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Boykin Road blaze is contained by weary firefighters

By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

A wildfire south of Big Spring that burned thousands of acres and destroyed two homes over the course of two days has been contained, firefighters said.

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Exhausted crews were keeping watch over isolated "hot spots" this morning to avoid flare-ups of the fire, which burned up to 6,000 acres of land in an area roughly stretching from South Mountain to the Silver Heels subdivision, said Tommy Sullivan, chief of the Howard County Volunteer Fire Department.

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HERALD photo/Steve Reagan A wildfire that scorched 6,000 acres south of Big Spring and kept firefighting crews from across West Texas busy for the past two days is now contained, officials said. (Aerial service for photo provided by Bob Price)





CARNIVAL OPENS TONIGHT

Pride of Texas Carnival is being set up in the College Park Shopping Center parking lot. The carnival will open at 6 p.m. today and conclude at 11 p.m. Sunday. Wristbands will be available for \$20 and rides are \$1 each.

HERALD photo/Amanda Moreno

promised at

By AMANDA MORENO

Staff Writer

Games, rides and cotton candy mean only one thing - the carnival is returning to Big Spring.

The Pride of Texas Carnival will be open at from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. today through Sunday at the College Park Shopping Center, located at Fourth and Birdwell. The event is being

brought to the community by the carnival, shopping center and Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.

"This is something we are all working together on in

order to bring a fun event to the community," said Debbye ValVerde, chamber executive director.

Carnival officials have also been working with the city in

order to obtain permits and make sure the show is within the city parameters.

"They have assured us this

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Wine, cheese fundraiser set Thursday at Hangar 25

By AMANDA MORENO

Staff Writer

seum Wine and Cheese Fundraiser. Area residents are invited to the hangar from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday to take a look around the museum, enjoy wine and cheese and converse with other community members.

It's time for the Hangar 25 Air Mu-

"This is basically the culmination of the giveaway we've been working on for two months," said Gloria Mc-Donald, Hangar 25 board member. "Organizations are constantly looking for fundraisers that are different and this is something we haven't seen before."

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Deadline nears to register for chamber's community series

By AMANDA MORENO

Staff Writer

Next up, education and the medical industry. The Big Spring Area Chamber of

Commerce is providing residents with a means to learn more about their communities. In a series of luncheons and breakfasts, community



providers, industry leaders and the like.

Part 2 of the series is on education and medicine, and will be a breakfast

members are invited to

hear from local govern-

ment entities, health care

ValVerde See **SERIES**, Page 3A

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BSISD invites input on redistricting By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer Residents living in the Big Spring

Independent School District will have a chance to give their input on how BSISD's single-member districts should be redrawn.

ing Advisory Committee, originally scheduled for Tuesday, will be held at 5:15 p.m. Thursday in the high school board room.

A meeting of the BSISD Redistrict-

The public is encouraged to attend the meeting and their input is welChanges in the school district's

comed, officials said.

demographic makeup, reflected in the 2010 Census, are forcing BSISD officials to redraw the boundaries See **BSISD**, Page 3A

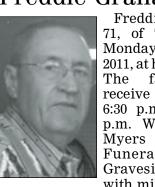




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Obituaries

Freddie Graham



Freddie Graham, 71, of Tarzan died Monday, June 20, 2011, at his residence. The family will receive friends from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. Wednesday at Smith Funeral Home. Graveside services with military honors

will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton with Derrick Looney and Leandro Gonzales officiating. He was born July 11, 1939, in Knott

to Bessie Lee and Virgil Graham. He was a veteran of the United States Army. He married Judy Hammon on March 3, 1960. He was a retired farmer, having lived most of his life in Howard and Martin counties. He was a Baptist.

He is survived by his wife, Judy Graham of Tarzan; one son, Randy Graham and his wife Beverly of Midland; one daughter, Jody Rhoton and her husband Brent of Sherman; five grandchildren, Katie Culifer and

her husband John of Tom Bean, Jamie Rhoton of Sherman, Brittany Graham, Chris Graham and Michael Graham, all of Midland; two great-grandsons, Johnathan Culifer of Midland and Matthew Graham of Tom Bean; four sisters, Virgie Burchell and her husband Mudd of Big Spring, Margie Kirkham and her husband Dean of San Angelo, Joyce King of Blytheville, Ark., and Brenda Riddle and her husband Gary of San Angelo; one sisterin-law, Jean Slate and her husband Edward of Big Spring; one brother-inlaw, John Hull and his wife Laura of Frisco; and a number of nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his

Arrangements are by Myers & meeting from noon until Smith Funeral Home. Pay your 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. respects online at www.myersand- Open Big Book study smith.com

Paid obituary

Cindy Moore

Cindy Moore, 57, of Big Spring died Wednesday, June 22, 2011, at her residence. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

THURSDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Nonsmoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.
- Spring Tabernacle Ministries has a faith-based support group for those who need help finding and continuing to walk down the path God has for each of us. Meetings are at 11 a.m. and noon, each lasting an hour. The classes take place at Spring Tabernacle Ministries, located at 1209 Wright St.

FRIDAY

- AA open discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9
- Celebrate Recovery, a Christ-centered recovery program, is held at Cornerstone Covenant Church, 706 E 12th St. at 6:30 p.m. For more infor-

Support Groups

mation, call at 264-0015 or visit www. cccbigspring.org

SATURDAY

· Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

 Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. until 8



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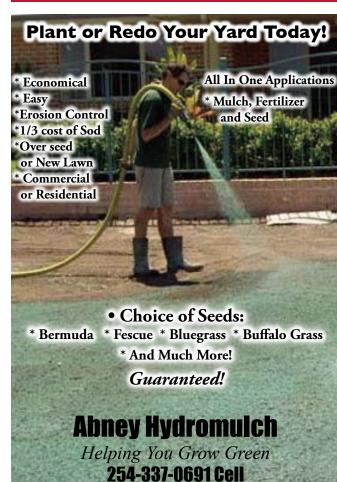


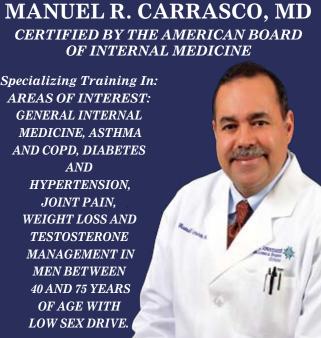
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A helicopter with the Texas Forest Service drops water on a fire on South Mountain Tuesday morning as firefighters tried to extinguish a blaze that began Monday near Boykin Road. The fire has been contained though hot spots remain, according to Volunteer Fire Chief Tommy Sullivan.

BLAZE

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"Not all of it is out, but we do have it contained," Sullivan said.

The fire flared up Tuesday in an isolated stretch of land southeast of Big Spring that truck crews could not reach, but helicopters and other air assets from the Texas Forest Service brought that trouble spot back

under control. In addition to Big

Spring and Howard County firefighters, crews from the Forest Service and several West Texas counties were called in to fight the blaze, which threatened more than 50 homes in the Silver Heels/Driver Road vicinity.

A downed power line is being blamed as the cause of the fire, which erupted Monday near Boykin Road. Two

homes were lost to the blaze, but no serious injuries were reported. Sullivan said some of his firefighters suffered

first-degree burns -"more like a bad sunburn than anything else" — during the twoday battle. Sullivan said a major

concern for his crews, who have been on the go for almost 48 straight hours, is to now get some rest.

"We're all very tired

right now," he said wearily.

Weary crews received a helping hand from local civic and service organizations, which firefighters provided with water, food and cots during their breaks from fighting the fire.

Contact Staff Writer Steve Reagan at 263-7331 ext. 234 or by e-mail at reporter@bigspringherald.com

Police blotter

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

• MICHAEL DAVID BOOTH, 21, of 1408 Robin, was arrested Tuesday on six warrants from other • ALEX MARK HUCKABEE, 20, of 107 W. Ninth

in Forsan, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less. PATRICK AARON RAMIREZ, 19, of 508 Abrams,

was arrested Tuesday on a charge of burglary of a habitation – assault. • PAUL LOZANO TORRES, 21, of 1408 Johnson,

was arrested Tuesday on warrants for disregarding a stop sign, safety belt not secured and driving under the influence by a minor. • BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported in

the area of the city service center.

• THEFT was reported in the 200 block of W. FM

• BURGLARY OF A BUILDING was reported in the 800 block of E. Fourth Street.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity: Note — Officials with the Howard County Jail

reported having 74 inmates at the time of this report.

• DENNIS MICHAEL RICHARDSON, 26, was arrested Tuesday by the HCSO on a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.

• AMY CASTILLO, 36, was arrested Tuesday by the HCSO on charges of theft – more than \$1,500, less than \$20,000 (two counts). • FRANCES ALCANTAR, 32, was arrested

Tuesday by the HCSO on a charge of theft – more than \$1,500, less than \$20,000. • JOHN ROSS AGUILAR, 27, was arrested Tuesday

by the HCSO on a judgment/sentence for driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or • MICHAEL BOOTH, 21, was transferred to the

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county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on charges of driving while license invalid (two counts), violation of a promise to appear (two counts), unsafe speed and a San Saba warrant for indictment and precept on three counts of possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver.

• ALEX MARK HUCKABEE, 20, was transferred to the county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.
• KAMEO T. HOLLOWAY, 17, was transferred to

the county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less. • PAUL TORRES, 21, was transferred to the coun-

ty jail Tuesday by the BSPD on charges of minor driving under the influence of alcohol, running a stop sign and no seat belt – passenger.

• PATRICK AARON RAMIREZ JR., 19, was transferred to the county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of burglary of a habitation with intent to commit other felony.

Fire/EMS

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

• MEDICAL was reported in the 2900 block of Cherokee. One person was transported to SMMC.

• MEDICAL was reported in the 1000 block of E. 14th Street. One person was transported to SMMC. • MEDICAL was reported in the 7400 block of

Scurry. One person was transported to SMMC. • TRAUMA was reported in the 1800 block of N. Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.

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meeting June 30 in the Howard College Cactus Room.

"This is a way for the community to hear first hand and on a more personal level about our schools and our medical industry," said Debbye ValVerde, Chamber executive director. superinten-

dents representing Forsan, Coahoma and Big Spring schools will deliver 10-minute reports concerning the issues they are facing, as will representatives from the West Texas VA Health Care System and the Big Spring State Hospital. Scenic Mountain Medical Center was scheduled to give an update, but due to scheduling conflicts that report will be delivered during Part

The serving line will begin at 7:30 a.m. and presentations will start around 7:50 a.m. According to ValVerde, the reports should be completed by 9 a.m.

"We are having this one as a breakfast in order to allow people to attend this presentation and still make it to work," ValVerde said. If time allows, there

will be a question and answer session following the presentations. Tickets for the event

are \$12 a person and can be purchased at the chamber office through Friday. There will be no tickets sold at the door due to limited seating. "Seating is limited for

this just because of the venue and its alloted capacity," ValVerde said. For more information

or to purchase a ticket, call the chamber at 263-7641 or stop by 215 W. Third St.

BSISD

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of its single-member districts. In the 10 years since

those boundaries were last fixed, significant changes have occurred, not just in the total number of people living in each district, but in each area's ethnic breakdown, as well. Since the 2000 Census,

that all-important demographic makeup has changed well beyond federally approved limits, school officials said.

"The Department of Justice allows for a 10 percent deviation (in each district's demographic breakdown) between censuses," said Jeff Brorman, president of the BSISD Board of Trustees. "We have a 28 percent deviation."

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single-member district boundary lines. Those changes will have to be approved by the BSISD board of trustees, then the U.S. Department of Justice, before they can take effect.

mending changes to the

If all goes to plan, a new district map should be submitted to federal officials for their approval by late August or early September, Brorman said.

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Charles (Charlie) Neill, 80, died Sunday. Funeral services with Military Honors were at 10 a.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Tony Starr, 71, died Sunday. Funeral services with Military Honors will be at 2:30 p.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Freddie Graham, 71, died Monday. The family will receive friends from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. tonight at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Graveside services with Military Honors will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton.

Cindy Moore, 57,died Wednesday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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Our Views

Fire danger ... it hasn't passed

The temperatures keep rising, the grass gets drier and the fire danger gets high-It seems there is a fire sparking up evervday, somewhere in our county. The smallest

Our firefighters have been working round the clock, calling in reinforcements from as far away as they will come and still no relief seems to be

little spark can turn into a 6,000-acre burn.

The Boykin Road fire continued to burn well into Tuesday, after starting around 5 p.m. Monday. the Texas Forest Service crews, as well as local firefighters, are doing all they can to contain the fires as quickly as they spark up, but with the rugged terrain it's not proving to be an easy job.

Residents may not be able to do much, especially when they are in the path of the fire, but there are still ways to help.

Prevention is the best way residents can help in the current conditions. Even with the water restrictions there are ways to help limit the fire danger around homes.

Make sure all excess brush and grass is kept at a minimum, especially if you are in the country. The less there is to burn the better control of the fire can be contained. There has to be fuel for the fire to burn, the less fuel the better the situation.

If possible, create fire breaks around structures. This goes along with keeping the brush to

Make sure and adhere to the burn ban. Considering the current conditions it is best to not burn anything, stay away from welding near brush or anything else that could easily catch on fire.

In the event of a fire do your best to stay out of the way. Everyone wants to be in the know about the situation, but the best thing to do is tune into your local radio station, television station or the Herald website or Facebook page. The local media is staying on top of the fire dangers and will bring inforamtion as it becomes available.

It's important for everyone's safety, the firefighters, officials and citizens, for the roads and pathways to the fires to remain clear.

Remain vigilant and report a fire as soon as you notice it. Do your part in ensuring fires don't get started, and stay stafe in this dangerous time.

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A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

May we include Your heavenly good, Lord, in what might be bad. **Amen**

Ask Dr. Politics: How Muslims despised today, tomorrow, you

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Dear Dr. Politics: Why are you such a jerk? You call Herman Cain "hateful" for

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wanting to protect America from Muslim militants who want to kill us. It's you who are hateful!

Reply: Let's look at the record. This is from PolitiFact. com, a Pulitzer Prize-winning nonpartisan factchecking organization that examines the statements of public figures. PolitiFact gives Cain its lowest rating, judging his statements

"ridiculous."

Let's start with Cain's comments in a March 21 article in Christianity Today. "And based upon the little

on this issue "not accurate" and

knowledge that I have of the Muslim religion, you know, they have an objective to convert all infidels or kill them," Cain said On May 26, a blogger for

ThinkProgress.org asked Cain, "Would you be comfortable appointing a Muslim either in your Cabinet or as a federal judge?'

"No, I will not," Cain replied. "And here's why. There is this creeping attempt, there's this attempt to gradually ease Sharia law and the Muslim faith into our government. It does not belong in our government."

A few days later, Cain went on 'Your World With Neil Cavuto" on Fox News.

"A reporter asked me, 'Would I appoint a Muslim to my administration?' I did say 'no," Cain said. "And here's why ... I would have to have people totally committed to the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States. And many of the Muslims, they're not totally dedicated to this country.'

Then, in Monday's CNN debate, moderator John King accurately asked Cain about his statement that he would not appoint a Muslim to his Cabinet.

Cain replied that he never said that, only that he would not be "comfortable" appointing a Muslim to his Cabinet. This contradicted Cain's statement to

"And I would not be comfortable because you have peaceful Muslims and then you have militant Muslims, those that are trying to kill us," Cain said during the debate. "And so, when I said I wouldn't be comfortable, I was thinking about the ones that are trying to kill us, number one. Secondly, yes, I do not believe in Sharia law in American courts."

In my column on the debate, I called this not only "incoherent nonsense" but "hateful, incoherent nonsense.'

But you want to know what's worse? As an excellent editorial in The New York Times pointed out Tuesday, "None of the other candidates took (Cain) to task

Mitt Romney, a Mormon who has himself been the subject of religious slurs, at least mentioned the nation's founding principle of religious tolerance and respect, but missed an opportunity to include Muslims. Newt Gingrich tumbled over the historical cliff with the idea, announcing some kind of loyalty oath to serve in his administration, similar to that used in dealing with Nazis and Commu-

I don't know if Monday's debate will be quickly forgotten, replaced in our memories by a jumble of other debates, but I am going to remember it as the debate in which the entire Republican field to date refused to speak out for Muslim-Americans. They refused to speak out for the ones fighting for America in our Armed Forces, for the ones serving in Congress and for the ones living peaceful, productive and, yes, American lives.

The silence of these candidates was an act of cowardice.

Keep in mind these famous words when it comes to failing to speak out for people who are unpopular. They are by Martin Niemoller, a Lutheran pastor,

that even Republican candidates for president should know them. Niemoller was speaking of the courage it took to remain a decent human being in Nazi Germany:

"First they came for the Jews, and I didn't speak out because I wasn't a Jew.

"Then they came for the trade unionists, and I didn't speak out because I wasn't a trade union-

"Then they came for the communists, and I didn't speak out because I wasn't a communist.

"Then they came for me, and there was no one left to speak out for me."

and sent to Sachsenhausen and Dachau concentration camps for "not being enthusiastic enough about the Nazi movement." He was eventually liberated by the Fifth U.S. Army on May 5, 1945. He died in 1984 in Wiesbaden, Germany.

Niemoller was arrested in 1937

Do I regret the remarks I made about Herman Cain? I do not. Anyone who won't speak out for those unjustly despised is despicable.

You want to live in a country that has a litmus test for Muslims? You want to live in a coun try that demands loyalty oaths from Muslims?

Fine. Today, it will be the Muslims. Tomorrow, it will be you.

How badly do these candidates want to be president? Badly enough to shred the Constitution to get the job? No job is worth that, not even president.

They should be ashamed of themselves. I certainly am ashamed of them.

Dear Dr. Politics: I notice you are now on Twitter under the name @politicoroger. Don't you find that Twitter is divorced from reality?

Reply: Twitter is reality. Everything else is an illusion.

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Herman Cain's 'Amateur Hour

merica is a free country, and radio talkshow host Herman Cain is free to run for president. Even with low-name recognition, the former Godfather's Pizza CEO polls well. Veteran pollster Scott Rasmussen ranks him third, with 10 percent of the GOP primary vote, behind former Massachusetts Gov. Mitt Romney and Minnesota Congresswoman Michele Bach-

mann. His supporters seem enthusiastic. But they should understand one thing: Herman Cain cannot win because when it comes to politics, he is an amateur.

Cain's website opens with the slogan "Let's Get Real."



DEBRA SAUNDERS

Not the Hermanator's strong suit.

Cain can boast of a great American success story. A black man who grew up in the Jim Crow South, Cain is the son of a chauffeur and domestic worker who were determined that he graduate college. He did. Then he earned a master's degree. He applied himself. He rose through corporate America and became chief executive of Godfather's Pizza. Cain should be proud of his achievements. In the political world, Cain has

not fared as well. Larry Sabato, director of the University of Virginia's Center for Politics, summed up Cain's political experience as "losing badly in a Republican primary in his own state" — when Cain ran for a U.S. Senate seat in Georgia in 2004. It's not a plus for a presi-

dential candidate when Republicans in his own state nominated

someone else. Cain became an Atlanta talk radio host, a commentator for Fox Business and an author. He knows how to speak provocatively. Witness his remarks about President Obama's Kenyan roots and his admission that he would not appoint qualified Muslims unless they could prove they are loyal Americans. In short, he made a name for himself by alienating people — the one thing you don't do if you want to win an election.

But the main reason Cain won't win is that most Republicans understand that a man who has never won an election or a battlefield has no business running for president.

He was a great businessman, but that does not mean he can squeeze what he wants out of hostile lawmakers, outmaneuver treacherous allies or juggle the thousand parts of foreign policy. Like many Republicans, I am a

strong believer in citizen politi-

When civilians enter the arena, they can bring outside-the-Capitol-dome common sense to a realm made overcomplicated by careerists who know how to cut deals but not how to get things Sen. Tom Coburn, R-Okla., is

a great example. An obstetrician who entered politics in his 40s, Coburn declared war on earmarks and ethanol subsidies and he has succeeded where career Republicans once dared not tread.

Ronald Reagan went from actor to politician. Please note: Reagan could not have been President Reagan without being

California Gov. Reagan first. Sabato noted that in 1980, when Democrats were painting Reagan as an extremist, "the most reassuring qualification that Reagan had was having run the nation's largest state (population-wise) for eight years — and

it was still there." Cain has a poor sense of timing. Obama did not have a thick political resume when he won the White House. If American voters are so dissatisfied with Obama in 2012 that they want to replace him, they are not going to choose a rookie — who never has won a showdown with other lawmakers, sat across the table from a foreign despot or withstood the pressure of a hardball election and triumphed — whose claim to fame is that he is a good

In its early stages before voters have begun to focus seriously on the election, the 2012 GOP primary has shined the spotlight on vanity candidates (Newt Gingrich), vanity non-candidates (Sarah Palin) and vanity personified (Donald Trump).

Like Cain, Palin and Trump have a talent for saying glib things that suggest that there are easy fixes for entrenched messes. Take Cain's premise that not being a politician is a plus in a presidential election.

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Why not check this out?

who, nearing the age of

80, was elected as John

Paul II's successor.

But three years into

his papacy, Clement

has begun to quietly

express skepticism

about papal infallibil-

books on CD hand for all the vacation or weekend trips out of town.

You can find a complete list in the New Book Binder. The CDs include

Beat the Odds" (AUCD

B OHE M), by Michael

from his story is "The

book for you to check

starts out one summer

morning when South-

Mitchell Rafferty gets

a call on his cell phone

from a stranger saying

that Mitch's beloved

wife, Holly, has been

he has less than three

days to come up with

\$2 million in cash. Of

to involve the police.

rebound from a series

of embarrassing blun-

ders that have jeopar-

dized its political life.

In ³Deception Point,²

by Dan Brown, NASA

makes an astounding

discovery: there is a

within the arctic ice.

And it isn¹t just any

rock, which crashed

to earth in 1716, are

fossils of giant insects,

proof of extraterrestrial

life. Yet, given NASA¹s

slipping reputation, the

question arises: Is the

meteor real or a fake?

That uncertainty dogs

NASA and its support-

polished amalgam of ac-

tion and intrigue. This

is a fast-paced thriller.

Another thriller is

'The Third Secret" (F

BAR S), by Steve Berry,

which introduces Jakob

Volkner — Pope Clem-

ent XV — a German,

ers in Brown¹s latest

page-flipper, a finely

meteor embedded deep

meteor. Inside the huge

course, he's warned not

NASA is struggling to

kidnapped and that

ern California gardener

out. "The Husband"

Here is a Dean Koontz

Oher — movie made

Blind Side."

ity and the Church¹s restrictive dogma, and to make odd requests of his longtime secretary, Monsignor Colin Michener. Clement has also made repeated visits to a guarded sanc-"Burn" Hollis tum within the Vatican (AUCD archives, where sacred **McCright** F BAR and historic documents N), by are stored. And he¹s dispatched Michener to Barr; "Mercy Kill" Romania to locate an el-(AUCD F ARM L), derly cleric who, in the by Lori Armstrong; 1950s, translated three "American Rose" cryptic prophecies, (about Gypsy Rose Lee) purportedly offered by (AUCD B LEE G), by the Virgin Mary in 1917 Karen Abbott; and "I to a trio of children in

> Scott Zesch Scott in "Captured: A True Story of Abduction by the Indians" (976.400 ZES S) writes about his ancestor, Adolph Korn, who was captured by three Apaches near the family's home in Mason, Texas. Adolph was 10 years old when he was captured and from Jan. 1, 1870, until November 1872, he lived as an Apache.

> Fatima, Portugal. Those

secrets have since been

fully disclosed to the

world. Or have they?

Adolph was irrevocably changed by his ordeal. Considering himself Indian, he lived in a cave and died alone in 1900. Zesch's investigation into Korn's sad life led him to the similar stories of eight other children captured in Texas between 1865 and 1871. Drawing on his tenacious research and interviews with the captives' descendants, Zesch compiles a gripping account of the lives of these children as they lived and traveled with their Indian captors. Delving into the reasons for their "Indianization," (which lasted the rest of their lives) and he discusses why they couldn't adjust to white society.

I have gotten on a kick of reading mysteries that take place during Medieval times. Authors who write this genre include Margaret Fraser — her character is Dame Frevisse. Dame Frevisse is a woman who is, as I

library

understand, not quite a nun, not quite a layperson, in a convent in England. She is a liaison between the secular world and the cloister. Anyway, she is called upon to help solve mysteries that come her way. The library has several volumes. A new author is Mi-

chael Jecks, who writes the Knights Templar mysteries. The only one book we have is "A Moorland Hanging.' Simon Puttock becomes involved with tin mining and the rights of miners in this mystery. Murder, love and avarice all play a part in the conundrum.

A third writer is Peter Tremayne, who writes the Sister Fidelma mysteries. These take place in Ireland just when Christianity has taken hold, and some of the old religion still remains. The library only has two of his books, but they are well worth picking up at any book store.

Another author is Sharon Kay Penman, who writes of King Richard II, Eleanor of Aquitaine, etc. Justin deQuincy is her main character. Justin is a "Queen's Man' for Queen Eleanor and takes on various projects (that usually pertain to murder) for Eleanor.

I had to glean from some of the older reviews that I have written in years past for this column. Time snuck up on me, but trust me, these books are still a great read.

Summer is nearly here and that means that our hours have changed. We are closed Saturday during June, July and August. We are open as usual from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. The only holiday during the summer that we will be closed is Monday, July 4 to celebrate the birth of our country. Please call and check our hours if you need to. Our phone number is 264-2260. The library is located at 500 S. Main St. The website is www.howard-county. lib.tx.us.

Hollis McCright is director of the Howard County Library.

Annie's Mailbox ®

Dear Annie: I am a 20-year-old male who recently developed an eating disorder. I've lost almost 50 pounds from restricting, purging and over-exercising. Even though I get a lot of compliments on my weight loss, I am nowhere near where I'd like to be. My parents notice that I don't eat very much, but as soon as I eat a little more, my mother makes comments on how I'm going to gain the weight back. Even my doctor thinks I should lose a bit more.

Honestly, I'm at my limit here. I'm afraid to stop purging because I'll just binge and put the weight back on. I realize I have a distorted body image and recently started causing external harm to my body because I'm not happy with what I see. How can I be satisfied and not end up seriously hurt? — E.D.

Dear E.D.: The bingeand-purge cycle of eating disorders is extremely harmful to the body. It can cause dehydration, fatigue, ulcers, tooth decay, ruptured stomach, swelling, a weakened heart muscle and more. We understand the pressure you are under to maintain the weight you have lost, and you are smart to recognize that this is not a healthy way to do it. Please don't keep your eating disorder a secret. Contact the National Eating Disorders Association (nationaleatingdisorders.org) at 1-800-931- 2237 and ask for assistance.

Dear Annie: A few weeks ago, my husband and I moved into a lovely apartment in a quiet neighborhood. Shortly after, an older nextdoor neighbor knocked on our door with a homemade pie and introduced herself. Naturally, we were pleased at her kindness and invited her in to



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visit.

Since then, however, "Doris" has been knocking on our door at all hours of the day with food or "just to chat." My husband and I both work and do not have a lot of time to ourselves. Doris is apparently home all day, because the minute she hears or sees one of us, she pops in. When she does this at dinner, we feel obligat ed to invite her to join us. She also has been very inquisitive about our personal lives, asking questions even our relatives would not dream of asking.

We realize Doris is lonely, but we need to put a stop to this. My husband is so convinced we've opened a can of worms that he now refuses to talk to any of our other neigh bors for fear the same thing will happen. How can we discourage Doris' visits and still remain on good terms? – Perplexed

Dear Perplexed: No one can take advantage of you without your permission. Don't be afraid to say, "I'm so sorry, Doris, but this isn't a good time to visit. Maybe tomorrow." And then close the door. Be polite and friendly, but don't let her inside, even if she tries to bribe you with a homemade pie. But we hope you won't shut her out completely. She is desperate for company, and you might visit on occasion and encourage her to participate in community activities. In the meantime, it's OK to set boundaries and be firm about them.

Dear Annie: I had to reply to "Michigan," who is afraid she will not be close to her two sons after they marry.

I have one son. If

"Michigan" treats her daughters-in-law as she does her sons, she will have no problem. My daughter-in-law is the daughter I never had. She has a mother and a sister, but we two are as close as can be. We do things together (just the two of us) and enjoy each other's company. She sometimes has con flicts with her husband as we all do from time to time, and knows she can come to me with anything. I keep an open mind. I love my son, but he is not per-

I wouldn't trade my daughter-in-law for anything. I love her as my own. — *Lucky* Mother-in-Law

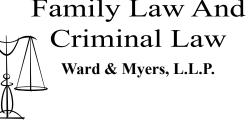
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News in brief

Obama to set course for drawing down Afghan war

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Barack Obama will set the course for drawing down the U.S. war in Afghanistan on Wednesday, when he is expected to announce plans to bring roughly 10,000 American troops home in less than a year.

In a prime-time address from the White House, Obama is likely to outline a phased withdrawal that will bring 5,000 troops home this summer and an additional 5,000 by winter or spring 2012, according to a senior U.S. defense official. That timeline could allow military commanders to keep high troop levels in Afghanistan for two more crucial fighting seasons.

But the cuts expected this year may not be substantial enough to satisfy some lawmakers on Capitol Hill and a war-weary public.

The president reached his decision a week after receiving a range of options from Gen. David Petraeus, the top U.S. and NATO commander in Afghanistan. Obama informed his senior national security advisers, including outgoing Defense Secretary Robert Gates and Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, of his plans during a White House meeting Tues-

lay out cyberwar rules WASHINGTON (AP) — President

Pentagon guidelines

Barack Obama has signed executive orders that lay out how far military commanders around the globe can

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND

PARTIES:

John Crane Production Solutions Inc., has ap-

plied to the Texas Commission on Environ-

mental Quality (TCEQ) for an amendment to

Air Quality Permit No. 74335, which would

authorize modification to a Pultrusion Facil-

ity located at 3604 Bethel Drive, Big Spring,

Howard County, Texas 79720. Additional

information concerning this application is

contained in the public notice section of this

go in using cyberattacks and other computer-based operations against enemies and as part of routine espionage in other countries.

The orders detail when the military must seek presidential approval for a specific cyber assault on an enemy and weave cyber capabilities into U.S. war fighting strategy, defense officials and cyber security experts told The Associated Press.

Signed more than a month ago, the orders cap a two-year Pentagon effort to draft U.S. rules of the road for cyber warfare, and come as the U.S. begins to work with allies on global ground

The guidelines are much like those that govern the use of other weapons of war, from nuclear bombs to missiles to secret surveillance, the officials said.

In a broad new strategy document, the Pentagon lays out some of the cyber capabilities the military may use during peacetime and conflict. They range from planting a computer virus to using cyberattacks to bring down an enemy's electrical grid or defense network.

At least 40 al-Qaida militants escape prison

SANAA, Yemen (AP) — Security officials say at least 40 al-Qaida militants have escaped from a jail in southern Yemen.

The militants attacked their guards and seized their arms early on Wednesday just as bands of heavily armed militants attacked the prison

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Domestic Violence Temptation to Go Back

It takes a women 7 to 10 times before she leaves her abuser.

There is always that temptation to go back, hence one of the cycles of violence.

All survivors of domestic violence must weigh the pros and cons of returning back to their abuser. It is a decision only you can make, family and friends will only remember the traumatic events. Before you go back to your abuser here are some things to think about.

1. Weigh the Pros and Cons

newspaper.

- Review Why You Left. Did the Abuser get Treatment?
- Remember How Far You've Come.
- Take 1 minute and make a list of what you love about him.
- 6. Take 1 minute and make a list of what you do not like about him.

Here is a chart from "Its My Life Now" second editon. Meg Kennedy Dugan & Roger R. Hock.

When You Were Together, rate where you believe your ex would fall today if you get back together on the scale of 1 –

Trusting -----Suspicious Respectful -----Condescending Predictable -----Unpredictable Liberating -----Possessive -----Controlling Equal Secure -----Jealous Good Parent - - - - -Abusive parent Dependable -----Undependable Stable -----Unstable Empowering - - - - -Demeaning Willing Denies any to change - - - - - problem exists Unlikely to Potential be violent - - - - - violent

Now mark where you believe your ex-partner would fall if you were to return to that relationship.

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in the city of Mukalla on the Arabian Sea.

The officials said those who escaped included militants convicted on terror charges or held in protective custody pending their trial.

The officials spoke on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to speak to the media.

Wednesday's escape was the latest sign that Yemen's upheaval has emboldened al-Qaida militants to challenge authorities in the country's nearly lawless south.

Reserve still facing economic soft patch

WASHINGTON (\overrightarrow{AP}) — We may be into the second year of the economic recovery, but Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke and his colleagues are still facing plenty of challenges as they try to keep a fragile expansion on track.

A host of economic indicators have slowed in recent weeks and a sharp spike in gasoline prices earlier this year has made consumers and businesses more cautious about spending. The central bank, wrapping up a two-day meeting on Wednesday, is expected to acknowledge the recent soft patch but insist that growth should rebound in the second half of the year.

In a speech earlier this month, Bernanke maintained that the slowdown is temporary and said the economy should pick up later this year as the impact of high gas prices and supply disruptions caused by the March earthquake and tsunami in Japan abate. However, the Fed is now confronting renewed jitters that a debt crisis in Greece could spread to other heavily indebted European nations and send shockwaves through U.S. and global financial markets.

On Wednesday the Fed is expected stay the course, keeping interest rates unchanged and declaring that it will end on schedule a \$600 billion Treasury bond purchase program at the end of this month.

The central bank also is expected to repeat a pledge to maintain its current level of securities holdings, which stand at a record \$2.6 trillion. The belief is that this sizable stockpile will keep interest rates from rising even though the Fed is not adding to its holdings.

Many private economists believe it will be another full year before the economy has recovered enough for the Fed to actually start raising inter-

Radioactive leaks at aging reactors hard to detect

(AP) — U.S. nuclear power plant operators haven't figured out how to quickly detect leaks of radioactive water from aging pipes that snake underneath the sites — and the leaks, often undetected for years, are not going to stop, according to a new report by congressional investigators.

The report by the Government Accountability Office was released by two congressmen Tuesday in response to an Associated Press investigation that shows three-quarters of America's 65 nuclear plant sites have leaked radioactive tritium, sometimes into groundwater.

Separately, two senators asked the GAO, the auditing and watchdog arm of Congress, to investigate the findings of the ongoing AP series Aging Nukes, which concludes that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the nuclear power industry have worked closely to keep old reactors operating within safety standards by weakening them, or not enforcing the

A third senator, independent Bernie Sanders of Vermont, said the AP series has raised disturbing allegations about safety at aging plants and reiterated his demand that the Vermont Yankee plant be shut.

In the report released Tuesday by Democratic Reps. Edward J. Markey of Massachusetts and Peter Welch of Vermont, the GAO concluded that while a voluntary initiative that industry recently adopted is supposed to identify leaks, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission doesn't know how fast problems are detected.

No free ride home for penguin lost in N.Z.

PEKA PEKA BEACH, New Zealand (AP) — There will be no free ride back to Antarctica for a young penguin who defied the odds by swimming all the way to New Zealand. The trip could spread infections, authorities say, and there's no way to transport the animal this time of year.

Wildlife officials said Wednesday they will let "nature take its course" after the Emperor penguin ended up on picturesque Peka Peka Beach on New Zealand's North Island — 2,000 miles (3,200 kilometers) from Antarctic waters — in the country's first sighting of the bird in the wild in 44 years.

The penguin could have caught a disease by swimming through warmer climes, and wildlife officials would not want to be responsible for introducing illnesses into the insulated Antarctic penguin colony, said Peter Simpson, a program manager for New Zealand's Department of Conser-

Then there are the logistics.

Crews make progress vs. Arizona fires

PHOENIX (AP) — Crews have made significant progress attacking three major wildfires in Arizona, but fire danger across the Southwest will remain for weeks to come until seasonal rains arrive.

Storms that normally stop the fire threat in the Southwest aren't expected to come until mid-July at the soonest. Officials say that means the large blazes churning across Arizona's forestlands won't be the last.

The state has seen one of its most dangerous fire seasons in years, forestry officials said, with more than 1,500 fires burning 1,300 square miles so far. That total far exceeds 2010, when just 132 square miles burned across the state.

"We're not even into our really hot days," said Cam Hunter, Arizona's deputy state forester, noting that virtually all fires in the state have been human caused. "We're really dependent on people being as conscientious as they've ever been when they're doing anything that can cause a spark or has a flame and is an ignition source."

Storms disrupt Chicago commuter trains

CHICAGO (AP) — Thunderstorms and heavy winds pounded the upper Midwest Tuesday night, stranding Chicago commuter train riders for hours, forcing the cancelation of hundreds of flights, and temporarily delaying Vice President Joe Biden's return to Washington after a fund-

Michael Gillis, spokesman for the commuter rail Metra, said one outbound commuter train was stuck for about five hours when a storm knocked down a power line onto the rail. After 2 a.m. CDT Wednesday, the train was headed back to downtown, and passengers were being asked to find alternative transportation or wait even longer for another train.

Two inbound trains also remained stranded before dawn Wednesday, though Gillis said one had no passengers aboard and the other had few, if any.



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News in brief

Perry signs wrongful convictions payment bill

AUSTIN (AP) — A man wrongly imprisoned in Texas for nearly two decades over slayings he did not commit will be paid \$1.4 million.

Gov. Rick Perry has signed a bill authorizing payments for Anthony Graves for 18 years, the amount of time he was behind bars. A 2009 law says exonerees can receive \$80,000 for every year they were imprisoned. The Houston Chronicle reports a federal appeals

court in 2006 overturned the conviction and ordered a new trial for Graves over the 1992 deaths of a grandmother and five children in Somerville. Graves was later declared innocent by a special

Comptroller Susan Combs in February denied compensation because the exoneration document for Graves lacked the words "actual innocence."

Perry, who signed the bill Friday, supported com- only had two drinks that night. Ahumada pleaded pensation efforts for Graves.

Ex-Brownsville mayor receives probation for reckless driving

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — A former South Texas mayor accused of DWI has pleaded guilty to reckless driving and must serve two years of proba-

Ex-Brownsville Mayor Pat Ahumada Jr. also must pay a \$200 fine, attend Alcoholics Anonymous meetings for six months, do 150 hours of community service and face random testing for alcohol.

Brownsville police in May 2010 stopped a vehicle driven by Ahumada, when he was mayor, and detained him on a drunken driving charge. Prosecutor Bernard Ammerman says two wit-

nesses later came forward to say that the mayor

guilty Monday to the lesser charge.

Ahumada, since 1987, has faced three drunken driving investigations.

More storms, more power outages in North Texas

DALLAS (AP) — Thunderstorms have drenched parts of North Texas and left thousands of homes and businesses without power for another day.

Dallas-based utility Oncor (ON'-kor) on Wednesday reported nearly 33,000 customers without electricity.

Rain and strong winds early Tuesday left behind damage in Wise County. More bad weather reached North Texas by Tuesday night.

Most of the latest Oncor outages are in the Fort Worth area.



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For \$25, residents also have an opportunity to take home a John Deere Gator, which is on display at Citizens Federal Credit Union until Thursday night. The new owner of the Gator will be announced at the fundraiser.

"The winner doesn't have to be at the event. but for those who do attend there will be another opportunity to walk away with a unique set of wine glasses," said McDonald.

McDonald has handpainted a set of wine glasses and one fortunate attendee will be able to add them to their collection. The event is open

to the public and admission is free, but a ticket is required. Tickets can be picked up at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce office, located at 215 W. Third, until 5 p.m. Thursday.

"We want to encourage everyone to come out and have a good time," McDonald said. "This is a casual dress event and is come and go. People can come and go as they please or they can come and stay the entire time, it's completely up to them."

Donations are also being accepted during the wine and cheese fundraiser.

To find out more information, contact the Hangar at 264-1999.

CARNIVAL

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is a safe and family fun activity," ValVerde said. "There will be local patrol during the event.'

It has been a couple of years since a carnival has been present at a shopping center in Big Spring, according to ValVerde.

"We were looking to bring something the whole family could enjoy and we think this will be a really good event that will do that," she added. The carnival will have

more than a dozen games for all ages to enjoy, as well as a kiddie-ride section and rides for adults. Some of the rides included are The Blizzard and the original Zipper from Michael Jackson's Neverland. Tickets for the rides will be \$1 and wristbands can be pur-

chased for \$20.

"The wristbands will get unlimited rides the night of purchase, but cutoff to purchase wristbands will be at 10 p.m. each night," according to Chuck Sanders, carnival em-

There will also be the traditional carnival food available for purchase, such as funnel cakes, cotton candy, corn dogs and refreshments.

"We just want everyone to come out and have a fun evening with the family," ValVerde said. "This is something we might bring back next year if we receive enough response from the community."

The Pride of Texas Carnival will conclude its stay in Big Spring on Sunday. The carnival will move on to Sweetwater in order to be part of that community's Fourth of July festivities.

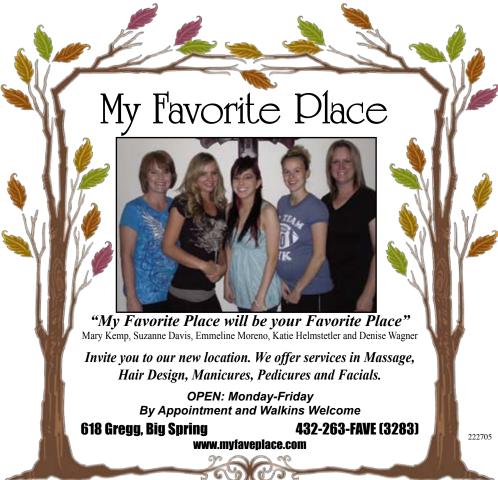
Take Note

• The Permian Basin Underground Water Conservation District will hold at open house from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday at 708 W. St. Peter St. in Stanton. The public is invited.

· Sharon Chancy, campus curriculum coordinator at Bauer Elementary School, and her family lost their home and all their possessions to the wildfire that swept South Mountain on the evening of June 20. A fund has been established at the Big Spring Education Federal Credit Union to assist the family as they recover from this loss. To help, call 432-263-8393 or come by the FCU at 1110 Benton.

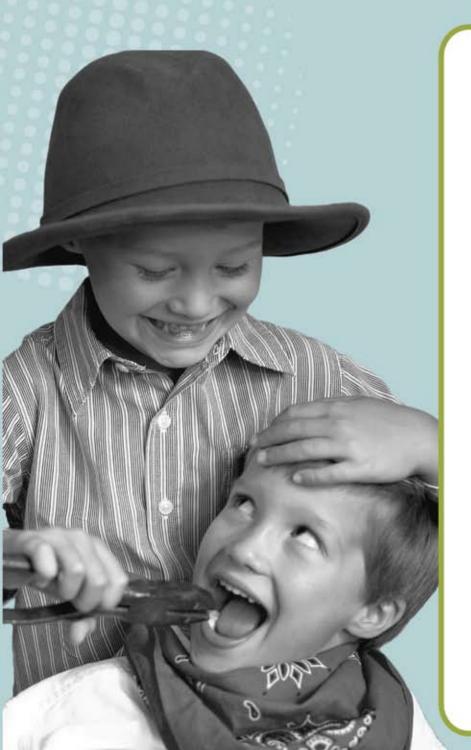
• Keep Big Spring Beautiful and Wal-Mart will team together Saturday in a fight against littering. The first 200 customers who bring five plastic bags to Wal-Mart between 10 a.m. and noon will receive a new





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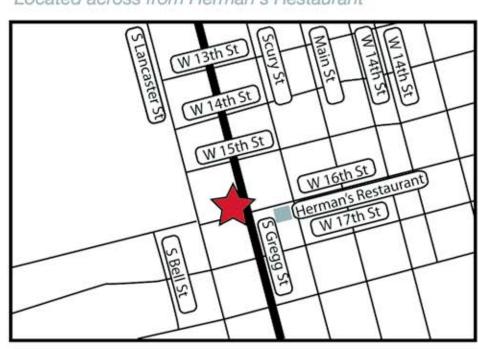
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*Located across from Herman's Restaurant



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CAMPS

Girl's Basketball Camp June 20-23

BSISD's girl's basketball camp will be held June 20-23 at Steer Gym, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. The camp is open to students in grades 2-8. The cost of the camp is \$25. T-shirts can be purchased for \$10.

Volleyball Camp **July 25-28**

BSISD's volleyball camp will be held July 25-28, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. The camp is open to students in grades 3-8 for a fee of \$25. T-shirts can also be purchased for \$10.

Call 432-264-3662 for information.

BRIEFS

Free Junior Tennis Clinics

Free Junior Tennis Clinics will be held every Monday night from 5:30 to 6:30 at Figure 7. The cost is free and will be conducted by local coaches, players and pros.

Just bring a racquet (we have some if you don't). Balls and water will be provided. For more information, call Dana Jones at 432-557-3831.

Best of the Rest Golf Tournament June 25-26

Comanche Trail Golf Course presents their 31st annual Best of the Rest 2-man scramble golf tournament June 25-26.

The tournament is open to the first 80 teams that register and entrants will be pre-flighted. There will be food on the course each day.

Entry fee is \$200 per team.

For more information, call the pro shop at 432-264-2366.

Howard County A&M Club Westexags Shootout July 16

A golf tournament with a four-man Sherrill scramble format will be held July 16 at the Comanche Trail Golf Course. The start time will be 8 a.m. The cost is \$75 per person (carts not included). Respond by July 1 to westexags@hotmail.com or by calling 432-263-7969.

Coahoma Girls' Softball All-Annual Stars Rag Tournament June 24-26

The Coahoma Girls' Softball All-Stars are hosting their annual Rag Ball Tournament. The event will be held June 24-26.

Vendors are needed for the event.

For information, call Billy Newton at 325-207-2640 or Amy Overton at 432-816-1968.

Summer Rag Ball League Sign-ups through June 27

The 2011 Summer Rag Ball League is taking sign-ups through June 27. The games will be played Mondays and - if needed - Tuesdays. The season will last eight weeks and will feature a tournament at the end. Prizes will be given during the season.

For more information, call 432-816-0050.



Forsan High School's Foster Burchett was named to the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association's 2011 Texas 2A All-State baseball team. Burchett was selected for the first team at the short stop position.

Mooreland's homer lifts

With the innings starting to stack up and a harsh storm approaching, Mitch Moreland took a mighty whack at the first pitch of the bottom of the 11th inning.

Before the ball even landed deep in the upper deck in right field, teammates were climbing over the dugout rails to join Moreland in celebrating the Texas Rangers' 5-4 victory over the Houston Astros on Tuesday night.

The giddiness was justified. Heavy winds blew debris across the field by the time Moreland crossed home plate and before he was even out of the shower, sheets of rain slapped across the field. Had the game not ended when it did, it could've been quite a long night, or a suspended game to be resumed Wednesday.

The win itself was nice for Texas, as were milestones such as the first game-ending hit of Moreland's blossoming career, and Japanese reliever Yoshinori Tateyama (1-0) earning his first career victory. The Rangers were also glad to find a way to win on a night when ace C.J. Wilson lacked his best stuff, and the offense relied

mostly on solo homers. Moreland's blast was his 10th of the year and his second long homer in as many games. Houston rookie reliever Enerio del Rosario (0-2) took the loss.

"My ultimate goal was to try to get on base and get something started, and I was able to end it all on one swing," said Moreland, who couldn't remember having hit another game-ending homer in pro ball.

Josh Hamilton of Texas tied it at 4 with a homer leading off the eighth, keeping Astros prized prospect Jordan Lyles from getting his first major-league win.

Hamilton went 2 for 5, keeping up his incredible success in interleague play. Over his last 17 games against the National League, not counting the World Series, he is 36 for 75 (.480 average) with six homers and 21 RBIs.

Texas also got solo See TEXAS, Page 2B

homers from Michael Young and Nelson Cruz. The only manufactured run was when Endy Chavez tripled home Taylor Teagarden in the seventh inning.

The Astros, still without leading slugger Hunter Pence (elbow), lost their third straight game. Houston has dropped six of eight, 10

of 13 and 14 of 18. The top of Houston's lineup did all it could to pull this one out, as Jason Bourgeois, Michael Bourn and Jeff Keppinger combined for nine of the club's 12 hits. Each had three, with Bourn and Keppinger both driving in two runs.

ggies end world series run

OMAHA (AP) — California coach David Esquer called on all hands to save his baseball program, and he's doing the same to keep his team playing in the College World Series.

Freshman utilityman Derek Campbell drove in two runs out of the No. 9 spot, closer Matt Flemer pitched three scoreless innings in his longest outing of the year and the Golden Bears kept up their improbable postseason run with a 7-3 victory over Texas A&M.

"I'm happy our guys kind of grinded it out, because that's kind of how we do it. We don't do it easy," Esquer said.

The Bears (38-22) won their first CWS game in three appearances since 1980 and will play Virginia on Thursday in another elimination game.

The Big 12 regular-season and postseason champion Aggies (47-22) went two games and out and are 2-10 in five all-time CWS appearances.

Aggies coach Rob Childress said he told his players that they should expect to come back next

"We didn't play like we're capa-

ble of playing the two games that we were here," Childress said. "It's nobody's fault."

The Bears led 6-1 after scoring

three runs in the fifth and three more in the sixth. Campbell, a .255 hitter who came in with five RBIs in 22 games, delivered RBI singles each inning.

Freshman left-hander Kyle Porter (6-0) allowed three runs in six innings. Flemer finished for his sixth save, giving up three singles and striking out five. They combined to stop an A&M club that had recorded 17 comeback victories this season.

Esquer wrote Campbell into the lineup at second base for the fourth straight game so Tony Renda, the Pac-10 player of the

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NFL debts offer hope for season

ROSEMONT (AP) — le There are about a billion reasons to be optimistic the NFL will be open for business as usual this season.

That's how much Jerry Jones shelled out for his palace in Dallas. The Cowboys owner is hardly pinching pennies or scrounging through his jewelry box for a Super Bowl ring to pawn as the lockout stretches into a fourth month and threatens the start of training camp. But NFL owners are facing debts like they never have before, and even the hard-liners in the bunch can't ignore it's a costly battle.

If there's no football, there's no cash.

"It's a process, and you have to let the process work and keep working through it," Indianapolis Colts owner Jim Irsay said as he and other owners

left a five-hour meeting where they were briefed on a number of bargaining issues. "But I know it's better when you have labor peace on both sides."

Better when you can come to a deal on your own terms, too, rather than having it imposed on you by a judge.

The owners had always banked on winning the court battle that would allow them to extend the lockout until the players gave in. Whether that took a month or a year didn't really matter so long as the owners got the deal they wanted. A deal that would allow them to pay the bills for those sparkling new stadiums in Dallas, New York and Houston, and build even better ones in Minneapolis, San Francisco and maybe even Los Angeles. A deal that would ensure

the values of their franchises, already worth an average of \$1 billion, continue to skyrocket.

Then federal appeals Judge Kermit Bye uttered the words that gave the owners their biggest scare since players won the right to free agency almost 20 years ago.

"We will keep with our business," Bye told owners and players alike earlier this month, "and if that ends up with a decision, it's probably something both sides aren't going to like."

What a coincidence. After all those months of bluster and posturing, of insisting it was impossible to find agreement on an equitable split of \$9 billion — something most fans could have managed over a pizza and a case of beer — there's been so much progress these last three weeks it seems the question is not if a deal gets done,

Not only would owners relent on their demand for an increase in "expense credits," the money they've taken off the top of the pot to pay for conducting league business, they'd drop the credits altogether. (Explain why such credits were needed in the first place, though, when teams have been wheedling gifts out of taxpayers all these years.)

The owners also would agree to a salary "floor," preventing less-successful franchises from protecting their bottom lines by trotting out rosters of low-rent players. Not every owner has to spend like Jones or Dan Snyder, but you couldn't be the NFL's equivalent of the Pittsburgh Pirates, either.

Willingly giving up

cash can't be easy for the owners. In past negotiations, the heads of the richest clubs would have fought such concessions as if it were fourth-and-goal. And they still might. Asked if there was a consensus for the proposals among the owners, NFL commissioner Roger Goodell didn't say yes.

He didn't say no, though, either.

The outlook doesn't officially get bleak until games are canceled, yet owners are getting an idea of the hit they'll take if the lockout goes on much longer. NFL employees have had their salaries trimmed by 12 percent since April, and seven teams have instituted pay cuts or furloughs. Jones and the owners of the other deep-pocket teams may be able to hold on, but for how long?

It's telling that Jones and Carolina Panthers owner Jerry Richardson, another traditional hard-liner, have been active participants in the negotiations in recent weeks.

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"There were a lot of good things to come out of it, but you saw how it ended," Astros manager Brad Mills said.

Lyles, who at 20 is the youngest player in the majors, allowed three runs and seven hits and struck out six in seven innings.

He fanned the last batter he faced, with runners on the corners, to protect a 4-3 lead.

"In my other starts they put up some runs early," Lyles said. "I didn't want to go out there and feel my way through it.

"I wanted to carry it from the bullpen and attack from strike one on."

Sergio Escalona — likely in to face only Hamilton — gave up the tying homer on his fourth pitch as Hamilton swatted it an estimated 401 feet into the seats in right.

Escalona hadn't allowed a run in 13 games, spanning 7 2-3 innings, and had never given up a homer in 35 previous career appearances. Lefties were batting only .162 against him over his career. It was Houston's 15th blown save, most in the majors.

Wilson allowed a season-high 11 hits and four runs in 6 2-3 innings. He struck out four.

"He was fighting the whole time he was out there," manager Ron Washington said.

Tateyama pitched one scoreless inning, walk-

ing one. It was his first career walk, coming on the 58th batter he faced in the majors.

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Del Rosario gave up one run and two hits over 2 1-3 innings, with

three strikeouts.

NOTES: This was the longest game between these teams since the inaugural meeting, June 7, 2001, which was won by Houston in 11 innings.

Houston has lost five of six to Texas, dating to last year.

At the end of the sixth inning, all 33,533 fans were asked to put on the sunglasses they were given upon entering as part of a promotion seeking to set a world record for most people wearing sunglasses in the dark.

A big cheer went up when team president Nolan Ryan and former President George W. Bush were shown wearing their shades.

An authenticator from the Guinness Book of World Records was on hand to verify the feat.

Keppinger has a ninegame hitting streak. Texas signed RHP Kyle

Castro, its third-round draft pick. The Rangers have signed their top four selections. Rangers 3B Adrian

Beltre not only missed a hard-hit grounder by Chris Johnson in the second inning, he jerked his glove hand up so violently that he lost his balance and landed on his back.

It was ruled a single.
Two batters later, Beltre made up for it with a tough stop to start an inning-ending double play.

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By Steve Becker

A Sleight-of-Hand Trick

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It goes without saying that in

hands other than those intended as a sacrifice, declarer should choose the line of play that gives him the best mathematical chance for the contract.

Consider this case where the

defenders win the first two spades and continue with a third spade, ruffed by South. Declarer cashes the A-Q of trumps, and the question is what to do next.

If he leads a low diamond to the jack and the finesse succeeds, he

makes the contract without further ado. However, the finesse offers only a 50 percent chance of success, and if it fails, the contract will almost surely fail with it. East simply returns a diamond, and South later loses a club.

Declarer should not adopt this approach, though. Instead, he should opt for a different course that raises his chances well above the 50-50 level. A much better line is to cash the A-K of clubs and play another club. One possibility is that East will win the third club, in which case South can claim the rest of the tricks, since East will be forced to make a

If West wins the third club, as in the actual deal, he must yield a ruff-and-discard or return a diamond—and if he has either the queen or ten of diamonds (or both), the contract also is secure.

If West has the queen, he is automatically dead. If he has the ten and leads it, covering with the jack eliminates the diamond loser, while if he leads a low diamond from the ten, declarer simply follows low from dummy, trapping East's queen.

dummy, trapping East's queen.

Only if East has the queen and ten of diamonds — a 1-in-4 possibility — does the contract fail on this line of play, giving declarer much better than a 50 percent chance to get home safely.

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year, could rest an injured quadriceps. Renda, who had lobbied Esquer for the start at second, had two hits and drove in a run as the designated hitter.

"Well, sometimes your best moves, you stumble into them," Esquer said. "We were completely comfortable with Derek out at second base, the defense he can play, and he can chip in and help our offense. So we felt like let's go with that lineup and let's make it work"

work."
California would need three more wins to reach the best-of-three championship round next week. Then again, the Bears coaches and players believe anything is possible after the way their season has evolved.

evolved.

The Cal administra-

tion last fall announced plans to cut the program in 2012 for budgetary reasons, but boosters and alumni raised \$9 million to save the Bears. The program was reinstated in April as the Bears were on their way to a sixth-place finish in the Pac-10.

After losing in the first round of regionals, they swept through the tournament before losing 4-1 to Virginia in their CWS opener Saturday.

"We were down as a program, and we were down in this tournament as well," Renda said. "You lose this first game and you have to win ball games against very good teams or you're going home. We know the task and what we need to do, and we know what it's going to

"Throw our best guys out there, keep turning over the lineup and get to that championship series." The Aggies led 1-0 in the fourth after Adam Smith homered into the left-field bullpen.

"The left-hander did an amazing job for them," Childress said. "He got them off to a really good start. The guy hadn't had a lot of starts. He matched Michael pitch for pitch. He made one mistake against Adam and wasn't fazed by it."

The Bears responded with six runs the next two innings against Michael Wacha (9-4).

After Chad Bunting reached on an error and Darrel Matthews singled in the fifth, Campbell singled home the Bears' first run.

Campbell singled into center for a five-run lead after Mitch Delfino's RBI double and Bunting's run-scoring single.

Campbell said he's tried to forget that he's playing on college baseball's grandest stage this week.

"I don't like to think

too much, because when I think too much that doesn't work well with me," he said. "I'm not going to go do more than I'm capable of. But in that process success comes."

Texas A&M scored twice on three hits and an error in the sixth. Flemer entered the next inning and held off the Aggies the rest of the way. He hasn't given up a run in 8 2-3 innings over his

last seven games.
Porter also started an elimination game against Baylor in regionals, giving up three hits in 6 2-3 shutout innings. He was just as good against the Aggies.

"As for as the elimination games, I don't treat it any differently than any other game," he said. "I try not to be caught up in the moment. I try just to not think out there, just go ahead and throw. It usually doesn't hit me until after."

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No more swimming records on horizon

ROME (AP) — Swimworld-record drought has reached 18 months, and as next month's world championships in Shanghai draw nearer the sport's close-knit community is starting to wonder when it will be broken.

"I think the whole swimming world has to get ready not to see another world record in the men's sprints for a long time," said Serbian butterfly specialist Milorad Cavic, the closest challenger to Michael Phelps' record eight gold medals at the 2008 Beijing Olympics.

How long? According to Cavic and others, a

The reason, of course, can be traced back to the ban on rubberized bodysuits at the beginning of last year. Since swimmers were forced to wear textiles again, no world records have been broken in an Olympic-size 50-meter pool.

The only world records set at all since Jan. 2010 came at the short-course worlds in Dubai in December: two from American standout Ryan Lochte, plus relay victories by Russian men and Chinese women.

But the sport prefers to measure itself in the longer pool.

A staggering 43 world records were set at the last long-course worlds in Rome two years ago, and overall between 2008 and 2009 — the rubberized suit era — there were more than 200 records set over long- and short-course.

The feeling from many swimmers and coaches is that there may only be a select few records in Shanghai, and quite possibly none at all in the men's events.

That's because men have been penalized more under the new

rules, with their suits limited to jammers covering the waists down to the knees, while women's suits stretch from the shoulders to the knees.

"I think it would have been better to go back 15 months, not 10 years," said Italian swimmer Massimiliano Rosolino, who has won 60 medals in Olympics, worlds and European championships in a career spanning three decades.

Cavic and Rosolino are not the only ones who point out that men's swimming has taken a 10-year step backward.

Dutch coach Jacco Verhaeren noted that in the 100-meter freestyle swimming's signature event — Pieter van den Hoogenband's world record of 47.84 seconds would still stand without the seven marks set

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Hockey heads back into Canada

Don Waddell has been through it all with the Thrashers since they entered the NHL in 1999. From general manager to coach to team pres-

NEW YORK (AP) —

ident, Waddell endured the ups and downs mostly downs — as the franchise struggled on and off the ice.

After 13 years and only one playoff appearance that produced no wins, Tuesday was the day for Waddell and Atlanta to finally say goodbye to its second hockey team.

The NHL board of governors unanimously approved the sale and relocation of the Thrashers to Winnipeg, Manitoba, on Tuesday, clearing the final big hurdle in the process.

"We've been through the emotions and the frustrations the last few weeks, but when I look back and being there 13 years, it's been a great run," said Waddell, who served as general manager from the start until the 2009-10 season. "Since '98 when I got hired, there are only four general managers that are currently with their teams.

"You've got to look at the positives. To be able to stay in one place for so long, it's been tremendous for me."

The same can't be said of the team that once featured star players such as Dany Heatlev and Ilya Kovalchuk and Marian Hossa, but couldn't keep them for one reason or another.

True North Sports and Entertainment bought the team last month and announced it was bringing the Thrashers to Winnipeg, which lost the Jets to Phoenix after the 1995-96 season.

"Obviously, everybody is sorry and distressed and unhappy that we found ourselves in the circumstance where our franchise was leaving Atlanta," Commissioner NHLGary Bettman said.

particularly sorry for the fans that are there, but obviously based on the reception that we've gotten, everybody is extremely excited about the opportunities in Winnipeg for our return."

The sale is reportedly for \$170 million, including a \$60 million relocation fee that will be split by the rest of the owners. The Thrashers are the fifth NHL team to move since Bettman became commissioner in 1993.

Following the Flames, who moved to Calgary 31 years ago, the Thrashers are the second NHL team to leave Atlanta. Those clubs are also the last two teams to relocate to Canada. Seven of the league's 30 teams reside north of the bor-

"It's a sad day for hockey fans in Atlanta, but the franchise is going to a good place and run by good people," Waddell said. "Sports in general have been tough in Atlanta. I can't say (hockey) is finished forever ... but they've had two tries at it now and it's been difficult for all ownership groups to make it work.

"College football in the South is like hockey in Canada. It's the number one sport. When UGA plays football on a Saturday, the party starts on Thursday. We've got a lot of competition in the marketplace."

The NHL is giving up an American market that has more than 5 million people in the metro Atlanta area and heading to Winnipeg, which will be the league's smallest market with the smallest

The team will play in the 15.015-seat MTS Center, but in a wave of enthusiasm, the club sold-out 13,000 season tickets in a matter of minutes earlier this month once they were made available days after the sale was an-

In other news from Tuesday's meeting, the board approved two amendments to rules regarding player safety. The year-old Rule 48 will now apply to all hits that target the head of an opponent, and not only those from the blindside. Also, boarding infractions will be treated more severely. Players must let up on hits into the boards that might not necessarily be violent, but are deemed dangerous including pushes.

Bettman said that next year's salary-cap figure still needs to be finalized with the players' union, but it is expected to rise from \$59.4 million to about \$63 million or \$64 million. It has increased every year since its inception of \$39 million after the 2004-05 lockout.

The Thrashers made the playoffs in 2007, but were swept in four games by the New York Rangers. Atlanta had only one season in which it won more games than it lost. Now the Thrashers will be a footnote in hockey his-

Although the Winnipeg franchise has yet to pick a name, it will not be the Thrashers. The club will bear no resemblance to the one that briefly called Atlanta

Waddell, general manager Rick Dudley and coach Craig Ramsay won't make the move to Manitoba. Dudley completed just one year of a four-year deal after he

replaced Waddell, and Ramsay was one year into a two-year con-

The Thrashers' ownership dealt with major financial problems and declining attendance in recent years. The team had the league's thirdworst attendance last season, averaging fewer than 14,000 a game.

"They certainly made every effort they possibly could to have it work. It didn't work," New Jersey Devils president Lou Lamoriello said. "Winnipeg is excited, the league is excited right now. What they have been able to do there in a short period of time is just tremendous."

Winnipeg had set its sights on the troubled Phoenix Coyotes, hoping to bring back the former Jets, but that team was saved last month for at least another season in the desert after the city of Glendale, Ariz. — where the club's arena is located voted to subsidize the team as it seeks a new owner.

Canadian billionaire David Thomson, who heads the Winnipeg ownership group along with Mark Chipman. went hard after an NHL team when the Coyotes and the Thrashers fell into financial trouble.

Rain delays Wimbledon

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — The already rain-plagued Wimbledon tournament has started on Day 3 under the Centre Court roof. While rain delayed play on all other courts

Wednesday, five-time champion Venus Williams and 40-year-old Japanese veteran Kimiko Date-Krumm were playing in the main stadi-The winner of the early match on Centre

Court will reach the third round, but there are still 17 first-round matches that have not finished or begun at the All England Club.

Later Wednesday, defending champion Rafael Nadal was to play Ryan Sweeting of the United States on Centre Court. Three-time Wimbledon runner-up Andy Roddick was scheduled to play in the late match against Victor Hanescu of Romania.

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in 2008 and 2009.

Cesar Cielo set the current 100 free record of 46.91 at the 2009 worlds in

"Pieter's record came 11 years ago, then were was a one-second drop, so count 10 years," said Verhaeren, who was Van den Hoogenband's personal coach for 15 years. "It's like math-

Cavic and Rosolino both suggested changing the rules again to bring men's suits in line with the women's apparel. Making men's suits cover the chests would also appease manufacturers, who are upset that they can no longer display their logos on men's

Less brand-visibility, they say, means less success for the companies that support swimming the most.

For the moment — at least through next year's London Olympics — swimming governing body FINA won't alter the rules. But FINA executive director Cornel Marculescu left open the possibility of changes at the next general congress in 2013.

"We have to see now with our swimming and coaches committees, our technical committee, to look if something needs to be changed," Marculescu told The Associated Press on Tuesday.

"But the most important criteria is to have the same condition for everybody."

FINA honorary secretary and Italian swimming federation president Paolo Barelli has already come out in favor of textile bodysuits for men. But USA Swimming, which led the movement for outlawing bodysuits, sees no reason to make another switch.

"USA Swimming wants to see the rules currently in place for suits remain in place," USA Swimming executive director Chuck Wielgus wrote in an E-mail to The AP.

"I can understand the reasoning that some male swimmers might make to be able to wear suits similar in design to those that women are allowed to wear, but USA Swimming supports the rule for male suits just as it currently stands," Wielgus added.

Meanwhile, there is also a debate over whether to create two different lists of records, by adding a list of marks achieved in textile suits to the existing world record list.

"Then there is a comparison and something to celebrate, because I think it's important in sport that there's something to celebrate," Verhaeren said.

Cavic noted that swimmers are no longer collecting bonuses from their suit manufacturers and meet organizers for world records.

"Sometimes that's \$10-15,000," Cavic said. "It depends, maybe even more. It's good for many companies they've been saving a lot of money — but it's too bad for swimming.'

The issue of installing a second list was debated within FINA at the start of last year, according to Barelli, but was cast aside. "They've ruined the game," Ro-

solino said, arguing that two lists wouldn't make sense. "What do you ask then, 'What do you think about this half-record?' Forget about it.'

So what times do swimmers aim for these days? Personal bests are still the measuring sticks for most. But what if you're a world record

holder, such as Kirsty Coventry of Zimbabwe, who holds the mark of 2:04.81 in the 200 backstroke? "I'm still looking at that as my best time," Coventry said. "By London

it's my goal to go that. Maybe that's a little too anxious, but that's my goal and I think that's a lot of swimmers

You've got to be realistic and you

might not get there but in order to try you've got to still have the mentality of, 'That's my best time."

Yet Coventry clocked just 2:09.59 at last weekend's Seven Hills meet in Rome, finishing second behind Elizabeth Simmonds of Britain, who won in 2:08.26.

Besides the suits, another noticeable change on the pool deck these days is swimmer's physiques, especially among the men, since overall mass seemed to improve performance in the more floatable rubberized suits.

"They've all suddenly gotten smaller and slimmed down," observed Coventry, who took a year off after the 2009 worlds.

Phelps, who has always preferred racing bear chested, is pleased with the current format.

"It wasn't really swimming (before). You could put that suit on an out-ofshape swimmer and still be really fast," said the American, who holds the most world records, with seven.

"So I think that's something good that we have back now. ... If you don't work hard, you're clearly not going to do anything." Among the men, France's Camille Lacourt came within 0.03 of a world record in the 50 back at last year's European Championships in Budapest.

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1950 — Hoot Evers'

game-winning run in the ninth inning gave the Detroit Tigers a 10-9 victory over the New York Yankees as the teams combined for 11 home runs, a major league record. The Yankees hit six.

1963 — Jimmie Piersall, playing for the Mets in New York, hit his 100th career home run and celebrated by running around the bases backward.

1971 — Rick Wise of

the Philadelphia Phillies pitched a no-hitter against the Cincinnati Reds and hit two hom-Wise became the first

pitcher to hit two homers while throwing a nohitter. Pitcher Ken 1973

Brett of the Philadelphia Phillies hit a home run in the fourth consecutive game that he pitched in June. He beat Montreal 7-2.

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ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

APPLICATION AND INTENT TO

OBTAIN AIR PERMIT

AIR QUALITY PERMIT

NUMBER 74335

applied to the Texas Commission

on Environmental Quality (TCEQ)

for an amendment to Air Quality

Number 74335,

would authorize modification to a

Pultrusion Facility located at 3604

Bethel Drive, Big Spring, Howard

County, Texas 79720. The facility

will emit the following contami-

nants: particulate matter including

particulate matter with diameters of

10 microns or less and 2.5 microns

organic

exempt solvents and isopropanol,

This application was submitted to

the TCEQ on May 19, 2011. The

application will be available for

viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ Midland

regional office, and the Howard

County Library, 500 Main Street,

Big Spring, Howard County, Texas,

beginning the first day of publica-

tion of this notice. The facility's

compliance file, if any exists, is

available for public review in the

Midland regional office of the

determined the application is

administratively complete and will

conduct a technical review of the

public comments, a request for a

public meeting, or request a con-

tested case hearing to the Office

of the Chief Clerk at the address

below. The TCFQ will consider all

public comments in developing a

final decision on the application.

The deadline to submit public

The purpose of a public meeting is

to provide the opportunity to submit

comments or ask questions about

the application. A public meeting

about the application will be held if

the executive director determines

that there is a significant degree of

public interest in the application or

if requested by a local legislator. A

public meeting is not a contested

If only comments are received on

the application, the response to

comments, along with notice of the

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and wondering about the unseen realms of existence. For instance, are people really

connected to

one another

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with invisible bonds? And what happens in the afterlife, if there is one? These musings may lead

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interests us to act in thoughtful and loving ways.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Recent excitement taxed has emotionally. That's why you'll gravitate to nice, normal people who have something interesting, but not too interesting, to talk about.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You're swayed by beauty, and you're willing to pay design. superior storefront or salesperson presents items with an

elegance that will render you lighter in the wallet.

Tomorrow's Horoscope

GEMINI (May 21-June Your mood is practical, logical and stable. So it will be challenging for you to relate to the one who seems to be dreaming life away. Try anyhow, because you and this person complement each other perfectly.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). There's a bit of the dark rebel in you now, and someone in your absolutely midst is mesmerized by your bold and unpredictable You behavior. will continue to grow in popularity.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Unlike some, you don't expect to be paid for any and every exertion of effort. You do, however, require that each activity you endeavor is its own reward. It is precisely because you find your work so rewarding that the money comes to you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You can send a message without making it overt. In fact, lately you are a master of silent communication. It's as though you have a direct, invisible mental connection with whomever you want to influence.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You'll be in charge of making sure business runs smoothly and all the necessary connections are made. Set the right atmosphere, and people will basically take care of themselves.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Your inner drives are more important to you than any external threat compelled to do it because it pains you to nothing consider doing anything

22-Dec. 21). You long for a

the petty worries and pay a professional or buy concerns of daily life. Such a project will come along by the end of the month. Keep your eyes wide open for clues.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Have you ever talked to someone and felt that the conversation was so difficult that the minutes you spent trying felt like hours? You'll have a similar experience today. Know that these social trials are not in vain.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You'll look forward to spending time with a smooth operator you know. Note that you don't have to talk about anything important or deep to keep the positive

20). Your imagination is so strong that you will be able to project yourself through time, in a sense, as you hone your vision of what you want your future to be. See yourself in a happy state, and trace back to the origins of that happiness.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY legendary (June 22). You'll take charge of your personal life. In the next four weeks, you remember something you wanted long ago and will revive the effort to make it happen. Your network grows in July. New friends open up areas of interest. Your physical improves fitness September. December brings the celebration of a union. Scorpio and Libra people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 4, 1, 22, 49 and 13.

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a lot of new things. I also don't have much of an eye for decorating. Do you have any suggestions for a Sagittarius who doesn't want her children to be embarrassed to bring their new friends home?"

Sagittarius people are so active and out and about in the world that they usually wind up spending less time at home than many people, using it as a place to crash, eat and change clothes. But creating a safe haven to do those things is not as difficult as you think. It will help to have a theme. Look in magazines, books, stores and other people's houses for ideas. Don't worry about what the neighbors vibes bouncing between are doing. There is no wrong or right, just what speaks to you and what PISCES (Feb. 19-March doesn't. Secondly, each room should have a focal point. Maybe it's art, a collection or a view. Build around the focal point. Attain pieces when you can, and donate whatever doesn't fit in to charity.

CELEBRITY

PROFILES: The Academy Award-winning actress Meryl Streep has been heralded as the greatest actress of our time. That doesn't keep her from doing musicals comedy, though. She'll soon appear as Tina Fey's mother in the Stanley Tucci film "Mommy and Me." Streep is nurturing Cancer, with Venus and Uranus in moon-ruled Cancer, as

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executive director will The complete the technical review, issue a preliminary decision on the application, and a Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments. If a hearing request is timely filed in Response to this Notice of Receipt of Application and Intent to Obtain Air Permit, the time period for requesting a contested case hearing will be extended to thirty days after the mailing of the executive director's

response to comments. After the final deadline for public comments following the Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. If comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will then be mailed everyone who to submitted public comments or is on a mailing list for this

application. **OPPORTUNITY** CONTESTED CASE HEARING You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days from this notice, the executive director may approve the application. A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decisions on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues raised by you or others during the public comment

period and not withdrawn. A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement '[I/we] request a contested case (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; and (6) a description of how you use the property which

may be impacted by the facility. If the request is made by a group or an association, the one or more members who have standing to request a hearing and the interests which the group or association seeks to protect, must also be identified. You may also submit your proposed adjustments application/permit which would

satisfy your concerns. Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the executive director will forward the application and any requests for contested case hearing to the Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact relating to relevant and material quality concerns raised during the comment period. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are Commission's outside of the jurisdiction to address in this proceeding.

MAILING LIST In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk by sending a written request to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND **INFORMATION** ΑII comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/ about/comments.html

in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. Office of the Chief Clerk. MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. If you choose to communicate with the TCEQ electronically, please be aware that your email address, like your physical mailing address, will become part of the agency's public record. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ found

www.tceq.texas.gov. Further information may also be obtained from John Crane Production Solutions Inc., P.O. Box 4908, Tyler, Texas 75712-4908 or by calling Mr. Mike Rowland, Director of Operations (432)264-4640. Notice Issuance Date:

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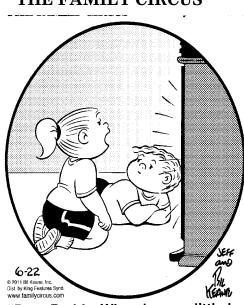




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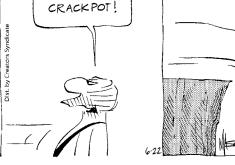
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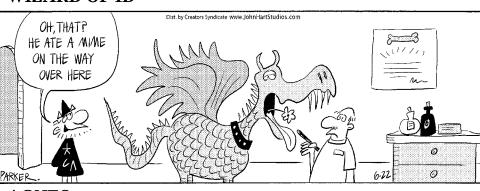
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In History Today is Wednesday, June

22, the 173rd day of 2011. There are 192 days left in the year. Today's Highlight

History: On June 22, 1911, Britain's King George V was crowned at

Westminster Abbey. On this date: In 1611, English explorer

Henry Hudson, his son and several other people were set adrift in present-day Hudson Bay by mutineers aboard the Discovery; their fate remains unknown.

In 1870, the United States Department of Justice was cre-

In 1940, during World War II, Adolf Hitler gained a stunning victory as France was forced to sign an armistice eight days after German forces overran Paris.

In 1941, Germany launched Operation Barbarossa as it invaded the Soviet Union. In 1944, President Franklin

) Roosevelt signed the

Act of 1944, more popularly known as the "GI Bill of Rights. In 1945, the World War II

battle for Okinawa ended with an Allied victory. In 1969, singer-actress Judy

Garland died in London at age In 1977, John N. Mitchell became the first former U.S.

Attorney General to go to pris-

on as he began serving a sen-

tence for his role in the

Watergate cover-up. (He was

released 19 months later.) In 1981, Mark David Chapman pleaded guilty to killing rock star John Lennon. Abolhassan Bani-Sadr was deposed as president of Iran.

In 1993, former first lady Pat Nixon died in Park Ridge, N.J., at age 81.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Ralph Waite is 83. Singer-actor Kris Kristofferson is 75. Movie director John Korty ("The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman") is 75. Actor Michael Lerner is 70. Broadcast journalist Brit Hume is 68. Singer Peter Asher (Peter and Gordon) is 67. Actor Andrew Rubin is 65. Actor David L. Lander is 64. Singer Howard "Eddie" Kaylan

is 64. Singer-musician Todd Rundgren is 63. Actress Meryl Streep is 62. Actress Lindsay Wagner is 62. Singer Alan Osmond is 62. Actor Murphy Cross is 61. Actor Graham Greene is 59. Pop singer Cyndi Lauper is 58. Actor Chris Lemmon is 57. Rock musician Derek Forbes is 55. Actor Tim Russ is 55. Rock musician Garry Beers (INXS) is 54. Actorproducer-writer Campbell is 53. Rock musician Alan Anton (Cowboy Junkies) is 52. Actress Tracy Pollan is Rock singer-musician Jimmy Somerville is 50. Author Dan Brown ("The Da Vinci Code") is 47. Rock singer-musician Mike Edwards (Jesus Jones) is 47. Rock singer Steven

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