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Christmas coming to museum

Reception planned from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday

By **AMANDA MORENO**
 Staff Writer
 Christmastime has arrived at the museum. Caboose Water Color Society members will be presenting their works in an art reception at Heritage Museum as part of an open house from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Area residents will be able to view art depictions of old storefront windows produced by members of the Society's six artists and also see the opening of the Christmas Tree Forest.
 "The museum's focus on bygone days of Big Spring is

what sparked interest in the town itself," artist Kay Smith said. "A glimpse into the children's lives is possible with our colorful and vibrant works showing the toys in that era."
 Both exhibits will be open and viewable by the public Sunday through Dec. 21. Admission to the Christmas Tree Forest — featured throughout the museum — will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for children and seniors.
 Members of the museum receive free admission.
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HONORING OUR VETERANS



HERALD photo/Amanda Moreno
Students at Marcy Elementary School participate in their annual Freedom March this morning. The march was moved indoors due to cold temperatures. During the march, more than 200 names of veterans and active duty personnel were read. Each grade made their march through the cafeteria and performed a song in honor of Veterans Day.

Opportunity: Give a gift of warmth

By **THOMAS JENKINS**
 Staff Writer
 The ability to stay warm when the mercury falls is something many Crossroads residents take for granted, but according to officials with the Big Spring Salvation

Army, there are many within the community who struggle when the weather turns cold. Bessie Flores, social worker for the local Salvation Army, said the weather — from the heat of summer to the freezing winters — poses a very real problem for many low-

income residents, a problem that can turn deadly. "Most people don't think anything of adjusting their thermostat. Whether it's a bit too cold or warm, you just give it a bump and you're ready to go," Flores said. "However, there are many low income

residents and families in the Howard County and Big Spring area who don't have that luxury. "In the summer, they have to fight back the heat with fans, and, in the winter, they use space heaters and anything else they can find

to keep their homes warm enough to live in. It's not something most of us want to think about, but it happens everyday." Flores said the Salvation Army — which holds fan
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Cassatt event open to students, teachers

Herald Staff Report
 MIDLAND — The Cassatt String Quartet is back. The New York based group will be performing its fifth annual mini-residency "Cassatt in the Basin!" Sunday.
 "This residency aims to give "Basin" area students the opportunity to study with artist teachers and to develop chamber music audiences of the future," Lynda Ciolek said. "Teachers and students from Permian and Odessa High Schools, ECISD, MISD, Odessa College, Midland College, UTPB and other communities in the Permian Basin — including Howard County and the Crossroads area — are welcome to attend any educational and performance events. All events are free to

the public." Students will be able to take part in coachings, master classes — students will perform in front of Cassatt String Quartet members and receive critiques on their performances — demonstrations of proper communication, interpretation and performance technique, open rehearsals and concert performances. Students from Odessa High School — under the direction of Daniel Laudenback — and Permian High — under the direction of Todd Berridge — will take part.
 A student chamber concert will take place Saturday at 3 p.m. Local students will be performing "Dan Welcher's new Triple Quartet Lone Star Sinfonietta."
 Sunday at 3 p.m. the Cassatt

String Quartet will perform the world premiere of "Dan Welcher's Scherzo for Piano Quintet," "Beethoven's Quintet in C# minor, Op. 131" and "Antonin Dvorak's Piano Quintet in A Major, Op. 81." Renowned pianist James Dick will be making a performance as well.
 "We look forward to returning to the Permian Basin each year," Ciolek. "We've received so much support from area officials, including those in the Big Spring and Howard County area. The concerts Saturday and Sunday are a wonderful way for our group to show their gratitude for that support. We hope everyone in the community who has the time will come out and share the music with us."

Cassatt in the Basin has received generous grants from Odessa Council for the Arts and Humanities, ECISD Foundation Grant, Permian Basin Youth Chavirim, Rea Charitable Trust, Woods Boots of Midland-Odessa, Texas Commission for the Arts, Meet the Composer, Jim's Tall & Big Men, and UTPB.
 All teachers and students from ECISD, MISD, Odessa College, Midland College, UTPB and other communities in the Permian Basin are welcome to attend any educational and performance events. Events are free and open to the public.
 The Cassatt's second violinist, Jennifer Leshnow, See **CASSATT**, Page 3A

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80/54 Sunshine and clouds mixed. Near record high temperatures. High near 80F.	79/53 Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the low 50s.	74/47 Plenty of sun. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 40s.	76/47 Sunshine. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 40s.	76/48 Mainly sunny. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 40s.
Sunrise: 7:12 AM Sunset: 5:48 PM	Sunrise: 7:13 AM Sunset: 5:47 PM	Sunrise: 7:14 AM Sunset: 5:46 PM	Sunrise: 7:15 AM Sunset: 5:46 PM	Sunrise: 7:16 AM Sunset: 5:45 PM

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City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Ablene	78	54	windy	Kingsville	83	65	pt sunny
Amarillo	73	46	sunny	Livingston	75	62	pt sunny
Austin	78	59	windy	Longview	73	64	windy
Beaumont	75	63	pt sunny	Lubbock	76	46	pt sunny
Brownsville	81	67	pt sunny	Lufkin	76	62	pt sunny
Brownwood	78	60	windy	Midland	79	54	pt sunny
Corpus Christi	81	65	pt sunny	Raymondville	83	66	pt sunny
Corsicana	75	62	windy	Rosenberg	78	65	pt sunny
Dallas	76	63	windy	San Antonio	80	61	pt sunny
Del Rio	76	56	mst sunny	San Marcos	79	59	windy
El Paso	74	52	windy	Sulphur Springs	74	64	windy
Fort Stockton	83	55	pt sunny	Sweetwater	78	57	pt sunny
Gainesville	73	54	windy	Tyler	73	63	windy
Greenville	73	61	windy	Weatherford	75	54	windy
Houston	77	65	pt sunny	Wichita Falls	76	54	pt sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	65	43	mst sunny	Minneapolis	59	37	cloudy
Boston	55	38	pt sunny	New York	58	43	pt sunny
Chicago	56	47	cloudy	Phoenix	72	55	pt sunny
Dallas	76	63	windy	San Francisco	65	49	pt sunny
Denver	56	32	windy	Seattle	46	42	rain
Houston	77	65	pt sunny	St. Louis	65	55	pt sunny
Los Angeles	67	50	rain	Washington, DC	61	40	sunny
Miami	78	68	pt sunny				

Police blotter

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

- STEPHEN HEATH GREGORY, 28, of 205 W. Sixth St., was arrested Thursday on a charge of driving while license suspended/invalid with a previous conviction.
- GILBERT GONZALES, 30, of 610 Goliad, was arrested Thursday on warrants for failure to maintain financial responsibility, failure to appear and a warrant from another agency.
- DELMA ZAMORA, 31, of 1425 E. Sixth St. Apt. 40, was arrested Thursday on a charge of driving while license suspended/invalid with a previous conviction.
- THEFT was reported in the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.

Support Groups

FRIDAY

- AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.
- Celebrate Recovery, a Christ-centered recovery program, is held at Cornerstone Covenant Church, 706 E. 12th St. at 6:30 p.m. For more information, 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.

Take Note

- A community blood drive will be conducted from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at Eastside Baptist Church, 1108 E. Sixth St. Walk-ins are welcome. Reservations can be made by calling 267-6025.
- The HC Dance Dept. will have a "Brown Bag" Concert, Wed. Nov. 16 from 12:20 to 12:50 p.m. in the Howard College Fireplace Room of the Student Center. The program features Student choreography by students in the Howard Dance Technique class. Bring your "Brown Bag or sack lunch and come join us.
- An account has been established at Wells Fargo to help defray medical expenses for 4-year-old Zayde Stallings, who recently died of a rare heart condition. She was the daughter of Kenny and Renea Stallings of Big Spring. If you need more information, contact Four Seasons Insulation and Siding at 264-8610. The account number is 7938527277.
- A fund has been set up at Myers & Smith Funeral Home for Mike Williams, 39, a lifetime resident of Big Spring who died Nov. 1. He leaves behind a wife and seven children. Any donations can be brought to the funeral home office at 301 E. 24th St. For more information, call 267-8288.

- Hilltop Cafe is the Dine-Out-Days United Way sponsor until Saturday. A portion of the proceeds from this week will go towards benefitting the 2012 campaign and the 15 agencies the United Way supports.

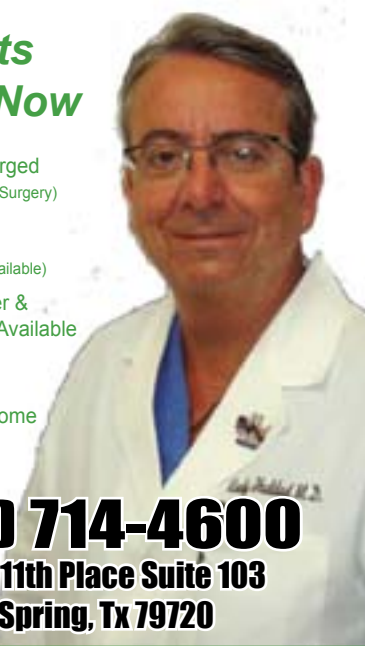
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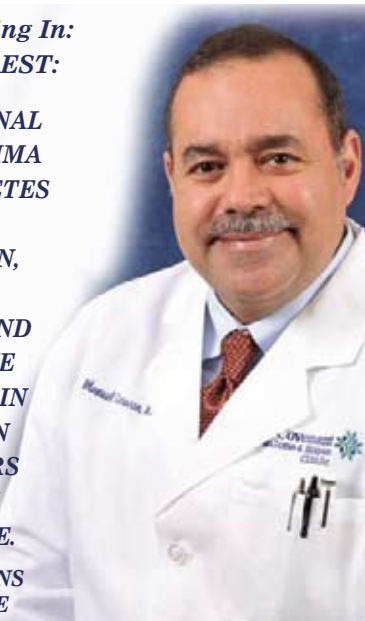
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2 West Texans charged with buying, selling baby

ABILENE (AP) — Two West Texas women have been arrested for allegedly buying and selling a 7-week-old infant on an installment payment plan. Abilene police say the mother, 29-year-old Joana Delacruz Huerta, and the woman accused of buying her baby, 27-year-old Marilu Munoz, were charged Thursday with the sale or purchase of an infant, a third-degree felony.

The women remained in the Taylor County Jail on Friday. Bail has not yet been set. No attorneys were listed for either woman.

Police Sgt. Lynn Beard says Huerta reportedly sold the baby for \$2,000 on an "installment plan" with scheduled payments.

The infant, whose gender wasn't released, was taken into custody by Child Protective Services.

If convicted, both women face a maximum sentence of 10 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

Woman kicked off plane for not turning off phone

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — A woman who refused to turn off her cellphone was taken off an American Eagle flight headed to Dallas from Santa Fe.

American Eagle spokesman Ed Martelle says the woman was asked three times to turn off the cell and put it away, and she chose not to.

He added she was rebooked on another flight Thursday.

Martelle told the Santa Fe New Mexican he could

not disclose the name of the woman because of passenger privacy issues.

Santa Fe police Capt. Aric Wheeler said his officers did respond to the incident, but by the time they reached the airport, it was squared away. Officers did not have contact with the passenger.

Animal shelter manager acquitted over cat death

DALLAS (AP) — A man in charge of an animal shelter in Dallas has been cleared of felony cruelty charges over the 2010 death of a cat trapped in a wall.

Jurors on Thursday acquitted Tyrone McGill. McGill was manager of Dallas Animal Services when co-workers say they told him, over several days, about a cat meowing and scratching from within a wall.

McGill allegedly said he'd rescue the animal, which had escaped from a cage, but the cat died before being saved. The wall had to be cut to remove the dead animal when workers complained about the foul odor.

McGill testified that he told his superiors about the trapped cat, but was advised not to cut into the wall without first checking on plumbing and electrical lines.

Missing 2-year-old found in Topeka

TOPEKA, Kan. (AP) — A 2-year-old Texas boy who had been reported missing in Texas on Thursday is safe after being taken to the Topeka police department.

Topeka Police Lt. Steve Taylor says the boy, Elijah Waggoner, was dropped off at a police station shortly early Friday. He says the boy appeared to be healthy. It was not immediately clear who brought the boy to the station.

Taylor said Elijah was taken without permission from Fort Worth, Texas.

Police are looking for a 16-year-old runaway, Leonard M. Sanders Jr., who was believed to be with the boy before the child was taken to the police station.

Texas cattleman gets prison

AMARILLO (AP) — A Texas Panhandle cattleman has been sentenced to nine years in prison and must repay nearly \$9.3 million over bank fraud.

A federal judge in Amarillo on Thursday afternoon sentenced 34-year-old Tyler Holstein of Hereford. Prosecutors say Holstein in August pleaded guilty to making a false statement on a loan application.

MUSEUM

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"This is our biggest year yet and we are so excited," museum director Nancy Raney said. "Everyone who decorated a tree has really outdone themselves this year."

The forest includes 50 trees, placed throughout the upstairs and downstairs, decorated by

area individuals, businesses and organizations.

Another first this year is the inclusion of the gift shop in the Christmas Tree Forest, according to Raney. There is new jewelry, purses, Christmas ornaments and other hard to find kid-gifts.

"We want to be the ultimate one-stop Christmas shop. This way you don't have to go out of Big Spring to shop; you can

come into the museum and find what you are looking for," Raney said.

Paintings in the Caboose Water Color Society show are also for sale. According to Smith, a portion of the proceeds from the paintings will go to the museum.

"We truly appreciate all the support from the citizens of Big Spring and surrounding area have given and continue

to give towards our artwork and our fantastic museum," Smith said.

Heritage Museum is located at 510 Scurry St. Museum hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday.

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HEAT

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drives during the summer — is currently holding a heater and blanket drive to gather space heaters and other items area low income residents and families can use to warm their homes and stave off the frigid temperatures this winter.

"We seem to go from sweltering heat to freezing cold in the blink of an eye here in West Texas," Flores said. "Many of these families

can barely put food on their table. There's just no way they can afford something like a space heater."

Flores said donations can be made in the form of new or used heaters — although they do need to be in good working order — or monetary donations so the local charity can purchase the heaters and distribute them.

"Each heater costs an average of \$45," Flores said. "So, as you can imagine, they go pretty fast, especially when the weather turns cold

like it has the past several days."

Flores said the heaters provided by the annual drive not only help keep area residents warm, but they also serve a second, very important purpose.

"When the temperature gets below freezing, people will do whatever they have to do to keep warm. It's not simply a matter of staying comfortable, it's a matter of staying alive," she said. "Unfortunately, that sometimes leads people to very risky situations, such as using charcoal

grills indoors or other heat sources without the proper ventilation.

"The carbon monoxide released by those heat sources can very easily kill a person, or even an entire family. It can cause a house fire, as well, and then you have a family who already had very little left with nothing at all. Each of the heaters we

provide will help people and families stay warm, but it can also do so much more. In essence, it could help save lives and property."

For more information on the heater drive, contact Flores at 267-8239.

Contact Thomas Jenkins at 263-7331 ext. 232 or by e-mail at citydesk@bigspringherald.com

CASSATT

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is a graduate of Permian High School and a former member of the Thouvenel String Quartet, formerly in

residence with the Midland-Odesa Symphony and Chorale. Jennifer was the principal 2nd violinist with the MOSC from 1991-1994. Leshnowar is also a former student of Dorothy Croft, long time leader in music educa-

tion and other cultural activities in Odessa. Additionally, Jennifer is a graduate of the Shepherd School of Music at Rice University and Peabody Conservatory.

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Cynthia Middleton, 68, died Tuesday. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. today at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Graveside memorial services were at 11 a.m. today at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel.

Joyce Harris, 82, died Tuesday. Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel. Graveside services will be at 4 p.m. today at the Sweetwater Cemetery.

Ventura Martinez, 65, died Wednesday. Funeral Service will be at 4 p.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Ackerly Cemetery.

Emma Gene Chandler, 84, died Tuesday. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. tonight at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m.. Saturday at First Baptist Church Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Jean Hart, 78, died Wednesday. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 12, 2011 at Myers & Smith Chapel.

Douglas Beams, Sr., 92, died Thursday. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Iris McGlothlin, 89, died Tuesday. No services are planned at this time.

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EDITORIAL

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We salute:

Each week, the Herald salutes individuals and groups from our community and area who have been recognized for special achievements or accomplishments.

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

This week we salute:

- Big Spring Community Federal Credit Union for continuing their efforts to raise money for the Children's Miracle Network.

- Forsan High School Band for placing sixth in the state competition Monday in San Antonio at the Alamodome.

- Ambra Hill for signing with Angelo State University to play softball.

- Cerbi Ritchey for signing with Angelo State University to play volleyball.

- Tao MauMau and Brendan Roman for leading the Forsan Buffaloes into the playoffs.

- Big Spring Volleyball team for making regional tournament in Snyder this week.

- Howard County Volunteer Fire Department and Big Spring Fire Department for working together to ensure the safety of the surrounding communities.

- All veterans who have served the United States of America and helped ensure freedom for all!

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

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A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

**When we are walking with You by our side,
Lord, there is no limit to what we can accomplish.**

Amen

Herman Cain and the amazing misadventure he is taking on

I'm sorry, but everyone I know in politics (and many who never pay attention) can't stop talking about Herman Cain. Bad enough (in terms of judgment) to run for president thinking no one will ever find out your company settled not one but two cases of sexual harassment. Bad enough to think you could stonewall the press on the whole thing. Bad enough to blame everyone but yourself when the stories started coming out. Bad enough not to assume that if there was one and then two, then there might be three and then four, and that you would have to find some way — like contrition — to stem the bleeding.

But to come out and call four women liars?

Forget about sexual harassment (for a minute). This is no longer solely a matter of very bad behavior, of abuse of power, of arrogance and insensitivity.

I know the nasty emails will start coming. I'm sorry. But Cain is too dumb to be president.

I have a rule of three for those fighting charges of sexual abuse. One woman may be crazy. Two women make it harder: Could they both be nuts or sluts? But once you get to three, you've got real trouble. Once you get to four, it's time for some major mea culpas.

What should Cain have done? Easy. He should have taken responsibility. He should have stood up and said, sooner and not later, that he was sorry for the hurt he caused; that he had learned from it; that he simply didn't understand that what he

might have found to be flattering or flirtatious was, to the women involved, anything but; that he preferred to settle these cases rather than fight them because he did not wish to inflict further pain, did not wish to drag these women through the mud with him; that he did not want to force them to keep working at a job where they were uncomfortable or worse. As we used to say, he should have gone to the Betty Ford Center.

The first rule of politics is to stem the bleeding. Don't turn a one-day story into a two-day story. Don't turn a scandal into a circus.

With his press conference denying everything, claiming that he was the victim, not the women, and that he never even met No.4, Cain ensured that this scandal will not be going away anytime soon. He ensured that people like me would shake their heads and head for the word processor. He got himself in a fight he cannot win, one that will only go from bad to worse. Send in the clowns.

I know. Bill Clinton "did not have sex with that woman." But he was already president — not a newcomer to the political scene whom no one knew much about. She never claimed it was anything but consensual. He never paid her off. There was one of her. No one ever was better at damage control than President Clinton. No candidate in my lifetime has been worse at it than Herman Cain.

A few simple points. If nothing happened, why did two women receive settlements? A year's salary is hardly a token payment. And when that annual salary turns out to be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$35,000 and the man involved is the boss, you're talking about

precisely the kind of inequality that goes to the very core of why we have laws against sexual harassment: abuse of power.

A few more simple points. I know Gloria Allred. Gloria is a friend of mine. I don't always agree with her, but she is smart and shrewd and knows her business. She doesn't stand up there and risk her reputation without doing some checking. She doesn't hold a press conference based on nothing more than an unverified story. Mark my words. Call her client a liar, and she will come right back with the proof. Cain never met her? Watch for the chapter and verse, the corroborating witnesses, the friends she told at the time, the folks who saw her in the restaurant or talked to her within hours, long before Herman Cain was a household name.

Everyone makes mistakes, although most of us don't make the same one as often as Cain did. Was he arrogant? Was he insensitive? Was he a boor? Is the sky blue?

But the issue is no longer just sex or insensitivity or abuse of power. Honesty and judgment go to the core of character, and character is at the core of the judgments people make when they vote for president. Cain has put his honesty and character on the line in a fight he can't win and that won't end anytime soon. And he has no one to blame but himself.

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Football is more than numbers on a scoreboard

Recently, as Big Spring seniors Cerbi Ritchey and Ambra Hill were signing letters of intent to Angelo State University, onlookers were treated to a side of Athletic Director Phillip Ritchey they may have never seen. The well-recognized coach, clearly bursting with pride for his daughter's accomplishment, found words hard to come by at times and even harder to say.

Though the clear fatherly pride struck a chord with me — since I just watched my own son sign a letter determining his future for the next few years — I found another of his statements more intriguing. While talking about the two athletes, Coach Ritchey commented there was more to sports than winning.

As I look back at this past football season, I hear the coach's words echoing through the Texas night air, like a painful reminder of a season in 1986. The Petrolia Pirates, a 1A-size school playing in a 2A district, went 0-10 that season.

I have to tell you, "winning isn't everything" did little to ease the pain when the final whistle blew in the final game that season.

It is only now, too many years to count later, I can look back on 1986 and realize I learned more that season than any other before or after it. The

reason was our head coach. He sat us down the following Monday and did his best to help us understand how little the season record meant in the larger picture. Few among us were able to grasp what he was saying at the time, but it hit us all square in the eyes several months later.

Coach Larry Hill and his family died in a car wreck during the following summer. Our 0-10 season meant absolutely nothing, as they named the field house after Coach Hill immediately. Tragic as the coach's death was, it put things into perspective for a bunch of kids. So, when Coach Ritchey says there is more to sports than winning, I understand. Furthermore, I couldn't agree more.

I have been fielding questions frequently lately, asking if I intend to make a big deal of the season or start pointing fingers around the team or staff.

Well, I am going to make a big deal about one thing. Coach Ritchey and his staff have an opportunity to accomplish more right now than most coaches will in their entire lives. They have an opportunity to teach the boys at Big Spring more about life than they ever would have, had the Steers gone 7-3 and two rounds deep in the playoffs.

Anyone can strut around, sticking out their chest when things are going their way. "Look what I have done," they cry out to the world.

No thanks. I'll pass. Route their parade through another part of town please. I'll be busy.

When I moved here, I was very interested to see what the coaching staff was all about here in Big Spring. Going through the season, I learned very little. Yes, Coach Ritchey was always optimistic about the Steers chances. Yes, he took responsibility for losses, whether it was due or not. But none of these things was what I wanted to see.

To those who expected me to jump all over Coach Ritchey and his staff after the season — Apparently, you never caught a game this season.

No, I will reserve judgement until the time is right. Scores and record of the Steers from the 2011 season mean absolutely nothing to me. This may surprise you, but winning football games was never Coach Ritchey's job, as far as I am concerned. His job — not too different than a Marine Corps drill instructor — has always been to prepare boys to enter the real world as men.

What the boys entrusted to Coach Ritchey learn from this season remains to be seen. If they learn to work through adversity, accept the fact life is not always roses and become better men because of it, the coach has done his job well.

Trust me, his job is just getting started. I envy him, though I have to say, I wouldn't change places with him in a million years.

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SUSAN ESTRICH



ROBERT GRIFFIN

**St. Paul
Lutheran Church**

Worship is Sunday morning at 9 a.m. in our sanctuary at 810 Scurry. Sunday school, led by Pastor Don Rosentreter, is in the parish hall after worship.
Wednesday noon Bible study studies "Held in High Esteem." Bring a brown bag lunch.

We continue to collect supplies for the Candelaria Medical Mission and a complete list is available at the church.

**Family
Faith Center**

Family Faith Center will be hosting their first annual Thanksgiving and Communion service. The service will take place Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Family Faith Center is located at 810 E. 11th Place. For more information, call 267-6001.

**First
Christian Church**

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) is located at 911 Goliad St. Sunday fellowship is at 9:30 a.m. Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. Worship service is at 10:50 a.m. On Nov. 13 the Rev. Kenneth McIntosh will deliver the message "Remember Your Destiny" from 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11.

Empty Bowls luncheon is Nov. 17 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Breakfast with the Guys is Nov. 19 at 8 a.m. at Crispy's Cafe.

Beth Moore Bible Study is Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Youth group meets at 6 p.m. and choir meets at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Evening CWF Circle will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. Membership and evangelism committee will meet Nov. 19 at 11 a.m.

Thanksgiving festival will be at noon followed by Hanging of the Greens at 4 p.m. Nov. 20. Community Thanksgiving service will be Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church.

First Christian Church is a collection site for the Christmas for the Troops project. Lists for items being collected are available at the church office.

Clint hours for Isaiah 58 are Mondays from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. and Tues-

days from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Isaiah 58 is located at 107 Runnels. Isaiah 58 needs volunteers to help unload the truck Mondays from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and to help clients.

For questions or further information, call the church office at 432-517-4821, email to fcbs125@yahoo.com or view the website at www.fcbsbig-spring.org.

**North Birdwell Lane
United Methodist Church**

Worship is Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Bible study is after the 5 p.m. service.

Sunday school is at 9:30 a.m. Elementary and youth are led by Nancy Wagner and Lucy Williams. Adult class discussion will be led by Guy Teague on "Loving as God's People" taken from Matthew 5:43-48.

It was voted not to have a Thanksgiving dinner, but instead, we will have a special dinner in December. It was also decided to attend the performance at the Post Theatre Dec. 12. Nancy and DeWayne Wagner will make reservations.

Items still needed for our emergency food pantry include tomato sauce, canned carrots, tuna or any kind of canned meats and boxed skillet meals.

North Birdwell Lane United Methodist Church is located at 2702 N. Birdwell. For more information, call 267-2203, if no answer leave a message.

**Alive in Christ Lutheran
Church LCMS**

We are located at 2805 Lynn Drive. Our church phone number is 432-264-7818. Our website is <http://www.m2c-texas.org/chweb/aliveinchrist/>.

Sunday service is at 9 a.m. Sunday school is at 10:15 a.m.

Pastor Bob Boyce will be preaching this Sunday. His sermon title is "The Divine Audit" based on today's scripture readings.

Dolline Budke will be reading the liturgy. The readings are Zephaniah 1:7-16, Psalm 90:1-12, 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 and Matthew 25:14-30.

Anyone interested in reading, contact Dolline Budke.

The flowers this week are given by Janette and Harold Bentley to the glo-

ry of God.

On Nov. 14, the LWML will serve coffee/juice/refreshments at the VA.

Wednesdays, Mid-week school has a meal at 6 p.m. and Bible studies at 6:30 p.m. The Elders meet Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. at the church.

Thanksgiving Day, our church service will be held at 10 a.m. followed by the Thanksgiving dinner.

The Board of Evangelism is sponsoring the third annual Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal. Thank you to Rick at Fuller Foods of Colorado City for providing the turkeys.

If you are interested in sharing a meal with us or having a meal delivered, contact Jeanie Knocke at home 263-1757 or on her cell 213-0698. Leave a message stating a head count for those joining us or how many dinners we will need to reserve for you to be delivered or picked up.

Remember the Christmas For Our Troops boxes. A list of suggested items can also be found on the large drop-off box located in the back of the sanctuary. The deadline is Nov. 30.

Advent services will be held Wednesdays, beginning Nov. 30, at 7 p.m. So mark your calendars for Nov. 30, Dec. 7 and Dec. 14.

Children's Christmas program will be Dec. 21. Practices for this program will begin soon.

Scheduled meetings for November include: Board of Assimilation will meet Nov. 22 at 7 p.m. at the church.

Scheduled 7 p.m. church meetings for December include: LWML will meet Dec. 8. Monday, Dec. 12, the LWML will serve coffee/juice/refreshments at the VA. The Board of Education will meet Dec. 13. The Elders meet Dec. 15. The Board of Assimilation will meet Dec. 27.

**First Presbyterian Church,
Coahoma**

We meet at 11 a.m. Sunday and are led by Commissioned Lay Pastor Tom Koger.

The lectionary Bible study at 5:17

p.m. at First Presbyterian in Big Spring will not meet Wednesday, Nov. 23, but will meet Nov. 9 and 16.

The next Frolic will be Saturday at 7 p.m. in the church social hall. A light supper is provided.

The traditional Community Thanksgiving Service for Coahoma is at First Baptist Church, Sunday evening, Nov. 20.

Our congregation is included in the ecumenical community Thanksgiving Service at First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring, Monday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Tom will be back in the pulpit and we will have communion Sunday.

The lectionary is Joshua 3:7-17; Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37; 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13; Matthew 23:1-12.

**St. Mary's
Episcopal Church**

Sunday school is at 9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist is at 10:30 a.m. First annual meeting for the reports and the budget will take place after the morning service.

St. Mary's Vestry is meeting Monday in the library.

The Daily Grind with God — Coffee Hour meets Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the parish hall.

St. Mary's Family fun function night is Wednesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

For more information about St. Mary's Episcopal Church, call 267-8201. St. Mary's is located at 1001 S. Goliad.

**Gateway
Baptist Church**

Gateway Baptist Church is located at 2302 Gatesville Road. Sunday school is at 10 a.m. and worship service is at 11 a.m. with Pastor Jim Mills leading the service.

Sunday night service is at 6 and Wednesday night service at 6:30. Both services are followed by an evening

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Are you worth your salt?

What would we do without salt? For hundreds of years, we have relied on salt to preserve our food and enhance its taste. Salt has dozens of other uses from keeping sidewalks and roadways free of ice to making batteries work. Scientists are constantly experimenting with new uses of salt, and more technologies for mining salt are being explored all the time.

Although the medical community warns us of the danger of having too much salt in our diets, we find salt hard to resist. The junk food industry has increased our cravings for salt by craftily marketing those just-one-more salty treats that taste so good.

Apparently salt addictions have been around for a long time. According to a History Channel documentary about salt, those precious white granules were once used for barter. Merchants traded goods for salt and laborers were sometimes paid with salt. The word "salary" originated from this practice.

At one point in history, slaves could be purchased with salt. A slave whose work was unsatisfactory or who did not incur the favor of his master was not worth his salt -- the price that had been paid for him.

Although salt is no longer considered legal tender, the mining and

processing of salt is still a growing industry. Likewise, the terms we have acquired from the salt trade are still applicable today.

From the Bible, we learn that Jesus understood the value of salt. He told his followers that they were the salt of the earth, but He reminded them that tasteless salt was good for nothing except to be tossed out and trampled underfoot by man. (Matthew 5:12)

When we consider what we were worth before Jesus paid such a high price for our redemption, none of us are worth our salt. We are told in the Scripture that while we were unworthy sinners, Christ died for us. The apostle Paul wrote, "But God demonstrates His love toward us in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8 NASB).

While we aren't worth our salt, God paid an exorbitant price for us, the life of His only son.

Even though we can never repay that debt, maybe we should strive to be worthy of our salt.

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Reflections Life with Buddy

A couple years ago we adopted a dog.

Well, I guess "I" adopted a dog. Across the years we had pets, mostly mutts and strays that wandered into our lives. They helped us raise our kids. After our kids left home, along with their pets, the house was quiet. I guess it was a little too quiet. I missed having a dog. Like the kids, I had to convince my wife that I would feed him and take care of him. She finally gave in.

We found Buddy, a Corgi rescue who was lost and starving on the streets of Fort Worth. When we first saw him he was skinny and sick, but we instantly liked him. He soon won my wife over and now he is "our" dog, healthy and happy. That was two years ago. Buddy and I have bonded. He goes with me just about everywhere I go. And, along the way, he is teaching me some things.

Buddy is teaching me to trust. Whenever I get in my truck he jumps in and takes his place, ready to go. He doesn't know where we are going or what we are going to do. But he believes that if I am driving it is okay. I need to be more like that with God. I always want to know where we are going, when we are going to get there and what we are going to do once we arrive. I need to jump in the truck with God and give him control of my life.

Buddy wants to be with me. He

doesn't care if he is at the lake running, splashing and rolling in the mud, sitting in a chair next to me on the patio or in my study lying at my feet. He just wants to be where I am. He even follows me from room to room in the house. I need to spend time with God like that. What made the early disciples different was the fact that they lived with Jesus (Acts 4:13).

Buddy follows me. Whenever we go for a walk in an open field I let him run free. But he keeps an eye on me. He has developed a radius of his own, about thirty yards from wherever I am. Within that radius he feels comfortable exploring smells and marking trees. Occasionally he gets out of eyesight. But, when I call his name he comes running. Not real fast, but as fast as he can. After all he is a Corgi. It reminds me of what Jesus said to His disciples, "Come, follow me!" "My sheep know my voice."

And, he is teaching me patience. He will wait on me forever. If I am writing, he lies down, rests his head on his paws, keeps one eye on me and waits. If we are walking and I stop, he sits down with his tongue hanging out and waits. If I go to the store, he waits in my truck until I return. Buddy never complains about waiting on me. He never gets in a hurry. Maybe I should be more like that with respect to God and those I love.

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Blackwood Legacy at Birdwell Lane



Courtesy photo

The Nashville-based "Blackwood Legacy" contemporary southern gospel group will be in concert Saturday, Dec. 3 at 7 p.m. at Birdwell Lane Baptist Church. Admission is free and a love offering will be received. Birdwell Lane Baptist Church is located at 1512 Birdwell Lane. For more information, call 267-7157 or visit the website at www.theblackwoodlegacy.com. The group can also be previewed on Facebook.

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Ken Freeman youth event

Spring Creek Fellowship is hosting "An Evening with Ken Freeman" Saturday. All area youth and youth groups are invited to attend. There will be free pizza and no admission fee. Evan Burton and Anna Smith will lead music and worship. Pizza will be served at 6 p.m. followed by the main event.

Spring Creek Fellowship is located in College

Park Shopping Center at 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information call 432-714-4584.

Nazarene church to take part in 30-hour famine

Impact youth ministries from the Church of the Nazarene is partnering with Nazarene Compassionate Ministries and all different churches from around the world to help raise money for world

hunger.

Teens will not only be fasting for 30 hours, but will also be making a difference in their community helping others out in need.

The event is scheduled for Nov. 12-13 with a meeting at 7 a.m. For more information, call Kaylha Martin at 314-313-6317 or email her at kaylha@naxfamily.org. More information can be found on their website as well at www.nazfamily.org.

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the service.

Sunday night service is at 6 and Wednesday night service at 6:30. Both services are followed by an evening meal. In both services the Book of Revelations will be studied.

Upcoming events include:

Saturday from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. Gateway Baptist Church will be having a garage sale in the courtyard of the church.

December 16, 17, and 18 the Duo-Praise Ministries with Bro. David Garrett and his wife Karen from Mesquite Texas will be singing, praising and preaching the word of God. Services begin at 7 p.m.

Gateway has a clothing ministry and food pantry for individuals that need assistance with these items. They are open Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

The Lectionary Bible study, led by Tom Koger, will meet Wednesday, but will not meet Nov. 23 at 5:17 p.m. in the church library: the study will resume weekly Nov. 30. Children's Choir meets at 4:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Chancel choir practice is at 6 p.m.

Sue Carter is in charge of this week's "Take Ten;" Katie Grimes provided refreshments last week. Mike Robin-

son served as liturgist. Communion servers for November are Baylor Walker, Jerry Grimes, Ellen Austin and Joe and Patti Horton.

The Theater Room Adult Class, which has been designated as the "Discovery Class," continues a DVD study called Walking with God in the Desert. The Adult Covenant Class is doing a 5-week study from Matthew called "Jesus Teaches Wisdom," which examines Jesus' Sermon on the Mount and its relationship to the traditional teaching of Mosaic Law.

PW Bible study group will meet Tuesday at 4 p.m. with Jean Ann Farley leading the study of Chapter 3 "Greatly Honored Are the Humbled."

Presbyterian Women are hosting a farewell party in the parlor Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. for Pat Fleming to thank her for her years of service to the church and to wish her and Jim Godspeed as they move to San Angelo.

The ecumenical community Thanksgiving service, which will be held at First Presbyterian on Monday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Clergy, congregations and choirs from First Christian, St. Mary's Episcopal, Holy Trinity Catholic, First United Methodist and First Presbyterian churches will combine for this service.

The African Children's Choir, which appeared here last year, is making a return visit to First Presbyterian, Big Spring at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 6. The entire community is invited to enjoy the uplifting program.

The lectionary is Judges 4:1-7; Psalm 123; I Thessalonians 5:1-11; Matthew

25:14-30. The choir will offer "The Gift of Love" arranged by Hal Hopson for the offertory. The Rev. Sharon Wiese, guest preacher, will deliver the sermon and Jeanette Swain, will be our guest organist.

Listen on KBST 1490 AM at 11 a.m. To have a printed bulletin for Sunday services, call the church office at 263-4211. Visit our website at www.fpcbs.org.

First United Methodist Church

Rehearsals for the Living Christmas Tree begin Saturday, November 12, in Garrett Hall at First United Methodist Church.

All area singers are invited to join this presentation which for over thirty years has been a gift to the community. Tomorrow's rehearsal will be from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., with a light lunch served at noon. This year's music will include many new arrangements of favorite Christmas carols plus a few exciting surprises. Performances are scheduled for December 3rd & 4th.

Pastor Bill Ivins will be hosting a New Member Fellowship this Sunday during the Sunday School hour at 9:45. This informal get acquainted gathering will be held in the Eaker Parlor adjacent to Garrett Hall.

Both the 8:30 and 10:50 Service of Worship this week will feature guests from the Methodist Children's Home in Waco.

Wednesday Noon Bible Study and Luncheon is held in Garrett Hall each week with Pastor Bill leading the study. This week's meal will be catered by Al's Barbeque; serving begins at 11:50 a.m.

Real Life Wednesday begins at 5:30 p.m. with serving of the meal.

An Adult Bible Study is held from 6:30-7:30, EPIC Youth Ministry meets from 6:30-8:00 while Children's Choir is held from 6:30-7:30.

Cost of the meal is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children with a \$20 maximum for the entire family.

Becky Woodall needs any extra Christmas decorations you might have. She is planning to turn youth hall and children's Sunday school rooms into a "Christmas Shop of Wonders" to enhance the new study curriculum which is scheduled to begin Nov. 20. Decorating will take place the week of Nov. 13.

The entire church will be decorated Monday, Nov. 21. Joan Beil has asked for volunteers to meet at 1 p.m. to help set the scene for glorious Christmas season.

Be sure to make your reservations to attend the free catered dinner Nov. 20 as we celebrate our "Coming Home for the Holidays" event. Fill out the insert in the Sunday bulletin or call the church office at 267-6394.

Please help fill the box with items to be boxed and mailed to our troops overseas as part of the "Christmas for our Troops" effort. The donation box is located in the sanctuary foyer on Sundays and in the church office weekdays.

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Rest comes from God when we need it most

Rev. Joel Miller

Since I wrote this daily account in 2008, at a time in my life when I thought I needed a rest from God's demanding grind, I have come to know God will give me that rest when I need it most. Here I will show when we slow down, we see there is a calmer side of life we often miss. —



JOEL MILLER

Sunday afternoon and we are leaving for a wonderful ten day vacation and a break from my Senior Chaplain duties. I love the work I do through my church and the Chaplaincy, but after eleven years, it is starting to get to me.

My wife of twenty years and I have been planning this for six months and it is finally happening. I have a pastor to fill my pulpit and another Chaplain to take care of the Senior Chaplain duties.

We start out on the five hour trip to the solitude of the lake cabin in Central Texas. The weather is beautiful, despite the winds of West Texas. Along the way we stop at a wonderful home style BBQ house for a leisure supper and wonder why God has given us this time in our lives. While we are both "retired", we find it difficult not to be doing the work God has assigned us to do. But then, He provided this time of rest. Didn't He rest on the seventh day?

Upon arriving at the lake and opening the cabin, we unload our pick-up, unpack the groceries, and immediately go to bed for the first of many good nights sleeping, we hope. This was after we had made a date to watch our grandson play football in Austin the next night.

Monday morning we sleep in. When we do awake, we get our first cup of coffee and sit in the swing, outside, on the back porch. We are rewarded with the ducks swimming by, the squirrels playing in the yard, and the doves cooing contentedly in the trees. God is good! The rest of the day we spend resting and relaxing, just thinking of the things we are not missing.

Our one and one-half hour drive in to Austin that afternoon was a wonder to us. After all, we do not get to see the trees and the changing of the colors of the leaves in West Texas. The reds, yellows, oranges, and browns are a special treat God provides. Of course, the rains started at the football game, but we don't care. It is just a drizzle and in the excitement we hardly notice the cold wind and

the dampness. A good visit over supper with our son's family is a special treat, and then back to the solitude of the lake. Oh yes. I forgot to mention the four fish I caught before we left for Austin.

The next day is early to rise, sit in the swing, drinking coffee, and watching it rain. Three more fish caught and then to work. We clean the spider webs from the walls and furniture on the back porch and rest again. At noon, we put frozen dinners in the oven, very little cooking while on vacation. After dinner, I go visit the local Sheriff's office, out of habit, I guess. Doesn't God's glory show through when you turn your time over to Him?

This morning we received another gift from God. While sitting on the back porch swing, the usual crowd of ducks had another one with them. It was a Hooded Merganser, one of the most colorful and unusual of the duck family. I run into the cabin to get a piece of bread, trying not to spook the ducks, and to entice them into staying a little longer. I should have known they were a bunch of moochers. That is how they exist here, being a bunch of little bums. They depend on suckers like me to provide them with food, and I did. I go into town where I buy a bag of dog food for them. Duh! They are there every morning now for their breakfast, rain or shine.

This afternoon we went to Fredericksburg shopping. Shop after shop had overpriced tourists' gifts. The time is restful and expensive, but it is our way of enjoying the day. The food is good and the company is enjoyable. The tour busses and individuals are in abundance and ever moving. It has been an enjoyable day, but it is good to get back to the solitude of the lake. Tonight we received another gift, more of God's creatures. I was awakened by my wife in the early hours of the morning. The security light had come on and revealed four deer in the yard, eating the nuts that had fallen from the trees. It is a wonderful sight to see, the timid deer, the quietness of the night, and the solitude only God could provide.

Another day of fishing from the dock (five fish caught) and of relaxing. We wonder what it would be like if we could stay here forever, but it is only a pipe dream. God still directs our lives and there is too much work to do. When you are in His service there is always another task He asks us to do. We know we have the right to reject His will for us, but we also know we would never do that. So is the devotion of God's people. His will is our will. We will get our reward and rest eventually. In the mean time, we will settle for the few days'



rest we are getting now. I know not all God's children get the same requests, but the Bible reminds us the body is made up of many parts and one part is no more important than another. The body, as a whole, depends on each individual part to work in conjunction with its entirety. If one part is missing, another part will have to take up the slack. So it is with God's work.

Last night a cold front came through. It is too cold to sit in the swing, but the view from the picture window in the breakfast nook is just as good and it is a lot more comfortable. I wait for the temperature to warm a little before fishing again. My hands tingle as I walk to the dock with my fishing rod. I manage to catch a few more fish, but release them as I always do. The ducks are here for their morning handout. I guess hunger, or persistence, takes precedence over the cold. My biggest fish so far is four pounds, but most are in the one pound range.

Today I went fishing with a guide, courtesy of my son. The guide is a wonderful, young, Christian man. While we catch fish, the gift for me is to get to know another working Christian. We thoroughly enjoy our time together. We also make a date to fish together again, this time as new found friends.

Time to return home and to our normal life is rapidly approaching. Our time here is drawing to a close, but we will relish our time left. We knew from the start we would have to return home and are looking forward to it with a new found peace. Our short time here has recharged us and we are filled with the anticipation of a change in life. God provided a time of rest, but He also has other things for us to do. Yes, God is good, but only if you believe and accept.

First Baptist Church celebrates 125 years

First Baptist Church Big Spring will celebrate its 125th anniversary Sunday, Nov. 13. In recognition of this occasion, a special wor-

ship service will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the main sanctuary followed by a luncheon in the Family Life Center. For more information, call the church office at 432-267-8223, or go to: <http://www.fbcbigspring.org/>

St. Andrew's Day Festival Nov. 20

St. Mary's celebrates it's 10th year

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sional pipers E.J. Jones of Asheville, N.C., Doug Frobose of Dallas, Richard Kean of Houston and drummer Stephen Cameron of Georgetown.

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Kindergarteners at Marcy Elementary perform their patriotic song for parents and teachers during the annual Freedom March this morning. Numerous veterans were honored during the ceremony as a list of more than 200 names were read aloud.

Annie's Mailbox

Dear Readers: Today is Veterans Day. In honor of our veterans, here is a piece written by John Alton Robinson of West Monroe, La.

"Freedom"

From the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
To the silver-haired crowns of our fathers
From the shores of Tripoli
To the Pacific's pearl-green waters
I wish to give a tribute
A four-starred salute today
For those who fought so bravely
For our freedom and American way.
We take our rights for granted
But they were earned in blue-red blood
And courage beyond the call of duty
In France's cold wet mud.
Beginning with the Revolution
Through the Saudi Arabian sands
Men have fought and suffered
And died on foreign lands.
So salute this Veterans Day
And many more to come.
Through blood and guts and glory
Our freedom has been won.

Dear Annie: About 12 years ago, my husband started to have all the signs of irritable bowel syndrome. He refused to see a doctor and ended up in the hospital with extreme bleeding. He was discharged after two weeks, and the doctors told him to rest and watch his diet. He didn't.

Three weeks later, he was back in the hospital and diagnosed with Crohn's disease. Again, he was told to rest, watch his diet and take his medication.

Again, he wouldn't listen. Four weeks later, he woke up in the middle of the night with a temperature of 107. At the hospital, they said his system has been extremely compromised, and he was diagnosed with active tuberculosis. I am now at risk.

He is 67 years old and retired. He refuses to give up a lucrative hobby that keeps him outdoors, even though we don't need the extra money. My health is failing, but it doesn't seem to matter to him. I'm ready to leave. — *About To Give Up in Oklahoma*

Dear Oklahoma: Your husband sounds stubborn and difficult and possibly depressed enough not to care about his health or yours. Try to get him to see a therapist, but if he refuses, understand that you are not responsible for his careless approach to health. Talk to your doctor about how best to protect yourself.

Dear Annie: I read the letter from Greg Montgomery Jr., the former NFL player who is bipolar. I am also bipolar. I almost died because I feared the stigma of being mentally ill.

When I got home from the hospital, my boyfriend showed me an essay written by a woman who was a successful doctor and bipolar. She said mental illness is a disease with physical symptoms that cause mental and emotional problems. With the right medication, counseling and support group, you can live normally again, or close to it.

Those words — "it's a disease with physical symptoms," just like heart disease, diabetes or Parkinson's — made me realize I was going to be OK. Please print this. It could save a life. — *Recovering Nicely*

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Iris Elizabeth McGlothlin



Iris Elizabeth McGlothlin, 89, of Big Spring passed away Nov. 8, 2011. She was born in Bartlett, Texas, on Aug. 8, 1922. She married Carl McGlothlin on Jan. 16, 1946, in Temple, Texas.

Their first home was in Yokohama, Japan. She and Carl loved to travel and toured Europe, as well as the United States. They moved to Big Spring in the fall of 1962 and became active members of First Baptist Church. She also was a life member of Eastern Star and a past Worthy Matron.

She is survived by her daughter, Ayn and husband Dave Canning. She has three granddaughters, Kathryn and husband John Ivey, Heather and husband Brad Coats and Kimberly and husband Daniel Blackaby. Iris had three great-grandchildren, Hannah Ivey, Jet and Brittney Coats. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews. She is dearly missed by her Papillion companion, Tybalt.

In honor of her wishes, there will not be any services. Her request was for her friends and family to say "I love you" to someone and remember happy times spent together.

The family would like to express their sincere appreciation to the staff at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, the Lamun Lusk Sanchez Texas State Veterans Home, Home Hospice and her family at First Baptist Church.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com

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Jean Hart



Jean Hart, 78, of Big Spring died Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2011, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2011, at Myers & Smith Chapel.

She was born April 21, 1933, to Charlsie Louise and Schyler Lawrence Robinson in Big Spring, Texas. She married Edward Hart on Aug. 18, 1955, in Las Vegas, Nev.

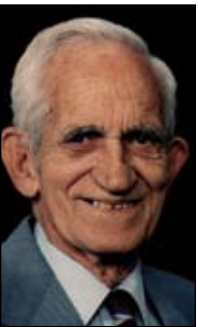
While her husband was in the Air Force, they lived in Japan, Greenville, Miss., Chandler, Ariz., and Charleston, S.C., returning to Big Spring in 1966. She taught at Parkhill Elementary in Big Spring from 1955 until 1956 and taught at Big Spring High School from 1975 until she retired in 1994. She was a member of First Methodist Church.

She is survived by four sons, Nat Hart and wife Elizabeth of Chandler, Jeff Hart of Big Spring, Bill Hart of San Diego and Sky Hart and wife Jennifer of Custer, S.D.; seven grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one sister, Jane Hicks of Midland; one nephew and two nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and one nephew.

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Douglas Eugene Beams



Douglas Eugene Beams, 92, of Floresville, formerly of Big Spring died Thursday, Nov. 10, 2011, in Floresville. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 10, 1919, in Greenville, Miss., to Blanche and Douglas Eugene Beams Sr. He married Estelle Mayes on April 18, 1946, in El Paso and she preceded him in death Feb. 8, 1995.

He was a veteran of the Army Air Corps and was stationed at Big Spring Bombardier School during World War II. He returned to Big Spring in 1946 and was an electrician, primarily in construction. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church.

He is survived by one son, Douglas Edward Beams of San Antonio; and one brother, David Beams and wife Laverne of Jackson, Miss.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife and one son, Douglas Eugene Beams III.

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Mattie 'Bobbie' McDaniel

Mattie "Bobbie" McDaniel, 98, of Big Spring, died Friday, Nov. 11, 2011, in a local nursing home. Her services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.



Emma Gene Chandler



Emma Gene Chandler, 84, of Big Spring died Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2011, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2011, at First Baptist Church Chapel with the Rev. Mark Lindsey officiating. Burial will follow in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She was born April 29, 1927, Athens, Texas. She lived most of her life in Big Spring. She married Perry Chandler on June 21, 1947, in Rockwall, Texas, and he preceded her in death June 29, 1994.

She worked for more than 20 years at Cosden Credit Union. She was an active member of First Baptist Church. She enjoyed playing cards with her friends of the "Widows Support Group," a title they gave themselves. She was also considered a "green thumb" when it came to raising roses.

She will be remembered as a loving and caring person, always putting others before herself.

She is survived by her daughter, Joy Aldridge of Big Spring; a son, Craig Chandler and wife Lesley of Big Spring; six grandchildren, Lesley Boetler and husband Allen of Dimmitt, Anna Castaneda Gann and husband Ben, Robert Aldridge Jr., Amanda Hernandez Nieto and husband Adam and Heather Chandler, all of Big Spring, and Cody Chandler and wife Patsy of Mississippi; and four great-grandchildren, Kaden Chandler, Ruthie Boetler, Jacob Boetler and Josiah Nieto.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Pallbearers will be Emzie Woodard, Robert Aldridge Jr., Adam Nieto, Ben Gann, Donnie Baker and Cody Chandler.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials to First Baptist Church, 705 W FM 700, Big Spring, Texas 79720.

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By Steve Becker

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• SMMC is offering a free diabetes education series, "Diabetes - Living With It", beginning at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday Nov. 15 in the fourth floor education room. This six-week course will be led by SMMC clinical dietitian Dr. Nelson Guadalupe and other health professionals. For more details and to register, call 268-4528.

• First Baptist Church Big Spring will celebrate its 125th anniversary Sunday, Nov. 13. In recognition of this occasion, a special worship service will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the main sanctuary followed by a luncheon in the Family Life Center. For more information, call the church office at 432-267-8223, or go to: http://www.fbcbigspring.org/

• American Cancer Society will have its board meetings at noon on the second Tuesday of the month through April. Lunch will be furnished. Meetings will take place at Home Hospice, located at 111 E. Seventh.

• Home Hospice is seeking volunteers. Training will be provided and geared to your time frame. Volunteers are needed for in office duties as well as sitters, deliveries and crafts. To find out more information or to volunteer contact Sherry Hodnett at Home Hospice by calling 264-7599.

• Every 10 years, Texas requires that marks and brands be re-registered in the county or counties in which you operate. The re-registration period began Aug. 31 and runs through Feb. 29, 2012. At the conclusion date, all marks and brands that have not been re-registered are automatically available for registration by another party. For additional information, contact the Howard County Clerk's Office at 264-2214 or 264-2213.

• Hangar 25 Air Museum needs your help! We are in need of volunteers to fill a variety of positions such as tour guides, front desk, clerical, events, and many others. Set your hours and days of the week you are available. Meet new people and enjoy a rewarding experience. For more information, contact Emma Bogard at 432-267-2963.

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GOING TO THE SHOW — The Howard College softball team gathers around Olive Naotala (center), as she signs her letter of intent to play softball for the Texas Tech Red Raiders. The infielder is originally from Oceanside, California.

Raiders take charge out of San Diego

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Carson Palmer has emerged from semi-retirement mode and is back to looking like an NFL quarterback. Palmer threw two touchdown passes and Michael Bush ran 30

times for a season-high 157 yards and one touchdown to lead the Oakland Raiders to a 24-17 win over San Diego on Thursday night, the Chargers' fourth straight loss. The Raiders (5-4)

broke a two-game losing streak and took a half-game lead over the Kansas City Chiefs in the AFC West. Palmer threw touchdown passes of 33 and 26 yards to Denarius Moore in his second start and

third appearance since being acquired in a trade with Cincinnati. He'd been semi-retired and living in Del Mar, just north of San Diego, before being traded. His next-door neighbor is Chargers coach Norv

Turner. Palmer was 14 of 20 for 299 yards, with one interception. "We had a good rhythm going," Palmer said. "There were some great play calls at the right time. We still have some things to get better

at, but it's just good to come into this environment and get a win." The Raiders traded for Palmer after Jason Campbell went down. "I know the man, I See NFL, Page 3B

Penn State still dealing with firing of Joe Paterno

STATE COLLEGE (AP) — The most tumultuous week Penn State has ever endured is drawing to a close. Questions, however, still linger. Gov. Tom Corbett will be on hand Friday to help the board of trustees navigate a course through the turmoil from a child sex-abuse scandal that has engulfed the state's largest university and led to the firing of the university's legendary coach Joe Paterno. Corbett, an ex-officio member of the board, will participate in Friday's regularly scheduled trustees meeting, where a committee will be appointed to investigate the "circumstances" that led to the indictments of former defensive coordinator Jerry Sandusky, as well as two university officials. It's the first time the board has met publicly since forcing out Paterno and president Graham Spanier amid the unfolding child sex abuse scandal. Paterno and Spanier were fired Wednesday night, four days after a grand jury report charged Sandusky with a series of sexual assaults stretching back to the late 1990s. The grand jury report alleges Sandusky assaulted eight boys — including one he allegedly raped in the university's football facility shower. Much of the alleged inappropriate contact with seven victims happened on Penn State's campus, where Sandusky maintained an office as an emeritus professor

following his retirement. Authorities said Sandusky met many of his alleged victims through The Second Mile, a charity for at-risk youth he founded in 1977. The indictment also charged the school's athletic director and a vice president with perjury and failure to report the assaults. "Certainly every Pennsylvanian who has any knowledge of this case, who has read the grand jury report, feels a sense of regret and a sorrow to also see careers end," Corbett said after arriving on campus Thursday. Earlier in the day, Tom Bradley was introduced as interim head coach, marking the first time in almost a half-century the Nittany Lions have been guided by anyone other than Paterno. "We're obviously in a very unprecedented situation," said Bradley, who was Paterno's lead assistant for the last 11 seasons. "I have to find a way to restore the confidence." The committee has no timetable. And no shortage of questions to answer — from how much Paterno actually knew to the future of his staff, including assistant coach Mike McQueary, who told Paterno but not police about seeing Sandusky in a shower with a young boy in 2002. McQueary, now the team's wide receivers coach, won't be present for the final

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Weekend playoff action:

Lady Steers volleyball
Big Spring vs. Andrews
1 p.m. Friday in Snyder
(If the girls win, they play again Saturday at 3 p.m.)

Coahoma Bulldogs vs. Spearman
7:30 Friday in Plainview

Forsan Buffaloes vs. Sanford Fritch
7:30 Saturday in Plainview

Sands Mustangs vs. Ira
7:30 Friday in Big Spring

Remembering Pat Tillman, former Arizona Cardinal killed in Afghanistan



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By Ken McIntosh
STAFF WRITER

The American Coin Buyers Guild will be placing ads in newspapers and on the radio this week, asking people to bring in any old silver and gold coins made before 1970. Those that do bring in their coins will be able to speak with specialists one-on-one and have their coins looked at by a specialist. Offers will be made based on silver or gold content, the rarity of the coins, and key dates. All coins made before 1970 will be examined, including gold coins, silver coins, nickels, pennies, proof sets and uncirculated mint sets. Those that decide to sell their coins will be paid on the spot.

If you are like a lot of people, you might have a few old coins or even a coffee can full of them lying around. If you have ever wondered what they are worth, now might be your chance to find out and even sell them if you choose. They could be worth a lot according to the American Coin Buyers Guild, also known as ACBG. Collectors will pay a fortune for some coins and currency for their collections. According to Mark Cooper, coin collector and ACBG specialist, if they are rare enough, one coin could be worth over \$100,000. One ultra rare coin, an 1894 S Barber dime, sold for a record \$1.9 million to a collector in July of 2007. While that is an extreme example, many rare and valuable coins are stashed away in dresser drawers or lock boxes around the country. The ACBG has organized a traveling event in search of all types of coins and currency. Even common coins can be worth a significant amount due to the high price of silver and gold. Cooper explains that, "even Washington quarters and Roosevelt dimes are worth many times their face value. Recent silver markets have driven the price up on even common coins made of silver. All half dollars, quarters and dimes made before 1965 contain 90% silver and are sought after any time silver prices rise. Right now it's a seller's market."



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The rarest coins these collectors are looking for include \$20, \$10, \$5 and \$2.5 gold coins and any coin made before 1850. These coins always bring big premiums, according to the ACBG. Silver dollars are also very sought after nowadays.

Other types of items the American Coin Buyers Guild will be purchasing during this event include U.S. paper currency, gold bullion, investment gold, silver bars, silver rounds, etc. Even foreign coins are collectible and will be purchased.

Also at this event, anyone can sell their gold jewelry, dental gold or anything made of gold on the spot. Gold is currently trading at near record highs and can bring in a good amount of money. Bring anything you think might be gold and the ACBG specialists will examine, test and price it for free. If you decide to sell, you will be paid on the spot—it has been an unknown fact that coin dealers have always paid more for jewelry and scrap gold than other jewelers and pawn brokers.

So whether you have one coin you think might be valuable or a large collection you recently inherited, you can talk to these specialists for free and if you're lucky, you may have a rarity worth thousands. Either way, there is nothing to lose and it sounds like fun!



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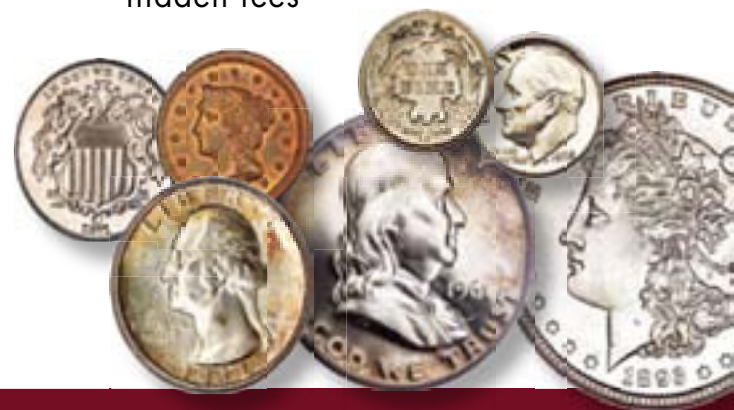
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NFL

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know what he is and what we have," coach Hue Jackson said. "We haven't seen the best of him yet. He's just warming up."

Last December, Palmer helped crush the Chargers' playoff hopes when he threw four touchdown passes as the Bengals stunned San Diego.

Palmer said he's put in "long days, long nights," in getting back to form. "It has been information overload at times just trying to get everything in and whittle it down into a game plan."

Bush helped carry the load for the Raiders with his running and also had three catches for 85 yards.

The Chargers (4-5) looked dismal most of the night and lost left tackle Marcus McNeill, right guard Louis Vasquez and linebacker Takeo Spikes to injuries.

Philip Rivers struggled again as the Chargers hit their longest losing streak since they started 0-5 in 2003.

"We're in a rough stretch right now. We get a few days off to take a deep breath," Rivers said.

The Raiders have won three straight against the Chargers. Before that, San Diego had won 13 straight in a rivalry that dates to the birth of the AFL.

With the Chargers threatening to tie it, Rivers was intercepted in the end zone by Matt Giordano with 3:22 left. It was Rivers' NFL- and career-high 15th interception. Rivers was sacked on

consecutive plays near midfield to end the game. He fumbled on the final play, giving him an NFL-high 19 turnovers.

Rivers was 23 of 47 for 274 yards. He was sacked six times as the Raiders overwhelmed Brandyn Dombrowski, who replaced McNeill at left tackle.

"Obviously some of the offensive linemen went down and we smelled blood and we just went after him," Raiders defensive tackle Richard Seymour said.

"All week our defensive coordinator said, 'Hey, they can score from anywhere on the field and it's going to be up to our defensive front to get pressure on the quarterback,'" Seymour added. "We knew we could get it done but it was going to be a collective effort."

Rivers said Oakland "in a lot of ways is built to be up 14 because they can pound it and obviously Carson played great today. They have a huge defensive front and they can just rush four and play coverage, coverage, coverage, because they know you've got to throw it a lot."

The Raiders had 14-point leads in the second and third quarters, and San Diego could never quite catch up.

San Diego struggled in the first half, going three-and-out four straight times after getting a 20-yard field goal by Nick Novak on the opening drive.

Rivers was only 4 of 11 for 44 yards for a passer rating of 49.1. By comparison, Raiders punter Shane Lechler had a rating of 39.6 by going 0 for 1. Sebastian Janikowski has a sore ham-

string, so the Raiders tried a fake punt from the Chargers' 34 on their first drive. Lechler threw a pass to Jacoby Ford, who was mauled by Quentin Jammer because pass interference can't be called in a punt formation.

Bush scored on a 2-yard leap over the pile late in the first quarter and Janikowski kicked a 23-yard field goal on the next drive. Palmer threw a 33-yard scoring pass to Moore for a 17-3 lead that held up at halftime.

The Chargers finally came to life on the first drive of the second half, capped by rookie Vincent Brown's leaping catch of a 30-yard touchdown pass in double coverage, his first NFL score, to pull to 17-10.

Rivers completed five passes on the drive, one more than he had in the first half, and the Chargers gained 80 yards, compared to 65 yards total in the first half.

The Raiders pushed the lead to 24-10 on the next drive after Palmer found Moore for a 26-yard score. Two plays earlier, Bush gained 55 yards on a screen pass.

Brown appeared to come down with another great TD catch in the third quarter, this one for 33 yards. But referee Ed Hochuli overturned it on replay, saying that since the defender landed out of bounds with his hand on the ball, it was considered out of bounds.

"It really is pretty clear cut," Hochuli said.

Three plays later, Rivers found fullback Jacob Hester for a 7-yard TD pass to pull to 24-17.

Stern's threat does little for NBA season

NEW YORK (AP) — David Stern is ready to start a 72-game season on Dec. 15.

Players, however, aren't prepared to make that happen just yet.

If they choose to reject the league's latest ultimatum, they will get a far harsher offer, one that could put the entire NBA season in jeopardy.

The answer should come early next week — and Stern made it clear: Yes or no, no more negotiating.

"I would not presume to project or predict what the union would do," the NBA commissioner said. "I can hope, and my hope is that the events of next week will lead us to a 72-game schedule starting on Dec. 15."

The league presented the players' association with the new offer Thursday after nearly 11 hours of bargaining, hoping it would be enough to end the lockout. Stern had

previously said the original proposal needed to be accepted by the close of business Wednesday to avoid the less favorable proposal, but had "stopped the clock" while the sides were bargaining.

The clock starts again once the union has had time to meet and plot its strategy.

Union president Derek Fisher said the revised proposal doesn't address all the necessary system issues that players are seeking before they would agree to the economic concessions owners are demanding.

"It does not meet us entirely on the system issues that we felt were extremely important to try and close this thing out, and so at this point we've decided to end things for now, take a step back," Fisher said.

"We'll go back as an executive committee, confer with our player reps and additional players over the next few days."

PATERNO

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home game of the season Saturday against Nebraska because of what the university said were "multiple threats."

"We intend to be as responsible as we can and make whatever changes are necessary," board vice chair John Surma said.

Sandusky, Paterno's onetime heir apparent, has been charged with molesting eight boys over 15 years. Athletic director Tim Curley and university vice president Gary Schultz have been charged with perjury and failure to report the 2002 assault to police, as required by state law.

All three maintain their innocence.

Paterno is not a target of the criminal investigation, having fulfilled his legal requirement by reporting what McQueary told him to Curley and Schultz.

But the state police commissioner called Paterno's failure to contact police or follow up on the incident a lapse in "moral responsibility."

Paterno has acknowledged that he should have done more but has not said why he didn't go to the police, nor has he said whether he was aware of any earlier alleged assaults. Aside from a few brief comments outside his house and two statements, Paterno has not spoken publicly since Sandusky

was indicted.

McQueary told the grand jury that he saw Sandusky sodomizing a boy of about 10 in the showers at the Penn State football building in March 2002.

McQueary later told Paterno, Curley and Schultz, although it is not clear how detailed his description was. Schultz, in turn, notified Spanier.

Curley and Schultz — as well as Paterno — testified that they were told that Sandusky behaved inappropriately in that 2002 incident, but not to the extent of McQueary's graphic account to the grand jury.

McQueary has not spoken publicly.

His mother, Anne, said Thursday they have been advised not to comment.

Then 28, McQueary was "distracted" after witnessing the alleged 2002 assault, according to the indictment. Yet it appears he may have continued to participate in fundraising events with Sandusky — including one held less than a month later.

Sandusky was a coach at a March 28, 2002, flag-football fundraiser for the Easter Seals of Cen-

tral Pennsylvania, and McQueary and other Penn State staff members participated by either playing or signing autographs, according to a "Letter of special thanks" published in the Centre Daily Times.

The paper also reported that McQueary was scheduled to play in The Second Mile Celebrity Golf Classic in 2002 and 2003. The Second Mile is the charity Sandusky founded to provide education and life skills to almost 100,000 at-risk kids each year.

And in 2004, the Centre Daily Times reported that McQueary played in the third annual Subway Easter Bowl Game, an Easter Seals fundraiser that was jointly coached by Sandusky.

Sandusky, a former Penn State player and assistant for 30 years, including 22 as defensive coordinator, had long been considered the likely successor to Paterno.

But Paterno told Sandusky around May 1999 that he wouldn't get the top job.

According to the indictment, one of the alleged victims testified that Sandusky was "emotionally upset"

after that meeting with Paterno, and Sandusky announced his retirement the next month.

Sandusky said he wanted to spend more time with The Second Mile, as well as taking advantage of a generous retirement package that included continued use of an office and access to the school's athletic facilities. Several of the alleged assaults took place on Penn State

property.

Sandusky was just 55 when he retired with a sparkling resume.

He stepped off college football's fast track when he would have been considered a top candidate for vacancies at any big-time program.

Bradley spent most of his career at Penn State as a defensive assistant and succeeded Sandusky as defensive

coordinator.

Penn State has said Bradley will be interim coach for the rest of the season. It has not said if he will be a candidate for the permanent job, nor has it given any timetable for hiring a new coach.

It's not even clear who will do the hiring, with Curley on leave and provost Rodney Erickson serving as interim school president.

Boy Scouts of America United Way of Big Spring Fundraiser

The Lone Star District of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America is having a fundraiser to support the United Way of Howard County. The Scouts will be offering tickets and donations to the United Way.

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HOLIDAY MATHIS

ARIES (March 21-April 19). If you're going to admire someone, make it a hero worthy of your attention. Just because a person is a celebrity doesn't mean he or she is a hero. Be careful not to confuse the two.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You'll get intuitive flashes in the form of images that flicker across the screen of your mind. Write down your

impressions without trying to categorize them or assign meaning. You'll know what it all means in about a month.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You'll revisit a place you've enjoyed in the past and find that it's difficult to get as excited as you once were over this scene. This is not a sign that it's time to move on; it's a sign that it's time to shake things up.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You've recently overcome a problem, and you can now help others do the same. Review your path. Write down what you know. It may not seem like a big deal to you now, but you will be of great assistance.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). It feels good to be generous, so you are. You're not expecting to be praised for a contribution, and it may even embarrass you if someone draws attention to what you've given. You want to be as anonymous as possible.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You dive into social

situations willing to connect, even though you have no idea what you're going to say. You trust yourself to come up with the words that will help, encourage and motivate others.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You're a gifted communicator who can state the truth in a way that doesn't hurt anyone's feelings. Because you can do this so consistently and well, you'll be asked to use the ability to help others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You wonder about the next step, while your counterpart thinks only about what is going on right now. That dynamic is maddening to you sometimes, but it's precisely what makes you an excellent team.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You're kind to those you like, and you're kind to their friends and family, as well. That's the part that will ensure you a place in the inner circle. You'll enjoy the bonds you build over the weekend.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). There is greater harmony in your world. It starts with a peaceful feeling in your own mind and heart. Then you'll notice that those who used to argue often will suddenly get along, and maybe you are the reason.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You know what you admire about a loved one, though you haven't had the right moment to share this information in a while. Make that moment happen today. Your loved one really needs to hear what you have to say.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You're like a sailor of unpredictable waters. You go boldly forward, knowing all the while that you're at the whim of the mighty elements. The best you can do is to beg the favor of the fickle sea.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Nov. 11). Your fetching ways will make people feel good around you. You'll accept a proposal in January. Relationships develop quickly. You'll be

sharing major news about your personal life with family in February. A change to your home or transportation happens in March. June brings a professional high. Aries and Libra people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 8, 2, 39, 10 and 17.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND: With the moon in Taurus and the sun in Scorpio, these two fixed signs are inexplicably drawn to each other. Fixed signs are the finishers and perfectors of the zodiac, and yet love is one thing that can never be finished or perfected. If they can accept their love as a work in progress, be patient with each other and resist the need to always be right, this couple will create beautiful times together.

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Dear Margo: For the benefit of Alzheimer's research

To my readers: I have only helped a researcher once before. I am doing it again because this project has to do with Alzheimer's disease — a destructive, sad and omnipresent misfortune. It is on the march and affecting increasing numbers of families. The information below will allow some of you to do



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something constructive, and it might offer an afflicted loved one the chance to feel that they are contributing something important and valuable. Have a look, and see whether your city offers the opportunity.

Dear Margo: Like millions of Americans, I am living through the painful process of watching my mother struggle with Alzheimer's disease. This very difficult experience is one of the many reasons I am proud and grateful to be leading one of the largest studies ever on Alzheimer's disease, with the hope of uncovering vital information that could change the course of this now incurable and fatal condition.

It is important for people to know that one of our greatest challenges with Alzheimer's is not the disease itself. The biggest hurdle we face is finding enough study volunteers to allow the research to continue at the pace needed to be successful against this "silent epidemic."

Today, 5.3 million people suffer from this

horrible disease, and, as many of your readers know all too well, we caregivers often feel helpless. But we can do something about it.

Together, we can make progress against Alzheimer's. My colleagues and I across the country want to put an end to Alzheimer's disease, but we can't do it without volunteer partners in science. And that is where we are asking for your readers' help. One way to get involved is to go to www.adni-info.org or call 1-800-438-4380 to volunteer. We are committed to finding a cure for Alzheimer's disease, but we can't do it without you. — *Michael W. Weiner, M.D., Principal Investigator, Alzheimer's Disease Neuroimaging Initiative (ADNI), University of California, San Francisco*

When Language Is a Barrier

Dear Margo: My problem is not the most earth-shattering, but since I find myself on the opposite sides of the same etiquette rule, I would

like to hear your response.

It often has been said by many people that it's rude to point out that someone's being rude. So what am I to do when a co-worker of mine, when seated with several people at lunch, continuously speaks across the table to others in a language that is not spoken by me or some of the other people, or speaks in this language to others in front of me?

And what am I to do if a dear friend, when entering a room, hears a few of us speaking a certain other language and interrupts mid-sentence without letting us finish with, "You are speaking this language again. Don't speak it now!" I am at a loss as to how I am supposed to behave being caught at the opposite ends of rudeness. — *Lost in Translation.*

Dear Lost: You would probably feel better if you could be consistent when it comes to other languages. Regarding the co-worker addressing someone in their common language (not yours), the

only excuse for this would be if that person did not speak English. If she does, then you might take the two of them aside and say it feels rude to the others. In the second instance you cite, I am wondering why you are doing what you dislike in others. The person who is admonishing you is simply acting on the feelings that you, yourself, have in the same situation. Bottom line: Using a foreign language is only acceptable in company if someone in the group does not speak English.

It is OK to point this out gently, and privately, to those who choose to go back and forth in two languages. — *Margo, considerably*

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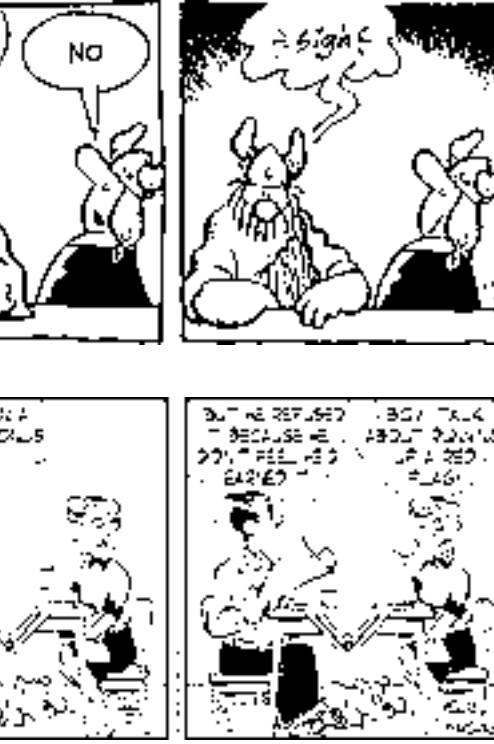


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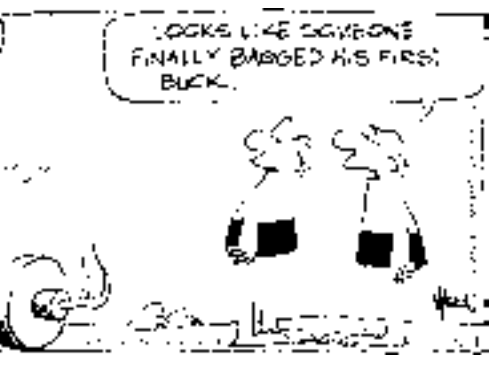
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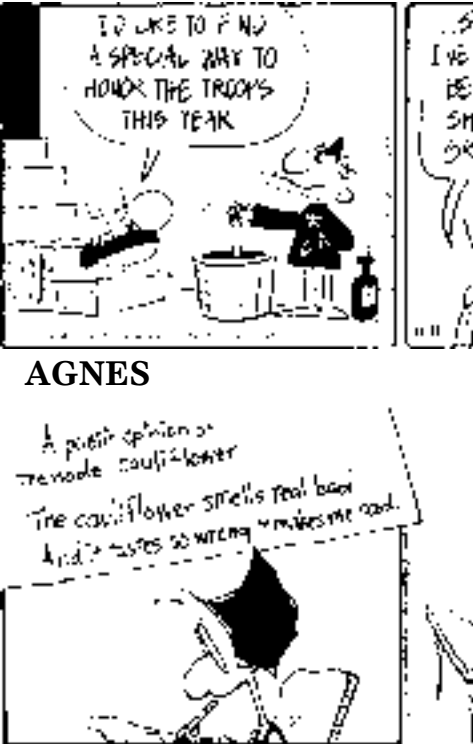
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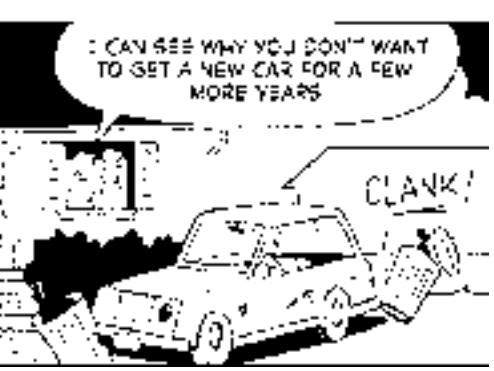
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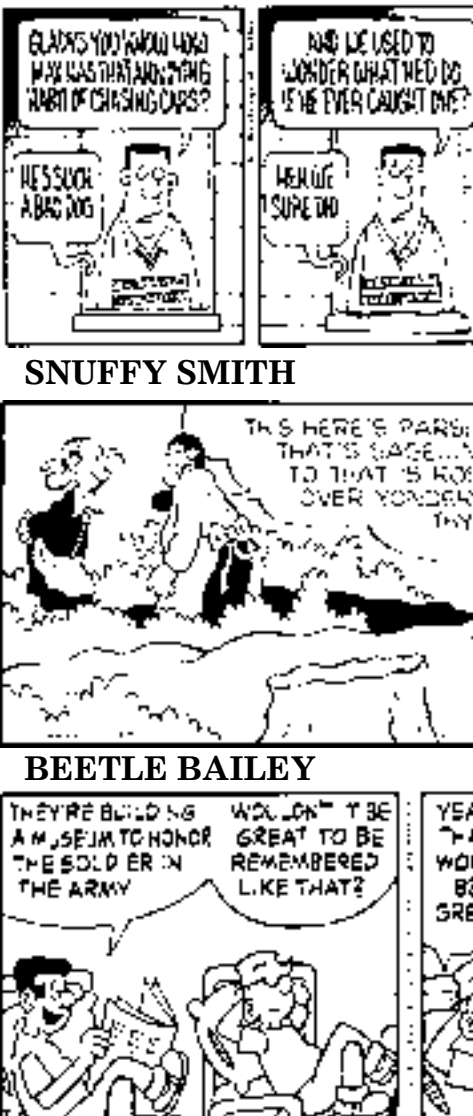
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This Date In History

Today is Friday, Nov. 11, the 315th day of 2011. There are 50 days left in the year. This is Veterans Day in the U.S., Remembrance Day in Canada.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 11, 1918, fighting in World War I came to an end with the signing of an armistice between the Allies and Germany.

On this date:

In 1620, 41 Pilgrims aboard the Mayflower, anchored off Massachusetts, signed a compact calling for a "body politic."

In 1831, former slave Nat Turner, who'd led a violent insurrection, was executed in Jerusalem, Va.

In 1889, Washington became the 42nd state.

In 1909, President William Howard Taft accepted the recommendation of a joint Army-Navy board that Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian Islands be made the principal U.S. naval

station in the Pacific.

In 1921, the remains of an unidentified American service member were interred in the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery in a ceremony presided over by President Warren G. Harding.

In 1942, during World War II, Germany completed its occupation of France.

In 1960, South Vietnamese President Ngo Dinh Diem survived a coup attempt by army rebels. (However, he was overthrown and killed in 1963.)

In 1966, Gemini 12 blasted off from Cape Kennedy with astronauts James A. Lovell and Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin Jr. aboard.

In 1981, stuntman Dan Goodwin scaled the outside of the 100-story John Hancock Center in Chicago in nearly six hours.

In 1983, President Ronald Reagan became the first U.S. chief executive to address the Diet, Japan's national legislature.

Today's Birthdays: Dancer-choreographer Nicholas Royce is 86. Comedian Jonathan Winters is 86. Jazz singer-musician Mose Allison is 84. Author Carlos Fuentes is 83. Actress

Bibi Andersson is 76. Country singer Narvel Felts is 73. Sen. Barbara Boxer, D-Calif., is 71. Rock singer-musician Vince Martell (Vanilla Fudge) is 66. The president of Nicaragua, Daniel Ortega, is 66. Golfer Fuzzy Zoeller is 60. Pop singer-musician Paul Cowsill (The Cowsills) is 59. Rock singer-musician Andy Partridge (XTC) is 58. Singer Marshall Crenshaw is 58. Rock singer Dave Alvin is 56. Rock musician Ian Craig Marsh (Human League; Heaven 17) is 55. Actor Stanley Tucci is 51. Actress Demi Moore is 49. Actress Calista Flockhart is 47. Actor Philip McKeon is 47. Rock musician Scott Mercado is 47. Actor Frank John Hughes is 44.

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