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Amanda Wadsworth and Rebecca Moughon look at the photos on display at the Big Spring Mall. The Heart Gallery is a group of traveling photos of children waiting for adoption. To find out more information about the Heart Gallery visit the website http://www.AdoptChildren.org

Agency hopeful photos will attract new 'parents'

By AMANDA MORENO

Staff Writer

The whole idea behind it is to touch someone's heart, which only makes the name more fitting: The Heart Gal-

The Texas Department of Family and Protective Services began the Heart Gallery, a traveling photo collection of children waiting for adoption, in 2001.

"The idea is that someone will see these photos and want to adopt one of these children," said Rebecca Moughon, chairperson of the Howard County Child Welfare Board.

According to Amanda Wadsworth, HCCWB secretary,

there are about 20 photos in this collection, but only 15 are in Big Spring on display. Twelve are on display at the Big Spring Mall, some are located next to Sears and the others are located across from Suggs Hallmark. Three of the photos are displayed at a local church, according to Wadsworth.

"None of these children are from the Howard County area due to privacy issues," Wadsworth said. "The Howard County photos were removed from the collection for this reason."

The photos are expected to be on display for about a month, or until they are requested by someone else, according to Moughon. This is the first time that Howard County has taken part in the project, but she said that there is no reason why the photos wouldn't make their way back again.

"The number of photos and the photos themselves are always changing," Moughon said. "They have seen a lot of good response from this."

When setting up the Heart Gallery, the intention was to give people the opportunity to see the children who are being impacted by a problem too often ignored, according to Moughon.

"Adoption really isn't

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Fire knocks out power to 200 residences here

By THOMAS JENKINS Staff Writer

A fire in the 900 block of N. Gregg reported Wednesday afternoon caused approximately 200 homes on Big Spring's north side to lose electrical service, but no injuries or serious property damage was reported as a result.

According to Big Spring Fire Marshal Carl Condray, the fire was reported in an alley in the 900 block of N. Gregg Street at approximately 5:32 "A storage shed was de-

stroyed by the fire, which also managed to create a grass fire that destroyed about a halfacre nearby," Condray said. "No habitations were damaged by the fire, which was quickly contained to the area by our firefighters. It's unclear at this time what caused the fire, and whether it was the structure fire that caused the grass fire, or the other way around. It's still under investigation, however."

Condray said an estimate of the total damages to the property has not been established. "We had three engines and

our brush truck respond," Condray said. "There's such a heavy fuel load with the overgrown and unmowed lots, fires like these can spread really fast. However, we were able to keep this fire from threatening any habitations, which is really your goal in a situation like that."

Jim Clements, area manager for Oncor Electric Delivery, said approximately 200

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Hundreds are killed in widespread storms

GREG BLUESTEIN JAY REEVES

Associated Press

PLEASANT GROVE, Ala. (AP) — Dozens of tornadoes ripped through the South, flattening homes and businesses and killing at least 214 people in six states in the deadliest outbreak in nearly 40 years.

As day broke Thursday, people in hard-hit Alabama

surveyed flattened, debrisstrewn neighborhoods and told of pulling bodies from rubble after the storms passed Wednesday afternoon and evening.

"It happened so fast it was unbelievable," said Jerry Stewart, a 63-year-old retired firefighter who was

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Patient Choice Award nominations due

Herald Staff Report

Scenic Mountain Medical Center is again seeking to honor one of its nurses with the Patient Choice Award but time is running out. Continuing the tradition of

the last few years, the hospi-

chosen from the nominations will receive the award at SMMC during Nurses' Week, May 6-12. Scenic Mountain asks for-

the community. One nurse

mer patients and family members to be involved in spotlighting an exceptional nurse because patients are the ones directly impacted.

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can be made online at the hos-

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mailed, mailed or faxed (as long as it arrives by May 2). E-mail nominations to kim_ howell@chs.net, mail to: Kim Howell, Marketing Director, Scenic Mountain Medical Center, 1601 West Eleventh Place, Big Spring 79720 or fax to: 432-268-4732.



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Sue Brunson Lamb



Sue Brunson Lamb, 68, of Big Spring died Tuesday, April 26, 2011, in a Midland hospital. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, April 29, 2011, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park with the Rev. Randy Cotton, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, officiat-

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m. Thursday, April 28, 2011, at the funeral home.

She was born Sept. 21, 1942, in Big Spring and married Eddie Lamb on April 22, 1960, in Big Spring. Sue grew up in Big Spring and attended Big Spring schools. She worked at the Casual Shop and the Tom Boy Shop for a number of years.

She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include her mother, Willie Mae Harrison; husband, Eddie Lamb of Big Spring; two daughters, Lana Gammons and husband Larry of Big Spring and Cheri Murray and husband Wally of Spring Branch; two sons, Darren Lamb of Waco and Chris Lamb and wife Kim of Midland; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Sue was preceded in death by her father, Jimmie

Brunson; and one sister, Nancy Brunson.

American Lung Association, 8150 Brookriver Dr. S-102, Dallas 75247. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-

Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at: www.

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Arlis F. Case Kennedy



Arlis F. Case Kennedy, 56, of Jefferson and formerly of Lindale, died April 22, 2011. Services are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the chapel of Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home in Lindale with Bro. Jack Holt officiating. Burial with full military honors will follow in Bethesda Cemetery near Lindale.

He is survived by his wife of more than 36 years, Judy Ann Kennedy; daughters, Brandy Ann Morin, Angela

Leigh Faubion and Amanda Gayle Bailey; brothers, Harry and Mitchel Kennedy; sisters, La Verne Lockhart, Joyce Smryl, Sharon Henson and Gayla Beasley; and six grandchildren.

Arlis was born Nov. 4, 1954, in Big Spring to Floyd and Minnie Kennedy. He graduated from Sands High School in Ackerly and enlisted in the United States Navy, where he earned many citations of commendation and awards. Following the Navy, he was a truck driver before joining the Air Force

Douglas Nichols

Douglas Nichols, 68, of Big Spring died Tuesday April 26, 2011, in San Angelo. The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel with Ken McMeans, pastor of College Baptist Church, officiating.

He was born Sept. 14, 1942, in Big Spring to Othelle and Houston Nichols. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring, graduating from Coahoma High School in 1961. He was a veteran of the United States

He married Shirley Coots on Nov. 5, 1966, in Odessa. She preceded him in death Sept. 3, 2010. He worked a number of years at Sid Richardson and as a gas plant operator in Tarzan. He was a member of College Baptist Church.

He is survived by two sons, Scotty Casselman of Big Spring and Brant Nichols of San Angelo; one grandson; one sister, Sandra Allen and husband Jerry of Livingston; one brother, Max Nichols and wife Jan of Big Spring; and several nieces and

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by one son, Stoney Casselman.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersand-

Moises A. Barraza

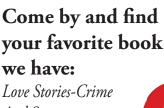
Moises A. Barraza, 75, of Big Spring died Wednesday, April 27, 2011, in a local hospital. His services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.

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Obituaries

Marvelene Bradford Dickson



Marvelene Bradford Dickson, 80, of Kingsland, formerly of Big Spring died Sunday, April 24, 2011, in Kingsland. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 28, 2011, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rick Cunningham, minister of 14th and Main Church of Christ, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. Marvelene was born Dec. 10, 1930,

in Dallas. She married Bobby Bradford on Feb. 1, 1980, in Big Spring and he preceded her in death Dec. 25, 1993. She then married Edwin E. "Red" Dickson Sr. on July 17, 2001, in Coahoma, and he preceded her in death March 19, 2010.

Marvelene graduated from Knott High School and attended Howard College. She received her LVN license and worked several years at various clinics and hospitals. She was a member of 14th and Main Church of Christ.

She is survived by her children, Mike Mundell The family suggests memorials be made to the and wife Jeanette of Temple, Tresa Spencer and husband Dean of Kingsland, Steve Mundell and wife Wanda of Big Spring and Toni Mundell of Thomasville, N.C.; six step-children, Kenny Bradford and wife Sherri, Kathy Donohue and husband Mike, Jav Bradford and wife Dana, Jennifer Bullard and husband Randy, Edwin Dickson and wife Kim and Sabrina Hammel and husband Roger; two sisters, Joyce Ditto of Big Spring and Lou Ellen Romine and husband Herschel of Gravit, Ark.; 14 grandchildren, Lori Gonzales and husband Eddie, Jason Mundell and wife Stephanie, Shelly Stone and husband Gabe, Shane Clanton and wife Katherine, Chris Spencer and wife Brandy, Josh Spencer and wife Autumn, Justin Mundell, Rachel Mathis, Clayton Mundell, Brittney Mundell, Jenna Mathis, Beau Condrey and wife Megan, Jody Condrey and Amanda Arnold; 26 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; her best friend. Bonnie Hudson; and numerous nieces and neph-

> She was also preceded in death by her parents, James "Jody" and Grace Bayes Kemper; and one brother, James Ollie Kemper.

The family suggests memorials be made to American Cancer Society, in care of Carolyn Brooks, P.O. Box 2121, Big Spring 79721-2121; or to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka,

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at: www. npwelch.com

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Shonie Wayne Bean



Shonie Wavne Bean, of Scurry County went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Monday, April 26, 2011, in Midland after a recent hospitalization. He was 51. Visitation will be held at Myers & Smith Funeral Home on Thursday from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Graveside services will be held at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel at 2 p.m. Friday with Johnny Dewayne Couch officiat-

ing. Family and friends will meet at Myers & Smith Funeral Home at 1:15 p.m.

He was born Dec. 25, 1959, in Cambridge, Ohio. He moved to Texas as a teenager and spent the majority of his life in Howard County. He graduated from Coahoma High School in 1978 and worked for the Big Spring State Hospital for 18 years as a psychiatric aide. He loved his job and his patients. He will be remembered as an avid sports fan.

He is survived by his dad and mom, Nelson and Kaye Hallford of Hermleigh; and his father and step-mother, John and Hilda Bean of Byesville, Ohio. He is also survived by his brother, Jody Bean and wife Sherri of Rossville, Ga.; and sisters, Melanie Sullivan and husband Chris Bernal of Price, Utah, and Susan Couch and husband Johnny Dewayne of Midland. He is also survived by his nieces, Maleri Bean, Jessica Hallford, Amber Hildreth, Kalvn Norman, Keera and Hannah Couch and Katie Bean; and two nephews, Dennis Bean and Zane Couch. Survivors also include three greatnephews and two great-nieces. He took great joy in spending time with his nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death is his Nanny, Gertrude Hallford; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Pallbearers will be Danny Armstrong, Bobby Armstrong, Richard Armstrong, Chad Averette, Michael Averette, Brandon Hallford and Billy Wayne Hallford. The family requests that instead of flowers, a con-

tribution be made in Shonie's name to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 3420 Executive Center Drive, Suite 108, Austin 78731. Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral

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homes were without power while firefighters tackled the flames.

"The fire took out a pair of our poles, so we were forced to open a few fuses while the firefighters were working on putting it out," Clements said. "The effected homes — which were mainly concentrated on the north side of town — were without power for about an hour before we were able to restore service."

While firefighters with the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department continue to battle wildfire and grass blazes in the unincorporated parts of the area caused by dry weather, Condray said the lack of moisture is taking its toll within the city limits,

"We don't have the acres and acres

of brush and fields like there is out in the county, but we still have plenty of vacant lots and areas where the brush and grass has overgrown," Condray said. "Unfortunately, because of the low levels of moisture, these grass fires can burn through a lot and threaten homes and other structures very quickly.

"It's very, very important for area property owners to keep the grass and weeds cleared out from their property and the lots nearby. There is just so much fuel — much of it dead grass and brush — left over from the previous seasons, it poses a very serious problem in the city, as well."

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picking through the remains of his son's wrecked home in Pleasant Grove, a suburb of Birmingham. "They said the storm was in Tuscaloosa and it would be here in 15 minutes. And before I knew it, it was here." He and his wife, along with their

daughter and two grandchildren, survived by hiding under their front porch. Friends down the street who did the same weren't so lucky — Stewart said he pulled out the bodies of two neighbors whose home was ripped off its foundation. Alabama's state emergency man-

agement agency said it had confirmed 131 deaths, while there were 32 in Mississippi, 29 in Tennessee, 13 in Georgia, eight in Virginia and one in Kentucky. The National Weather Service's

Storm Prediction Center in Norman. Okla., said it received 137 tornado reports into Wednesday night."We were in the bathroom holding on to each other and holding on to dear life," said Samantha Nail, who lives in a blue-collar subdivision in the Birmingham suburb of Pleasant Grove where the storm slammed heavy pickup trucks into ditches and obliterated tidy brick houses, leaving behind a mess of mattresses, electronics and children's toys scattered across a grassy plain where dozens used to live. "If it wasn't for our concrete walls, our home would be gone like the rest of them."

Dave Imy, a meteorologist with the prediction service, said the number

of deaths was the most in a tornado outbreak since 1974, when 315 people

In Alabama, where as many as a million people were without power, Gov. Robert Bentley said 2,000 national guard troops had been activated and were helping to search devastated areas for people still missing. He said the National Weather Service and forecasters did a good job of alerting people, but there is only so much that can be done to deal with tornadoes a mile wide.

"You cannot prepare against an F5," the most powerful category on a scale for measuring wind intensity, One of the hardest-hit areas was

Tuscaloosa, a city of more than 83,000 and home to the University of Alabama. The city's police and other emergency services were devastated, the mayor said, and at least 15 people were killed. A massive tornado, caught on vid-

eo by a news camera on a tower, barreled through the city late Wednesday afternoon, leveling it. By nightfall, the city was dark.

Roads were impassable. Signs were blown down in front of restaurants, businesses were unrecognizable and sirens wailed off and on. Debris littered the streets and sidewalks.

College students in a commercial district near campus used flashlights to check out the damage. At Stephanie's Flowers, owner

Bronson Englebert used the headlights from two delivery vans to see what valuables he could remove. The storm blew out the front of his store, pulled down the ceiling and shattered the windows, leaving only the curtains flapping in the breeze.

"It even blew out the back wall, and I've got bricks on top of two delivery vans now," Englebert said.

A group of students stopped to help

Englebert, carrying out items like computers and printers and putting them in his van. The storm system spread destruction from Texas to New York, where

dozens of roads were flooded or washed out. The governors in Alabama, Mississippi and Georgia each issued emer-

President Barack Obama said he had spoken with Bentley and approved his request for emergency federal assistance.

gency declarations for parts of their

"Our hearts go out to all those who have been affected by this devastation, and we commend the heroic efforts of those who have been working tirelessly to respond to this disaster," Obama said in a statement.

Around Tuscaloosa, traffic was snarled by downed trees and power lines, and some drivers abandoned their cars in medians.

"What we faced today was massive

damage on a scale we have not seen in Tuscaloosa in quite some time," Mayor Walter Maddox said. University officials said there didn't

appear to be significant damage on campus, and dozens of students and locals were staying at a 125-bed shelter in the campus recreation center. The Browns Ferry nuclear power

plant about 30 miles west of Huntsville lost offsite power. The Tennessee Valley Authority-owned plant had to use seven diesel generators to power the plant's three units.

PHOTOS

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something people think a lot about," Moughon said. "Through these pictures there is a more personal feel and it catches people's attention.' In addition to adop-

Moughon expressed there is always a need for foster families, especially in the Howard County area. "There are no foster

tion, Wadsworth and

homes in our area," Wadsworth said. "There are about 70 kids in care at any given moment and those children have to be sent away to be

dition to the taxpayer

makes it harder for those children to stay in contact with siblings or other relatives." Moughon said the HC-

placed in care, which

CWB does its best to help with the expenses in cases like that, but their funding is based on donations. There is no government funding, only private donations.

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promote the topic of adoption in the community," Moughon said. "We are always needing members on the board if anyone is interested in helping that way." Those interested in

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becoming part of the **HCCWB** should contact Moughon at 816-1206.

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Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at the Child Protective Services office. "We are so thankful

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to the Big Spring Mall owner and manager for allowing us to have these photos on display," Moughon said.

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— paper checks will no longer be an option. People currently receiving their federal benefits by paper check must switch to direct deposit by March 1, 2013. "More than 18 million baby boomers are ex-

pected to reach retirement age during the next five years, with 10,000 people a day becoming eligible for Social Security benefits," said U.S. Treasurer Rosie Rios. "It costs 92 cents more to issue a payment by paper check than by direct deposit. We are retiring the Social Security paper check option in favor of electronic payments because it is the right thing to do for benefit recipients and American taxpayers alike." The Treasury Depart-

ment published a final rule in December 2010 to gradually eliminate paper checks for federal benefit payments. In ad-

savings, electronic payments are safer and more convenient than paper checks, officials said. Last year, more than 540,000 Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) paper checks were reported lost or stolen and had to be replaced.

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lic education campaign Historic move away provides to Americans about the On Jan. 31, 1940, Ida change to how federal benefit payments are be-

the first monthly Social Security benefit check and, to date, about 165 million people have received Social Security benefits. The movement toward electronic payments has been steadily increasing. According to the 2010 Federal Reserve Payments Study, electronic payments now make up more than three-quarters of all non-cash payments nationwide. There were 5.7 billion fewer checks written in 2009 than in 2006, a decline of 6.1 percent per year — while electronic payments grew 9.3 percent during

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OUR VIEWS

What cuts would Jesus make?

wasn't that long ago when Democratic members of Congress were warning about conservative colleagues trying to insert their religion into politics by trying to cut funding for Planned Parenthood.

> For issues concerning family planning, the left generally agrees that it is wrong to impose religion on politics. I don't think you'll be hearing the

same scolds directed at the Sojourners' crusade against the House GOP budget and its orange bracelets that ask, "What would Jesus cut?" Sojourners, a Christian organiza-

DEBRA tion that works on social causes, Saundersadvises its supporters to fast every Monday in April and pray for a budget that better reflects the group's

welfare-state politics. There is much to be said for people who want to do the right thing and stand up for what they believe. I can-

not help but suspect, however, that if the religious right did the same thing, the pundit class now would be hectoring the faithful about the impropriety of implying that America, a theological melting pot, is a Christian nation. What would Allah think?

Now, I agree with the Sojourners' assertion "A budget is a moral document." Indeed, House Budget Committee Chair Paul Ryan, R-Wis., told me he, too, agrees.

But I don't agree with the Sojourners' apparent belief that Jesus would make budgeting decisions in tune with its very modern sensibilities. Sojourners President Jim Wallis wrote in the Huffington Post against the GOP budget's cuts in funding for educational and child health and nutrition programs, even as — surely Jesus must be furious — the military budget would

Now, Jesus famously said, "Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's." He was answering a question that provided a perfect opportunity to launch into a rant against militaristic imperial Rome, yet he deferred.

Nonetheless, Wallis seems sure Jesus would want to cut billions more from defense than the five-year \$178 billion reduction recommended by Defense Secretary Robert Gates and included in the House budget.

Ryan would like to cut more, too, he noted, but:

"We are in a three-front war right now." While the Sojourners recognize that the defi-

cit is a "moral issue" — as it would be wrong to "leave a world of debt for our children" — the group warns against reducing the debt "on the backs of poor and vulnerable people."

Yet, Ryan would counter, the poor and vulnerable stand to lose the most as the looming "debt crisis" could destroy America's safety net if Washington fails to address the federal debt. The GOP wants to change the focus of welfare programs away from rewarding dependency and toward rewarding independence.

Ryan did not claim to know what Jesus would cut. The Sojourners did. Why, they even know Jesus believes in global warming.

Reader Glen Franklin Koontz came to a different conclusion. "In the Christian faith, the individual is commanded to love his neighbor as himself ... (and) to act charitably and to help others," he wrote. "Nowhere in the Bible does God command Caesar to do a damn thing."

I don't think that Wallis and company understand that the government is not God. And when well-meaning people try to make it a god, they likely will end up with — what? — \$14 trillion in

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A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

Finding my smile once again

t's going to be hard, it's going to be painful, but it has

I went away trying to find an escape and instead I found so much more.

I found an experience that opened my eyes and tugged at my heart.

I realized that even though the pain that I'm dealing with seems like more than I can handle, there are more difficult situations in this



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There are people dealing with heartbreak, people dealing with loss, people dealing with worry and the journey of finding themselves.

There's going to pain and nobody tells us to ignore it or pretend that it doesn't exist because even those that are happy understand that pain is inevitable in this world.

As horrible and dreadful as it may be it is part of what keeps this world in balance.

It's not about ignoring the bad or pretending the bad doesn't exist or even about finding a way of making it not exist, it's about seeing the bad, but being able to view it from a different perspec-

For me it was about seeing things through a child's eyes, from the back seat of a motorcyle and from a place of simple escape.

I started the day out looking to find happiness, to find my smile again; even if only for a moment.

I knew that at the end of the day I would still have my broken heart, this lonely feeling and sense of sadness that I started with, but I also knew that somewhere out there my smile was waiting to be found.

I know they say running away isn't the answer.

You can't run from your problems and you can't ignore them, just as much as you can't dwell on them.

However, I had to run, I had

to try and I had to search in the only way I could think of.

I found myself back in a place that I knew, with a group of people that I didn't really know. A group of people that I thought I understood, but it wasn't until I saw what's underneath that I truly understood.

I spent the day with a group of people that most would overlook, look down upon, or simply toss to the side. It was those people and their caring hearts and carefree characters that helped me find my smile. They each have their own

story, their own lives and I'm sure their own pains, but instead of caring only about themselves they devote their time to showing those that don't have a voice that someone cares. They showed me that it's the

little things that make all the difference. It's the small gestures to those that think society has forgotten them that can bring a smile to a child's face and security to an insecure life.

It's about being able to take off and throw your worries away, even if only for an hour or two. It's about finding that place that allows you to be you. I never imagined that the

day would turn out like it did. I wasn't even sure if my goal could be accomplished, if it was even possible to find what I was looking for. Somehow, it was and I did.

A helping gesture, some rowdy and sometimes sketchy conversation and a bike ride later, I found myself smiling. It wasn't the smile I knew

before, but it was a smile that let me know despite the moment I'm in right now, there is a silver lining and there is hope ahead.

I'm not sure how long it will take or even if the pain will ever be fully gone, but thanks to a friend and the opportunity to escape, vent and the encouragement to let go I am certain that somehow, someday, I will be

It's amazing how when friends see us hurting it's easy to say that it was for the best or that it will be okay and that you're

better off, but those words aren't comfort.

In all honesty, in those moments no words are going to provide comfort.

However, knowing that someone else has been in your shoes, knowing that someone else has survived the situation that you are in, gives a little hope. It gives a little boost to the faith and the courage to continue to put one foot in front of the other.

The truth is evn though it may be okay eventualy and that there may come a time that I look back on all of this and realize that life worked out the way it should, that's not what will get me through this. It's not what will help me get up every day and continue to go on.

It's knowing that it's going to take time.

Nobody can tell me how long and nobody can tell me how that journey will go, but in time, maybe a long time maybe a short time, but in time, the pain will lessen. There's no guarantee that it will ever disappear, that the scars it causes will ever be erased or the damage it does will ever be repaired, but there is the guarantee that life, the world, will continue to go on.

It's knowing that no matter how sad I feel, how much pain I have; I have to find a way to get up every morning, make myself get ready and act like I am enjoy ing life.

It's about knowing that even when I want to give up, I can't. It's knowing that it's okay to cry and nobody can tell me when those tears will stop.

Nobody can tell me when the memories will fade away, when the hurt will subside or even if I will ever have the opportunity that I want again. It's knowing that there are no answers.

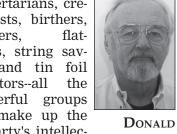
At the end of the day, It's about crying when you have to, doing what you must and knowing that if even only for a moment, your smile can be found.

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Is there a reason we are being treated as the Tea Party's hostages?

he Barefoot Conservative Nation descended on Washington in April like a wolf on the fold.

Libertarians, creationists, birthers, Birchers, taxers, string savers, and tin foil collectors--all wonderful groups that make up the tea party's intellectual wing--came to town waving signs,



shouting slogans, and collaring hap-

less Congresspersons in their

They may not have achieved their goal of shutting down the government, but in the end, they achieved something even more improbable--they made you feel sorry for Congress. (Makes you kind of miss the Silent Majority doesn't it?)

At issue was the federal budget, which needed to clear Congress to keep the government going. The protestors think the gov-

ernment is spending way too much and the national debt is too big. They want to cut both of them to the bone. And they intend to use the Republican Party as their knife.

Democrats, on the other hand, are more committed to using government to deal with the problems of the nation and tend to resist cutting programs.

Thus, a civil war seems to have broken out while we weren't paying attention.

This isn't the way to conduct

a democracy. The traditional way for our two-party system to resolve differences is for each party to give a little and move forward without having satisfied the extremists on either side.

The tea party people and their cohort won't buy that. They don't want 60 percent of their agenda fulfilled. They don't want 90 percent. They want it all.

House Speaker John Boehner managed to keep his rebellious troops in line long enough to KAUL sign off on a compromise. President Barack Obama and Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid did the same with the Democrats. The conservatives got some of the cuts they wanted, but were forced to give ground on public subsidies to Planned Parenthood and government regulation of greenhouse gases.

Does that end the fight? Not on your life.

In a few weeks, by July at the latest, Congress will be asked to raise the debt ceiling so the government can continue to pay its bills and the rumble. The tea partiers have promised not to be so compliant next time. If we escape that crisis without

a catastrophic meltdown, we will be looking at yet another new budget that needs congressional approval in the fall. By that time, the blood on the Capitol's floor should be up to the gunwales. This is nuts. We can't allow a

relatively small minority of zealots to hold the nation hostage to their ideology simply because they throw themselves on the floor and hold their breath.

It's not as though the tea party

has right on its side--although you'd think so if you believed much of what you hear on radio

and television. Our federal debt is too big; I'll give you that.

But the government's not "broke," as Republican leaders insist on insisting. We're a rich nation, now and for the foreseeable future. Our deficit is manageable if we're smart about it.

There are deficits and there are deficits. Those produced by "stimulus" programs are acceptable, even desirable right now, because they bolster our sagging economy. If we'd had a bigger stimulus two years ago, we'd be better off now.

The long-term deficits we accrue with programs like Medicare, where we give money to doctors and patients only after we've paid a tribute to the insurance companies that guard the entrances to our healthcare system like trolls on a bridge.

Those deficits we can and should do something about.

We also need to raise taxes on upper income people who haven't shared in our "shared sacrifice."

Government has to be about more than making rich people richer.

They're rich enough now. It's time we started worrying about the rest of the people and about the future of generations yet unborn.

Donald Kaul is a columnist that lives in Ann Arbor, Michigan. His works can be found at www. otherwords.org.



May we let Your understanding, Lord, guide us through our days. Amen

Obituaries

Carol M. 'Bud' Green

Carol M. "Bud" Green, 69, of Stanton died Monday, April 25, 2011, in an Odessa hospice facility. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 28, 2011, at the Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park with Kendall Tomlinson officiating.

He was born March 13, 1942, in Anson and married Freida Goetz on March 1, 1976, in Andrews. He

was a farmer and handy man.

Survivors include his wife, Freida Green of Stanton; one daughter and son-in-law, Darla and Brian Henderson of Amarillo; two step-daughters, Peggy Bush of Pryor, Okla., and Judy Gordon and husband Donnie Paul of Silsbee; his mother, Ruth Green of Stanton; two sisters, Bonnie Allred of Stanton and Joyce Gerdes and husband Paul of Weatherford; one brother, Lonnie Green of Stanton; 11 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, O.D.

Green; and one brother, J.D. Green.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Home Hospice, 111 E. Seventh St., Suite A, Big Spring 79720; or to the Martin County Senior Center, P.O. Box 1233, Stanton 79782.

Arrangements are under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton. Online condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com

Mamie Madry



Mamie Madry, 100, of Arlington, formerly of Big Spring died Tuesday, April 26, 2011, at her residence in Arlington. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 30, 2011, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the the Rev. Gene Jones officiating. Interment will follow at Mt. Olive Memorial Park. She was born Sept. 2, 1910, in

Kosse and married Jessie Clay Madry on March 9, 1929, in Lamesa.

He preceded her in death April 22, 1990.

Mamie came to Big Spring in 1946 from Killeen and moved to Arlington in September of 2006. She was a homemaker and a member of East Fourth Street Baptist Church in Big Spring.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Henrietta and Billy Harkrider of Arlington; three sons and a daughter-in-law, Jimmy and Karen Madry of Big Spring, Jesse Madry of Greenville and Rex Madry of Grand Prairie; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-greatgrandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; one daughter, Billie Jean Madry; 12 brothers and sisters; and a grandson.

The family suggests memorials be made to a favorite charity.

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Joe Don Marrow

Joe Don Marrow, 68, of Big Spring died Sunday, April 24, 2011, in a local hospital. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 30, 2011, at The River, Park 2400 of College Hills, San Angelo.

He was born Nov. 6, 1942, in Levelland. He was a resident of Big Spring for 15 years and worked in Survivors include three sons, Joe Marrow of Big

Spring, Clay Marrow of San Francisco, Calif., and David Hargrave of Austin; three sisters, Anna Marrow of San Angelo, Debbie Mata of Riverside, Calif., and Laquitha Marrow of San Angelo; one brother, Grady Marrow of San Angelo; and one

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Police blotter

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

• MARIA DELCARMEN CERVANTES, 34, of 1103 E. 12th St., was arrested Tuesday on a warrant from • ROGER KENDALL JOHNSON, 40, of 1801 Wagon

Trail, was arrested Tuesday on charges of driving while intoxicated - third or more offense and resist arrest, search or transport. • ANDRES LEE JUAREZ, 29, of 306 Denton, was

arrested Tuesday on warrant from other agency ADOLFO SEGOVIA LOPEZ, 61, of 1002 N. Main

St., was arrested Tuesday on a charge of driving while intoxicated. JESSE RAMIREZ GONZALES, 27, of 102 Circle

Dr., was arrested Tuesday on a charge of reckless • RICKY WAYNE WASHBURN, 52, of 1100 Richie

Rd., was arrested Tuesday on a charge of possession of controlled substance less than 200 grams in a drug free zone.

CLINTON DALE TELLER, 22, of Maricopa, Ariz., was arrested Wednesday on a charge of public intoxication. GILBERT RECIO JR., 37, of 1007 Wood, was

arrested Wednesday on a charge of public intoxica-• JAMES DILLIAM JACKSON, 55, of 3304 W.

Highway 80 Apt. 28, was arrested Wednesday on a charge of assault. MELISSA ADAME SEGUNDO, 24, of 2609

Wasson Rd. Apt. 68, was arrested Wednesday on a warrant from another agency.

ALEXANDER BURCIAGA, 21, of 2516 Gunter, was arrested Wednesday on warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility, failure to appear (four counts), no driver's license – when unlicensed (two counts) and in park after hours. • HERMENEJILDO OROSCO III, 45, of 1101 N.

Bell St., was arrested Wednesday on a warrant from another agency. JAMIE RENTERIA, 48, of 1009 N. Bell, was

arrested Wednesday on a warrant from another agency and warrants for driving while license invalid and failure to appear. • LISA YBARRA, 41, of 1504 E. Fifth St., was

arrested Wednesday on a warrant from another agency and a warrant for possession of drug para-• AMANDA GAYLE PERKINS, 30, of Odessa, was

arrested Wednesday on a charge of public intoxica-

• JENNIFER KAY KILLMAN, 37, of 204 Merrick,

was arrested Wednesday on a warrant from another agency and warrants for possession of drug paraphernalia and failure to appear.

• BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported in the 400 block of E.

• THEFT was reported in the 400 block of E.

In the 900 block of S. Aylesford.

In the 2000 block of Gregg St.

In the area of Walmart.

 DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in the 1500 block of Tuscon.

CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported:

In the 900 block of Nolan. In the 100 block of Brown.

In the 400 block of E. Fourth Street.

In the 900 block of Nolan.

ASSAULT was reported:

In the 1600 block of Martin Luther King Blvd. In the 1600 block of Martin Luther King Blvd.

Sheriff

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

Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 80 inmates at the time of this

 STEVEN LOYD BATEMAN, 31, was arrested Wednesday by the HCSO on a charge of bail jumping – failure to appear. • HERMAN OROSCO, 46, was transferred to the

county jail Thursday by the BSPD on an Austin parole violation and a municipal warrant for displaying an expired registration.

• MELISSA SEGUNDO, 24, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of theft by check.

 ALEXANDER BURCIAGA, 21, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on municipal warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility, failure to appear (four counts), no driver's license - when unlicensed (two counts) and in park after hours.

 ROY CARTER, 36, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on charges of theft and theft by check.

 LIONSO LEE JIMENEZ III, 32, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on an Austin warrant for violation of parole.

• JAIME RENTERIA, 48, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a Midland County warrant for violation of bond/purchasing alcohol for a minor and municipal warrants for driving while license invalid and failure to appear.

 JAMES DILLIAM JACKSON, 55, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of assault.

JENNIFER KAY KILMAN, 37, was transferred

to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of no valid driver's license and municipal warrants for possession of drug paraphernalia and • LISA YBARRA, 41, was transferred to the county

jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of theft by check and a municipal warrant for possession of drug paraphernalia.

CHRISTOPHER DANIEL MARQUEZ, 17, was

transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on charges of possession of a controlled substance, theft of a firearm and unlawfully carrying a REBECCA NICOLE RODRIGUEZ, 24, was trans-

ferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on charges of speeding and violation of a promise to

• DAVID HELMS, 38, was arrested Thursday by the HCSO on a charge of public intoxication. FIDENCIO DELEON, 41, was arrested Thursday

by the HCSO on a charge of public intoxication. • STEVEN RAY EVANS, 22, was transferred to the county jail Thursday by the BSPD on charges of

burglary of a habitation and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. • AMANDA PERKINS, 30, was transferred to the

county jail Thursday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication. · LOE LYNN PAYNE, 40, was transferred to the

county jail Thursday by the BSPD on charges of resisting arrest, search or transportation and public intoxication.

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BRIEF HISTORY OF C.E. MIKE THOMAS

 Over 25 years overall experience
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This week's recipe is inspired by a woman from my church. Once a month or so, the women

at church get together and have a service of sorts based relationship ing, spiritual growth educating ourselves on different subjects.

buildand

Last month was on health and fitness and some ladies brought different dishes reflecting such (I took grilled fish, rice pilaf and mango salsa on top.). Now, I have not had the pleasure of making this

dish, which I try to do before writing about them. However, I fully had the pleasure of eating it and asked for the recipe so this could be shared by others.

Casual Cooking with Kris Soliz

This is easy enough to make in the mornings and have it ready in the fridge on these approaching hotter days to save you from heating up the kitchen at dinner. This makes a great potluck dish, but be prepared with copies of the recipe in your purse because you will be asked for them. This is a lite dish but heavy enough to serve as a meal with a bright green salad and some bread sticks. Enjoy!

Chicken Pasta Salad

2-4 pieces boneless skinless

chicken or 2 cups chopped ham

- 1 box rotini pasta
- 2 bell peppers, any color 1 can black olives
- 1 small jar green olives 1 bag cubed Colby jack cheese
- 1 large bottle of Italian dressing
- 1 pkg. cherry tomatoes
- 1 red onion

Season with salt and pepper and cook chicken cut into bite-size pieces in a skillet. Boil pasta and cool. Pour entire bottle of Italian dressing, chicken pieces, onion cut into bite-size pieces, cheese, black and green olives cut in half, bell peppers (sautéed or raw) and tomatoes, cut in half, in a bowl. Mix all ingredients and add salt/ pepper to taste.

Take Note Let's Start a Riot! at

• The Howard College band/choir, the Hawk Jam!, will be presenting its spring concert,

7 p.m. tonight in the main auditorium of the Hall Center on campus. Admission is free but seating is limited. This concert will feature a variety of music and include student compositions. Contact Eddie Vandewalker at 432-264-5145 or evandewalker@

howardcollege.edu for

more information.

• All Coahoma High School alumni are invited to an all-school reunion on July 23. This year's program will focus on CHS music, to in-

clude honoring anyone associated with former CHS bands, choirs, musical groups, etc. Please help spread the word by sharing this information with any CHS alumni among your family/ friends. The Reunion Planning Committee is meeting every other Thursday at 6 p.m. at the Coahoma Dairy Queen. The next meeting is tonight and we welcome participation by any CHS alumnus. Contact Joyce York Baumann at 432-816-1588 or Patti Lee Meeks at 432-267-6688 for additional informa-

tion, or with mailing addresses for CHS alumni. Addresses can also be e-mailed to Harold Aberegg at aberegg66@ gmail.com.

• Big Spring Rotary Club is hosting a putt putt fund-raiser from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday to benefit PolioPlus. Admission is \$36 per twoperson team or \$18 per individual. There will be door prizes, food and drinks. The event will be held at the Park and Putt Family Fun Center, located on South U.S. Highway 87.











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3 Hawks sign letters of intent

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

Three members of the Howard College men's basketball team will be honing their hoops skills at a higher level next season.

Corey Stern, Joe Bright and Carlos Emory signed letters of intent to attend Division I universities during a Wednesday ceremony at Garrett Coliseum.

Stern will attend Texas State University, Bright will head to Stephen F. Austin and Emory will play ball for the University of Oregon.

All three sophomores played crucial roles this past season for the Hawks, who advanced to the second round of the Region V tournament before falling to McLennan Community College. Stern, who played center for

the Hawks, said he was swayed by the family atmosphere at "They've got a great academic

support system, and their campus (in San Marcos) is beautiful," he said. "I think it was just a good fit for me, overall. It felt more like family out there."

Academic opportunity also appealed to Bright when he decided on SFA.

"The biggest thing is that, if I graduate, they'll pay for my fifth year of college," said Bright, a member of Howard's 2010 national championship team. "I



HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

From left, Howard College basketball players Corey Stern, Joe Bright and Carlos Emory sign letters of intent to attend four-year universities during a ceremony at Garrett Coliseum's Hawk Room Wednesday afternoon.

liked the family environment — everyone was so friendly and nice. Their facilities are top-notch and they have some great coaches."

Emory, also a member of HC's national championship squad, said he was undecided until very recently as to me, and that was Oregon ... I which university he would

long time," he said. "A lot of schools were offering me scholarships and I was just looking for the best fit for

liked everything about it."

Howard Coach Mark Ad-"I was undecided for a ams said the three players were leaders in the classroom as well as on the basketball court.

"I'm excited that all three

of them will earn their associate's degree here and go on and play Division I ball," Adams said. "That's one thing we told them when they came here — if they'd work hard and take care of business for us, we'd take care of them."

Sports Calendar

FRIDAY

Class 3A softball playoffs - Big Spring vs. Iowa Park,7:30 p.m. Friday, Gra-

Class 2A softball playoffs Coahoma vs. Kermit, Game 1, 7 p.m., Gren-

Class 2A softball playoffs — Forsan vs. Crane: Game 1, 6 p.m., MUGS

Field, Midland. JUCO softball — Howard College at Odessa College

JUCO baseball — Frank Phillips at Howard College (DH), noon.

Spurs stave off elimination

By PAUL J. WEBER

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — Just 1.7 seconds is all that remained for Tim Duncan, Manu Ginobili and Tony Parker in what has been a wasted and humiliating dud of a playoff run.

An undrafted rookie didn't let them go down that quick-

Catching the inbounds pass with 1.7 seconds left, Gary Neal forced overtime with a spectacular 3-pointer in the face of O.J. Mayo as time expired, and the top-seeded San Antonio Spurs staved off elimination by stunning the Memphis Grizzlies 110-103 on Wednesday night.

"It felt good. I knew I had good legs going into it," Neal said. "It felt good. I followed

through and it went in."

The eighth-seeded Grizzlies still lead the best-of-seven series 3-2. They will host the Spurs on Friday night, but left town knowing they missed a knockout punch.

"They're down by three, you've got to run them off the 3. You can't let nobody shoot an open 3," Grizzlies forward Zach Randolph said. "You've got to contest the 3, you've got to deny the ball."

The straightaway 3-pointer was the second of two remarkable San Antonio baskets in the final 2.2 seconds of regulation. Manu Ginobili, who scored 33 points, hit the other with a long corner jumper while falling out of bounds in front of the Spurs bench, in what was originally ruled

A video replay confirmed Ginobili's left toe was on the line. That left the Spurs still trailing 95-94, and after two free throws by Randolph, San Antonio needed another

Ginobili? Parker? Duncan. in perhaps a repeat of his memorable tying 3-pointer with 3 seconds left against Phoenix in the 2008 playoffs, before the Spurs went on to a double-overtime win?

They drew it up for Neal, a 26-year-old rookie and former European journeyman who the Spurs signed this season after giving him an audition on their summer league

"You really don't think

about the magnitude of making or missing it, you just think about trying to get the best shot that you can get," said Neal, who finished with seven points. "It went in today, but I think it's the best shot I could have got in that

situation." Randolph led Memphis with 26 points and 11 rebounds. He scored 18 points in the fourth quarter and overtime, but the Spurs assured a Game 6 in the overtime behind Parker, who scored 6 of his 24 in the extra period.

Only eight teams in NBA history have ever come back from a 3-1 deficit. The Spurs, who were the NBA's winningest team for most of the season, are desperate to join

NFL owners lose another round

By DAVE CAMPBELL

AP Sports Writer

(DH), 1 p.m.

MINNEAPOLIS — The NFL has promised to give its teams guidance on what to do after another stinging rebuke from the same federal judge who lifted the lockout.

Whether that includes rules for free agency, the NFL draft that begins Thursday night or simply whether players can talk with their coaches was anyone's guess.

U.S. District Judge Susan Richard Nelson late Wednesday rejected the NFL's request to put her order lifting the lockout on hold pending further appeals. She dismissed the NFL's argument that she didn't have jurisdiction and that it's facing irreparable harm because of her decision to end the 45-day lockout at the request of

the players. "The world of 'chaos' the NFL claims it has been thrust into — essentially the 'free-market' system this nation otherwise willfully operates under is not compelled by this court's order," Nelson

And yet chaos there may be, perhaps as early as Thursday, the first day of the NFL draft.

James Quinn, a lawyer for the players, said free agency — the biggest immediate question for owners and players alike — should start immediately. NFL spokesman Greg Aiello said the league is "evaluating the district court's decision" and would advise teams Thursday morning on how to proceed.

The NFLPlayers Association, now a trade group and not a union, accused the league of stalling.

"On the eve of one of the greatest fan events in sports, the players moved another step closer to bringing the fans football," spokesman George Atallah said in an email to The Associated Press. "Owners seem determined to prevent that from han-

pening. The NFL owners are not litigating to protect the game. They're litigating to protect a lockout."

Nelson's ruling was not a surprise, given her questioning of NFL attorney David Boies during an April 6 hearing and her 89-page order lifting the lockout. She wrote another 20 pages in her denial, declaring the public's interest in the resumption of league operations.

The judge acknowledged her decision will be appealed to the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in St. Louis, and Aiello said that step was being taken immediately. The appellate court is viewed as a more friendly venue to businesses like the league than the federal courts in

Minnesota. "We believe there are strong legal and practical reasons that support a stay and that the Court of Appeals should have an opportunity to address the important legal issues that will be presented," Aiello

League rules have effectively been shelved since the collective bargaining agreement ended on March 11 and the NFL's first work stoppage since 1987 began.

Nelson said that needn't be the case.

She suggested that the NFL "make a decision about how to proceed and accept the consequences" of that choice.

In saying the NFL could go about its business, Nelson noted that the league had already gone forward with the draft and announced the 2011 schedule.

Nelson also pointed to the contract tenders teams issued to restricted free agents in March before the lockout, "treating them as if the league intended to operate with the 2010 rules in place."

What the NFL will do Thursday was anyone's guess, though Packers president and CEO Mark Murphy suggested earlier the 2010 rules might be

In brief

Howard to hold cheerleader tryouts

The Howard College Cheerleading Squad will hold try-outs Saturday at 9 a.m. in the Harold Davis Fitness Center on the Howard College cam-

A clinic will be held for applicants to learn all try-out material today from 4-6 p.m. in the fitness center.

All interested persons need to fill out the online application, found at www.hchawk.com.

For more information, contact Hollie Allred at 432-264-8538.

CGA to host Sunday tourney

The Chicano Golf Assocation will hold a golf tournament at Comanche Trail Golf Course Sunday.

Registration for the individual stroke play tournament will be \$20 and will be accepted up until 9:30 a.m. Sunday.

Play will begin with a shotgun

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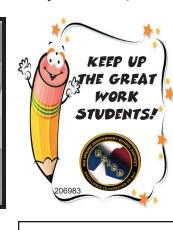
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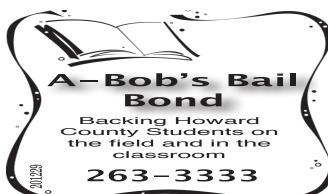
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Fifth Six-Weeks "A" Honor Roll First Grade: Kaylee

Avarado, Diego Arguello, GabrielBaeza, Augostine Cervantes, Justin Cantu, Matthew Doll, Lexia Franco, Iliah Guzman, Brianna Hernandez, Mika Jensen, Adonis Lopez, Esmee Lopez, Natalia Lopez, Isabella Marquez, Joe Martinez, Trinity Robertson, Anisia Salazar, Luciana Salazar, Deana Sausman, Felipe Shober, Gabrielle Simpson and Kallel Smith-Wennik.

Second Grade: Ashur Awbrey, Meagan Burkhart, Mariah Castaneda, Jorden Cervantez, Ransom Colette, Charity Cruz, Elijah Flores, Joshua Flores, Alexis Garcia, Mia Gomez, Joshua J. Lopez, Nariah Martinez, Arali Mendez, Jasmine Montanez, Damien Munoz, Angela Salinas and Tijon Sneed.

Third Grade: Diane Austin, Sonny Baeza, Bosley, Alexandra Kimberly Chapel, Gracie Cox, Raven Diez, Jewel Flores, Bailey Garcia, Dillian Guzman, Katie Humphries, Alette Moya, Andrea Melendez, Nathan Morales, Nancy Elisabeth Pope, Sorensen, Mackenzie Strain and Alondrea Weatherspoon

Fourth Grade: Caleb Awbrey, Arthur Arview, Aliana Beserra, Adrina Cisneros, Leah Davis, Alec Espinoza, Aryssa Garcia, Autumn Guidry, Nathaniel Letz and Haiven Rushing.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Arnulfo Chavera, Krista Coffman, Chesney Copeland, Eric Delbosquez, Titus Ellison, Kamariah Franks, Fidencio Gay, Katelyn Golden, Jesse Hernandez, Adrien Juarez, Emily Kocak, Kylee Lynch, Jasmine

Aaliyah Martinez, Miears, Carlos Montanez, Joshua Payne, Antonio Pena, RaeAnn Rutledge, Emilio Salinas, Jordan Nathan Viera and Zboril. Second Grade: Kiana Banks, Zoe Bobb,

Michael Bryant, Cylei

Burton, Jose Cantu,

Fathe Carrillo, Penelope Collins, Joshua Dela Cruz, Benjamin Ellison, Ellison, Naashon Andrew Faz, Darren Gaege Gonzales, April Humphries, Jenkins, Mahalia Lang, Briana Ledesma, Candice Marquez, Tavin Mathews, Brooklin Mojica, Monica Quiroz, Emily Reyes, Maribel Salazar, Orlando Sanchez, Brianna Solis, Isaiah Solis, Louis Solis, Cielo Trevino, Briana Walton, Valerie Valencia, Zachary Vela

Ausbie, Timothy Banks, Alexis Chavera, Alison Flores, Charlton Guidry, Serinity Hernandez, Nicholas Herrera, Travis Kachinski. Kamiry Lang, Nicholas Lindsey, Elexius Lopez, Bianca Luna, Morris Norman, Christian Ortega, Fey Pena, Israel Rangel, Redding, Kasin Fransheca Rodriguez, Raven Rutledge, Adolfo Salazar and Nayha Salazar.

Fourth Grade: Juan

Bermea, Jaydan Canales,

and Jarred Ybarra.

Third Grade: Fredrick

Lou- Marie Carnagie, Jocelyn Chagoya, Brittany Ceballos, Compean, Madison Ariah Dela Cruz, Josheph Doll, Duenes, Aleksander Aneli Blake Elliott, Gonzales, Myda Hernandez, Christopher Ledesma, Montajh Lewis, Gabriella Lopez, Alissa Magana, Angel Magallenes, Angelica Marmaleo, Manuel Marquez, Angel Martinez, Clay Merritt, Samantha Meyhew, Alexis Mojica, Christopher Molina, Montanez, Marina Caysey Moreno, Tiffany Olivares, Isaac Rangel, Pedro Romo, Aurora Roberts, Larissa Saldivar, Theron Sneed, Erika Soltero, Spears, Angelica Starr, Jacobe Strain, Kayli

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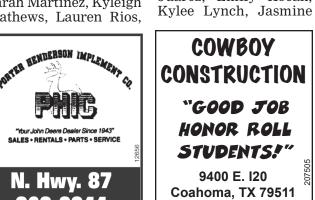
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Ninth Grade: Shayla Martin, Savannah Neff and Haley Walker. 10th Grade: Wendy

Andersen, Jasmin Callejas, Shea Campbell, Kara Fuentes, Jessica Goodger, Morgan Luce, Laurel Nix and Marla Wilson.

11th Grade: Katherine Calvert, Jennifer Castilaw, Justin Coker, Echavarria, Hildebrand, Heather Jiapei Huang, Heather Kirby, McKenzie Moore and Cole Sneed.

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"A-B" Ninth Grade: Billy Acosta, Zachery Crabtree, Tyler Frazier, Valerie Goodblanket, Megan Hurst, Kayla Jernigan

Minhee Kang, Amanda King, Jordan Lang, Devon Maddox, Kaci Marquez, David Mejia, Sarah Melendez, Ashley O'Brien, Madison Rawls, Devin Ruiz, Joseph Thompson, Shanen Shelby Warneke, Wilkins and Tamala Wilson.

10th Grade: Aaron Acevedo ,Devin Barbee, Jess Brooks, Emilea Brumley, Damian Cate, Dustin Fontana, Rikki Gilbert, Tandace Cassidy Gilliam, Haggard, Alex Hill, Luke Humble, Brandi Jobe, Hunter Lowery, Sarah Macik, Devine Martin, Kaleb McAdams, Albert Mejia, Jose Nino, Emilio Ortiz, Brandie Phillips, Kevin Powell, Ryan Reid, Janessa Ringener and Peyton Rodriquez. 11th Grade: Buchanan, Lynzi Ferrell,

Keveen Gilbert, Silvia Gonzalez, Minnie Goodblanket, Dustin Gutierrez, Stephanie Harvell, Vanessa Hernandez, Shannon Kincaid, Rebecca Mince, Jessi Morgan, Yesenia Ortiz, Haley Pace, Miranda Rodriguez, Paul Salazar, Brandon Sanders, Calvin Stansel, Julian Uranga Maegan Walker. 12th Grade: Krystal

Ayala, Rachel Barbee, Bianca Cruz, Koyo Do, Ashton Dominguez, Itzel Gomez, Aaron Gonzales, Josh Gonzales, Jessica Gutierrez, Rachel Kennedy, Reagan Reid. Casey Roberts, Elijah Salazar, Dustin Salmon, Devin Thomason, Brent Wright and Brooke Zitterkopf.

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Fifth Six Weeks "A" Honor Roll

Seventh Grade: Jessica and Mllory Privett Thomas Eighth Grade: Anna

Harrison "A-B" Honor Roll

Seventh Grade: Makaila Arnold, Lee Balderas, Julia Castilaw, Kassi Coker, Paul Cortez, Crabtree, Cameron Christopher Dominguez, Valarie Estill, William Franks, Hannah Hobdy, Dana Holgorsen, Ashley Luce, McCutchan, Nelson, Faith Parum, Kiefer Pulis, Marisa

Crystal Belia Ramirez, Tara Robinson, Lauren Simer, Elissa Thompson, Hannah and Tucker Blake Zitterkopf.

Eighth Grade: Bailee Barber-Grant, Christopher Biddison, Brandon Coker, Caleb Daniels, Erin Fontana, Kelsey Garza, Jalin Gilbert, Braxton Iden, Joseph Melendez, Krista Victor Murphree,

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Archer, Anissa Arguello,

Tanner Atkins, Kallie Bullard, Kobe Cervantes, Trenton Clark, Emily Conaway, Cruz Estevan, Madison Green, Katelyn Johnson, Ky Kemper, Brysen Kerby, Daniel Krause, Krystal Lopez, Joe Mashburn, Jonah Moron, Jordon Muller, Vance Ott, Madison Rogers, Presley Ruiz, Madison Scott, Cheyanne Smith, Billy Starr and Maddisyn Wallace.

Second Grade: Jadyn Barnes, Ethan Biddison, Seth Brooks, Brooklyn Calley, Taylor Clark, Lorna Conaway, Brianna Coskey, Colin Daniels, Elizabeth Dunlap, Bryden Fontana, Karina Gonzalez, Aubrey Green, Jordon Hardy, D'Kota Harrison, Victoria Harrison, Kacie Henson, Kaylee Kernick, Abigail Lopez, Layla Olivares, Makynlee Overton, Kolt Redden, Alfonso Reves, Kyler Seymore, Hannah Sivinski, Olivia Waight and Brance Workman.

Third Grade: Garrett Anderson, Cutter Atkins, Aidan Barrows, Chloe Coates, Emilee Custer, Madison Daniels, Greenley Deatherage, Keegan Dobbs, Brylea Gordon, Bari Green, Hannah Grimsley, Jayden Holt, Marcus Martinez, Austyn Montgomery, Jisele Olivarez, Sydney Rinard, Naughtia Rockwell, Colton Russell, Erik Sanderson, Jonathon Schneider and Chloe Scroggins.

Fourth Grade: Zachary Brown, Bryson Cline, Rosalyn Hernandez, Andrea King, Julia Mashburn, Laura Romero, Illiana Sandoval, Kaelob Stewart and Micah

Fifth Grade: Nickolas Chen, Sydnie Gilbert, Jori Hanlan, Harmony Humble, Tyler McFall and Genesis Mihelich. Sixth Grade: Alexander

Biddison, Adam Brito, Isaac Cisneros, Abbie Daniels, Garrett Deatherage, Kaylee Dyer, Makinsey Grant, Jetly Hobdy, Fletcher Mashburn, David Sandoval, Hunter Seymore, Jenavee Striegler, Thomas Wilson, Brayden Worley and Landyn Young.

"A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: Joshua

Carlile, Maxwell Darlin, Bryan Hernandez, Gisela Juarez, Raelynn Lee, Kylie Moran, Kaden Paul, Joshua Pearson, Logan Saverance, Rylan Simer, Daniel Smith, Daniel Vela-Wences, Cash Walker, Stephen Waters, Serenity Watts, Emilee Wilde and Ethan

Second Grade: Nicolas Biddison, Corbin Blair, Campbell, Luke Savannah Ebersole, Rosario Gonzalez, Robert Grant, Raul Hagins, Karlyn Holgorsen, Kaden Myrick, Issac Ortiz, Sammy Prince, Hunter Rich, Joe Rodriguez Gonzales, Alana Salazar, Sophia Salinas, Lauren Sanderson, Sean and Jake Striegler

Williams.

Third Grade: Jacob Arguello, Alex Bailey, Courtney Coker, Caitlyn Corley, Leslie Darlin, Reagan Davis, Marc Espinosa, Alejandro Gonzales, Maria Gonzalez, Noel Gutierrez, Ylana Hernandez, Faith Herrera, Anthony Hill, Cameron Kerby, Justin Marsh, Travis Mitchell, Damian Rains, Madison Zackry Ramirez, Schneider and Abigail Wilson. Fourth Grade: Hope

Atkins, Allison Eilenberger, McKenzi Paisley Gressett, Gutierrez, Gary Hernandez, Amber Hoard, Logan Holgorsen, Kamri Kemper, Samuel King, Christian Klug, Ethan Lopez, Marilee Mauzey, Jaxon Muller, Stacey Overton, Andrew Romero Ortega, Kyler Saldana, Hana Stanislaus, Kaylee Wright Fifth Grade: Donovan

Barber, Jasmine Cruz, Julio Cuba, Raegan Deel, Ryleigh Fryar, Diana Joshua Gonzalez, McKinna Grimsley, Hector, Ami Hoard, Elizabeth Juarez, Emily Marsh, Mason Moore, Rolando Ortiz, Makayla Overton, Nathan Ramirez, Victoria Sanderson, Chloe Starr, Raven Wilson and Brynn Workman.

Sixth Grade: Kody Barber, Conagher Summer Barrows, Boudreaux, Reuben Campos, Annie Chandler, Anastasia Coker, Kaylee Coker, Santana Cruz, Amber Davenport, Michael Duffer, Ashley Ferguson, Breanna Grant, Evalena Gutierrez, Kavin Humble, Markus Irwin, Sonny Jackson-Prince, Erin Lowery, Carli Martinez, Kappi Moron, Alex Munoz, Yzabele Olivarez, Andrea Overton, Faith Pearson-Wyatt, Daryl Poe, Austin Sosa, Clayton Stewart and Kaitlynn Trawick.

Forsan High School

Fifth Six-Weeks A" Honor Roll

Sixth Grade: Aaron Alton, Bree Franklin, Sterling Freeman, Hernandez, Sandra MacKenzi Lain, Destiny Mata, Kendall Phillips, Serena Reese, Ashton Voight, Keelee White and Shelby Zachary.

Seventh Grade: Julia Box, Mason Burton, Bryce Gartman, Taylor Morin, Maddie Munsell, Nina Ortiz, Madi Roman and Sadie Wheeler.

Eighth Grade: Carlee Daniel, Darby DePauw, Hernandez, Alicia Zachary Long, Breana Madry, Sloan Miller, Hannah Minchew, Kelia Smoot, Hannah Thompson and Trevor Williams.

Ninth Grade: Korina Christian, Tyler Evans, Chander Freeman, Ali Knight, Polo Morin, Maria Ortiz, Amanda Schafer and Colton Wheeler. 10th Grade: Elena

Flores, Brady Gartman, Aric Hernandez, Case Ingram, Leah Lloyd, Cole Long and Jansen McDonald. 11th Grade: Foster

Burchett, Hope Cimino, Brittany Glasco and Sydney Holdampf. 12th Grade: Sterling Chaney,

Cameron Churchwell, Morgan

Forshee, Zane Herrin, Regan Newsom and Kevy O'Brien. "A-B" Honor Roll

Sixth Grade: John Olivia Broughton, Cansino, Dillon Daniel, Joshua Evans, Jessica Hall, Hannah Hancock, Michael Hewtty, M'Kenna Hopper, Alyssa Kirkland, Mason Lane, Megan Lane, Tony O'Neil, Kenneth Priest, Cavla Rosenbaum, Danyelle Tilley, Bria Wilson and Yeater. Seventh Grade: Kelsey

Allen, Kaytlin Brock, Nova Caldwell, Jeremy Cervantes, Jesse Cervantes, Kaylee Kemper, MacKenzie Kennedy, Anne-Marie Lugo, Aliscia Martinez, Ben Mikeska, Rosario Munoz, Caitlin Park. Walker Park, Alexis Roach, Blake Rosenbaum, Skydra Sanford, Abbygail Saucedo, Jayton Brayden Schreiner, Settles and Jon-Paul Stevenson. Eighth Grade: Erin

Bagnall, Oscar Barraza, Mason Coor, Alicia Heaton, Garrett Kligora, Ashlie Knox, Victoria Martinez, Mary-Ashley McDaniel, Christopher Mims, Erin Pavne, Rvan Pearson, Jennie Steel, Nick Wilson and Yanci Yeater.

Ninth Grade: Jammie Covan Armstead, Davidson, Eric Edwards, Kade Fannin, Taybor Flores, Austin Grantham, Brittney Hergert, Marisol Hernandez, Brady Mikeska, Matthew Mims, Alisa Munoz, Falon Newtom, Mikael Pappajohn, Aaron Patterson, Elizabeth Rhodes, Kiowa Spears, Connor Steel, Sara Stevenson, Luke Still, Jahnia Willard and Dustin Wright. 10th Grade: Dillon

Bagnall, Tanner Ballard, Landon Boeker, Trevor Burchett, Brandon Carrell, Anthony Chappell, Trevin Cherry, Dawson, Tommy Nicholas Emerson, Katie Kirby, Adam Lloyd, Brayden Miles and Kayla Tilley.

11th Grade: Autumn Ashley Buzbee, Megan Crane, Victoria Dunnam, Sassy Farmer, Cheyenne Galloway, Alejandra Hernandez, Ambra Hill, Shelbie Hudgins, Ricky Jamie, Ty Johnson, Amber Nieghbors, Alex Park, Patrick Robles, Rodriguez, Kimbra Kaidie Saverance, Kyle Stevenson, Elgen Suazo, Darien Walker, Spencer Wells, Megan Wilson and Stevie Wilson.

12th Grade: Shelby Clark, Tim Davila, Zach Hatfield, Tim Huitt, Dylan Lowery, Michael Mims, Miranda Park, Chase Pierce, Kayla Schlipf, Bracken Schreiner, Kolten Self, Kay'C Stanley, Hali Wells, James Wheeler and Jonathan Williams.

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"A" Honor Roll First Grade: Caylor

Averette, Hailey Beall, Joshua Cervantes, Libby Thomas Everett, Gabehart, Hailey Grant, Kaylor Green, Connar Hair, Ella Hoff, Riley Jenkins, Emma Johnson, McConnell, Trent Christopher Mendez, Way To Go...

Cayden Morgan, Alexis Pace, Mallory Paul, Reagan Phillips, Jace Richardson, Ernesto, Rivera, Reese Rutledge, Aubrie Smith, Smilla Stephens, Major Stockton, Brandon Valdez, Lane Villinga and Rylee Yanez. Second Cameron Allen, Patrick Bailey, Haley Cline,

Rylee Evans, Paul Evans, Mason Hilger, Roman McKibben, Elyse Rice, Bailey Smith, Gage Speck, John Tant, Curtis Taron, Reagan Thomas, Hannah Williams, Andre Wright and Zadie Zant. Third Grade: Micah Arzate, Ryan Buske, Joshua Caldwell, Brant

Gartman, Sam Howell, Chloe Igneczi, Kynleigh Joy, Lila Knox, Evelyn Ortman, Samantha Raney and Robert Evan. Fourth Grade: Mikayla Keller Arzate, Blacksheer, Jordan Enriquez, Macey Evans, Dora Hickam, Channing

Miller, Tatum Miller, Kaylee Morgan, Samantha O'Neil, Ashtyn Pearson, Luke Settles, Jacki Torbik, Caden Williams and Razyl Yanez. Fifth Grade: Seth Bailey, Tyler Burton, Genesis Caldwell, Caden

Cline, Jenna Evans, Garrett Evans, Chasidy Grantham, Jesse Hall, Eric Hall, Bryce Hergert, Hope Howell, Jillian Jones, Elizabeth Long, Saige Stalling sand Jaden Wilson. "A-B" Honor Roll First Grade: James

Zander

Adrian

Alexander,

Bishop,

Luis Flores, Caleb Jayden Goilandeau, Gabby Gonzalez, Brayden Gray, Tucker Grigg, Reece Hale, Adrian Juarez, Tyler Litke, Mia Martinez, Micahel Massingil, Kaiden McDonald, Ticorian Morin, Arin Ownes, Eshan Patel, Mercedes Rodriquez, Ben Smith, Sawyer Stallings, John von Hassell, and Dakota

Enriquez, Joe Farrell,

Wulfert. Second Grade: Alyssa Bowman, Hunter Cevallos, Johnathan Chappell, Sydni Coor, Brenner Gartman, Caden Hernandez, Payte Laudrum, Ely Matthies, Nayeli Paredez, Faith Raspe, Cameron Rothell, Taryn Spivey, Sara Tarbet and Tredaway.

Third Grade: Katie Averette, Raven Barbee, Jaeden Ceasar, Jamison Cogburn, Katelin Colvin, Mallory Ezell, Jonathon Gabehart, Macee Grant, Katelynn Hand, Berenice Hernandez, Cristian Hill, Cody Huitt, Maggie Mendez, Keira Peffer, Taylyn Still, Khandin White and Nelson Wylie. Fourth Grade: Zach

Beauchamp, Payton Chely Bolton, Aissa Cervantes, Maranda Chappell, Jack Everett, Brandon Freitag, Sterling Fuller, Cassidy Gamble, Emily Garcia, Kiley Johnson, Michael Kukoly, Brenna Lindsey, Kayla Morin, Montie Munsell, Richardson, Cassidy Rusk, Alexis Stercks and Price Tarbet.

Bailey, Noah Barraza,

FifthGrade:D'Amberly Baldwin, Ricky Cahill, Shelbi Carter, Austin Darden Sierra Darling, Ryan Davis, Loree Dello, Lexie Gee, Caleb Hernandez, Raven Holguin, Elissa Jefferson, Andy Kirkland, Alysa Le, Austin Madry, James McCafferty, Joseluis

Munoz, Tonie Munoz, Meagan Munsell, Desirae Pace, Brycson Pineda, Tristin Rangel, Erica Roach, Robert Stevenson, Dylan Tredaway, Shae Uranga, Nathan Vidal, Kolby Watson, Marissa Welch and Tre' Wheat.

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Fifth Sixth Weeks "A" Honor Roll

First Grade: Savannah Avey, Gabriella Martha Cisneros, Guenther, Alexandra Plata and Lakyn Sandlin.

Second Grade: Karlos

Arellano, Kylie Barnes,

Zander Barraza, Agatha Elias, Agatha Enns, David Fehr, Trudy Fehr, Victoria Franco, Me-A Gonzalez, Eva Guenther, Belle Hernandez, Helena Neufeld, Lili Porras, Harlee Reed, Tristan Reed, Nancy Rempel, Zander Tarver, Riley Webb and Layla Ybarra.

Delgado, Franz Friesen, Lukas Grantham, Aaron Thomas, Will Thomas, Jayden Wigington. Fifth Grade: Braxton Barnes, Samantha Blount and Noah

Fourth Grade: Ryston

Talia

Archuleta.

Wigington. Sixth Grade: Trevor Blagrave, Nina Clare, Mason Gary, Yajaira Gonzalez, Reagan Hamlin, Lisa Rempel and Samantha Ybarra. Seventh Grade: Austin

Nichols, Susie Rempel and Dyllan Tindol. Eighth Grade: Austin Blount.

11th Grade: Michael Gomez, Hayden Ware and Albert Ybarra. 12th Grade: Kynnie

Joseph Campbell, Garland, Landon Parker, Meagan Yarbrough and Morgan Yarbrough. "A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade: Gabrielle Franco, Margaretha Friesen, Luis Guerra, Autumn Moore, Peyton Nichols, Tyler Rose and Johan Wall. Second Grade: Anthony Aguilar, Isaak Cisneros,

Haleigh Hull, Yesenia Reyna and Elijah Ruiz. Third Grade: Jake Avey, Aganetha Fehr, Trudy Friesen, Bryce Hamlin, J.P. Renteria, Cody Staggs, Brittney Walker, Isaac Wall and Sara Wall.

Fourth Grade: Alycia Cisneros, Julia Delgado, Madison Gary, Alexis Gonzalez, Andrew Ragle, Alex Rempel, David Wall and Jalen Ybarra.

Fifth Grade: Sarah DeLeon, Mattie Grumbles, Conner Martinez, Deryk Renteria, Braylee Walker and Caleb Wigington.

Sixth Grade: Laynah Archuleta, Ashley Caceres, Juan Diaz, Jacy and Kailey Parker Tindol.

Seventh Grade: Felipe Aguinaga, Melissa Briseno, Nicholas Cisneros, Maria Fehr, Daniel Gomez, Colby Latimer, Kelsey Reed, Dylan Segundo and Zachary Taylor.

Eighth Grade: Colten Hughes, Zane Parker, Sergio Plata and Sloan Shaw. Ninth Grade: Pete

Sorola, Jerad Staggs and Kendra Staggs. 10th Grade: Angelica Diaz, Jennifer Franco and Callie McMorris.

 11^{th} Grade: Sean Blagrave.

12th Grade: Anthony Bradley, Levi Duncan, Blake

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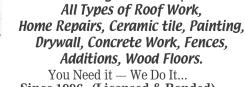
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Foods that improve your looks

If we are what we eat, then it may be a good idea to take inventory of the foods the average person consumes on a daily basis. Although some foods are sought after for their taste, there are many foods that can be enjoyed because they have a pos-

appearance. In the simplest sense, eating a healthy diet can help maintain a good body weight, which is one way to improve individual appearance. But more specifically, there are certain foods that have particular benefits for the skin, hair and body. The key is knowing what to eat.

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Soy: Soy is rich in amino acids. This food, whether eaten as a soy bean or in the many foods made from soy,

including tofu, can help the skin retain moisture and improve elasticity. Soy is also protein-rich, which can help a person feel full longer and avoid over-

Blueberries and cherries: These fruits are chock full of antioxidants, which studies show can reduce inflammation, a culprit of puffy, aging skin. Cherries are also a natural source of melatonin, which can help a person get a restful night's sleep — another component of looking your best.

Fresh herbs: Seasoning food with flavorful herbs instead of salt is another way to improve looks. Salt is often a culprit in water retention, which can lead to bloating and puffiness. This is also

Get creative. The Pisces moon is void of course and perfect for playing around in the poetic and

ethereal realms. The Taurus sun will call on the

powers of aesthetic Venus to add a touch of the

romantic to your work. And with five luminaries

in the youthful sign of Aries, the spark of timely

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Intellectual pursuit

makes you feel happy. You'll get busy exploring

relevance will be impossible to avoid.

your world and suddenly realize that

you are interested in so many things,

it would be impossible for you to ever

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Ask any-

one who has risen to superstar status

— failing makes you a success. You

need the lessons so you can master

the lessons. It is your mistakes you've

some good stories. Plus, you have

anecdotes that people can really learn

from. If you explain yourself well

enough, you'll never have to say, "I

guess you had to be there." So make the effort to

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You cannot unlive

what you have lived, but you can find another way

to respond to it. You'll take a judicious trip down

memory lane, and it will be a little like cropping a

picture and keeping the best parts of the image in

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Children, and immature

adults, throw tantrums. You are different. If you

can't do what you want, then keep your wits about

you and look for new opportunities. You'll succeed

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Some of your thoughts

are the same as yesterday and will repeat again

tomorrow. There will be completely unique

thoughts, too — ones you will never think again.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Sometimes you operate

like a self-contained business of one, and other

times, you behave like a cog in the wheel of a large

organization. You balance your independence and

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Like any good super-

hero, your true identity must be, at times, hidden.

Only the ones on the very inside are trusted with

the information about your enormous strength and

Capture them somehow so you will remember.

learned from that give you the edge. GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You have

be bored.

really spell it out.

with your sly, foxy ways.

interdependence well now.

advantageous to people who need to reduce salt intake thanks to high blood pressure or other ailments.

Lime, pear, apple, and strawberry: These power fruits are high in vitamin C and other nutrients, making them an important component of a healthy diet. Furthermore, some reseatrch has suggested that certain foods, including limes, pears and apples, can whiten

Egg products: Eggs are high in vitamin A, which helps repair skin. Not getting enough vitamin A may contribute to wrinkles.

Milk products:

Consuming low- or nonfat dairy products helps promote strong bones and teeth. Nothing says beautiful more than a

big, bright smile. B vitamins in dairy also help with red blood cell growth, cells that are responsible for bringing oxygen to other cells. This can promote healthy, young-looking skin.

Yogurt: Yogurt contains beneficial bacteria, which help with digestion. This can help cleanse out the system and prevent toxins from backing up in the Water: Of course a

person needs to stay hydrated, and water can flush the body of excess salt and toxins while also plumping the skin.

There are many nutritionally sound foods that can boost outward appearance as well.



Certain foods can work wonders on appearance and help keep the doctor away

Tomorrow's Horoscope

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There is a buffer zone around you now, and you are careful to only include those who have proven themselves worthy of getting close to you. This is how you avoid distractions and accomplish what you need

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You have a powerful personal radar system that extends from your heart to the hearts of those around you. You don't have to know a person well to recognize their pain. You're part of the healing, too. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You will be asser-

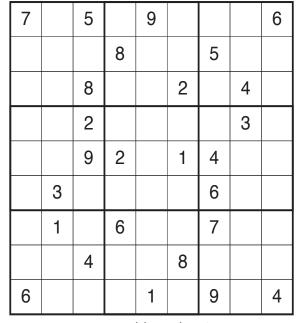
tive when you need to be, but mostly laid-back. You easily share yourself with others. This builds bonds that are enjoyable, effortless and a source of both pride and comfort.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You have acted more sensibly than others in your family, and you will see the benefit of those choices now. You certainly don't want to win at anyone else's expense, but your victory will be noble.

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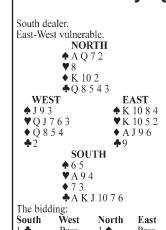
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By Steve Becker Indemnifying the Contract



Opening lead — queen of hearts. The fate of many hands is determined primarily by how the opponents' cards are distributed, rather than by the skill of the declarer. But before a declarer decides that the outcome is purely a matter of luck, he

should review all of his options. Consider this deal where making five clubs appears to rest on the location of the ace of diamonds and king of spades. If West has both of those cards, declarer can make 12 tricks by taking the spade finesse and later leading up to the diamond king.

Alternatively, if each opponent has one of the vital cards, declarer loses either two diamonds or a diamond and a spade.

But if East has both key cards, it would seem that South must lose a spade and two diamonds and go down one. Yet closer inspection reveals that, with proper play, declarer can make his contract regardless of how the adverse cards are distributed.

South wins the first heart, ruffs a heart in dummy, leads a trump to the ace and ruffs his remaining heart. The closed hand is then entered with a trump, and a diamond is led.

If West follows low, dummy's ten is played, and East wins with the jack. If he now cashes the ace, he establishes dummy's king, on which declarer can park his spade loser. South also succeeds if East leads a heart, yielding a ruff-and-discard, or returns a spade into the A-Q.

Observe that it doesn't help if West puts up the queen when the diamond is first led. In that case, declarer simply covers with the king, and East finds himself in the same unpleasant position.

Nor does it matter if West actually has the ace of diamonds. As long as dummy's ten is played after West follows low, or the king is played if West produces the queen or jack, the defenders are helpless.

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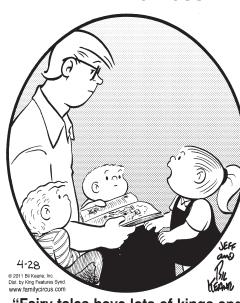
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UMM...YOU GONNA SAY

SOMETHING TO HER OR

BC

WHAT ?









HOW IT AFFECTS ME

PHYSICALLY





This Date In History

Today is Thursday, April 28, the 118th day of 2011. There are 247 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight History:

On April 28, 1789, the mutiny on HMS Bounty took place as the crew of the British ship set Capt. William Bligh and 18 sailors adrift in a launch in the South Pacific. (Bligh and most of the men with him managed to reach Timor in 47 days.) On this date:

In 1758, the fifth president of the United States, James Monroe, was born in Westmoreland County, Va. In 1788, Maryland became

the seventh state to ratify the U.S. Constitution. In 1817, the United States and

Britain signed the Rush-Bagot Treaty, which limited the number of naval vessels allowed in the Great Lakes.

In 1918, Gavrilo Princip, the assassin of Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria and the archduke's wife, Sophie, died

in prison of tuberculosis. In 1945, Italian dictator Benito Mussolini and his mis-

tress, Clara Petacci, were executed by Italian partisans as they attempted to flee the coun-In 1952, war with Japan officially ended as a treaty signed in San Francisco the year

before took effect. Gen. Dwight

D. Eisenhower resigned as

Supreme Allied commander in

Europe; he was succeeded by Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway. In 1967, heavyweight boxing champion Muhammad Ali refused to be inducted into the Army, the same day General William C. Westmoreland told Congress the U.S. "would pre-

vail in Vietnam.' In 1974, a federal jury in New York acquitted former Attorney General John Mitchell and former Commerce Secretary Maurice H. Stans of charges in connection with a secret \$200,000 contribution to President Richard Nixon's reelection campaign from financier Robert Vesco.

In 1988, a flight attendant was killed and more than 60 persons injured when part of the roof of an Aloha Airlines Boeing 737 tore off during a

8 U-238, for one

10 Hardwood tree

9 Parisian

11 TV exec

Arledge

12 Renewable

energy

16 Meshwork

19 Heroic tale

21 "I'm impressed!"

greeting

flight from Hilo (HEE'-loh) to Honolulu.

In 1996, a man armed with a semiautomatic rifle opened fire on tourists on the Australian island of Tasmania, killing 35 people; Martin Bryant was captured by police after a 12-hour standoff at a guest cottage. (Bryant is serving a life prison sentence.)

Today's Birthdays: Author Harper Lee is 85. Former Secretary of State James A. Baker III is 81. Actress-singer Ann-Margret is 70. Actress Marcia Strassman is 63. Actor Paul Guilfoyle ("CSI") is 62. "Tonight Show" host Jay Leno is 61. Rock musician Chuck Leavell is 59. Actress Mary McDonnell is 58.

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Answer to previous puzzle



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37 One-pot dinner

39 Thin strand

41 Tissue layer

44 Blissful state

47 Gladiator gear

48 Tic-tac-toe win

51 Have coming

52 Drag around

53 Didn't give

away

45 Trustful

HI AND LOIS

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EFFECTS OF JOY ... CAN

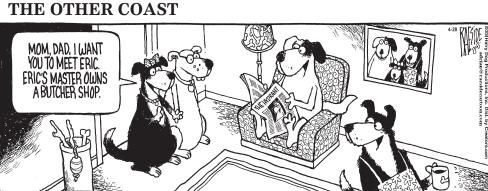
PROJECT ON THE BIOLOGICAL

YOU HELP ME A MINUTE?



SURE





SNUFFY SMITH





BEETLE BAILEY





Newsday Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 "I get it now!"
- 4 Touch down
- 8 Construction girders
- 13 Chinese-American
- novelist
- **14** __ B'rith 15 "Already?"
- 17 Moth-eaten
- 18 Wyoming resort region
- 20 Goose egg
- 22 Skirt features 23 DC baseballer
- 24 Emit slowly
- 26 Peanuts, so to speak
- 28 Theater area
- 32 Brooks of Hollywood
- 33 Raison d'
- 34 Blows one's top 38 From square
- one
- 40 Tennis official **42** Fireplace
- by-product
- **46** "Add to that . . ."

- source
- Irving setting
- **56** Markers **57** Cain raiser
- perhaps
- **61** Presidential monogram

alternative

64 Indian Ocean extension

- Neptune
- studio 71 "Publicity"
- event
- 72 Lucie Arnaz's
- dad
- container

DOWN

- 1 All-inclusive

- 4 Presidential

- 2 Robust

- **5** Poetic foot
- 6 Table salt,
- chemically

tamer

- monogram

- 43 More prying
- 49 Aluminum
- **50** Washington
- 53 Capital of Uganda
- **58** Scene causer,
- 67 Gmail

- 68 Moon of
- 69 Sea swirl
- 70 Citizen Kane

- 73 Winery

- 3 Shaw's lion

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- 7 River barrier

- stick 36 Matador foe
- 15

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