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Alon/7-11 Funtastic Fourth celebration hits high note

Arts in the Parks

By Stephanie Salinas and Natalie Reina

Special to the Herald

Grab a paintbrush, crayon, easel, musical instrument or camera and head to a Texas state park to join the fun of the Arts in the Parks program.

Whether through drawing, photography or music, this new Texas Parks and Wildlife Department program aims for Texans of all ages to connect with the outdoors through art.

To kick it off, Texas state parks are partnering with the Get to Know organization, which strives to foster connections to nature through art. Together, they launched the "Get to Know" Texas State Parks Youth Art Contest.

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CASA

volunteer training set for July 20

Special to the Herald

A new CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) volunteer training will be held in late July.

Last year, more than 46,600 Texas children were in the child welfare system, waiting to be placed in permanent homes. Victims of abuse and neglect, these children were removed from their homes through no fault of their own and placed in the overburdened child welfare system. Stuck in a cycle of moving from foster home to foster home, many children lose hope of ever finding their forever families.

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HERALD Photos/Julie Bass

Starting at the top and moving clockwise: A young girl gave it her all on the mechanical bull; Country-western singer Jody Nix entertained the masses Saturday afternoon; Restless Hearts lead singer, Larry Stewart lit up the stage Saturday night.

87 By-Pass: Wasson Road closure set for Tuesday

BY LYNDEL MOODY

Staff Writer

A portion of Wasson Road will be closed for part of the day Tuesday as crews are expected to pour part of the bridge deck currently under construction for the Highway 87 relief route project.

The closure is scheduled to occur between 1 a.m. and 4 p.m., according to MaryBelle

Turner public information officer Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) — Abilene office.

The relief route and I-20 interchange projects are both approximately 50 percent complete and are currently on budget, Turner said, with an expected completion date for summer of 2016. At that time, traffic is expected to return

to the main lanes of I-20 on the west side of Big Spring which are currently out of commission. Traffic heading west on Interstate 20 just past the town is being directed to the service road.

Once complete, the relief route will shuttle truck traffic around the west side of town connecting with Interstate 20. The relief route is expected

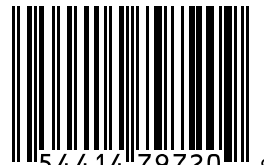
to help cut down truck congestion in anticipation of increased trade along the Ports-to-Plains corridor.

Highway 87 is part of the corridor, a designated highway to help facility manufactured goods from Mexico through the U.S. on to Colorado and ultimately on to Canada and the Pacific Northwest.

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Obituaries

Gerald Wayne Burnett

Gerald Wayne Burnett, age 83, died Saturday, June 27, 2015 in Midland, Texas. Memorial services will be held Wednesday, July 1, 2015 at 1 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland.

He is survived by his wife, Janell Burnett; two sons, David and Johnny Burnett; and one daughter, Lesa Cain.

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

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- ISREAL ALVAREZ, 29, of 1606 Oriole St. was arrested on a warrant for open container in a motor vehicle – passenger.
- RICHARD MANUEL GOMEZ, 38, of 110 E. 18th St. was arrested on a warrant for another agency.
- STEPHEN YANEZ, 22, of 2100 Main St. was arrested on charges of public intoxication.
- THEFT was reported in the 2300 block of Wasson Rd., the 1100 block of N. Lamesa Highway and the 7000 block of N. Service Rd.
- ASSAULT was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.
- BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported in the 500 block of S. Benton St., the 600 block of S. Aylesford and the 500 block of State St.
- HIT AND RUN was reported in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa Hwy.
- BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported in the 800 block of E. 11th Place.
- DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in the 2200 block of Runnels St.

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

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

- ISREAL ALVAREZ, 29, was booked by the BSPD on a warrant for open container in a vehicle – passenger.
- MICHAEL WILSON CARL, 31, was booked by the BSPD on charges of evading arrest/detention and warrants for expired registration, fail to obtain Texas driver's license within 30 days, two counts of failure to appear and theft of property more than \$20 but less than \$500.
- CESAR CORNEJO, 23, was booked by the HCSO on charges of criminal trespass and criminal mischief more than \$50 but less than \$500.
- RICHARD MANUEL GOMEZ, 38, was booked by the BSPD on a warrant for secure execution document deception.
- BRANDON DAVID HARRINGTON, 38, was booked by the BSPD on warrants for expired registration, no valid inspection certificate and violate promise to appear.
- DAL JUSTIN HAYS, 32, was booked by the BSPD on charges of public intoxication.
- PRISCILLA IRENE HERNANDEZ, 34, was booked by the BSPD on warrants for fail to yield the right of way at a stop intersection, driving while license invalid and failure to maintain financial responsibility.
- MICHEAL SHANE MARTINEZ, 32, was booked by the BSPD on a warrant for issuance of a bad check.
- CRYSTAL DAWN MOORING, 33, was booked by the BSPD on charges of evading arrest/detention and theft of property, more than \$50 but less than \$500.
- BETTY JEAN MUNIZ, 49, was booked by the BSPD on a warrant for parole violation.
- CHARLES NICHOLSON, 24, was booked by the BSPD on a warrant for bail jumping and fail to appear.
- HERMENEJILDO OROSCO III, 50, was booked by the BSPD on charges of public intoxication.
- JEFFREY COLIN RAINES, 37, was booked by the BSPD on charges of theft of property, more than \$50 but less than \$500; and possession of marijuana, less than 2 ounces.
- ERNESTO RODRIGUEZ, 56, was booked by the BSPD on warrants for no driver's license, racing or exhibition of acceleration and two counts of failure to appear.
- KAYCIE RENAE SAUCEDO, 28, was booked by the HCSO on warrants for display expired registration and violate promise to appear.
- CLETE MATTHEW STONE, 31, was booked by the BSPD on charges of theft of property more than \$50 but less than \$500 and evading arrest/detention.
- STEPHANIE R. WILLIAMS, 26, was booked by the BSPD on charges of theft of property, more than \$50 but less than \$500.
- STEPHEN YANEZ, 22, was booked by the HCSO on charges of public intoxication.
- JOHN WESLEY YATER, 55, was booked by the BSPD on charges of public intoxication.

Support Groups

MONDAY

- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7-8 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.
- Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Mondays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.
- Stepping Stone Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets at Spring Town Plaza (inside the mall, next to Attitudes Hair Salon, down by Bealls). Open meeting at 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

- Big Spring and Snyder Parkinsons Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month. This is a group for all Parkinson's disease patients, spouses and caregivers. For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942
- VA Alcoholics Anonymous support group, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Veterans Healing Center.

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; closed discussion meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- Al-Anon, 615 Settles for family members and friends of alcoholics meets at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

- RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at (432) 517-9207 for more information.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; open 12 & 12 study meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Take Note

- An account has been set up at Western Bank (account number 1017623) for Blantyn Gusman and Zachary Duncan, who were seriously injured in an accident.
- The mission of CASA of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you're interested in volunteering, contact Sara Basaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit www.BecomeaCASA.org or www.casawtx.org.
- The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every second Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.
- Big Spring High School Student Council still has several #StandwithBriana t-shirts available for purchase at the high school main office for \$20. Sizes are youth large to 4X. Wristbands for \$3 in youth and adult sizes are also available. They can be purchase at high school main office during the month of June.
- Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact Jimmy Ruth at 271-2176.
- Home Hospice is in need of volunteers of all ages. The organization is requesting volunteers to sit with patients, make items for patients and help with office work. Volunteers set their own hours. For more information, contact Sherry Hodnett at 264-7911 or 432-213-0150.
- Crossroads Hospice needs volunteers for patient care. Contact Eva at 263-5300.
- Mobile meals is in need of volunteer delivery drivers. If you donate one hour per week to help deliver meals to the elderly, call Kim Plew at 263-4016 or 213-7960.
- Spring Tabernacle Ministries, 1209 Wright St., has a brief, inspirational message before giving away food and clothing on Thursday mornings. It's a great way to work off community service and get help, too. Be there at 9-11 a.m. and get two for one, plus a rehab meeting.
- The Coahoma High School classes of 1952-1956 will have a get together from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. July 24 at the Hampton Inn of Big Spring's Cowboy Meeting Room. For more information, call 432-213-3259.
- For information on Garrett Parrish's condition, or to post messages of support, visit his Facebook page (#GPSTRONG). Parrish was seriously injured in a sledding accident in February.

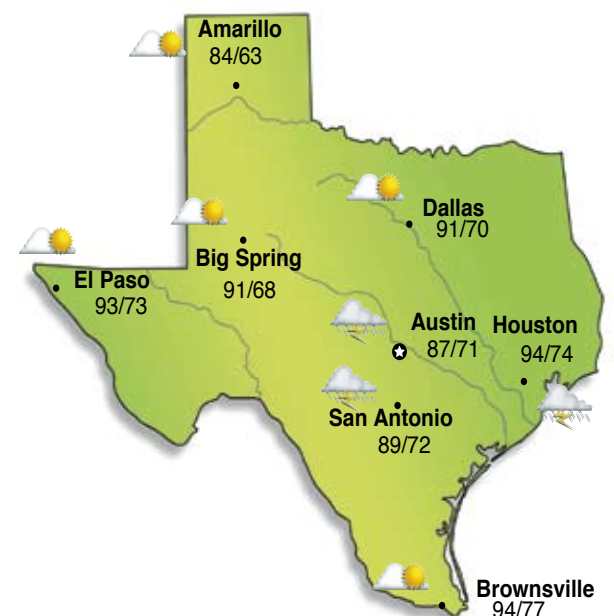
Local 5-Day Forecast

Sun 6/28	Mon 6/29	Tue 6/30	Wed 7/1	Thu 7/2
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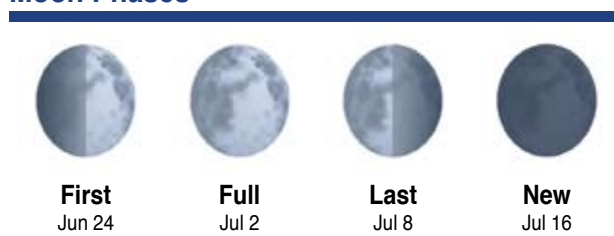
Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	90	66	pt sunny	Kingsville	94	75	mst sunny
Amarillo	84	63	pt sunny	Livingston	88	73	t-storm
Austin	87	71	t-storm	Longview	89	67	t-storm
Beaumont	89	72	t-storm	Lubbock	86	65	pt sunny
Brownsville	94	77	pt sunny	Lufkin	85	73	t-storm
Brownwood	89	65	t-storm	Midland	91	68	t-storm
Corpus Christi	92	78	mst sunny	Raymondville	96	76	mst sunny
Corsicana	89	68	t-storm	Rosenberg	93	73	t-storm
Dallas	91	70	pt sunny	San Antonio	89	72	t-storm
Del Rio	93	73	cloudy	San Marcos	90	71	t-storm
El Paso	93	73	pt sunny	Sulphur Springs	89	68	pt sunny
Fort Stockton	89	66	t-storm	Sweetwater	88	65	pt sunny
Gainesville	88	65	pt sunny	Tyler	89	68	t-storm
Greenville	88	65	pt sunny	Weatherford	90	66	pt sunny
Houston	94	74	t-storm	Wichita Falls	89	65	sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	86	63	t-storm	Minneapolis	84	64	mst sunny
Boston	70	60	cloudy	New York	71	65	rain
Chicago	73	56	pt sunny	Phoenix	107	80	mst sunny
Dallas	91	70	pt sunny	San Francisco	68	57	pt sunny
Denver	88	59	sunny	Seattle	90	65	pt sunny
Houston	94	74	t-storm	St. Louis	80	62	pt sunny
Los Angeles	79	64	cloudy	Washington, DC	77	67	t-storm
Miami	88	79	t-storm				

Moon Phases



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Tommy Smith, cook for the Bent Nail BBQ team, checks on his chicken during Saturday's cook-off.

Cook-off Champion



Courtesy Photo

Matt Alexander of Big Spring was the first Funtastic Fourth Grand Champion Cook for his submission Kiss My Rack. The cook-off drew in about 26 teams, many who lived out of town.

Funtastic Fourth Cook-off results

The results of the First ever Funtastic Fourth Cook-Off are:

- Chicken:
 - 1st Mark Bateman of Hobbs, N.M.
 - 2nd Jayde Henley of Midland, Texas
 - 3rd Walker Kenny of Sprintown, Texas
- Pork Spare Ribs
 - 1st Aaron Lesley of Odessa, Texas
 - 2nd Tim Worley of Big Spring, Texas
 - 3rd Matt Alexander of Big Spring, Texas

- Brisket
 - 1st Tommy Smith of Midland, Texas
 - 2nd Mark Bateman of Hobbs, N.M.
 - 3rd Matt Alexander of Big Spring, Texas
- Overall Grand Champion
 - 1st Matt Alexander of Big Spring, Texas
 - 2nd Mark Bateman of Hobbs, N.M.
 - 3rd Tommy Smith of Midland, Texas

CASA

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CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) volunteers from CASA of West Texas strive to return hope to these children by moving them through the foster care system and into stable homes as quickly as possible.

"Children with CASA volunteers on average spend less time in foster care and the sooner children are placed in permanent homes, the sooner

they can begin to heal," said Patty Pisklak, executive director of CASA of West Texas.

The next volunteer training is scheduled for July 20, 2015.

Ideally, CASA volunteers work to reunify children with their family or other close relatives. When these options are not available, volunteers work to find the best possible adoptive families to fit the children's needs.

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Ordinary community mem-

bers dedicate their time to become CASA volunteers. They are professionally trained and appointed by a judge to work with a child or sibling group and the people involved in the children's lives, including relatives, teachers, social workers and others.

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ARTS

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The contest lasts until Nov. 1 and is open to anyone under 19. Participants are invited to create original works of art inspired by nature (such as animals, plants or a landscape) at a Texas state park.

For art contest and Arts in the Parks information, visit www.tpwd.state.tx.us/state-parks/programs/arts-in-parks.

All submitted entries will be featured online at the Texas State Parks Gallery, www.get-to-know.org/gallery/2013-texas-state-parks. The gallery already features some wonderful artistic interpretations for your enjoyment.

Contest participants will also get a chance to win prizes at the national level. Prizes include digital cameras, art supplies, binoculars, fishing rods, writing supplies and more. Participants can also win special Texas prize packages that will be announced later.

"There are many inspirational things about Texas state parks, whether you're into scenery, wildlife or the wonderful historic buildings constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in the 1930s," says Karen Blizzard, State Park Division assistant director for interpretive services. "We encourage youth to explore and create in their parks, and enter the 'Get to Know' Texas State Parks Youth Art Contest."

In fact, the Spring Spring State Park, located off of FM 700 near the Wasson Road intersection, is a 382-acre park created by the Civilian Conservation Corp and run by the Texas Parks and

Wildlife. It offers a scenic view of the city from atop its 200-foot bluff.

Art in our state parks isn't a totally new concept, when you consider events like the musical Texas and TPWD's 2013 State Parks Photo Contest. Texas is performed every summer at Palo Duro Canyon State Park, and this year marked the show's 48th anniversary. The musical details the struggles and stories of Texas Panhandle settlers in the 1800s.

More than 600 photographers competed in the State Parks Photo Contest last spring. Photographers submitted more than 1,600 entries to TPWD's Flickr page, and the three winning photos were chosen in May, based on creativity and composition. First place went to J. Labrador for a photo of a wooden bridge at Lake Livingston State Park called "Golden Moments."

See the winners and other great entries at www.tpwd.state.tx.us/photography.

Many state parks are participating in the Arts in the Parks initiative, planning special events for visitors all year long. For example, on Oct. 19 at 10 a.m., Dinosaur Valley State Park in Glen Rose will offer "Lost in Landscapes," a special session on freelance drawing from artist Holly Fisher. To learn how to capture the beauty of nature in a sketchbook, bring your chosen medium: drawing pencils, oil pastels/soft pastels or charcoal. The park will provide the atmosphere and instruction.

When you go to experience art in a state park, don't forget that kids 12 and under get free admission to all state parks, where they can also enjoy hiking, swimming, biking, fishing, stargazing and wildlife viewing.

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BDS, Academic Freedom and Anti-Semitism

Academic boycotts of Israel advocated by BDS supporters not only strangle free expression, they also deny Jewish self-determination.

Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions-sponsored boycotts of Israeli academic institutions tarnish the integrity of any school that stands for academic freedom—the open-minded, tolerant exchange of ideas. Worse, BDS couches its arguments against Israel in half-truths and lies meant to delegitimize the Jewish state.

What are the facts?
Academic freedom is a noble-spirited ideal at the heart of American higher education. Academic freedom thrives on the respectful exchange of ideas in search of truth—even among people who passionately disagree. As such, it depends on unfettered communications that span national, linguistic and ideological borders. Conversely, anyone who attempts to limit the access of the academic community to ideas, research or scholars, no matter their origin or beliefs, is guilty of trampling this precious privilege.

Indeed, the strategies and tactics of the BDS movement have just such a subversive effect on academic freedom. BDS supporters attempt to disrupt speakers with whom they disagree, support their arguments with outright falsehoods, and seek to blacklist innocent Israeli academics because of their nationality. Finally, most egregiously, BDS uses a double standard to single out Israel among all the nations for recrimination.

Does academic freedom support censoring opinions we don't like? BDS advocates have shouted down speeches by the Prime Minister of Israel Ehud Olmert, Israeli Ambassador to the U.S. Michael Oren, Harvard Professor Alan Dershowitz and others, and they routinely disrupt fellow students at Holocaust Memorial and pro-Israel events on campus. Yet preventing speakers from delivering their messages not only violates the tolerant, respectful spirit of academic freedom, it also violates our core First Amendment guarantees of free speech.

Does academic freedom support telling lies or half-truths to argue our point? Under the guise of human rights rhetoric calling for "liberation" of the Palestinian people and an end to Israeli "occupation," BDS proponents recite a litany of alleged Israeli crimes. Perhaps most outrageously, they accuse the Jewish state of apartheid—a bald lie that bears no relationship to the full democratic rights enjoyed by Israel's Arab citizens or even to Palestinians living in the West Bank or Gaza. Likewise, to accuse Israel of "occupation" without mentioning that Israel has been the Jewish homeland for some 3,000 years—or the Palestinian suicide bombers and nearly daily rocket attacks meant to destroy the Jewish state—is

intellectually dishonest. While free speech allows anyone to lie, such outright mendacity discredits the worthy tradition of academic freedom.

Does academic freedom support severing our schools from international research and scholarly thought? BDS advocates an academic boycott of Israeli universities and, effectively, of scholars who teach and conduct groundbreaking work there, especially in medicine, the arts and information technology. By boycotting Israeli students and teachers, we deprive our own institutions of the kind of open collaboration that is key to academic freedom. What's more, to punish Israeli academics with pariah status simply because of their nationality, regardless of their political views, is unconscionable.

BDS's use of double-standards, demonization and delegitimization against Israel is anti-Semitic. BDS advocates are quick to assert that "I'm not anti-Semitic, I'm just anti-Zionist." While academic freedom allows everyone to criticize Israel, one also is free to criticize Iran, North Korea, Saudi Arabia or the United States. But BDS does not simply criticize Israel—it criticizes *only* Israel, and moreover it demonizes the Jewish state, calling it a Nazi regime and a slaughterer of children. It attempts to delegitimize Israel, claiming it is occupying Arab territory, thus denying the right of the Jewish people to self-determination. As Martin Luther King, Jr. has noted, "When people criticize Zionists, they mean Jews. You're talking anti-Semitism."

What do the BDS leaders really want? While the U.S., Western European nations, Israel and the U.N. Security Council have embraced a "two-state solution" as the basis for peace between Israel and the Palestinians, BDS leaders, like Ali Abuminah, argue for a one-state solution in which Arabs outnumber Jews. When BDS talks about occupation, it refers not to disputed West Bank territories, but to all of Israel. BDS has consistently opposed Israeli-Palestinian peace talks, calling them "collaborationist." No wonder BDS founder Omar Barghouti admits, "If the occupation ends . . . would that end support for BDS? No, it wouldn't—no."

If you support a robust atmosphere of academic freedom, in which all sides are heard and positions are vigorously debated, you must oppose BDS's call for an academic and cultural boycott of Israel. In fact, BDS actions flatly contradict academic freedom, and its insistence on denying the self-determination of the Jewish people in Israel is overtly anti-Semitic.

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Lloyd's big moments continue for USA

By ANNE M. PETERSON
AP Sports Writer

MONTREAL — Carli Lloyd's career is defined by big moments.

The latest came in the U.S. victory Friday over China, with a goal that ultimately sent the Americans through to the semifinals at the Women's World Cup tournament.

Now with goals in consecutive games for the United States, the 32-year-old midfielder could face her biggest challenge in top-ranked Germany on Tuesday.

"I don't just train to be a participant," she said. "I train to come up big in big moments. That's when I know I've got to roll the sleeves up."

It wasn't always this way. In 2003 Lloyd was cut from the under-21 national team and she was so discouraged that she decided to quit the sport after playing out her career at Rutgers.

But, in what would turn out to be her pivotal moment as a soccer player, the New Jersey native reached out to coach James Galanis, who went on to become her personal coach and mentor.

Lloyd often speaks of Galanis' contribution to her career, and how whenever she has doubts it is Galanis who reels her back in. Lloyd would face challenges under former U.S. coaches Greg Ryan and Pia Sundhage, constantly trying to prove she belonged in the starting lineup.

Lloyd and her team had struggled to find their offense in the group stage at this year's World Cup. The goals were not coming like the team — and their fans — had expected.

The United States nonetheless advanced atop its group to the knockout stage, then had a lackluster 2-0 victory against Colombia in the round of 16, scoring both goals in the second half with Colombia down a player.

Lloyd scored for the first time in the tournament, on a penalty kick, against Colombia.

Afterward she said: "At the end of the day, we all know we're not playing our best football, and we're still finding ways to win. I think that the history of this team is no matter if it's good, bad, we still find a way to get it done."



HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

Ricky Escovedo fires a pitch during the Big Spring Little League 9-and-10-year-old all-star team's District 3 tournament game vs. Midland Northern Saturday.

Correa shines as Astros down Yankees

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston rookie Carlos Correa has amassed enough big plays to fill a highlight reel despite being in the majors for less than a month.

He continued to pile them up on Sunday, doubling twice and scoring the tie-breaking run on a triple by Evan Gattis in the seventh inning to help the Astros to a 3-1 win over the New York Yankees.

"I'm glad he's on our team and he's really doing some special things that are either helping us stay in games or win games," manager A.J. Hinch said. "I appreciate his talent. Having been around this league, it's a unique set of skills and tools and charisma."

The 20-year-old Correa, who made his major league

debut on June 8, also scored Houston's first run when he erred by Brett Gardner in the fourth inning.

"I'm seeing the ball well, pretty good and feeling comfortable out there," Correa said. "We have a good lineup, so when you're hitting with a great lineup you feel comfortable. It doesn't put that much pressure on you."

Collin McHugh (9-3) allowed a season-low two hits — both singles — and one run and eight strikeouts in eight innings for his third straight win. Luke Gregerson pitched a perfect ninth for his 18th save.

"I'm not sure I can accurately describe that," Hinch said of his performance. "He was fantastic, as domi-

nant as we could ask him to be. Had every pitch working."

The game was tied 1-1 when Correa doubled with no outs in the seventh and advanced to third on a sacrifice bunt by Jose Altuve. The triple by Gattis, which sailed just out of reach of center fielder Gardner and bounced off the low wall in left-center, scored Correa and put Houston on top 2-1.

New York starter Michael Pineda (8-5) allowed seven hits and three runs — two earned — and struck out eight in eight innings for the first complete game of his career. The solid performance comes after he allowed 11 hits and eight runs — both career highs — in his previous start.

The Astros added an in-

surance run when Preston Tucker scored on a sacrifice fly by Jason Castro in the eighth to make it 3-1.

Correa, the top overall pick in the 2012 draft, has nine doubles and five homers in just 20 games. He's the first player in franchise history to have nine doubles in his first 20 games and joins Rusty Staub, George Springer and Jeff Bagwell as the only players in Houston history to reach safely in at least 18 of their first 20 games.

Stephen Drew walked with one out in the third inning and reached second on a wild pitch. He scored on a single by Gardner to give New York a 1-0 lead.

McHugh retired the next 10 in a row after Gardner's hit.

Scoreboard

BASEBALL AMERICAN LEAGUE					NATIONAL LEAGUE										
East Division					East Division										
W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB	W	L	Pct	GB				
Baltimore	41	34	.547	—	Washington	42	34	.553	—	St. Louis	50	24	.676	—	
Tampa Bay	42	35	.545	—	New York	40	37	.519	2½	New York	40	37	.519	2½	
Toronto	41	35	.539	½	Atlanta	36	40	.474	6	Pittsburgh	42	33	.560	8½	
New York	41	36	.532	1	Miami	31	46	.403	11½	Chicago	39	34	.534	10½	
Boston	34	43	.442	8	Philadelphia	27	50	.351	15½	Cincinnati	34	40	.459	16	
					West Division										
					W	L	Pct	GB							
					Kansas City	44	28	.611	—						
					Minnesota	40	35	.533	5½						
					Detroit	39	36	.520	6½						
					Cleveland	33	41	.446	12						
					Chicago	32	42	.432	13						
					West Division										
					W	L	Pct	GB							
					Houston	44	34	.564	—						
					Los Angeles	39	37	.513	4						
					Texas	38	38	.500	5						
					Seattle	34	42	.447	9						
					Oakland	34	44	.436	10						
Sunday's Games															
Toronto 3, Texas 2				Detroit 5, Chicago White Sox 4				Boston 5, Tampa Bay 3				Baltimore 4, Cleveland 0, 1st game			
Milwaukee 5, Minnesota 3				Houston 3, N.Y. Yankees 1				L.A. Angels 3, Seattle 2, 10 innings				Kansas City 5, Oakland 3			
Baltimore 8, Cleveland 0, 2nd game				Texas (W.Rodriguez 4-3) at Baltimore (B.Norris 2-6), 7:05 p.m.				Boston (Buchholz 5-6) at Toronto (Dickey 3-7), 7:07 p.m.				Cleveland (Co.Anderson 0-0) at Tampa Bay (Karns 4-3), 7:10 p.m.			
Minnesota (Pelfrey 5-4) at Cincinnati (Leake 5-4), 7:10 p.m.				Kansas City (Blanton 2-0) at Houston (McCullers 3-2), 8:10 p.m.				Colorado (Hale 2-2) at Oakland (Graveman 4-4), 10:05 p.m.				N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 3-7) at L.A. Angels (C.Wilson 5-6), 10:05 p.m.			
Tuesday's Games															
Texas at Baltimore, 7:05 p.m.				Boston at Toronto, 7:07 p.m.				Pittsburgh at Detroit, 7:08 p.m.				Cleveland at Tampa Bay, 7:10 p.m.			
Monday's Games															
Milwaukee (Nelson 4-8) at Philadelphia (O'Sullivan 1-5), 7:05 p.m.				Minnesota (Pelfrey 5-4) at Cincinnati (Leake 5-4), 7:10 p.m.				L.A. Dodgers (Bolsinger 4-2) at Arizona (Webster 1-1), 9:40 p.m.				Colorado (Hale 2-2) at Oakland (Graveman 4-4), 10:05 p.m.			
Tuesday's Games															
Milwaukee at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.				Pittsburgh at Detroit, 7:08 p.m.				Chicago Cubs at N.Y. Mets, 7:10 p.m.				Minnesota at Cincinnati, 7:10 p.m.			
San Francisco at Miami, 7:10 p.m.				Washington at Atlanta, 7:10 p.m.				Chicago White Sox at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.				L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.			
Colorado at Oakland, 10:05 p.m.				Seattle at San Diego, 10:10 p.m.											
Transactions															
BASEBALL American League															
BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Agreed to terms with OF DJ Stewart on a minor league contract.															
BOSTON RED SOX — Assigned RHP John Cornely outright to Portland (EL). Sent C Ryan Hanigan to Portland for a rehab assignment.															
HOUSTON ASTROS — Optioned LHP Brett Oberholzer to Fresno (PCL). Recalled RHP Michael Feliz from Corpus Christi (TL). Agreed to terms with 3B Bobby Wernes on a minor league contract.															
NEW YORK YANKEES — Optioned INF Gregorio Petit to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (IL). Selected the contract of RHP Esmil Rogers from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre. Transferred OF Slade Heathcott to the 60-day DL.															
OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Agreed to terms with LHP Phil Coke on a minor league contract.															
TAMPA BAY RAYS — Optioned 2B Tim Beckham and RHP Matt Andriese to Durham (IL). Selected the contract of OF Grady Sizemore from Charlotte (FSL). Transferred OF Desmond Jennings to the 60-day DL. Sent C John Jaso to Charlotte (FSL) for a rehab assignment.															
TEXAS RANGERS — Sent OF Delino DeShields and LHP Martin Perez to Round Rock (PCL) and OF Antoan Richardson to the AZL Rangers for rehab assignments.															
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Optioned LHP Rob Masmussen to Buffalo (IL). Selected the contract of LHP Matt Boyd from Buffalo.															
NATIONAL LEAGUE															
ATLANTA BRAVES — Optioned RHP Sugar Ray Marimon to Gwinnett (IL). Selected the contract of RHP Ryan Kelly from Gwinnett.															
CHICAGO CUBS — Optioned RHP Yoervis Medina to Iowa (PCL). Designated C Rafael Lopez for assignment. Selected the contract of RHP Donn Roach from Iowa. Placed LHP Tsyuyoshi Wada on 15-day DL. Activated RHP Neil Ramirez from the 15-day DL.															
MIAMI MARLINS — Placed OF Giancarlo Stanton on the 15-day DL. Assigned RHP Vin Mazzaro outright to New Orleans (PCL). Optioned 3B Donovan Solano to New Orleans. Recalled SS Miguel Rojas from New Orleans. Selected the contract of OF Cole Gillespie from New Orleans. Reinstated RHP Bryan Morris from the 15-day DL. Sent RHP Jose Fernandez to Jacksonville (SL) for a rehab assignment.															
NEW YORK METS — Recalled LHP Steven Matz from Las Vegas (PCL).															
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Recalled RHP Severino Gonzalez from Lehigh Valley (IL). Agreed to terms with OFs Drew Heid, Mark Laird and Joshua Tobias on minor league contracts.															
PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Designated RHP Chris Volstad to Portland (EL). Recalled INF/OF Steve Lombardozzi from Indianapolis (IL). Selected the contract of OF Gorkys Hernandez from Indianapolis.															
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Agreed to terms with RHP Phil Bickford on a minor league contract.															
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Agreed to terms with 3B Dalton Dinatale and RHP Andrew Lee on minor league contracts.															
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION															
AMARILLO THUNDERHEADS — Signed RHP Will Rankin.															
LAREDO LEMURS — Traded RHP Omar Bencomo to Wichita for INF Dustin Geiger.															
WINNIPEG GOLDEYES — Released C Ramon Ortega.															
ATLANTIC LEAGUE															
SUGAR LAND SKEETERS — Signed INF/OF Ryan Adams.															
BASKETBALL															
National Basketball Association															
MIAMI HEAT — Declined their contract option on F Michael Beasley.															
NASCAR															
At Sonoma Raceway Sonoma, Calif.															
Lap length: 1.99 miles															
(Start position in parentheses)															
1. (11) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 110 laps, 118.2 rating, 47 points, \$315,481.															
2. (2) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 110, 137.7, 43, \$222,630.															
3. (6) Clint Bowyer, Toyota, 110, 112.3, 42, \$191,988.															
4. (17) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 110, 109.7, 40, \$183,230.															
5. (19) Joey Logano, Ford, 110, 91.4, 39, \$166,638.															
6. (13) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 110, 123.5, 40, \$162,406.															
7. (20) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 110, 106.9, 37, \$122,995.															
8. (26) Casey Kahne, Chevrolet, 110, 97.8, 36, \$118,895.															
9. (16) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 110, 89.6, 35, \$131,271.															
10. (24) Sam Hornish Jr., Ford, 110, 70.7, 34, \$132,065.															
11. (18) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 110, 80.9, 33, \$129,976.															
12. (7) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 110, 90.7, 32, \$126,674.															
13. (32) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 110, 69.7, 31, \$106,060.															
14. (25) Aric Almirola, Ford, 110, 73, 30, \$133,846.															
15. (4) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 110, 98.3, 29, \$124,618.															
16. (5) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 110, 82.3, 28, \$139,846.															
17. (37) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 110, 66.6, 27, \$131,271.															
18. (15) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 110, 63.2, 26, \$108,485.															
19. (10) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 110, 70.4, 25, \$137,901.															
20. (40) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, 110, 58.9, 24, \$101,135.															
21. (3) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 110, 73.2, 23, \$129,421.															
22. (29) Cole Whitt, Ford, 110, 59.5, 22, \$109,493.															
23. (31) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 110, 49.2, 21, \$131,885.															
24. (21) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 110, 61.6, 20, \$98,160.															
25. (36) Alex Kennedy, Chevrolet, 110, 46.7, 19, \$107,193.															
26. (33) Boris Said, Ford, 110, 43, 0, \$99,868.															
27. (22) Greg Biffle, Ford, 110, 67.5, 17, \$119,393.															
28. (38) Josh Wise, Chevrolet, 109, 38.2, 16, \$87,685.															
29. (30) Matt DiBenedetto, Toyota, 109, 43.3, 15, \$99,118.															
30. (35) Justin Marks, Ford, 109, 35.2, 0, \$88,810.															
31. (41) Alex Bowman, Chevrolet, 109, 35.5, 13, \$96,182.															
32. (43) Jeb Burton, Toyota, 109, 29.4, 12, \$83,965.															
33. (42) Michael Annett, Chevrolet, 109, 31, 11, \$83,855.															
34. (23) Michael McDowell, Ford, 109, 46.9, 10, \$83,720.															
35. (27) Justin Gillgaier, Chevrolet, 107, 58.6, 9, \$91,555.															
36. (39) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, 99, 28.8, 0, \$83,470.															
37. (1) AJ Allmendinger, Chevrolet, 98, 100.8, \$113,795.															
38. (8) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, rear axle, 97, 68.4, 6, \$85,913.															
39. (9) David Ragan, Toyota, accident, 78, 74.2, 5, \$101,064.															
40. (14) Carl Edwards, Toyota, accident, 78, 70.5, 4, \$69,850.															
41. (34) J.J. Yeley, Toyota, accident, 71, 37.9, 0, \$65,850.															
42. (12) Martin Truex Jr., Chevrolet, accident, 31, 58.1, 2, \$88,195.															
43. (28) David Gilliland, Ford, accident, 20, 36.1, 1, \$66,350.															
Race Statistics															
Average Speed of Race Winner: 74.774 mph.															
Time of Race: 2 hours, 55 minutes, 39 seconds.															
Margin of Victory: 0.532 seconds.															
Caution Flags: 5 for 21 laps.															
Lead Changes: 9 among 5 drivers.															
Lap Leaders: Ku.Busch 1-22; A.Allmendinger 23; C.Bowyer 24-27; Ky.Busch 28-39; Ku.Busch 40-52; J.Johnson 53-66; Ku.Busch 67-74; J.Johnson 75-105; Ky.Busch 106-110.															
Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): J.Johnson, 2 times for 45 laps; Ku.Busch, 3 times for 43 laps; Ky.Busch, 2 times for 17 laps; C.Bowyer, 1 time for 4 laps; A.Allmendinger, 1 time for 1 lap.															

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♦ 10 7 6
♣ K 2

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

SOUTH
♠ A
♥ K Q 10 5
♦ 8 5 4
♣ Q 10 6 5 3

The bidding:
South West North East
1♥ Pass 3♥ Pass
4♥ Opening lead — jack of spades.

It is certainly not rare for declarer to make a contract that could have been defeated. Sometimes it happens because the defenders err even though the correct defense is fairly obvious, and sometimes it happens because the winning defense is complicated or hard to spot.

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Next came the K-Q of trumps followed by a low club to dummy's king and a club back to the jack, queen and ace. West now tried to cash the ten of spades — he had no way of knowing that South had started with the singleton ace and all of a sudden Hamman was in full control.

He ruffed the spade ten, cashed the ten of clubs, discarding a diamond from dummy, and then ruffed a club, establishing his fifth club as a trick. After ruffing dummy's last spade, Hamman discarded another diamond from dummy on the six of clubs, conceded a diamond trick and ended up making the contract with an overtrick to complete his seemingly impossible mission.

Tomorrow: Good management pays off.

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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.

4		1	8		6
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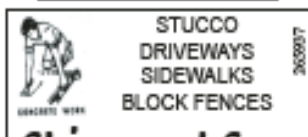
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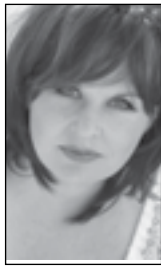
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Fire-Sign Trine

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ARIES

(March 21-April 19). You'll be asked to put out a few fires, and you'll wonder how they've lived this long without you. Back off and see whether problems solve themselves. It's happened before.

TAURUS

(April 20-May 20). You may give yourself to your loved ones, and you are certainly one of the most selfless people around. But you'll still protect your independence and defend your freedom today.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Being conscious of numbers will improve things. There's something you feel inspired to keep track of. When you log this data, your life will get better.

CANCER

(June 22-July 22). You sometimes choose leisure activities that feel more like obligation than fun. If you're going to dance, dance because you want to, not because dancing is expected.

LEO

(July 23-Aug. 22). People will believe what you tell them today, and you'll take the responsibility to heart, making sure to tell them something useful and truthful. Tonight features an old friend.

VIRGO

(Aug. 23-Sept. 22). The thing to do with a flaw is highlight it. Maybe it's not so bad. Maybe there's a hidden benefit inside. Besides, if you try to conceal a flaw, people will only imagine the worst.

LIBRA

(Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Holding on to anger hurts. The one you're an-

gry with won't feel the pain -- you will. That's why you are wise to give up your grudge. Drop it like it's hot. It is. If you try to clutch it, it will burn you.

SCORPIO

(Oct. 24-Nov. 21). When people don't put things back where they belong, a great deal of clutter accumulates to interrupt life's flow. Whether it's your responsibility or not, take control, and the benefits will be far-reaching.

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22-Dec. 21). When an emotion is released inside you, the trigger is no accident. Look at what excites you and makes you laugh or cry. Investigate what makes you angry. Keep poking around until you get at the real sources.

CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22-Jan. 19). The past will be like an object in your rearview mirror, apparently larger and closer than is actuality true. Don't let the memories hold you back. Step on the gas.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Answer the question "Why?" and you'll feel completely empowered. Knowing why you want to do something will be the key to overcoming procrastination.

PISCES

(Feb. 19-March 20). You can tell who would be good together. You see how people might connect. You'll bridge groups of people, making it easier for them to know one another.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

(June 29). Put yourself first, however odd that feels to you. You'll be better able to care for your loved ones when you're the priority for yourself. July will be a celebration of love. The ones you taught will make you proud in August. A victory will be yours in September. You'll make a lucrative trade in November. Sagittarius and Scorpio people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 13, 16, 38, 24 and 42.

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invention for years. A friend recently taught me how to do a patent search, which apparently is one of the first steps in patenting an idea, and I found another invention that is very similar to mine, if not exactly the same. I'm heartbroken, and I don't know what to do next. All my work was for nothing. Do you have any advice for a Leo inventor who is a complete failure?"

Yes. First, you have no business calling yourself a failure, so stop that. These things happen in the world of invention. Creative Leos are so excited by the process of making something new that they have to be reminded to do their due diligence in regard to protecting their property and time. Now you know a little more than you did. Thank your friend, and talk to a patent attorney to find out how you might proceed on this project or future projects. As far as your broken heart goes, it may help you to read the biography of another Leo inventor: Philo Farnsworth. He also wasn't great about

protecting his ideas, but he didn't let the obstacles along the way stop him. Think of him the next time you turn on your television.

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Annie's Mailbox

Dear Annie: Not long ago, I discovered that my husband of 25 years was living a completely secret life. This life included pornography, voyeurism, physical affairs, emotional affairs and flirtations with hundreds of women he met through his sales job. Many of the women thought he was going to divorce me, even though he was manipulating them to get his fix. He is a sex addict. At that point, I simply stayed with him for the sake of our children.

According to my husband, his addiction to pornography and masturbation started after he was abused as a child. He shared with me that he used lust, fantasy and sex to numb his pain and the belief that he was fundamentally flawed. As he is learning to deal

with his old trauma, I have given my husband mountains of grace, though he raged and verbally attacked me. Lately, he's doing significantly better and is regularly attending meetings of Sex Addicts Anonymous.

My husband claims he has been in recovery for 18 months, but he has yet to disclose everything he did, and I have come across evidence that he is still looking at racy photos on his phone. (Voyeurism is also his thing, so he stares at women in public and then denies it.)

I am out of patience. Anytime I start to build trust, I discover he is still lying. But it is hard to leave, because when the marriage is good, it is great. What should I do? -- Want My Husband to Stop Lusting After the World Dear Want: Re-

covery from any addiction takes time, and there are often relapses. But your husband may need to put a bit more effort into reassuring you that his progress is sincere and ongoing, and you are the only one who can determine whether you've had enough. He isn't the only one who needs help. Please look into COSA (cosa-recovery.org), a support group for those whose lives have been affected by someone else's compulsive sexual behavior. And do get tested for STDs.

Dear Annie: I was furious after reading the letter from "Anonymous," the successful professional who resented that her well-off mother never offered to reimburse her or pay her share of meals. I am 50 and was born to a family that didn't have

much. When I started making money, I used to love picking up the tab for my parents at restaurants, buying them new appliances, plane tickets for their trips and expensive gifts around the holidays. It never could make up for what my parents did for us growing up.

My father died five years ago. In the past few years, my wife and I have had some setbacks and I no longer have the disposable income I had before. It kills me to cut back when it comes to gifts and dinners for my mom. Tell "Anonymous" to get over herself. She should thank God every day that she has the financial means to pick up a check and a parent to spend it on. -- Tom Dear Tom: Every parent-child relationship is different, as are the financial

circumstances. Thank you for taking a kind and compassionate view.

Annie's Mailbox is written by Kathy Mitchell and Marcy Sugar, longtime editors of the Ann Landers column. Please email your questions to anniesmailbox@creators.com, or write to: Annie's Mailbox, c/o Creators Syndicate, 737 3rd Street, Hermosa Beach, CA 90254. You can also find Annie on Facebook at Facebook.com/AskAnnies. To find out more about Annie's Mailbox and read features by other Creators Syndicate writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate Web page at www.creators.com.

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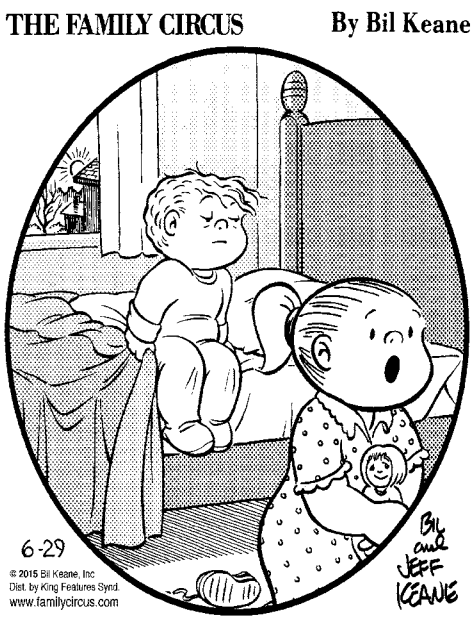
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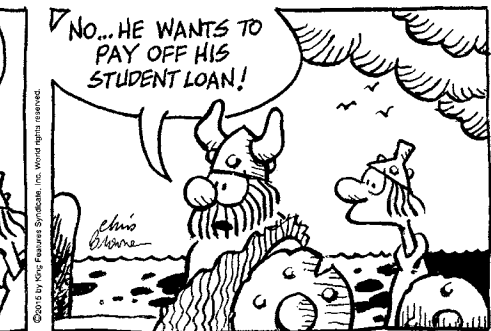


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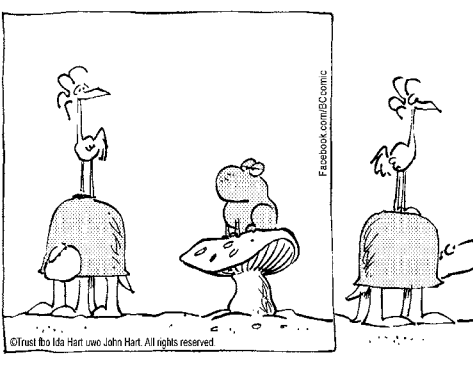
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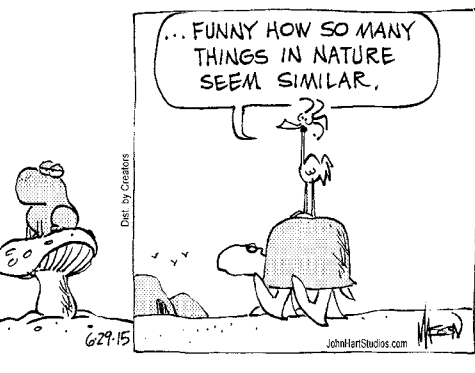
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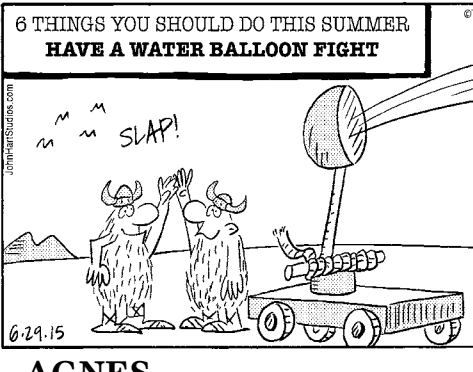
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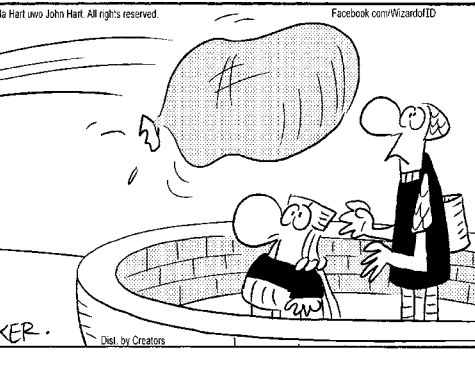
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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, June 29, the 180th day of 2015. There are 185 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 29, 1767, Britain approved the Townshend Revenue Act, which imposed import duties on glass, paint, oil, lead, paper and tea shipped to the American colonies. (Colonists bitterly protested, prompting Parliament to repeal the duties - except for tea.)

On this date:

In 1613, London's original Globe Theatre, where many of Shakespeare's plays were performed, was destroyed by a fire sparked by a cannon shot during a performance of "Henry VIII."

In 1880, France annexed Tahiti, which became a French colony on December 30, 1880.

In 1913, the Second Balkan War broke out as Bulgaria attacked Serbia and Greece, its former allies from the First Balkan War.

In 1927, the first trans-Pacific airplane flight was completed as Lt. Lester J. Maitland and Lt. Albert F. Hegenberger arrived at Wheeler Field in Hawaii aboard the Bird of Paradise, an Atlantic-Fokker C-2, after flying 2,400 miles from Oakland, California, in 25 hours, 50 minutes.

In 1941, Polish statesman, pianist and composer Ignacy Jan Paderewski (een-YAHS' yahn pah-dayr-EF'skee) died in New York at age 80.

In 1954, the Atomic Energy Commission voted against reinstating Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer's access to classified information.

In 1967, Jerusalem was reunified as Israel removed barricades separating the Old City from the Israeli sector.

In 1972, the U.S. Supreme Court struck down a trio of death sentences, saying the way they had been imposed constituted cruel and unusual punishment. (The ruling prompted states to effectively impose a moratorium on executions until their capital punishment laws could be revised.)

In 1988, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Morrison v. Olson, upheld the independent counsel law in a 7-1 decision (the sole dissenter was Justice Antonin Scalia).

In 1992, the remains of Polish statesman Ignacy Jan Paderewski (een-YAHS' yahn pah-dayr-EF'skee), interred for five decades in the United States, were returned to his homeland in keeping with his wish to be buried only in a free Poland.

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 - 23 Is able to
 - 24 Attempt
 - 25 False accusation
 - 29 Good buddies
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 - 43 In the know
 - 44 UFO pilots
 - 45 Cribs and cradles
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 - 47 Piglet's mother
 - 48 Tennis instructor
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 - 57 Top-billed performer
 - 58 Dutch cheeses
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- 11 State of mind
- 12 Fountain-pen fillers
- 13 Tip of a shoe
- 21 Consoling phrase
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- 25 Police officer's shield
- 26 Not appropriate
- 27 Flat-topped hills
- 28 Old college cheer
- 29 Jeans, for example
- 30 Region
- 31 Tokyo's country
- 32 Watchful
- 33 Air Force installations
- 35 Street or avenue
- 38 Beefy ingredient in goulash
- 39 Complete chaos
- 40 Be in debt
- 45 Ghost's greeting
- 46 Wipes away, as chalk
- 47 Woodworker's fastener
- 48 Guys who write releases, for short
- 49 Mosquito-bite reaction
- 50 Identify
- 51 Outer boundary
- 52 Undecorated
- 53 Affectionate greeting
- 54 Modify, as a manuscript
- 55 The Wizard of Oz dog
- 56 Large quantity
- 57 Observed

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Kyle Bush grabs first win of season Sunday

SONOMA, Calif. (AP) — After two practice sessions at Sonoma Raceway, Kyle Busch spent an evening icing his surgically repaired left foot.

He repeated the routine the night before Sunday's race, all in an effort to minimize pain and give himself the best chance to pick up a much-needed victory.

Just five races after returning from a broken right leg and shattered left foot, Busch made his way to victory lane to continue what already has been an impressive comeback.

He chased down Jimmie Johnson to win Sunday at Sonoma Raceway for his first NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory in 35 races.

The next goal for Busch? Cracking the top 30 in points to earn a berth in the Chase for the Sprint Cup championship.

"Now I don't have to bust my butt and overdrive the car every week in order to get wins," Busch said. "Now I can just concentrate on running top-three, top-five, top-eight — just getting those finishes and points."

"If we can do that, the points have got to come and fall on the line."

Busch was injured when he crashed into a concrete wall during the Feb. 21 Xfinity Series race the day before the Daytona 500. He missed 11 races but recovered far faster than anyone expected and returned to racing late last month.

NASCAR granted him a waiver upon his return that made him Chase eligible should he qualify, and Sunday's victory is the first step.

But he still must rank inside the top-30 in points to make the Chase. He started Sunday's race ranked 39th in the standings, and the win moved him to 37th. He has 10 races left to crack the top 30 — he's 136 points out of 30th — and heads next week back to Daytona, where his season nearly ended before it began.

To crack the top 30, Busch has to average roughly a 14th-place finish in each of the next 10 races.

"Certainly it's feasible, this team is good enough," Busch said.

Kurt Busch finished second as the brothers

notched their first 1-2 finish in Sprint Cup.

"I was trying to think if we've ever finished one two, and we did it today. That's a pretty special moment," Kurt Busch said. "I've got over 500 starts. I know he's over 300. Can you imagine, 800 starts between the two of us, we almost have 30 wins each, and that's the first time we've ever finished one-two?"

"I now I wish I would have gotten up there and moved him."

Busch also praised his little brother's comeback from both his injuries and in winning on a course in which he needed to rely heavily

on both legs.

"To have your leg broken, your foot shattered, to never be injured and out of the car ... rehab is very difficult, and it is a mental challenge, and I'm very proud of Kyle for what he's done to get back in the car as soon as he did," Kurt said.

"Then to be competitive at a track with hard, hard braking and to use his left foot to drive to victory lane, I'm very proud of him."

Busch's win at Sonoma was aided by a terrific restart with seven laps remaining. On fresh tires, he picked his way past five cars and set his sights on leader Jimmie Johnson.

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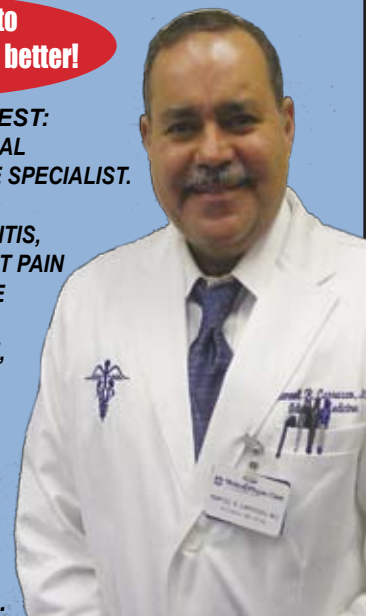
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