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## Officials: Time for Elbow to go

*Upkeep on aging building said to be cost prohibitive*

**By STEVE REAGAN**  
 Staff Writer

**FORSAN** — School officials here believe it's time Elbow Elementary received an honorable retirement.

The school was first constructed in the early 1930s, replaced two decades later and renovated several times since then. Despite all the upgrades, however, structural issues and simple age have conspired to render the building practically obsolete, educators say.

The solution FISD administrators have devised is a \$23.8 construction project, subject to voter approval this May, which will replace Elbow with an elementary campus in Forsan, as well as funding renovations at the secondary campus.

FISD Superintendent Randy Johnson said the idea of replacing Elbow began percolating several years ago.

"It's developed slowly over a period of time," said Johnson, who began his career with the district as

**"At what point do we get where we're throwing good money after bad?"**

—Randy Johnson, superintendent



HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

**This May, Forsan Independent School District voters will decide whether to approve a \$23.8 million construction bond. The majority of the funds will go to build a new campus to replace Elbow Elementary, shown here.**

Elbow principal. "Over the years, we've dealt with so many issues at the school, such as plumbing and other utility work, that the school board started responding to our repair requests with, 'At what point do we get where we're throwing good money

after bad?'" One problem facing the building is that it is almost literally bursting at the seams.

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## Gasoline prices drop a few pennies

**Herald Staff Report**

Average retail gasoline prices in Texas have fallen 3.7 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.53/g Sunday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 gas outlets in Texas.

This compares with the

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HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

**Diana Milgrim and her children look over some of the items for sale at My Redeemer Church's Spring Sale Saturday morning. The sale helps fund the church's mission work in Nicaragua.**

## Contracts on to-do list for city council

Meeting set for 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in council chambers.

**By THOMAS JENKINS**  
 Staff Writer

Big Spring City Council will meet Tuesday to discuss a number of agenda items, including contracts with a number of firms for consulting services.

In new business, the council is expected to consider approval of an amendment to the John Crane Productions Solutions Inc. lease agreement and authorize the city manager or his designee to execute any necessary documents.

The council is also to consider approval of an agreement with company Maximus for cost allocation consulting

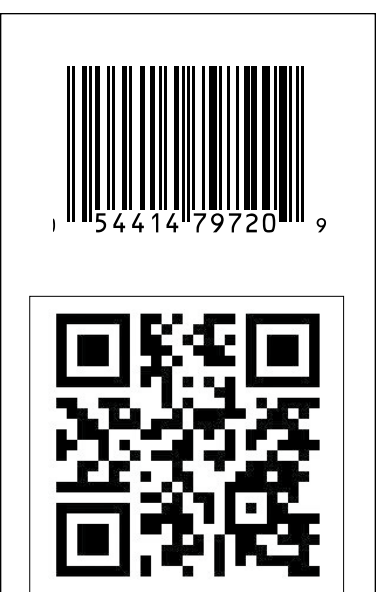
services, according to city officials, and allow the city manager or his designee to execute the agreement.

Approval of an inter-local agreement with other local government entities for joint bidding and engineering management for the 2013 seal coat project will also be up for consideration, as is a contract with engineering firm Parkhill, Smith & Cooper for the same project.

All three agreements and the amendment to the John Crane Production Solutions Inc. lease will be heard by the council only one time — most agenda items require a first and second reading before being approved — because they are for contractual services.

Also, the council is to

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## Obituaries

## Wilson Wayne Henry



Wilson Wayne Henry, 74 went home to be with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on Friday, March 8, 2013, in Glen Rose, Texas, doing what he loved doing, giving from his heart to help out his family while planning an extravagant dinner he would cook for them Saturday night.

The family will receive friends at 7 p.m. Monday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 12, 2013, at First Baptist Church in Big Spring. A private family burial will be held Wednesday morning on his beloved ranch at Shamrock, Texas, at the Henry Family Cemetery with a 2 p.m. memorial service at First Baptist Church, Shamrock, Texas.

Wayne was born July 1, 1938, in Shamrock to Woodrow Wilson Henry and Cecil Charity Hendrick. He grew up on the family place east of Shamrock and graduated from Shamrock high School in 1956.

He left for college hoping never to return to the agricultural lifestyle, but developed a deep love for the ranch later in life. He loved nothing better than improving his herd of Red Angus and seeing how his cattle would do in the show ring.

Several years ago, he got into the goat business and became known throughout the southwest for selling award-winning Boar show goats.

He married Londa Coker on Sept. 5, 1959, while both were students at Texas Tech University and he was a member of the ATO fraternity. Together, they raised a family in Big Spring, Texas, where he worked in the oil business.

Later in life, he owned an insurance agency, numerous steakhouses throughout the state of Texas and was a stockbroker. Wherever he lived, he took an active role in the church and community. Whether it was serving as president of the Kingsland Chamber of Commerce, emceeding numerous events or simply visiting with one of his customers, he had a way of making everyone feel special.

Never one to shy away from the spot light, he had a knack for telling stories which made everyone laugh by the colorful details and they seemed to grow bigger each time they were told. He enjoyed many hobbies, from fishing, hunting, golf, stain glass to cooking.

It was his love of cooking that lead to his latest project of writing a cookbook. What he enjoyed most, though, was being surrounded by his family and looked forward to spending time with them.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister-in-law, Gloria Coker Petterson.

He is survived by his wife, Londa Coker Henry and their children, Shawna (Larry) Ashlock of Fort Worth, Texas, Greg (Lori) Henry of Arlington, Texas and Kurt (Amy) Henry of Rainbow, Texas; his grandchildren, Lauren (Ben) Barksdale, Aaron (Diana) Ashlock, Heston Henry, Holland Henry, Kord Henry, Rawlins Henry; two great-grandchildren, Evelyn Grace Barksdale and Hudson Barksdale; his brother-in-law, Paul (Laura) Petterson; along with numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to First Baptist Church, 705 W. FM 700, Big Spring, Texas 79720; or the Shamrock High School Department of Agriculture, 100 S. Illinois, Shamrock, Texas 79079.

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

*Paid obituary*

## Ina Jackson Stewart



Ina Jackson Stewart, 86, of Big Spring died Saturday, March 9, 2013, in an Odessa hospital. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 12, 2013, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Mark Lindsey and the Rev. Dwayne Wheat officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. Monday, March 11, 2013, at the funeral home.

She was born April 11, 1926, in Lamesa, Texas, and married H.D. "Hunka" Stewart Jr. on Sept. 7, 1944, in Lamesa, Texas. He preceded her in death June 22, 1981.

Ina was raised in Lamesa and graduated from Lamesa High School. She moved to Big Spring in 1944 and had worked for Big Spring ISD for 24 years. She was a 50 year member of East 4th Street Baptist Church, where she was a longtime Sunday school teacher. She was currently a member of First Baptist Church.

Ina was a 64 year member of Chapter 67 Order of the Eastern Star, serving as Worthy Matron in 1991. She was also a member of the Social Order of Beauceant and had been a sponsor for the Big Spring Order of Rainbow For Girls.

She was a member of RSVP, volunteering many hours at various locations. Ina was a very loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Survivors include two sons, Howard Stewart and wife Vicki and Jimmy Stewart and wife Sandy, all of Big Spring; five grandchildren, Quintinn Stewart, Stephanie Piercefield and husband Michael, Misty Cormack and husband Max, Ricky Stewart and Justin McCullough and wife Maura; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by a sister, Betty Brown.

The family suggests memorials be made to Festival of Lights, P.O. Box 2464, Big Spring, Texas 79721; Relay for Life, c/o Sandy Griffin, 1217 E. 17th St., Big Spring, Texas 79720; or the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County, P.O. Box 24, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

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

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## Arnulfo 'Shorty' Hernandez



Arnulfo "Shorty" Hernandez, 63, of Coahoma died Thursday, March 7, 2013, at Midland Memorial Hospital. Vigil services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral mass will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Coahoma Cemetery.

He was born Feb. 15, 1950, in Big Spring to Santiago and Arnulfo Hernandez. He married Manuela Rodriguez on April 12, 1969, in Big Spring.

He worked for the City of Coahoma for 10 years. He worked for the City of Big Spring for three years and more recently, the Brazos River Authority at Acton, Texas. He was a lifetime resident of Howard County and a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife, Manuela of Coahoma; three sons, Anthony Hernandez and wife Sabrina and Michael Hernandez and wife Sonya, all of Big Spring, and Aron Hernandez of Denton; three daughters, Katherine Gonzales and husband Sammy of Big Spring, Elizabeth Haston and husband Anthony of Coahoma and Julie Arismendez and husband Michael of Sparenburg; two brothers, Rick Hernandez and wife Grace of Weatherford and Jerry Hernandez and wife Cindy of Long Beach, Calif.; two sisters, Loretta Hernandez of Fort Worth and Barbara Canady of Escondido, Calif.; 19 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one daughter, Debra Jean Hernandez; one grandson, Justin Hernandez; one sister, Theresa McAdory; and one brother, Danny Hernandez.

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

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## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 9 a.m. Saturday and 7 a.m. today:

• ALBERT TREVINO CARRILLO, 35, of 1500 Mesa, was arrested Sunday on two warrants from other agencies.

• ARNULFO RODRIGUEZ CHAVERA JR., 32, of 307 W. Fifth St., was arrested Sunday on warrants for no driver's license – when unlicensed, failure to appear (two counts) and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

• FRANCES ALCANTAR, 34, of 3704 Boulder Dr., was arrested Sunday on a warrant from another agency.

• BROOKE LYNN RIOS, 23, of 712 Lorilla, was arrested Sunday on a warrant for the expired motor vehicle inspection certificate.

• KRISTEN NICOLE RIOS, 24, of 713 Lorilla, was arrested Sunday on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.

• ELDON RAY MORRIS, 23, of 1304 Stanford, was arrested Sunday on a warrant for dog or cat running at large.

• RODNEY WAYNE TUBBS, 29, of 1322 Wright

St., was arrested Sunday on charges of aggravated assault against a public servant, possession of a controlled substance, resisting arrest, search or transportation with a deadly weapon, evading arrest or detention with a previous conviction, tampering/fabricating physical evidence, making a false statement for property or credit and a warrant from another agency.

• ASSAULT was reported in the 2600 block of Wasson Road.

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

## Sheriff

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 73 inmates at the time of this report.

• GUS WAYNE JACOBS, 55, was booked into the county detention center Friday by the BSPD on a charge of defective tail lamp.

• SHANNON LOUISE BEELER, 33, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on municipal *capias* warrants for failure to yield the right-of-way to a private drive, violation of a promise to appear and an attorney general charge of contempt of court – disobedience of a court order (sentenced to 10 days).

• ALEXIS NICOLE PARKS, 17, was booked into the county detention center Friday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana – two ounces or less.

• MICHAEL EDWARD BAKER, 46, was arrested Friday by the HCSO on a motion to revoke probation for driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension, a charge of criminal mischief and a charge of contempt of court – disobedience of a court order.

• MICHAEL MENDEZ, 36, was arrested Saturday by the HCSO on municipal warrants for driving while license invalid and displaying an expired registration.

• DONTAE RENELL CARR, 31, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on charges of failure to identify as a fugitive – giving false information and possession of marijuana – more than four ounces and less than five pounds.

• OSCAR ORTIZ, 23, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on municipal warrants for driving while license invalid and failure to appear (three counts).

• AVEL ABREO RAMIREZ, 66, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• CAMRI JO HUITT, 20, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on a Taylor County warrant for a motion to revoke probation – theft of property (more than \$50 and less than \$500).

• MITCHELL BAPTISTE FEREBEE, 42, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by the BSPD on charges of theft of property – more than \$50 and less than \$500 and failure to identify.

• JOSIE RODRIGUEZ, 29, was booked into the county detention center Saturday by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated – blood alcohol more than 0.15.

• JOHNNY MINJAREZ, 35, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the Sterling County Sheriff's Office on a Sterling County warrant for driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension.

• ARNULFO RODRIGUEZ CHAVERA JR., 32, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for bail jumping – failure to appear, a charge of criminal mischief – more than \$500 and less than \$1,500 and municipal warrants for child safety seat violation (two counts), violation of a promise to appear (four counts), failure to appear, expired driver's license and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

• MICHAEL ROY ROBERSON, 29, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on a charge of disorderly conduct – fighting.

• DARIUS RAYMON REED, 33, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on a charge of disorderly conduct – fighting.

• ELDON RAY MORRIS, 23, was arrested Sunday by the HCSO on a municipal warrant for animal at large.

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## Sudoku Answers on Page 9

## sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9 with no repeats. That means no number is repeated in any row, column or box.

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

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# Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

## Famous Hand

East dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ K 2  
♥ A 10 3 2  
♦ A 10 9 4 2  
♣ 10 7

**WEST**  
♠ 10 9 6  
♥ K J 9 5 4  
♦ J 6 5 3  
♣ 2

**EAST**  
♠ Q 8 7 4 3  
♥ 7 6  
♦ K Q  
♣ J 6 5 3

**SOUTH**  
♠ A J 5  
♥ Q 8  
♦ 8 7  
♣ A K Q 9 8 4

The bidding:  
East South West North  
Pass 1 ♣ Pass 1 ♥  
Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦  
Pass 3 NT Pass 4 ♠  
Pass 6 ♣

Opening lead — five of hearts.

It's always darkest before the dawn, the old saying goes, and often a declarer reaches a dark point during the early play that precedes his ultimate step toward victory.

Consider this deal from the final round of the 1977 world team championship. The bidding shown occurred when Billy Eisenberg, a member of the eventually victorious American team, held the South cards.

West did not have a clear-cut opening lead, and, after great thought, he elected to lead the five of hearts. This did not work out well when Eisenberg won the trick with the eight, cashed the K-A of spades and ruffed the jack of spades in dummy.

Eisenberg next played the A-K of trumps, and when West showed out, it appeared South would eventually have to lose a diamond trick and a trump trick. But Eisenberg, never one to give up without a fight, found a way to make the slam anyway.

He abandoned further trump leads and instead proceeded to set the stage for a trump coup. The queen of hearts was led and covered by the king and ace, after which Eisenberg ruffed a heart, played a diamond to the ace and ruffed another heart. This left him with just three cards — the Q-9 of trumps and the eight of diamonds. East's last three cards were the J-6 of trumps and the king of diamonds.

Eisenberg now exited with the eight of diamonds, not caring in the slightest whether East or West won the trick. In either case he was certain to score the last two tricks with the Q-9 of trumps and so make the slam.

Tomorrow: A one-act play.  
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# News in Brief

## Jet goes off tarmac in Houston

HOUSTON (AP) — A Delta Air Lines jet has gotten stuck in a grassy area off a runway at William P. Hobby Airport in Houston.

Airport spokeswoman Darian Ward says nobody was hurt in the incident this morning as the plane prepared to depart for Atlanta.

Ward says the plane carrying about 70 passengers somehow veered off a runway. Images from the scene showed the jet's front gear in the grass.

Ward didn't immediately provide the plane's flight number. She says the incident didn't affect other arriving or departing flights.

Shuttle buses were dispatched to transport the passengers back to the terminal for rebooking.

## German Air Force to leave post

FORT BLISS, Texas (AP) — Reorganization of the German Air Force means the overseas troops will leave a West Texas post after a relationship spanning nearly 60 years.

The El Paso Times (<http://bit.ly/YSGn0k>) reported Monday that the German Air Force Command for the U.S. and Canada will close at Fort Bliss on Sept. 30.

Col. Heinz-Josef Ferkinghoff says operations will be moved to Holloman Air Force Base in New Mexico where Germany already has a flight training center. The German Air Defense Center will return to Germany within five years.

The moves affecting several hundred German military personnel and civilian employees come after U.S. base realignment changed some Fort Bliss operations.

The German Air Force has had a presence at Fort Bliss since 1956.

## Elderly woman found slain in home

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas police are investigating whether the slaying of a 78-year-old woman whose body was found at her home was a botched burglary.

Oak Farms Dairy on Sunday night announced a \$10,000 reward for information leading to an arrest and indictment in the killing of Avenell Cowgill.

Police doing a welfare check Saturday at the re-

quest of some neighbors discovered Cowgill's body. The house's back door was open.

An autopsy has been ordered.

## Search for kayaker suspended

HOUSTON (AP) — Emergency responders have suspended their search for a missing man whose kayak was found capsized at a Houston-area retention pond.

The Harris County Sheriff's Office on Sunday night announced the search for 32-year-old Ryan Smith has been called off pending additional information on him. Further details weren't immediately released.

Smith's kayak was discovered Saturday afternoon on the shore of the pond where he's been known to go fishing. His pickup truck and cellphone were located nearby.

Dive teams dragged part of the lake and used sonar. Dogs and a Texas Department of Public Safety helicopter were also used in the search.

## Boats to be checked for mussels

WACO, Texas (AP) — Boats at a Central Texas lake will be checked for invasive zebra mussels as another community tries to stop the spread of the devastating creatures.

The Waco Tribune-Herald reports city workers on Memorial Day will begin inspections at Lake Waco to make sure boats aren't infested.

Waco will work with the Army Corps of Engineers to educate operators about cleaning and emptying boats that have been hauled from one lake to another. Workers will be on the lookout for boats that have visited zebra mussel-infested lakes in the Great Lakes, Oklahoma and Texas, including Lake Texoma and Lake Ray Roberts.

Waco city water quality manager Tom Conry says zebra mussels breed so prolifically that they can quickly clog water intakes.

## Bird missing from State Aquarium

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — A bird from the Texas State Aquarium has apparently flown the coop.

The Corpus Christi Caller-Times reports aquarium officials on Sunday continued looking for Piper,

a trumpeter hornbill. Piper was last spotted flying around the Port of Corpus Christi in South Texas on Saturday.

The female bird is recognizable by its disproportionately large beak, with a gray, hornlike projection on top.

Trumpeter hornbills are common in warm, coastal forests in southern Africa, said aquarium spokesman Richard Glover.

Anyone who sees Piper is asked to call 361-881-1215.

## Nothing vanilla about discovery in ice cream truck

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A West Texas ice cream truck was apparently carrying something more associated with giving you the munchies than satisfying your sweet tooth.

El Paso County Sheriff's deputies have arrested two men on drug charges after two plastic bowls containing a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana was found in a purple ice cream truck they were in.

The two occupants — 19-year-old Elijah Sanchez and 29-year-old Anthony Arellano — have been charged with possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Sanchez was also charged with evading arrest and detention after leading deputies on a brief chase.

## East Texas justice of the peace shot, wife charged

LONGVIEW, Texas (AP) — The wife of a longtime East Texas judge has been charged with shooting him during an argument.

Gregg County Precinct 4 Justice of the Peace Sam Lawson was hospitalized Sunday in critical condition.

Jail records show Ira Lawson was booked Sunday on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon-family violence. Online records did not list an attorney for the woman, whose bond was set at \$100,000.

Longview police spokeswoman Kristie Brian says the shooting happened late Saturday at the couple's home. Brian had no information about what prompted the argument but said the police have a history of domestic-related calls to the residence.

# ELBOW

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"Our student population has remained stable over the years, but the number of programs we offer have increased," Johnson said. "We've added pre-kindergarten and expanded our special education and computer technology programs. Every room at Elbow is taken — there are no empty spaces at all."

Another shortcoming is in the area of security — the campus does not have a secured entry system to keep outsiders away from classroom areas and the alarm system is outdated, Johnson said.

The campus has been renovated several times since the current building was constructed in the early 1950s, most recently in 2004. However, things have reached a point where further repair is no longer financially feasible, Johnson said.

Weatherproofing the building and performing other needed renovations, including a library expansion, new gymnasium and addi-

tional classroom space, has been estimated to cost slightly more than \$9 million.

"But we would still be left with the 1950s core of the building," Johnson said. "And that estimate doesn't take into account a wastewater treatment facility (the Texas Environmental Quality Commission) says we have to build."

"We have tried very hard to remain objective about which way to go," he added. "But when the EQC requirement came in, that was the tipping point ... Was it a good building for the time it was constructed? Yes. It's just not a good building for now."

A facility committee comprised of district residents and educators was formed last fall and studied the main issue of renovation vs. replacement. Earlier this year, it recommended to the school board that a new elementary campus be built adjacent to the secondary campus in Forsan.

The proposed new campus, which would cost approximately \$14 million, would feature two pre-kindergarten

classrooms, as well as four classrooms apiece for grades kindergarten through fifth. Also included would be spaces for a nurse's station, di-

agnosticians, a library/resource room, gymnasium, cafeteria and outside play area.

The \$14 million price tag would include all the equipment and associated costs for the new campus, including furniture, road work, parking lots and computer technology requirements, Johnson said.

Another advantage to the new building, Johnson said, would come with its proximity to the secondary campus.

"That will help with everything from secondary students mentoring elementary kids to teachers and administrators from both campuses being able to interact more efficiently," Johnson said.

If voters approve the bond, officials hope to have the new campus ready to receive students at the start of the 2014-2015 school year, he added.

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# GASOLINE

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national average that has fallen 3.2 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.66/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change

in gas prices in Texas during the past week, prices Sunday were 11.6 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 13.5 cents per gallon higher than a month ago. The national average has increased 10.2 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 8.8

cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.

"Relief at the pump has continued for motorists in a majority of the United States during the last week," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan. "I would caution motorists, how-

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# COUNCIL

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approve final reading of an ordinance amending Chapter 20 of the Code of Ordinances in order to adopt the 2012 editions of the International Code Council building codes and the 2011 edition of the National

Electrical Code.

According to city officials, the update is something that is done periodically.

The council is to offer final approval of the McMahan-Wrinkle Airpark Development Board meeting minutes from Jan. 24.

Tuesday's meeting will get under way at

5:30 p.m. in City Council Chambers, located at 307 E. Fourth St. For more information call 264-2401. Also, a complete copy of the meeting agenda can be found online at [www.mybig-spring.com](http://www.mybig-spring.com)

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# SHERIFF

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• JOSHUA WARREN NORRIS, 31, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on a Kerrville warrant for driving while intoxicated — second offense.

• ALBERT TREVINO CARRILLO, 35, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on Howard County indictments for indecency with a child — sexual contact (two counts), aggravate sexual assault of a child and a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana — two ounces or less.

• FRANCES ALCANTAR, 34, was booked into the county detention center Sunday by the BSPD on a charge of theft by check — more than \$20 and less than \$500.

• KRISTEN NICOLE RIOS, 24, was booked into the county detention center Monday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana — two ounces or less.

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# Hawks fall to NMJC, 60-59 in thriller

*No. 11 Howard College can still receive at-large bid to national championship*

By **BRIAN MCCORMACK**

Sports Editor

LUBBOCK — Howard College's season came down to a free throw Saturday. With the game tied at 59 with 4.32 seconds left on the clock, if New Mexico Junior College's Desond Lee missed his second shot from the line, the NJCAA Region V championship game at the Rip Griffin Center would have likely gone into overtime. But he made it, putting the Thunderbirds up 60-59.

In dramatic fashion, the No. 22 ranked Thunderbirds punched their ticket to the national championship in Hutchinson, Kan. HC gained possession of the ball one last time after Lee's foul shot, but turned it over when a player stepped out of bounds.

"The atmosphere was electric as fans chanted 'Howard Hawks' as the game was getting under way.

Cameron Forte — the Hawks' leading scorer on the season — put nine points on the board in the opening minutes, leading the charge as HC took a 16-6 lead.

Then it was NMJC's turn to dominate, as it closed out the first half with two consecutive three-point baskets to cap a 21-8 run and take a 28-24 lead before the intermission.

"It wasn't our best performance, but I thought we played hard" HC Head Coach Mark Adams said. "(NMJC) shot the ball better than we did. When you shoot under 50 percent from the free throw line in a championship game, it's difficult to win. We missed some critical blockouts and we didn't take advantage of opportunities late in the game to win."

The Hawks' deficit only got larger until a pair of three-point plays by Goran Huskic and Forte and a basket by Ladon Carter got some momentum going for Howard. After being down by 13, Jacob Thomas' three-point shot brought the score to 54-56.

Carter had a chance to tie it up at the free throw line, but missed both of his shots. NMJC then sank a three-pointer as the shot clock expired to run its lead to five.

With 21 seconds remaining, Hawks fans leapt to their feet when Thomas knotted the game at 59 before Lee sank the winning basket for the T-Birds.

Forte led all scorers with 27 points, Thomas added 13, Carter chipped in eight and Rico Richardson put up five in the loss.

The Hawks may benefit from a NJCAA rule change which went into effect this year. At-large bids are being awarded and Howard College appears to be an obvious contender for the designation. Selections will be finalized today.

Adams said that with a little luck, the Hawks (30-5) have the potential to make a run, should they be chosen to go to Hutchinson.

"There's always luck involved in certain games," Adams said.

"You may need to play five games to get to the championship game, so you need everyone to be healthy, you have to stay out of foul trouble and there's no question about it, you need strong contributions from the bench. A lot of it depends on preparation, but the ball's got to bounce your way, too."



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Howard College's Jacob Thomas makes a shot during the NJCAA Region V tournament championship game in Lubbock on Saturday. The Hawks lost to NMJC, 60-59.

## Steer spring team tennis squad places 10th at state meet in Abilene

Herald Staff Report

ABILENE — Big Spring opened the state team tennis meet Saturday with a 10-7 win over Kilgore in a loser's bracket semifinal at McMurry University, but fell to Frisco Lone Star 7-10 later the same day at Abilene Christian University.

The Steers placed 10th out of 16 with an overall record of 2-2.

### SEMIFINALS

BIG SPRING 10, KILGORE 7

**BOYS SINGLES** — Kie Jones, Big Spring, def. Sanjit Lanka, Kilgore 6-1, 3-6, 10-5; Alex Byrd, Big Spring, Connor Furquerson, Big Spring, def. Byrn Heil 6-0, 6-4; def. Takashi Thomas 6-2, 6-4; Matt Aldaco, Big Spring, def. Evan Knutsen 6-3, 7-5.

**BOYS DOUBLES** — Thomas-Lanka, Kilgore, def. Furqueron-Jones 8-3; Byrd-Avant, Big Spring, def. Heil-Nash 8-5; Baker-Aldaco, Big Spring, def.

Tidwell-Knutsen 8-6.

**GIRLS SINGLES** — Autra Compton, Kilgore, def. Alexis Johnson 6-1, 6-1; Sabrina Barnfield, Kilgore, def. Jennifer Campos 6-1, 6-1; Grace Whitfield, Kilgore, def. Katie Newton 6-1, 6-1; Molly Walker, Big Spring, def. Jessica Stokes 6-3, 6-1; Mariah Hohvatic, Big Spring, def. Jasteen Cabrera 6-0, 4-6, 10-7; Selena Castillo, Big Spring, def. Beatriz Amaro 6-3, 6-1.

**GIRLS DOUBLES** — Compton-Barnfield, Kilgore, def. Newton-Castillo 8-4; Stokes-Cabrera, Kilgore, def. Bakely-Campos 9-8; Hohvatic-Walker, Big Spring, def. Amaro-Poe 8-1.

**MIXED DOUBLES** — Whitfield-Serafin, Kilgore, def. Johnson-Blount, 9-7.

### FINAL

FRISCO LONE STAR 10, BIG SPRING 7

**BOYS SINGLES** — Jones, Big Spring, def. Andeji 6-2, 6-0; Byrd, Big Spring, def. McDon-

ald 6-2, 6-1; Bryan, Lone Star, def. Furqueron 6-3, 0-6, 10-7; Zhao, def. Avant 2-6, 6-4, 10-6; Aldaco, Big Spring, def. Werema 6-1, 6-2.

**BOYS DOUBLES** — Furqueron-Jones, Big Spring, def. Andeji-Bryan 8-2; Byrd-Avant, Big Spring, def. McDonald-Zhao 8-3; Werema-Richardson, Lone Star, def. Baker-Rangel 8-3.

**GIRLS SINGLES** — Wright, Lone Star, def. Johnson 6-0, 6-1; Dayal, Lone Star, def. Campos 6-1, 3-6, 10-8; Roheng, Lone Star, def. Newton 6-1, 6-0; Jo, Lone Star, def. Walker 7-6, 2-6, 11-9; Hohvatic, Big Spring, def. Howard 6-4, 4-6, 10-1.

**GIRLS DOUBLES** — Wright-Roheng, Lone Star, def. Newton-Castillo 8-3; Jo-Howard, Lone Star, def. Campos-Bakley 8-1; Torres-Martinez, Lone Star, def. Walker-Hohvatic 8-6.

**MIXED DOUBLES** — Johnson-Hughes, Big Spring, def. Dexter-Nguyen-Dayal 9-7.



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Howard College's Megan Granado catches a pop fly during Saturday's 12-4 win over El Paso College. The Hawks are now 24-5 on the season.



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Pisces New Moon

If you've ever hit a key on the piano and resonated the same string from an unmanned guitar hanging on the wall across the room, you have firsthand experience of the science of sympathetic resonance. The celestial music is very much in tune now, as the new moon in Pisces promotes sweet harmonies and sympathetic vibrations

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). Many will make assumptions based on superficial measures. Your soulfulness prevents you from making such a rookie mistake. You'll see deeper into a situation and gain a personal and professional advantage.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Find a symbol to remind you to be loyal to the greater good that is much bigger than yourself. Right now, the overall picture will be clear to you, but later you may need the symbol to help you stay focused.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). You will be involved in a learning environment. This may have to do with mastering the techniques of your craft. Interpersonal skills will help you stay connected to the best information.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). Today's game will be long and full of opportunities. In abundant times such as these, it's easy to forget that every action counts. So don't get too comfortable. Play your best even when it seems like you're already ahead.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Can you comply easily and freely with someone else's orders? Your ability to do so will help you have confidence when it's your turn to lead, which it will be very soon.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Someone you trust has helped you overcome problems in the past and will help you in the future, too. But right now this person is the one who needs help, perhaps without even knowing it.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). When the voice of fear pipes up, don't ignore it; talk to it instead. There probably is some valuable bit of protection it can offer. The conversation will also illuminate and dispel an untruth.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Taking care of yourself can be a bigger job than you think it should be. You'll enjoy expressing your personal style as you focus on the more detailed aspects of self-care.



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**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The obstacles seem to be in your path, but they are actually inside you. You may have to try out several ideas before you find the one new belief that will clear the way.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You will fulfill the request that is asked of you to the same degree that you respect the person who is asking. It's something to consider today when the person requesting the most from you is you.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Don't yield ground or deviate from your path. Follow the map. Your original plan will work. Review the steps, and make sure to tend to the nuances.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). Any choice that leads you away from being all you can be is inherently evil. Considering this, you may change your schedule, the company you keep or the way you spend your money.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (March 11). You're impatient for change. Everything takes time. Relax and let your cosmic birthday presents keep unfolding over the next three months. First come the new friends. One of them helps you get around in style in April. The time you put into your talent pays off in May. July and September bring hot business deals. Aries and Cancer people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 40, 2, 14, 38 and 49.

**MARS IN ARIES:** Mars leaves Pisces to return to his home sweet home in Aries, an auspicious placement for the red planet. An Aries home is more of an army barracks than a castle, though. There's a feeling of warriors working together to complete a mission. The physical strength of each individual is pumped up by the collective challenge. It is not only the Aries people of the zodiac who will get a surge of energy during this transit. Everyone will feel the lift now through April 20th of this year.

For athletes, this is a particularly lucky time to train and/or compete. Mars in Aries can be like a cosmic steroid injection or, even more dramatically, like the gamma bomb that turned a mild-mannered physicist like Dr. Robert Bruce Banner into The Incredible Hulk. Just be careful not to get an overblown idea of what you can accomplish under the influence of super-strength. Pace yourself to avoid burnout or injury.

This transit can be hard on a love life. New couples

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may enjoy a quickly escalating romance and later find out that they didn't really take the time to get to know each other well enough. Existing couples may feel testy with each other and fight more than usual. On the bright side, making up can be fun.

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** She's won practically every award in the entertainment industry at least once, including the Oscar, Grammy, Emmy and Tony — which makes Liza Minnelli one of the entertainment world's consummate performers. The Pisces star was born when the moon was in Cancer, which is the sign of mothers. Her own mother, Judy Garland, was a profound influence on her and fans worldwide.

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*Editor's Note: Hundreds of Ann Landers' loyal readers have requested that newspapers continue to publish her columns. These letters originally appeared in 1999.*

**Dear Ann Landers:** My mother has been a widow for several years and is now in her late 70s. She lives alone and has always been fiercely independent. She appears to be in very good health. In fact, there are days when I think she may outlive me.

In recent conversations, Mom has made it plain that under no circumstances will she ever go into a retirement home. She says, "When the time comes that I cannot manage on my own, I will live with you." Ann, the

thought of us living together is very upsetting. In fact, it's my worst nightmare. I love my mother dearly, but I must take time away from her every three days, or else we end up fighting.

I try to visit or communicate with Mom on a daily basis because I am her only friend. Being a realist, I am certain that eventually I am going to have to place my mother in some sort of facility. She refuses to discuss the matter. Whenever I bring up the subject, she acts as if I'm trying to lock her in a dungeon.

Please ask your readers who are living in retirement centers to write about their experiences. You have taught me that there can be no better teacher than someone who has been there. Perhaps your readers can help my mother see things differently. Thanks, Ann. — T.M. in Orlando, Fla.

**Dear T.M.:** Here's your letter,

and I'll let you know of my readers' responses.

**Dear Ann Landers:** After several years of failed fertility procedures, my husband and I decided to adopt a child. We were thrilled when, soon after, a baby became available through a private adoption agency. At the birth mother's request, the baby was handed over to us while the legal documents were being drawn up.

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My husband and I are devastated beyond words. I am at a loss as to what to do about the lovely gifts I received at the shower. Should I send them back? What is the proper procedure? I need your advice. — Empty Arms in Arkansas

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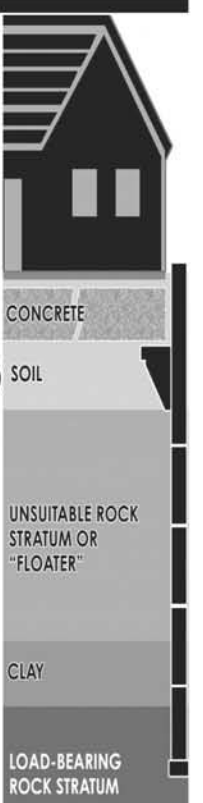
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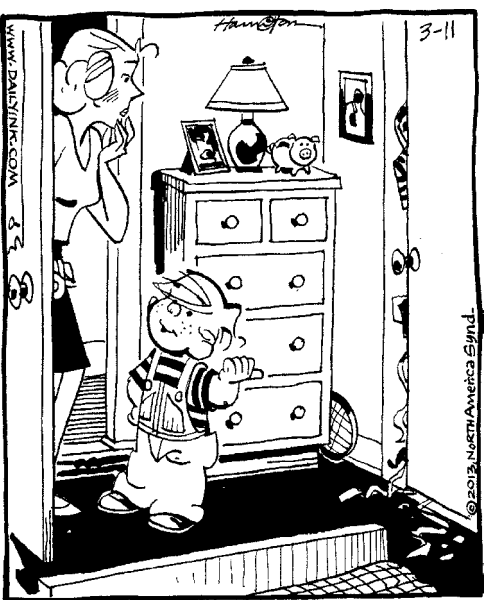
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7:PM	The Bachelor	Porque el Am.	Bones (DVS)	How I Met Rules	Pasión Prohibida	The Biggest Loser	Fam. Guy Upd	Antiques Roadshow	Fast N' Loud	Movie: The Breakfast Club, Judd Nelson	90210		Movie: Walking Tall, Neal McDonough	Castle	Movie: Doing Hard Time	Wizards	College Basketball	College Basketball
8:PM		Amores Verdaderos	The Following	Broke Girl Mike	La Patrona (SS)		Fam. Guy Upd	Market Warriors					Monday Mornings	Monday Mornings	Movie: Lakeview Terrace, Kerry Washington	Good Jessie	Basket NFL Live	SportsCenter
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11:PM	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Noticiero Al Diablo	Law Order: CI	Ferguson	Decisiones (SS)	Jimmy Fallon	Conan	Yohanani	T. Smiley (Off Air)	King	'Til Death Browns		Ways Die	(12:06) Cold Case	Movie: Doing Hard Time	Wizards	NASCAR	SportsCenter
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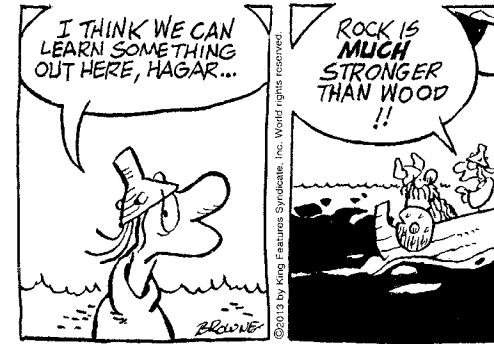
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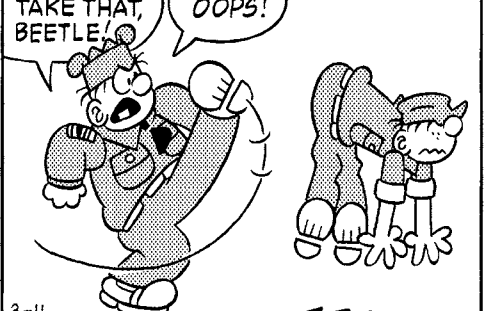


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OOPS!

I MISSED YOU! WHAT ARE YOU DOING DOWN THERE?

I GUESS IT'S JUST FORCE OF HABIT

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Today is Monday, March 11, the 70th day of 2013. There are 295 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On March 11, 1888, the Blizzard of '88, also known as the "Great White Hurricane," began inundating the northeastern United States, resulting in some 400 deaths.

On this date:

In 1513, Giovanni de' Medici was proclaimed pope, succeeding Julius II; he took the name Leo X.

In 1861, the Constitution of the Confederate States of America was adopted by the Confederate Congress in Montgomery, Ala.

In 1862, during the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln removed Gen. George B. McClellan as general-in-chief of the Union armies, leaving him in command of the Army of the Potomac, a post McClellan also ended up losing.

In 1930, former President and

Chief Justice William Howard Taft was buried in Arlington National Cemetery.

In 1942, as Japanese forces continued to advance in the Pacific during World War II, Gen. Douglas MacArthur left the Philippines for Australia. (MacArthur, who subsequently vowed, "I shall return," kept that promise more than 2-years later.)

In 1959, the Lorraine Hansberry drama "A Raisin in the Sun" opened at New York's Ethel Barrymore Theater.

In 1965, the Rev. James J. Reeb, a white minister from Boston, died after being beaten by whites during civil rights disturbances in Selma, Ala.

In 1977, more than 130 hostages held in Washington, D.C. by Hanafi Muslims were freed after ambassadors from three Islamic nations joined the negotiations.

In 1985, Mikhail S. Gorbachev was chosen to succeed the late Soviet President Konstantin U. Chernenko.

In 1993, Janet Reno was unanimously confirmed by the Senate to be attorney general.

In 2004, ten bombs exploded in quick succession across the commuter rail network in

Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS
- Study all night
  - Front of a clock
  - Fern seed
  - Volcanic flow
  - \_\_ mater
  - At the present time
  - Like \_\_ of bricks
  - Life stories, briefly
  - Without an escort
  - "The Big Apple"
  - Boston cream or Key lime
  - Possesses
  - Without a contract
  - Assist, as a criminal
  - Dad's boy
  - Of the sun
  - Maple or mahogany
  - "Good heavens!"
  - "The Windy City"
  - Office helper
  - Iron corrosion
  - Low poker card
  - Numbered highway: Abbr.
  - Very uncommon
  - Scrapbook adhesives
  - Gullible person
  - Slangy refusal
  - "The Mile-High City"
  - Free-for-all
  - Roof overhang
  - Desertlike
  - Edgar \_\_ Poe
  - Chimps, for example
- DOWN
- Use a stopwatch on
  - Musical drama
  - Roulette spinner
  - Hollywood trophy
  - \_\_ game (pitcher's dream)
  - Lose traction
  - Walk back and forth
  - Stand up
  - Alternative to suspenders
  - Yell
  - Getting chilled, as wine
  - Carrots, on snowmen
  - "Guided" vacation
  - Hurricane center
  - Musical drama
  - Roulette spinner
  - Hollywood trophy
  - \_\_ game (pitcher's dream)
  - Lose traction
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  - Stand up
  - Alternative to suspenders
  - Yell
  - Getting chilled, as wine
  - Carrots, on snowmen
  - "Guided" vacation
  - Change for a \$5 bill
  - Purple jelly flavor
  - Boise's locale
  - Black birds
  - Lightest in color
  - Move stealthily
  - Book of fiction
  - Sandwich shop
  - Letters after keys
  - Package of paper
  - Superhero's garment
  - Lab-maze runners
  - 21 Down solo
  - Lowers, as lights
  - Poems of praise
  - Angry

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## Big Spring Boys Golf Results

At Quicksand Golf Club, San Angelo

**Team Standings:** 1. Amarillo 303-320—623; 2. Andrews 310-315—625; **3. Big Spring 324-324—648**; 4. Plainview 323-335—658; 5. Llano 321-348—669. 6. Lubbock Monterey 339-344—683. 7. Abilene Wylie 345-352—697. 8. Lubbock 339-369—708. 9. San Angelo Lake View 366-350—716. 10. Pecos 369-376—745. 11. Monahans 382-375—757.

**Top 10 Individuals:** 1. Tanner Montgomery, Andrews 74-73—147; 2. Kaleb King, Amarillo 75-76—151; **3. Tyler Bryan, Big Spring 74-81—155**; 4. Tanner Thompson, Rankin 79-76—155; T-5. Clarke Hudgins, Amarillo 75-81—156; Nathaniel Wood, Amarillo 76-80—156; G.K. Morrison, Andrews 77-79—156; **T-8. Ryan Pollard, Big Spring 78-79—157**; Taylor Grant, Abilene Wylie 77-80—157; Trent Kinkaid Plainview 75-82—157.

**TEAM RESULTS**

Amarillo (303-320—623): Clarke Hudgins 75-81—156; Nathaniel Wood 76-80—156; Kaleb King 75-76—151; Travis Wood 81-91—172; Josh Bowling 77-83—160. Andrews (310-315—625): G.K. Morrison 77-79—156; Casey Fowler 79-80—159; Hunter Montgomery 80-83—163; Josh Baltzell 81-89—170; Tanner Montgomery 74-73—147.  
**Big Spring (324-324—648): Tyler Bryan 74-81—155; Ryan Pollard 78-79—157; Tate Kennedy 84-81—165; Devin Roberson NS 83; Jason Guevara 88-83—171.** Plainview (323-335—658): Matt Jolly 77-84—161; Trent Kinkaid 75-82—157; Thomas Wirth 82-81—163; Harrison Alford 99-88—187; Riley Alford 89-110—199. Llano (321-348—669): Clayton Meyers 78-82—160; Chance Craig 79-90—169; Tyler McDonough 78-84—162; Jacob Rodriguez 87-92—179; Jai Bhakta 86-98—184. Lubbock Monterey (339-344—683): Tanner Fischer 85-84—169; Cam Aycok 83-85—168; Jacob Jaime 85-86—171; Grant Underwood 88-89—177; John Lanham 86-92—178. Abilene Wylie (345-352—697): Taylor Grant 77-80—157; Zach Carlton 91-88—179; Curry Jones 92-104—196; Tyler Bilbo 85-90—175; Matt Redwine 96-94—190. Lubbock (339-369—708): Manning Pope 81-90—171; Zephyr Melton 85-96—181; Colton Heinrich 86-89—175; Brice Sechrist 87-94—181; Stefan Wood 87-101—188. San Angelo Lake View (366-350—716): Hayden Ogle 85-83—168; Tyler Coplen 94-89—183; David Castro 92-87—179; Zach Zuniga 95-91—186; Luke Bell 108-114—222. Pecos (369-376—745): Dalton Gilstrop 88-90—178; Jarred Windham 89-84—173; Benny Molina 92-94—186; Matt Mora 100-109—209; Phillip Workman 116-108—224. Monahans (382-375—757): Blane Heflin 95-98—193; Jacob Lair 88-95—183; Tyler Smith 106-89—195; Derek Ornelas 93-95—188; Brock Franco 106-96—202. Eldorado (NS): Blaine Mitchell 100-97—197; Jaime Chjancellor 112-114—226; Justin Whitten 119-121—240. Christoval (NS): Colten Buie 118-110—228; Brett Smith 110-110—220; Noah Smith 102-112—214. Fort Stockton (NS): Omar Ramirez 79-88—167; Raul Rodriguez 111-105—216; Eusebio Ontiveros 106-110—216. Rankin (NS): Tanner Thompson 79-76—155; Taylor Thompson 77-88—165; Nathan Broden 96-92—188; Dalton Michum (NS) 120.

## Kenseth holds off Kahne to win in Vegas

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Matt Kenseth decided not to replace any tires during the final pit stop under caution, and the calculated risk put him in the lead.

Kenseth knows a bit about risk after his offseason move to Joe Gibbs Racing, and this latest gamble paid off with his third victory in Vegas.

Kenseth won on his 41st birthday in just his third start for his new team, barely holding off Kasey Kahne at Las Vegas Motor Speedway for his 25th career victory Sunday.

"I was real nervous all day," Kenseth said. "(Kahne) had the best car. I told (crew chief) Jason (Ratcliff) with about 12 to go that I was sorry we were going to lose. We were just too tight. ... We didn't have the fastest car there, but we had it where we needed it to be."

Kenseth took charge by taking only fuel on the final pit stop during caution while almost everybody else replaced two tires. He took the lead and held onto it, using his veteran savvy — and a few screamed instructions at his new spotter — to keep Kahne's impressive Chevrolet behind him to the finish.

The frequently laid-back Kenseth celebrated with uncommon vigor after his JGR Toyota crossed the line. He's still getting comfortable with his new teammates after leaving Roush Fenway Racing in the highest-profile driver move of the offseason, joining Gibbs after 13 seasons with RFR.

"I'm not a huge goal person, but my goal was to win, and to win early," Kenseth said. "Nobody has put any pressure on me except for myself, but I also know that Coach hired me to come in there, climb in that car and win races. You certainly want to do

that, and you don't want to disappoint people. I'm glad we got a win, but it's still only Week 3. I feel like this is the beginning."

Pole-sitter Brad Keselowski finished third, with Kenseth's teammate, Kyle Busch, in fourth and Carl Edwards fifth. Jimmie Johnson, the overall points leader, was sixth and Dale Earnhardt Jr. seventh.

Defending Vegas champion Tony Stewart finished 11th, while Gibbs driver Denny Hamlin was 15th after an eventful week featuring a \$25,000 fine from NASCAR for criticizing the new Gen-6 race car.

The win was the 50th for Toyota in Sprint Cup Series competition. Kenseth is just the third NASCAR driver to win on his birthday, joining Cale Yarborough — who did it twice — and Busch.

"I showed them a fake ID when they hired me," Kenseth said with a laugh. "Told them I was 28, going to be 29 this year."

Kenseth has won at least one race in 11 of his 14 full seasons in the Sprint Cup series, but the first 13 were all

in Fords with Roush Fenway, the team that gave him his break in NASCAR and fostered his development into a likely Hall of Famer. Kenseth's decision to leave for a seat on Gibbs' team was an open secret for much of last season, although the veteran star never really explained his move.

"I had a lot of confidence after our first meeting and decided to go do this, and just had a great feeling about it, and still do," Kenseth said.

Gibbs had his own worries before the race after a rough start to the season for Toyota. Kenseth and Busch both had serious engine trouble at Daytona two weeks ago.

"Lots of times, a victory, the thrill of it, depends on kind of what happens leading up to it," Gibbs said.

"We've had a tough couple of weeks, as everybody knows. ... In tough times, everybody bands together around our place. We started fighting, and we worked our way out of some tough things."

The 400-mile race was the first real test for

NASCAR's new Gen-6 car on the intermediate tracks they're built to race. Although Hamlin commanded the week's headlines with his pessimism amplified by the NASCAR fine, most drivers were curious how the Gen-6 would work in its ideal 1.5-mile environment.

Any drivers who still think it's too tough to pass in the new car must not have been watching Busch, who made two lengthy charges up to early leads, doing it both before and after a pit-row speeding penalty dropped him back to 18th.

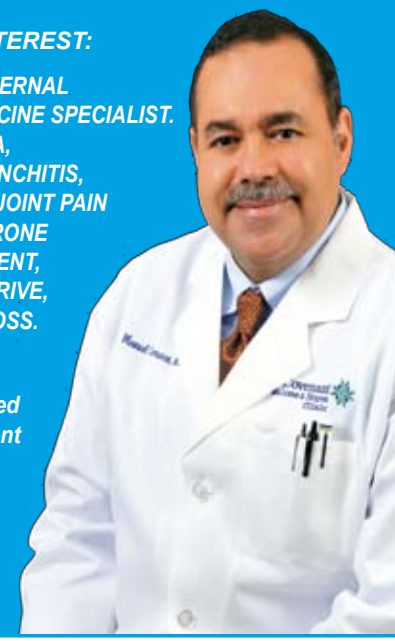
"I just hate it for my team," said Busch, a Las Vegas native.

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