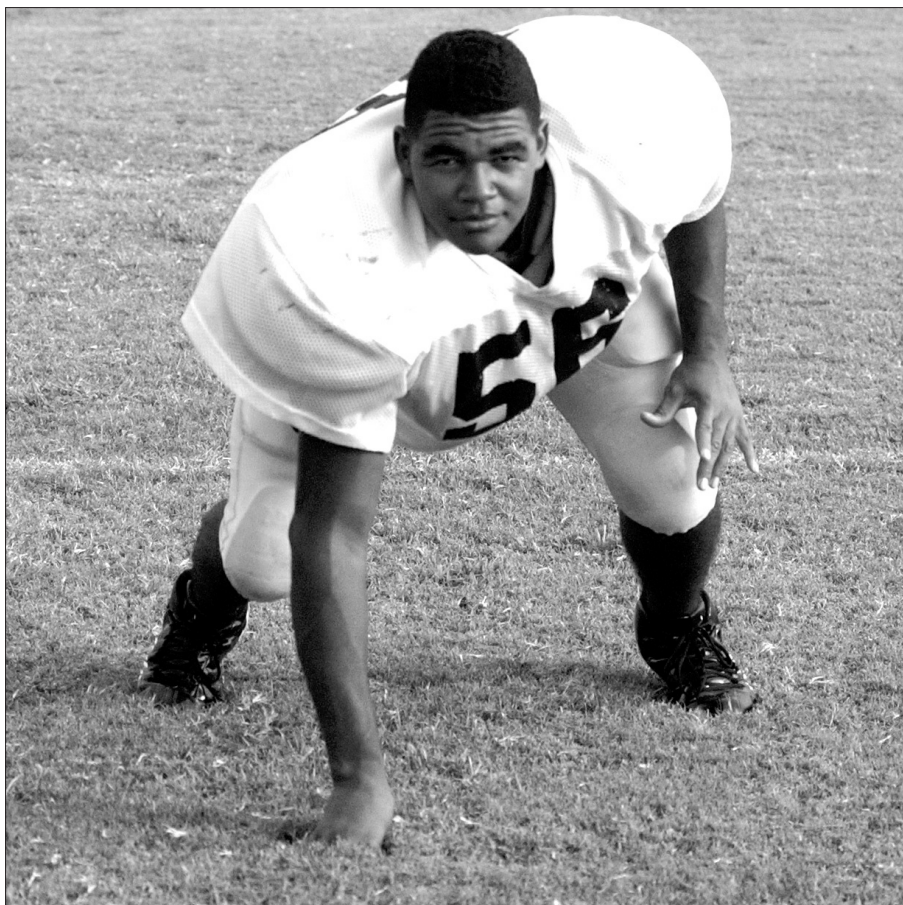
"Last year wasn't very good for me. I felt like I only ever got negative feedback and didn't hear anything positive," said Smith. "Then after our first win at Andrews, I was benched. This year everything is much more positive. The coaches treat me in a more positive manner."

"We have a good team this year," he continued. "We may have lost our first game, but we know what we're capable of. We're better this year because our coaches know how to connect with the players better. They're more encouraging and tell us how to get better without dogging us. That was the problem last year. I'd be told how bad I was doing and it'd just upset me."

This season, Smith starts at both offensive guard and defensive tackle.

"Last week was the first game that I ever played on defense," he

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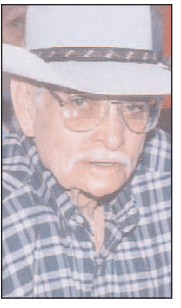
Herald photo/Jonathan Hull

Big Spring's Jon Smith actively carries out his team captain responsibility for the Steers' football team. He and his teammates travel to face San Angelo Central at 7:30 p.m. tonight. Smith believes the Steers will come home with a win.



Obituaries

Pete McKee



Pete McKee, 75, of Lubbock, passed away Sept. 5, 2007, at the Lubbock Heart Hospital. Funeral services will be held on Sat. Sept. 8, at 1 p.m. in the Abbey Chapel at Resthaven Funeral Home. Interment will take place later the same day at 4:30 p.m. in Mount Olive Cemetery in Big Spring. The Rev. Shon Wagner, Pastor of Redbud Baptist Church, will officiate. Visitation will be held Friday, Sept. 7, 2007, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Resthaven Funeral Home.

He was born Nov. 10, 1931, in Vealmoor to parents Effie (Kay) and Carl P. McKee. He grew up in Vealmoor and graduated from high school in Ackerly. He worked for a few years in the oil fields and then started working in feed lot management. In 1960, he moved to Lubbock, where he began working for the S-Ranch. Pete was a hard-working man who loved rodeos, bull-riding and the outdoors.

Survivors include his son, Kenneth McKee of Wolfforth; two daughters and sons-in-law, Kay and Don Holtzclaw of Shreveport, La., and Shae and Ernie McCauley of Idalou; a sister and brother-in-law, Geneva and Alan "Skinny" Higgins of Lubbock; seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family wishes to express their gratitude to Dr. Rudolpho Martinez at the Lubbock Cancer Center and all of Pete's physicians at the Lubbock Heart Hospital.

*Paid obituary*

Lottery

Results of the Cash 5 drawing Thursday night: Winning numbers drawn: 3-8-9-30-31

Results of the Texas Two Step drawing Thursday night: Winning numbers drawn: 2-15-29-33. Bonus Ball: 15.

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday night by the Texas Lottery, in order: 9-3-0.

Police

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Thursday and 7 a.m. today:

- **BRUCE LEE BERNAL**, 23, of 1900 Martin Luther King Blvd. was arrested Wednesday on two local warrants.
- **FRANCES RODRIGUEZ**, 41, of 100 Cottonwood, was arrested Thursday on two local warrants.
- **RUBEN CISNEROS**, 31, of 1011 Lloyd St., was arrested Thursday on four local warrants and a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia.
- **RICARDO GOMEZ**, 47, of 1308 Doran, was arrested Thursday on a parole warrant.
- **LOUIS G. YANEZ**, 28, of 1905 Wasson Road, was arrested Thursday on two local warrants.
- **TIFFNEY TINDOL**, 28, of 2206 Morrison, was arrested Thursday on a local capias warrant.
- **COREY LEE HARRIS**, 27, of 2502 Cheyenne, was arrested Thursday on

two local warrants.

- **VINCENT E. PAR-RAMORE**, 41, of 702 Lancaster, was arrested Thursday on two local citations and charges of failure to identify and driving while license suspended.
- **DAVID W. ROSS-MAN**, 58, transient, was arrested Thursday on a charge of public intoxication.
- **CATISHA DEANNE COOK**, 24, of 538 Westover Road, was arrested Thursday on two local capias warrants.
- **BILLY MANN KIRK**, 61, of 2610 Langley, was arrested Thursday on a local warrant and a charge of public intoxication.
- **RAFAEL CRUZ LOPEZ**, 62, of 508.5 Father Delaney, was arrested Friday on a charge of public intoxication.
- **UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE** was reported in the 1400 block of Tucson.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 400 block of Gregg Street.
- **BURGLARY OF A**

**BUILDING** was reported in the 1100 block of Sixth Street.

• **AGGRAVATED ASSAULT** was reported in the 1800 block of Highway 87.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity:

- Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 60 inmates at the time of this report.
- **MARY JEAN BERRY**, 37, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on a charge of theft by check.
- **GERMAN RODRIGUEZ TRUJILLO**, 45, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on a Florida warrant for fail-

ure to appear.

• **RICHARD DALE SPIVEY JR.**, 27, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a fugitive warrant.

• **ROGER EDWARDS**, 51, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of theft.

• **MARK WILLIAM EDWARDS**, 49, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of theft.

• **RICARDO TOBIAS GOMEZ**, 47, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of violation of parole.

• **DARIN SEAN TUCKER**, 48, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on a charge of public intoxication.

• **ALLEN DARDEN**, 42,

was arrested Friday by the HCSO on charges of failure to display driver's license, no insurance and displaying an expired registration.

Fire/EMS

The Big Spring Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services reported the following activity:

• **MEDICAL** was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to SMMC.

• **MEDICAL** was reported in the 100 block of Colorado. One person was transported to SMMC.

• **MEDICAL** was reported in the 4400 block of Elder. One person was transported to SMMC.

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# Colts trample Saints in NFL's season opener

By MICHAEL MAROT

AP Sports Writer

INDIANAPOLIS — The Indianapolis defense just wanted a fresh start in 2007.

The Colts did far better than that.

A year after becoming the butt of league-wide jokes, Indy's rebuilt defense was dominant Monday night in the NFL season opener, even outscoring last year's top-ranked offense in a 41-10 rout of New Orleans.

"Who cares if they were the No. 1 offense, this is a new year," former Pro Bowl safety Bob Sanders said of the Saints. "That's what we've been saying all along. This is a new defense, a new offense and we did what we had to do. We played physical, smart and fast."

Super Bowl MVP Peyton Manning and his teammates looked like they were in championship form — thanks in large part to the good field position and scoring opportunities the defense provided.

Manning finished 18-of-30 for 288 yards with three touchdowns, and Joseph Addai carried 23 times for 118 yards and a TD. Pro Bowl receivers

Reggie Wayne and Marvin Harrison combined for 11 catches, 198 yards and three TDs — all against Jason David, the former Colts cornerback who left the champions as a restricted free agent in April.

"It was just another day at the office," Wayne said. "I gave him (David) a free touchdown, so I guess that was the appreciation we gave him."

New Orleans (0-1) managed only 293 yards in offense and one field goal. The other score came on David's nifty 55-yard fumble return for a touchdown.

"You couldn't hold the ball against them," Deuce McAllister said after running 10 times for 38 yards. "There are not a lot of Dwight Freeney or Robert Mathises on other teams that pressure you like that."

And New Orleans stumbled all night.

Most expected the Colts' defense to be the greatest obstacle to a repeat as Super Bowl champs, especially after losing four starters from a unit that was the league's worst against the run in 2006.

That certainly wasn't the case on opening night.

With Super Bowl towels and a championship banner waving above the field, the Colts (1-0) showed they are every bit as dominant as last year.

They played fast, aggressive and opportunistic football as they made Pro Bowl quarterback Drew Brees and the Saints' vaunted running tandem of McAllister and Reggie Bush look ordinary.

Freeney, Mathis and their counterparts also managed to keep the Colts close in the first half when the offense staggered. They allowed New Orleans to run only one play in Indy territory during nearly two full quarters, starting midway through the second quarter.

Brees, last year's Pro Bowl starter for the NFC, was 28-of-41 for 192 yards with no touchdowns and two interceptions.

Bush, expected to become more of a focal point of the Saints' offense in his second season, carried 12 times for 38 yards and caught four passes for seven yards.

The lethargic performance was confounding, even to the Saints.

"I think disappointing is more the word for it," coach

Sean Payton said. "Offensively, we struggled in a lot of areas in the first half and that carried over to the second half."

For a while, though, New Orleans had the upper hand.

David's fumble return tied the game at 7, and Olindo Mare's 34-yard field goal midway through the second quarter gave the Saints a 10-7 lead.

But the masterful Manning changed everything.

He led the Colts on five straight scoring drives, starting with one that set up Adam Vinatieri's game-tying field goal with 45 seconds left in the half.

The Saints looked befuddled the rest of the way.

Addai gave the Colts a 17-10 lead with his 2-yard TD run early in the third quarter, and Wayne expanded the margin when he made up for his first-half fumble with a 28-yard touchdown reception three minutes later.

Indianapolis was only getting started.

Linebacker Freddy Keiaho, one of the new starters who played all but one series despite an injured right arm, intercepted Brees to set up Vinatieri's

second field goal, a 33-yarder, that made it 27-10. Wayne kept it going with a 45-yard TD reception to give Indy an insurmountable 34-10 lead with 10:05 to go.

"You saw a flash of what we were capable of in the first half, but Peyton Manning knows all the connections," Saints cornerback Mike McKenzie said. "The big plays were what beat us. It was poor technique on our part. It was a collective effort on our part."

But the defense that gave up a league-worst 173 yards per game during the regular season last year continued to pressure the Saints.

Brees was picked off again in the closing minutes by backup safety Matt Giordano, who ran it back 83 yards for the game's final score.

It seemed a fitting tribute on a night that the defense defied the doubters.

The trick now is to keep playing that way.

"We're not surprised by it because the guys we recruit are fast guys, smart guys and physical guys," Sanders said. "What we have to do now is keep getting better each week."

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will respond.

"Homecoming festivities are everywhere you look this week, with alumni returning and the kids having special activities," Thompson said. "But the guys know they have a football game this Friday and realize that is priority. They have time to enjoy things after they take care of business with the Eagles."

Notes: After losing last week in a lop-sided game to Kermit, the Forsan Buffaloes junior varsity squad stepped up their effort last night against

the Seagraves Eagles.

Although the outcome was the same, the Buffs stayed closer, losing 22-8 in a game coach Brad Batla said gave them something to build on.

"We played much better this week, on both offense and defense," said Batla. "There were many positives that we can carry over into next week when we play Stanton."

Forsan was led on offense by Aaron Valle, who gave the Buffs their only score on a 60-yard dash to the end zone.

Defensively, Batla praised the play of Zane Herrin, who led the team in tackles and was a part of stopping the Eagles' offense numerous times.

## BSHS

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sistent winner.

"Win," said Whitaker when asked what the team needs to build on from their performance in the last set of the match. "Taking it because you want it and just win it. It's what we don't know how to do. The talent is there. These girls know how to play the game. We just need to learn how to win."

"Everything is mental for us right now," she continued. "We can do the physical part of the game, but we don't believe we can do that better than some of the teams we face. It looked a little better tonight, but we obviously still have some work to do."

The Lady Steers will try to get on the winning path starting at 10 a.m. Saturday in a dual match against Wink's Wildcats and the Andrews Mustangs at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum. Whitaker says not letting

their opponents get them down will be key for Big Spring.

"I'm proud of the way we stayed in some of the match tonight, but we need to be in the entire game," she said. "We let other teams shut us down. Like tonight against Permian, we won a set and then were completely out of the following one. We got shut down individually. It's something that has to be avoided."

"Wink and Andrews are two very good teams, but we can beat them," Whitaker continued. "It's a mental thing for us. There were several teams we could compete with this season. Now it's time for us to believe that we can."

## SMITH

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said. "I've never gotten the chance to do it before. I was always told I don't tackle well enough. It's a transition going both ways. I only get a couple of minutes rest during the kickoffs. I've had to work hard at getting better endurance."

He credits his hard work in the weight room — he squats 500 pounds and benches more than 300 pounds — and the change in the coaching regime for the success he's finding on the field his senior year.

However, although

Ritchey has made the move from head principal to athletic director and head football coach, Smith still has a tough time calling him Coach Ritchey.

"I still call him Mr. Ritchey," joked Smith. "I can't help it. That's who he is to me. He's obviously my coach, but I just know him at Mr. Ritchey. I can call the other Coach (Phillip) Ritchey by that name, but there will always be a Mr. Ritchey to me as well. I always call him that and he just looks at me strangely. I just shrug my shoulders and say sorry."

Despite his inability to call the man coach, Smith

believes that the Steers will see great things if Ritchey remains in control of the football team.

"We have a lot of talent and speed," said Smith. "Last year we did a lot of bickering amongst ourselves. We work together this season. We get along well. That's because we have good coaches that actually want to be here and coach us. They're positive role models."

"If Mr. Ritchey stays here then this team could go a long way in the next few years," he continued. "We could be winning state in '08. I really believe we're that good."

As for picking up a win tonight against San

Angelo, Smith feels that himself and his offensive line mates need to step up and perform cohesively.

"We've got to work together better and get our blocks," he explained. "If we can gain more confidence in what we're doing then we can give the quarterbacks time to throw and the running backs lanes to run in. That would really help us a lot."

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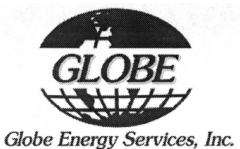
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**Tomorrow's Horoscope**

**BY HOLIDAY MATHIS**

As a kid, you scared away the monsters in your closet by switching on the lights. Some lessons are still that simple. We all need protection from the dark. As Pluto moves forward from retrograde, we can face our fears and find our strengths by pondering the wisdom of a Maori proverb, "Turn your face toward the sun and the shadows fall behind."

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). Your stars seem intent on reminding you exactly what it is you wanted to do when you grew up. And if you're even a little bit off the mark, you'll be inspired to figure out how you can get back to the heart of it.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Nothing goes on without you these days. You're right in the thick of an interesting situation — the kind that will be talked about for weeks or even months to come. Knowing this, you act with impeccable decorum.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). Your smile is charismatic. You can make even the stiffest person go lightheaded — and, even better, lightheaded. Be careful whom you snag with your irrepressible charm.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). Be discerning. Remember the lessons you learned last month. Make an attempt to get to know the kind of people who have a reputation for being both honest and smart.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Is it true that the only way to get rid of a temptation is to give in to it? The safest way is to do this mentally instead of actually. In your mind's eye, follow a potential action to the consequences it will most surely bring.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You're surrounded by peacocks — people who dress to impress. Meanwhile, a casual style will make you stand out. Roll up your sleeves, undo a button, and enjoy the attention you get.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). If you're not sure you are supposed to be there, don't go. Singles are at risk of being seduced into the classic pattern of looking for love in all the wrong places. Even so, the right people may still show up.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). As partners travel the road of life, one thing they don't need is a backseat driver. There are some things that can only be worked out solo. However, you can apply that fantastic advice to your own life with happy results.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The ego bruises that were inflicted in your past may smart a touch now. When your soul needs a bandage, try to reach for something other than chocolate.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). Be flexible. There is a way that everyone can get what he or she want — if not exactly as each imagined it, then some close version. Capricorn cannot resist your easygoing maturity.

**WEEKEND FORECAST:** **LOVE** You're feeling sociable, and why not? Your relationships are officially on the upswing, and your confidence is full tilt. **TAURUS:** Back on the range, the home front settles down, restoring your equilibrium. **MOOD** lighting creates domestic romance. **GEMINI:** Happy days are here again. A quick getaway is only a hop, skip and jump away. **CANCER:** A delicious craving takes all your willpower to resist. Cave in. You only live once. **LEO:** You've got your groove back. Others are noticing the new-and-improved you. **VIRGO:** Let someone play the hero for a change, and receive a noble act from your everyday knight in shining armor. **LIBRA:** Admiration is one-way — mutual admiration is better. Hang with allies who reflect your best by being their best. **SCORPIO:** You believe in happy endings. Release old relationships and new ones flourish. **SAGITTARIUS:** They're so impressed by you, you're considering enlisting them as your personal agents. **CAPRICORN:** Tap into your innate wellspring of well-being. Play with your passions by sharing them. **AQUARIUS:** Someone's caught in a compromising position. But he or she wants to make it right, and you're holding the cards. **PISCES:** Yo-yo diets and yo-yo relationships are doomed. Make a decision.

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CrownQuest Operating, LLC, c/o Box 953, Midland, Texas 79702 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced formation water/fluid into a formation that is productive of oil or gas. The applicant proposes to dispose of fluids into the San Andres/Clearfork (formation), Brennan (lease), Well Numbers 5, 10 & 11. The proposed injection wells are located 11.5 miles SW direction From Westbrook, in the latan, East Howard field, in Mitchell County. Fluid will be disposed into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2300 to 3300 feet. **LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil & Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil & Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, TX 78711-2967 (Telephone (512)463-6815). #5506 September 7, 2007

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• **SATURDAY, COAHOMA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** will host the Coahoma Community Cook-Off featuring local churches of all denominations. "Feeding the Hungry in Coahoma" is the theme and the day will include food, fun and music. The cook-off begins at 5 p.m. at the Coahoma City Park. All Coahoma residents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

• **BIG SPRING HIGH SCHOOL WILL HOST MEET THE TEACHER NIGHT**, Monday, Sept. 10. The evening will include a parent informational meeting in the BSHS Auditorium, 707 East 11th Place, at 6:30 p.m. Parents can meet their child's teachers immediately following the meeting. Opportunities to win door prizes will take place throughout the evening.

• **A FUND HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED** for David English of Snyder, who was recently injured on the job in Big Spring and is in critical condition at Covenant Hospital in Lubbock. Donations can be made at American State Bank, 1411, S. Gregg St., Big Spring.

• **A CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION CLASS** will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sept. 15, at the OB Classroom at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. The instructor will be Laurie Burks, RN. Snacks and lunch will be provided. To register, call (432) 268-4550.

• **MARANATHA BAPTIST ACADEMY** still has openings in kindergarten through 12th grade. For more information, call 263-7696 or come by 903 Johnson St.

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**OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE A PHOTO** of bluebonnets, with proceeds going toward the Boyce Hale Scholarship — a \$500 scholarship presented to a Forsan High School senior. For more information, contact Jimmy Anderson at 264-2546 or go by Professional Pharmacy at 1000 Main St.

• **ST. MARY'S AND FRIENDS OF ST. MARY'S ARE HOLDING A LAP BLANKET DRIVE** to place approximately 400 lap blankets in the hands of every nursing home patient in Big Spring. Blankets can be taken to the church office, 1001 Goliad, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Monday through Friday or call Connie Fowler at 267-2713.

A beginning crochet class is being held at 6 p.m. Wednesday in the church's Parish Hall.

• **CHRIST COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP IS COLLECTING INFANT CAR SEATS AND CARRIERS.** These are given to new mothers who cannot afford them. To donate your old or new car seats and carriers, call Karen Allen at 263-3517 or leave a message at Christ Community Fellowship, 263-love. All donations are appreciated.

• **ROAD TO RECOVERY**, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, seeks volunteers to drive cancer patients to treatment in Midland. This requires just a few hours commitment each month. To volunteer, or to request a ride for treatment, call Nancy Koger at 267-7809.

• **NEW LIFE MINISTRIES** Church of God In Christ is holding a soup kitchen every second and fourth Tuesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at 204 N.W. 10th.

# Weather

Tonight...Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Some thunderstorms may be severe in the evening. Lows in the upper 60s. Southeast winds 10 to 15 mph.

Saturday...Mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the lower 90s. South winds around 10 mph.

Saturday night...Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 60s. Southeast winds around 10 mph.

Sunday...Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s. Southeast winds 10 to 15 mph.

Sunday night...Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 60s.

Monday...Mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s.

Monday night...Mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 60s.

Tuesday...Mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Not as warm. Highs in the upper 70s.

Tuesday night...Partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 50s.

Wednesday...Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 80s.

Wednesday night...Partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 60s.

Thursday...Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 80s.

# FLY

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we'll have a brisket lunch, which is being prepared by Robert Walker, who just does an outstanding job with the brisket," said McKinney. "He has that brisket thing down to a fine art. He can throw them on the smoker and knows just how much wood to load in there, and then just go to bed. When he gets up in

the morning, they're ready, and those briskets are some of the best anywhere, there's no doubt about it. Plates are \$5 and we want to invite the public to come out and have lunch with us."

McKinney said the Float and Fly is also an excellent chance for people to learn more about radio controlled model aircraft.

"We welcome anyone who is interested in it to come visit with us," he said. "You can pick up

what's called an 'ARF' kit — almost ready to fly — for about \$125. By the time you get a good transmitter and the rest of the things you need, you're looking at spending approximately \$375 to \$400. A lot of the time you can also find used planes for sale by pilots that are looking to upgrade, as well, and you can pick those planes up at some really good prices.

"It's a family-oriented club. The entire organiza-

tion is set up for youngsters and adults. The rules that we use don't allow any alcohol or drugs in it, so it's a really good hobby for the entire family to enjoy."

McKinney said the funds raised help cover the operating costs of the model aircraft association, and offers area residents the chance to learn more about the hobby.

"The funds we raise will go to the operation of the club," said McKinney.

"This is one of our biggest fund raisers of the year and it helps us perpetuate things. If someone is interested in flying, they will get the chance to talk to people who have been involved with model aircraft for sometime.

For more information on the Float and Fly, contact McKinney at 399-4793.

Contact Staff Writer Thomas Jenkins at 263-7331 ext. 232 or by e-mail at [citydesk@bigspringherald.com](mailto:citydesk@bigspringherald.com).

# GRANT

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ty, capacity and security of McMahon-Wrinkle Airport, and the FAA grant will allow the improvements to be made at a cost to the city of only 10 percent of the total esti-

mated project costs."

Little said the grant has been in the works for some time, but final approval will allow crews to begin work on the project.

He noted the project will include seal-coating work on runways and the main ramp area near the airport terminal.

"They are just completing the engineering on the project now," Little said. "And they could be totally finished with the project within the next six weeks to two months."

Little said the project was designed so that there will be minimal disruption to flight operations at the airport.

"There will be very little impact," he said. "At most, we expect the runway to be shut down for a day as we work on it."

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# SYMPHONY

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Saturday's concert will feature two special guests, John Giordano and Sijing Ye.

Giordano will be conducting the orchestra in its season debut. Selections will include Lizst's "Piano Concerto No. 1," Respighi's "Ancient Airs and Dances" and Stravinsky's "Firebird Suite."

"He has had a very colorful and interesting career, working with many of the world's premier orchestras and artists," Big Spring Symphony Conductor and Director Keith Graumann said of Giordano, conductor emeritus of the Fort Worth Symphony

Orchestra and the Fort Worth Chamber Orchestra.

Also that evening, Ye, a 15-year-old prodigy from China will perform as guest pianist. She won the 2007 Aspen Piano Concerto Competition, and is the youngest winner in the history of the competition.

Also to be performed during the opening concert are Wagner's "Meistersinger Overture," and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy.

"I believe we have a wonderful season lined up. I'm very excited about it," said Graumann. "Bring your friends and family. I think you'll be thoroughly entertained."

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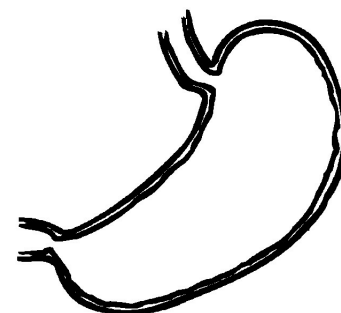
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*We recognize these special people for working to help make our region a better place to live, work and play*

*This week we salute:*

• Big Spring Independent School District, which distributed more than 1,000 laptops to high school students this week.

• Defending state champion Big Spring High School cross country team on winning the ACU Invitational in Abilene Saturday, their first meet of the year.

• Gloria Garlby, Tyler Phillips and Briana Thurman, on being awarded \$1,000 academic scholarships from the Rotary Club of Big Spring.

• Sgt. Shannon White, subject of the Herald's Troop Salute feature, which began in Thursday's edition.

• Forsan High School Homecoming nominees Tara Kuykendall, Kaela Strickland, Rowena Suazo and Rachael Wheeler, all seniors. Good luck tonight, ladies!

• The Big Spring Symphony and Symphony Guild, on the successful dinner held Thursday to get the new season under way. Don't forget, the first performance is 8 p.m. Saturday at the Big Spring Municipal Auditorium. Tickets can be purchased at the Herald and other locations throughout the community, or at the door Saturday night.

*Is there an individual or organization in our community that you feel should be saluted? If so, please send us their name and why you think they should be recognized. We must have your name and telephone number and you must provide it in writing.*

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## A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

*May we get as much done for You, Lord, as we can while we are on this earth.*

Amen

# Serious business for the British

In the past seven years I've been either to or through England 19 times on various missions trips. I love the history and public transportation but let me tell you, England is not as free as you might think. It's a place full of great people that live in real difficulty. Did you know that they have a television tax there? The Brit television police go around with a gadget and if they catch you watching television and not paying taxes for the privilege, they bust ya.



TROY BREWER

### The Texas Tea Party

Did you know that they tax you for the privilege of driving into London? Did you know that Gas is over \$10 bucks a gallon? It cost me \$22.00 for a single movie ticket and nearly all of that cost is sales tax! The bottom tax for income is 42 percent. The rat race that is London, England, happens because of the pressure to pay so much for so little and it's all taxes.

It seems somebody needs to rebel but then I remember we did back in '76. So the whole time I am in England, I can't help but think of that scene in Shanghai Knights where Owen Wilson turns to the camera and says, "This country blows!"

### Depressingly True

When I heard last week that actor Owen Wilson had attempted suicide, my heart broke for him. I can't stand hopelessness. I utterly detest what this world does to people and the hurt people have.

It seems there have been a lot of

high profile people that have given up on life lately. Fame, fortune, houses, and huge opportunities all come with a price tag that has multiple layers of teeth.

Owen slit his wrists because he wanted relief from something. Britney Spears recently checked into rehab, shaved her head, wrote 666 on her forehead and tried to hang herself with a bed sheet. Lindsay Lohan cut her wrists and Halle Berry gassed herself in a car. Tom Jones recently said that he had considered jumping in front of a train in London.

So where do you look up to for help when you are already living at the top? This is a question a lot of top entertainers are not able to answer, it seems. Do you remember what the Beatles sang in their worldwide cry for help?

"Help me if you can, I'm feeling down and I do appreciate you being round. Help me, get my feet back on the ground, won't you please help me. Help, I need somebody, Help, not just anybody, Help, you know I need someone, help."

I wish I had the chance to speak to Brother Owen privately. I would tell him that he is not near as alone as he thinks he is. There is someone who knows what its like to be him and He is within arms reach. When you have a real personal encounter with the God that promises He is right here with us, you get courage to face those menacing insurmountable odds.

Hebrews 13:5-6

"He has said, I will never leave thee nor forsake thee. So that we may boldly say the Lord is my helper and I will not fear what man shall do unto me."

I would tell him that death is not

the solution, but life is the solution. Being tormented by death and thinking that death is the answer is like somebody being plagued by debt and thinking a million dollar mortgage is the way out.

I would encourage him to quit thinking relief and start thinking, "Overcoming Victory." I would encourage him by saying there is real tangible help and a real hope for very real change through Christ.

Psalms 37:40

"And the LORD shall help them, and deliver them: he shall deliver them from the wicked, and save them, because they trust in him."

God is right here, if we could just grasp the reality of it.

Psalms 46:1

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."

I wish I could tell him how sorry I am that things are so bad and how sorry I am he has lost hope for things better. I also would want to scream at him, "You are not too messed up to have a better future!" The cry of Christianity is, there is hope that comes from one who was never messed up. There is a solution beyond our malfunction.

Owen probably won't ever read this — but you are. If you are battling crises and don't know where to turn you can call the national suicide hotline 1-800-784-2433. You can also contact us at Open Door Ministries at 817-297-6911.

God Sees you, loves you and wants you to be healed.

It's no coincidence He had you read this.

*The Rev. Troy Brewer welcomes your comments. E-mail him at FFTB@OpenDoorMinistries.org.*



# Housing not a priority anymore

During the Depression, most folks were poor. It was awful. Home was often shabby, but at least there was a camaraderie about it. President Franklin D. Roosevelt finally put some money into public housing and became a hero. Then came the Big War and virtually no more dwellings went up. A desperate shortage arose, and when the feds started building again in 1946 it was a joyous time.

Of course in those days the tenants were mostly white (read: "deserving"), and public support for assisted housing was strong. In the North, blacks were relegated to slums and in the South to shanties.

But times change. Over the decades, often with a push from urban renewal, blacks and Latinos gradually filled up those subsidized units. And somewhere along the way, possibly with the invention of the house trailer, a tipping point was reached and whites wouldn't even apply anymore. Their home might be physically deplorable, but at least it wasn't a "project."

Politics followed suit. Once popular, public housing became anathema. Money for new units gradually dried up and money for maintenance soon dwindled. It wasn't long before cities began tearing down decayed units. Sometimes they'd put up one new unit for every four demolished, sometimes not.

But eventually another fine program came along in public housing's place: Section 8. No one has ever heard of Sections 7 or 9, but 8 was a winner. It subsidizes landlords to take in low income tenants who meet state and federal qualifications. For a while, it kept myriad condo booms alive when sales were slow.

Part of the genius of Section 8 is that the landlords select their own tenants. Naturally, they are not allowed to discriminate racially, but surely, no one would think of doing that in any case. Still, as you might expect, black tenants have a way of ending up in black buildings and white tenants in white buildings. Indeed my own cousin even now lives upstairs over J. Crew. Nature takes its course.

Unfortunately, however, support for all subsidized housing has now wilted. Whether black, white, Latino, homeless, disabled, big family, little family, young, or ancient, our attention has "moved forward" to other things. We have police and security and college and wars to worry about. Suffering citizens without a decent place to live are a sadness, but then there's never enough money

for everything, is there?

Nor enough tolerance. Suburbs contrive zoning regulations to make sure that apartments and trailers are no longer allowed. If Earl wants to clean our school, or Jose wants to trim our hedge, they'll just have to buy a jalopy so they can get out here from the city or in from the farm.

Yes, there are towns with a conscience. Their latest terminology is "workforce housing." It speaks of police officers, firefighters and teachers. Very sympathetic figures. To the degree that this works, it forces developers to make provision for folks in those pay ranges.

Poor folk though, are just out of luck. And the homeless are fortunate merely to find a bunk in the shelter, let alone a room at the SRO.

Welfare reform has increased destitution and hardship, health care reform has left more low-income people sick, and illegal immigration has stiffened competition for bum dwellings and lousy jobs. Maybe we need another depression to restore some public compassion, since America seems remarkably immune to most compassion just now.

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# Church News

## College Baptist Church

All senior adults are invited to a special evening of music and fellowship Sept. 13 at 6 p.m. Following a potluck meal, the group will enjoy a program of music by Bob and Marla Rainwater.

Church members have the opportunity to donate items for "Christmas in August" sponsored by the GA girls. The project will benefit the ministry of Wade and Carol Pacheco of Fort Collins, Colo.

A number of programs for young people, as well as prayer meeting/Bible study, are scheduled every Wednesday at 7 p.m.. These include Wee Singers, King's Kids and Wednesday Night Live. For information, inquire at the church office, 267-7429.

## St. Mary's Episcopal Church

The new fall schedule begins Sunday with Holy Communion celebrated at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Christian Education for all ages starts at 9:30 a.m.

The youth will have their annual bowling and pizza party this Sunday after the 10:30 a.m. service. Meet in the Parish Hall for some yummy food and then we're off to the Bowl-A-Rama for some fun.

St. Mary's Vestry will meet Monday at 6 p.m. in the library. The planning committee has its meeting Tuesday at 6 p.m. in the church office.

For more information about St. Mary's, call 267-8201 or visit [www.stmarysbt.org](http://www.stmarysbt.org). St. Mary's is located at 1001 S. Goliad.

## Friends of Unity

On Thursday, millions of peacemakers one in the love of God with hearts united will establish greater harmony and peace in our lives and in the world as we participate in Unity World Prayer Day.

## Salem Baptist Church

Salem Baptist Church invites you to join us this coming Sunday for Cowboy Church. Dress western and join us for Sunday school at 10 a.m.,

morning worship and Children's church at 11 a.m. There will be a noon fellowship meal. Evening service will be at 6 p.m. A nursery is available for all Sunday services. Wednesday evening prayer meeting is held at Parkplace at 6 p.m.

Salem is pastored by Bro. Monroe Teeters and is located at the corner of Salem Road and Old Colorado City Highway. For further information, call 394-4655.

## First United Methodist Church

This will be Celebration Sunday at First United Methodist Church. We will be celebrating the children's ministry under the direction of Joyce Willis. The children and their teachers will greet visitors in their classrooms during the Sunday school hour and then at the second service of worship children ages 3 thru 6th grade will be recognized. The second graders will all be receiving the gift of a very special Bible. The celebration continues in the afternoon with acolyte training at 4:45 and G.I.G at 5 p.m. All 4th, 5th and 6th graders are welcome to GIG's fun-time in Youth Hall.

Kid's Club for youngsters first grade through fourth will start Tuesday, Sept. 11, at 3:30 pm. Call Joyce at the church to sign up your children for any of these activities at 267-6394.

The Children's Choir will begin their fall schedule with Miz Stacy on Sunday, Sept. 23 at 4 p.m.

You are cordially invited to join First Methodist's Chancel Choir and/or the Handbell Choir. For information or to RSVP, contact Jim Wright at the church office.

There will be a new Beth Moore Bible Study this fall; titled "A Woman's Heart - God's Dwelling Place." For more information or to register for this class, contact Joyce Choate at 393-5722.

It's time to start baking those pies, cakes and casseroles for our Lord's Acre bake sale "Mission Delicious." That's just

one part of a full day of fun that benefits the Lord's work and it's scheduled Saturday, Oct. 6 - "Mission Possible 2007."

Services of worship are at 8:30 and 10:50 a.m. each Sunday with Sunday school at 9:45. Mid-week Bible study and luncheon are at noon on Wednesday in Garrett Hall. You are welcome to any and all of these activities and we thank you for your interest and continued prayers for our pastor Shane Brue as he fights his battle with cancer.

## Birdwell Lane Baptist Church

Blessings to you and your family. If you do not have a church home we invite you to visit us at 1512 Birdwell Lane. Sunday worship is at 10:55 AM and 5 p.m. A nursery is provided. Mid-week services are at 7 p.m. Wednesday. If you need a ride call 264-9924 or 267-7157.

During this Sunday evening service on Grandparents Day there will be a special service for all grandparents. Happy Grandparents Day.

We will have Childrens Church during Sunday morning service for ages 4-9. There will be lessons, crafts and music.

For further information, call 267-7157 or 267-8214.

## Coahoma United Methodist Church

Saturday, Coahoma United Methodist Church will host the Coahoma Community Cook-Off featuring local churches of all denominations. "Feeding the Hungry in Coahoma" is the theme and the day will include food, fun and music. The cook-off begins at 5 p.m. at the Coahoma City Park. All Coahoma residents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Sunday, the Rev. Donita Lea will continue her series reporting on her recent trip to Israel. Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:45 followed by morning worship services

at 11 a.m. All are invited to join us as we worship in song and in scripture as we learn more about Israel.

Wednesday, Sept. 12, Youth will be meeting for worship/study at 6 p.m. and the Praise Band and choir rehearsal will be at 7p.m. All ages are encouraged to come to choir rehearsal as we praise the Lord in song.

Ministry Team will be meeting on Thursday, Sept. 13, at 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Coahoma United Methodist Church is located at 401 N. Main.

## First Baptist Church

This Sunday is "Coming Home Sunday" at First Baptist Church in Big Spring. We invite everyone to come celebrate with us. Our pastor, the Rev. Ken Coffee, will tell us how to "Choose Your Future." There will be a luncheon in the Family Life Center following the morning worship for a nominal fee.

At 6 p.m., the Children's Ministry will begin an evening worship for children called "Worship KidStyle." They will meet in the chapel while the adults are meeting in the sanctuary. If you have a child who falls into the range of a kindergartener through 6th grade, bring them Sunday evening for this meaningful time of kid worship.

Our pastor is presenting a study in the Gospel of Matthew that will concentrate on the life issues developed within this gospel's message Sunday and Wednesday evenings. Sunday evening's sermon is "The Wealth That Lasts."

As our church moves forward to serve our Lord and this community, we want to let you know that First Baptist Church is seeking to call a full-time youth minister to our church. The youth are excited. The whole church is excited. Our youth workers have been doing a wonderful job of keeping our youth ministry alive, and we are

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thankful for them and their time spent serving the youth, the church, and, most of all, the Lord.

It is our hope that everyone is involved in a body of Christ somewhere in our city. If you have not yet found a place to serve, come home ... come home to First Baptist Church, 705 W. FM 700.

## North Birdwell Lane United Methodist Church

The Angel Food Ministry of North Birdwell Lane United Methodist Church will be accepting orders with cash payment on the following dates: Today until 6 p.m.; Saturday from 11 a.m.-4 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 14, 11 a.m.-6 p.m.; and Saturday, Sept. 15, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Food delivery will be Saturday, Sept. 29 from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Please note the change in time to pick up your order. For more information, call 267-2203 or 267-4082.

The church members will be staffing a booth at the Howard County Fair again this year. The dates are Sept. 26 through Sept. 29. Literature, bibles and other fun items will be given away. There will be a drawing each evening for a special prize. Make plans to stop by and visit and to register for a prize.

If you have a church home, attend Sunday; if you are looking for a church, we invite you to attend services beginning at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday. There are Sunday school classes beginning at 10:30

a.m. and an evening service at 5 p.m. North Birdwell Lane UMC is located at 2702 North Birdwell Lane.

## St. Paul Lutheran Church

Worship services are at 9 a.m.; Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 10:15 a.m.

This Sunday is Rally Day when the children will be promoted to their new classes. The new fall program is called "Growing in Christ." This program will start with the installation of teachers. There will be a joint Sunday school opening led by Bruce Schooler, superintendent. Pins will be given to everyone.

This year we will have two adult Bible classes. Pastor Frost will be leading the study of Corinthians. David Carlile will be leading "Growing in Christ" for adults. There will be Sunday school classes for all ages, pre-kindergarten to adult, with all studying the Concordia program this year of "Growing in Christ." Parents and children will be able to study this at their own levels.

At 11:30 a.m. there will be a picnic/pot-luck at Park and Putt miniature golf. Please come, bring friends and food. Enjoy this once a year celebration. Teachers will provide games and prizes. Putt Putt golf will be available. Drinks and utensils will be provided.

August 23 will be "Bring a friend to Church and Sunday School Day."

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1. You are declarer with the West hand at Five Diamonds. The bidding has been:

West	North	East	South
1♦	2♣	3♦	4♣
4♦	Pass	5♦	

North leads the king of clubs. How would you play the hand?

West	East
♠ A K J 7	♠ Q 10
♥ 8 5 2	♥ K 6 4
♦ Q J 9 8 6 3	♦ A 10 7 5 2
♣ —	♣ Q 8 3

2. You are declarer with the West hand at Six Spades, and North leads the queen of hearts, which you ruff. When you next play the ace of spades, North discards a low heart. How would you continue?

West	East
♠ A K Q 10 7 3	♠ 5 4
♥ —	♥ K 9 6 2
♦ A Q 8 6	♦ K 7
♣ Q 10 2	♣ A K J 9 4

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1. Ruff the club, lead the queen of diamonds and finesse if North follows low. If the finesse succeeds, you score 12 tricks by playing another round of trumps and cashing four spades, discarding two hearts from dummy.

If the diamond finesse fails, losing to the singleton king, you're still on firm ground, since the only tricks you can lose are a diamond and a heart. (If North shows out on the queen-of-diamonds lead, you put up dummy's ace and run your spades to assure 11 tricks.)

If you did not take the diamond finesse, the contract would go down if North turned up with the K-x of trumps and a doubleton spade, and South had the ace of hearts.

2. Cross to dummy with a club, finesse the ten of spades, cash the K-Q and run the clubs until South ruffs with his last trump. That is the only trick you will lose. Played this way, you are certain of the slam, come what may.

Even if South had no clubs and ruffed the first club lead, you would still prevail by later leading a diamond to the king and taking the marked trump finesse.

The trap to avoid is entering dummy with a diamond at trick three instead of a club. If South had ♠ 19862 ♥ Axxx ♦ xx ♣ xx, you would lose the slam by crossing to dummy with a diamond first since South could then prevent you from ever discarding your fourth diamond on a club.

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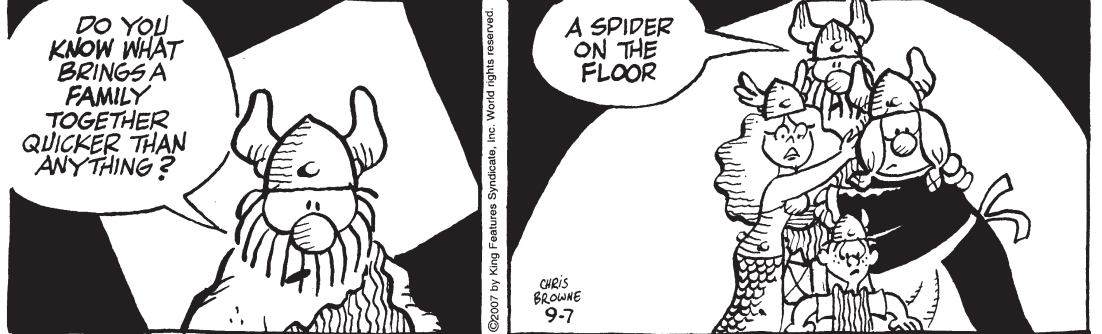
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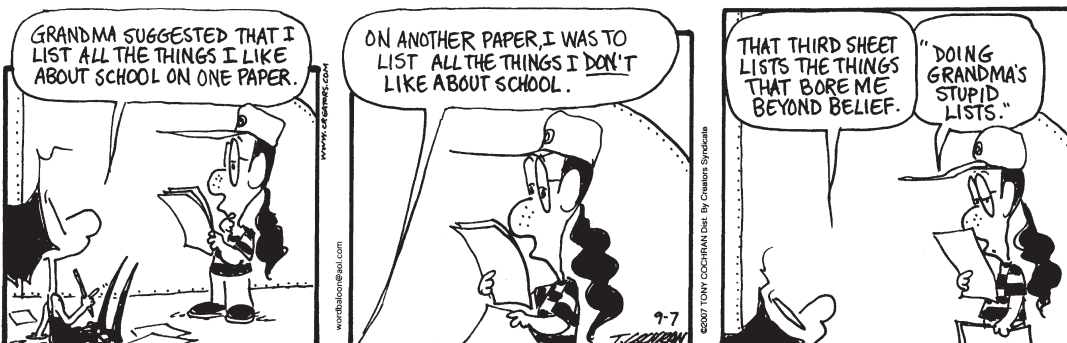
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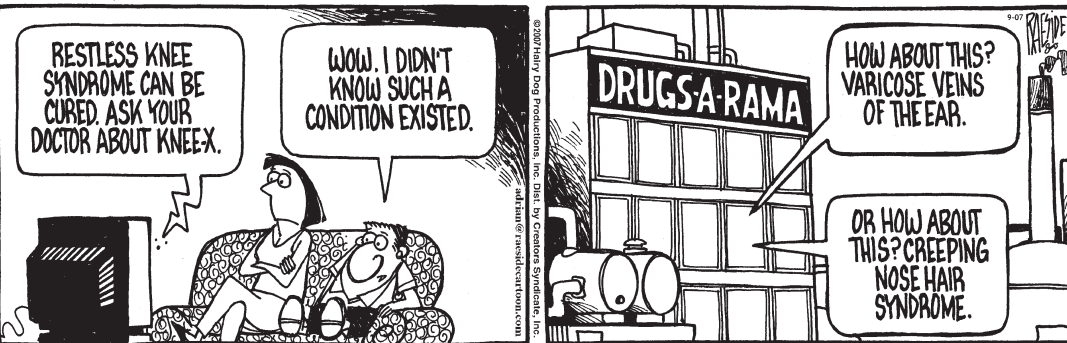
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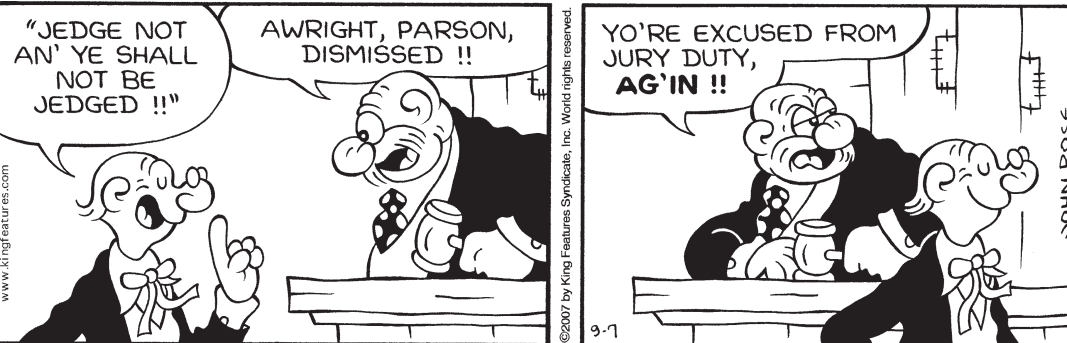
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In History

Today is Friday, Sept. 7, the 250th day of 2007. There are 115 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

- One hundred years ago, on Sept. 7, 1907, the British liner RMS Lusitania set out on its maiden voyage, from Liverpool, England, to New York, arriving six days later. (Lusitania was sunk by a German submarine in 1915.)
- On this date, in 1807, Denmark surrendered to British forces that had bombarded the city of Copenhagen for four days.
- In 1825, the Marquis de Lafayette, the French hero of the American Revolution, bade farewell to President John Quincy Adams at the White House.
- In 1927, American television pioneer Philo T. Farnsworth, 21, succeeded in transmitting the image of a line through purely electronic means with a device called an "image dissector."
- In 1940, Nazi Germany began its initial blitz on London during World War II.
- In 1957, the original version of the animated NBC peacock logo, used to denote programs "brought to you in living color," made its debut at the beginning of "Your Hit Parade."
- In 1967, the situation comedy "The Flying Nun," starring Sally Field as a nun who finds that she can fly, debuted on ABC.
- In 1977, the Panama Canal treaties, calling for the U.S. to eventually turn over control of the waterway to Panama, were signed in Washington by President Carter and Panamanian leader Omar Torrijos.
- In 1977, convicted Watergate conspirator G. Gordon Liddy was released from prison after more than four years.
- In 1979, the Entertainment and Sports Programming Network (ESPN) made its cable TV debut.
- In 1987, Erich Honecker became the first East

German head of state to visit West Germany as he arrived for a five-day visit.

**Today's Birthdays:**

- Heart surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey is 99.
- Pianist Arthur Ferrante is 86.
- Senator Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, is 83.
- Jazz musician Sonny Rollins is 77.
- Actor John Phillip Law is 70.
- Singer Alfa Anderson (Chic) is 61.
- Singer Gloria Gaynor is 58.
- Rock singer Chrissie Hynde (The Pretenders) is 56.
- Actress Julie Kavner is 56.
- Actor Corbin Bernsen is 53.
- Rock musician Benmont Tench (Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers) is 53.
- Pianist Michael Feinstein is 51.

Answer to previous puzzle

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| <b>29</b> Defeat decisively           |                                   |                                     | <b>38</b> "Life ___ a dream"      |  |
| <b>30</b> Yank's foe                  |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
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| <b>34</b> Rum cake                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
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| <b>40</b> Tirana's loc.               |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>41</b> Nosh                        |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>42</b> Native of Israel            |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>43</b> Free pass to the next round |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>44</b> Main part                   |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>45</b> Yanks' WWII allies          |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>46</b> Thorn in the side           |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>47</b> Roll                        |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>48</b> Truckers, at times          |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>51</b> Checks for drinks           |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>55</b> Puzzle introduced in 1980   |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>58</b> Program                     |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>60</b> Atlas, for one              |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |
| <b>61</b> Some reeds                  |                                   |                                     |                                   |  |

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# EMERGENCY LIQUIDATION SALE

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Emergency! Due to an overabundance of inventory. ALLAN'S FURNITURE is forced to conduct an EMERGENCY LIQUIDATION SALE. The showroom is full, the warehouse in Dallas is jammed to the rafters, and we have more trucks on the way! We absolutely must liquidate everything in the shortest possible time to satisfy our creditors!

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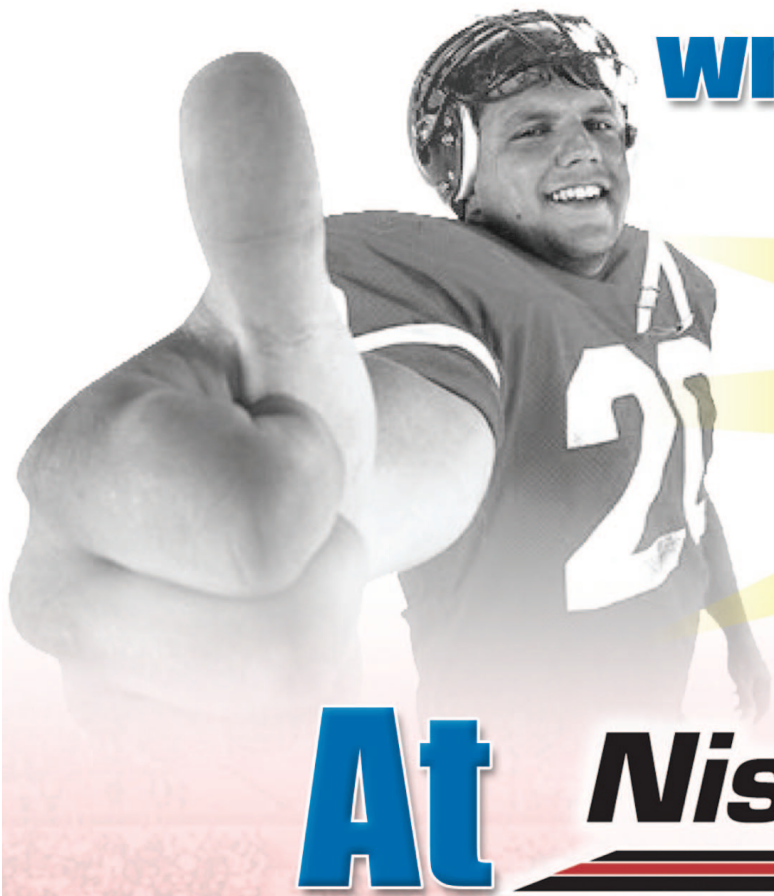
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