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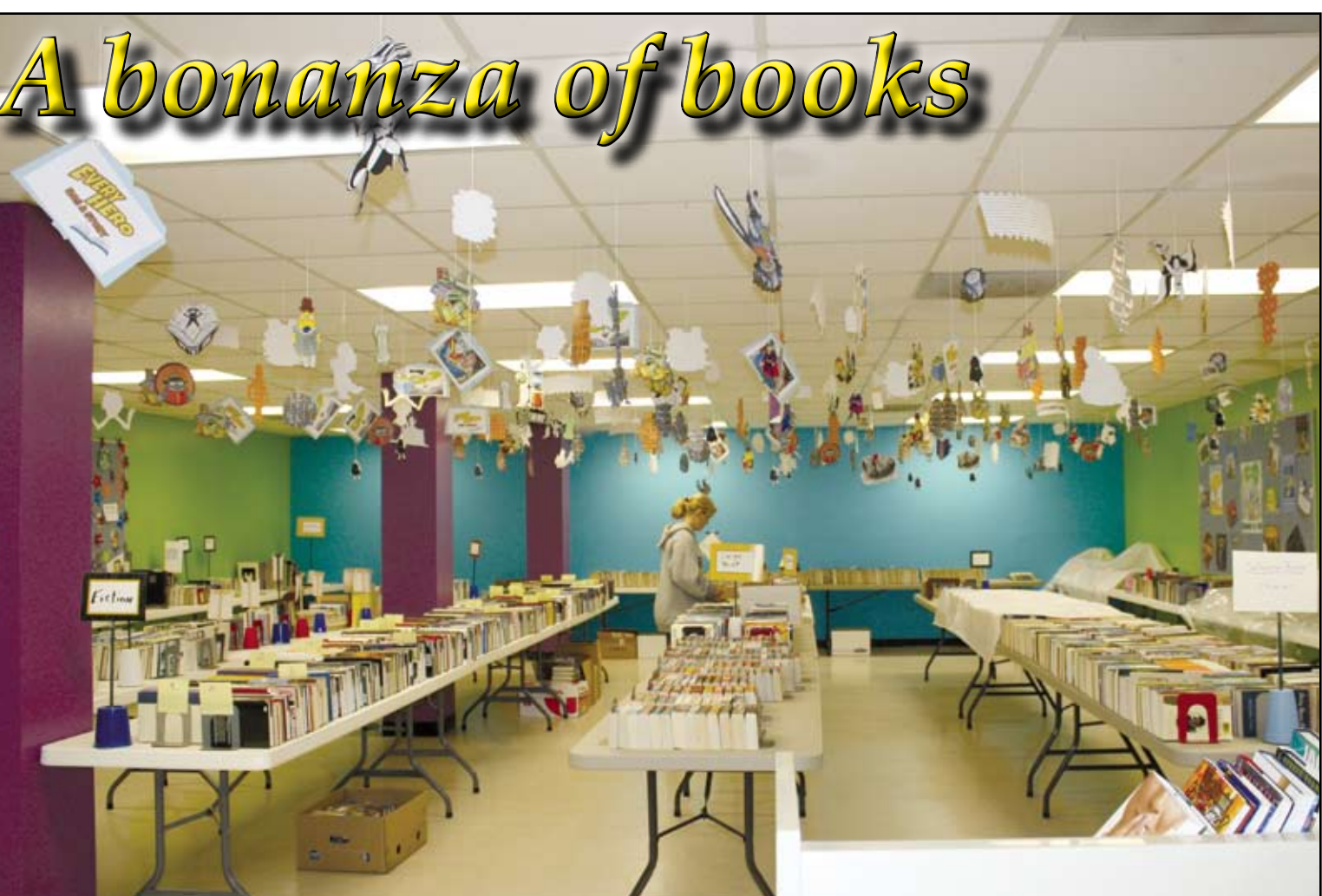


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A bonanza of books

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A girl browses through a selection of used books for sale in the Howard County Library basement Thursday. The Friends of the Library group is conducting the sale, which continues through Saturday.

Bands to take the field

Coahoma, Forsan to compete in area marching contests

BY LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

They may be playing at two different venues, but Coahoma and Forsan bands have the same goal in mind — make it to the next step.

The two bands will head north Saturday — Coahoma to Lubbock and Forsan to Amarillo — to participate in UIL Area Band competition, which is the last step to qualify for a slot in the state marching contest.

“The band gave an outstanding performance at Regional Marching contest last weekend,” said Jim Rhodes, Forsan High School band director. “We received straight ones. This is a great reward for these students, directors, and sponsors.”

Both Coahoma and Forsan qualified for their individual area contest after earning a Division I Rating at the Region 6 contest held in Odessa last Saturday. In that same competition, the Big Spring High School band also earned another Division I rating for its marching routine, however.

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‘Think Pink’ touts breast cancer awareness

Special to the Herald

Scenic Mountain Medical Center’s Healthy YOU! program is asking the community to “Think Pink” next Thursday.

In recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, SMMC and American Cancer Society have teamed up to spread awareness of the disease.

“Throughout the nation, the color pink tends to take over during the

month of October. While most people associate the color pink with breast cancer awareness, SMMC and ACS want to take it one step further and provide some education regarding early warning signs, the importance of early detection, and of course let the community know what resources are available should the need for them arise,” SMMC Marketing Manager Amanda Duforat said.

The Mammography and Bone Density Center, located in the Malone and

Hogan building on the second floor, will be the location of the “Think Pink” event from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. next Thursday. A short presentation informing the community of the services provided locally will be given by Director of Radiology Sims Kendall and statistics associated with breast cancer will be reported by Manny Negrón, ACS Community Manager.

“We are looking forward to being

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Lloyd Claxton, left, and James Fryar show off some of the items to be on display when the Mustang Draw Woodcarvers Club holds its annual Show and Sale starting next Monday at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

Carvers’ annual event starts Monday

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

A piece of wood is a piece of wood — unless you’re a woodcarver, and then it’s a canvas.

If you want to check out some of the finest woodcarving around, or if you want to learn how to carve, you might

want to head to Dora Roberts Community Center next week.

That’s where the Mustang Draw Woodcarvers Club will hold its annual Show and Sale Monday through Saturday. Hours are from 9 a.m. “until whenever we close,” club member James Fryar said.

The annual event serves as

both a showcase of club members’ talents and a teaching experience. On one hand, the public will get a chance to view some of the finest wood carvings to be found in this area. On the other, they can try their hand at the craft themselves.

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Howard College: Brookens in concert Saturday

BY LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

Music lovers in Big Spring will have a rare chance to hear a piccolo trumpet and harpsichord live at the next Howard College concert series, featuring trumpeter Justin Brookens on Saturday.

“Justin teaches adjunct at Drake University in Iowa, he is an elementary music teacher, and he continues to actively perform in and around the Lincoln and Omaha, Nebraska areas,” said Ethan Wills, Howard College assistant music professor and choral director. “This concert will also feature (Howard College) music chair Dan Kiley on trumpet. The two perform a



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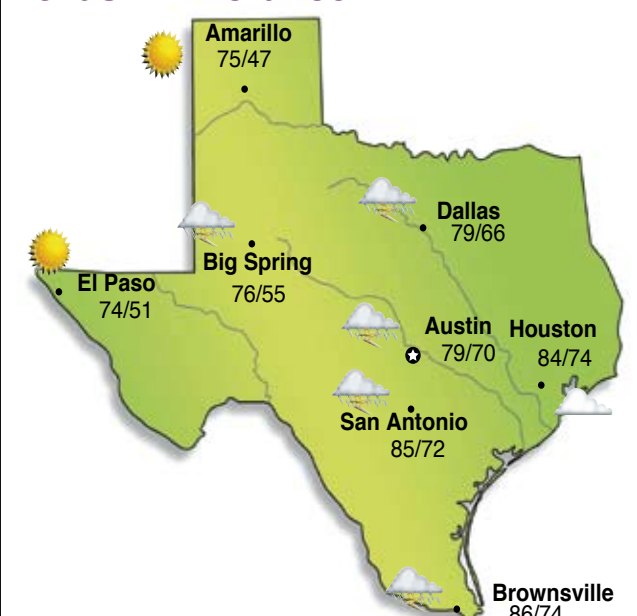
Evelyn Moore, 84, of Big Spring died Thursday, October 22, 2015. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Today's Weather

Local 5-Day Forecast

Sat 10/24	Sun 10/25	Mon 10/26	Tue 10/27	Wed 10/28
76/55 Partly to mostly cloudy skies with scattered thunderstorms in the morning.	65/47 Considerable cloudiness. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the upper 40s.	66/47 Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the upper 40s.	68/50 Considerable cloudiness. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 50s.	74/51 Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the low 50s.
Sunrise: 7:55 AM Sunset: 7:04 PM	Sunrise: 7:56 AM Sunset: 7:03 PM	Sunrise: 7:57 AM Sunset: 7:02 PM	Sunrise: 7:57 AM Sunset: 7:01 PM	Sunrise: 7:58 AM Sunset: 7:00 PM

Texas At A Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	79	61	t-storm	Kingsville	91	73	cloudy
Amarillo	75	47	sunny	Livingston	84	69	cloudy
Austin	79	70	t-storm	Longview	79	66	t-storm
Beaumont	81	69	cloudy	Lubbock	79	52	pt sunny
Brownsville	86	74	t-storm	Lufkin	84	68	t-storm
Brownwood	79	64	t-storm	Midland	79	58	pt sunny
Corpus Christi	85	75	t-storm	Raymondville	89	74	t-storm
Corsicana	76	68	t-storm	Rosenberg	83	73	cloudy
Dallas	79	66	t-storm	San Antonio	85	72	t-storm
Del Rio	83	69	t-storm	San Marcos	83	70	t-storm
El Paso	74	51	sunny	Sulphur Springs	75	66	t-storm
Fort Stockton	77	57	t-storm	Sweetwater	79	61	t-storm
Gainesville	77	64	t-storm	Tyler	76	68	t-storm
Greenville	75	66	t-storm	Weatherford	78	64	t-storm
Houston	84	74	cloudy	Wichita Falls	81	61	t-storm

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	80	54	pt sunny	Minneapolis	58	47	rain
Boston	50	38	sunny	New York	58	42	sunny
Chicago	67	60	rain	Phoenix	79	57	sunny
Dallas	79	66	t-storm	San Francisco	75	57	pt sunny
Denver	61	35	pt sunny	Seattle	60	47	pt sunny
Houston	84	74	cloudy	St. Louis	73	66	rain
Los Angeles	82	63	pt sunny	Washington, DC	67	45	sunny
Miami	85	74	pt sunny				

Moon Phases



UV Index

Sat 10/24	Sun 10/25	Mon 10/26	Tue 10/27	Wed 10/28
6	5	6	5	6
High	Moderate	High	Moderate	High

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection.

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Lottery

All or Nothing Night: 01-02-04-08-09-10-11-12-15-16-20-23.

Cash 5: 02-03-22-31-37.

Daily 4 Night: 0-0-9-5, Sum It Up: 14.

Pick 3 Night: 2-5-2, Sum It Up: 9.

Triple Chance: 02-12-15-18-21-30-31-36-42-49.

Two Step: 15-16-19-29, Bonus: 27

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Police and Sheriff's reports

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **CHRISTOPHER RYAN COLEGROVE**, 23, of 1604 Benton St., was arrested on a warrant for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and a warrant from another agency.

• **PEDRO VARGAS JR.**, 24, of 810 N. Loraine, Midland, was arrested on a charge of fail to identify - giving false/fictitious information.

• **JOEL VARGAS-MEZA**, 24, of unknown address, was arrested on charges of fail to identify - fugitive from justice, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, unlawfully carrying a weapon and a warrant from another agency.

• **NICHOLAS GREG MILLS**, 35, of 3005 Sherrod Rd. was arrested on three warrants from other agencies.

• **JOSE EDUARDO REYES-CAMACHO**, 22, of 409 Owens St., was arrested on charges of no driver's license and possession of marijuana, less than 2 ounces.

• **TIFFANY LASHA SNEED**, 42, of 3304 W. Hwy 80, was arrested on a warrant from another agency.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was

reported in the 1500 block of E. 11th St. and the 1300 block of Jeffrey Rd.

• **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 1500 block of Stadium.

• **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 1500 of E. 11th St. and the 1100 block of N. Lamesa Hwy.

• **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported in the 700 block of S. Bell.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 2900 block E. I 20, the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80 and the 1800 block of S. Gregg St.

• **BURGLARY IN PROGRESS** was reported in the 1500 block of Johnson St.

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

• Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 59 inmates at the time of this report.

• **MIGUEL CASTANEDA-CARDOZA**, 31, was booked by the HCSO on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

• **CHRISTOPHER RYAN COLEGROVE**, 23, was booked by the BSPD on a warrants for bail jumping, failure to appear, and unauthorized use of a vehicle.

• **NICHOLAS GREG MILLS**, 35, was booked by the BSPD on warrants for expired driver's license, violation of promise to appear, and evading arrest/detention with a vehicle.

• **MIGUEL ENRIQUE JUAREZ**, 27, was booked by the HCSO on warrants for failure to appear and theft, less than \$50.

• **JOSE EDUARDO REYES-COMACHO**, 22, was booked by the BSPD on charges of no driver's license and possession of marijuana, less than 2 ounces.

• **TIFFANY LASHA ROSS**, 42, was booked by the HCSO on warrants for delivery of a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance with intent to sell.

• **JOEL MEZA VARGAS**, 24, was booked by the BSPD on charges of failure to identify as a fugitive - intentionally giving false/fictitious information, unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, unlawful carrying of a weapon, and a warrant for identity theft.

• **PEDRO DALE VARGAS**, 24, was booked by the BSPD on a charge of failure to identify and giving false/fictitious information.

Support Groups

FRIDAY
• 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.
• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

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

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

MONDAY
• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 6:06 p.m. to 7 p.m.

• 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.; newcomers 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.

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Non-smoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

• Spring Tabernacle Ministries has a faith-based support group for those who need help finding and continuing to walk down the path God has for each of us. Meetings are at 11 a.m. until noon and again at 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The classes take place at Spring Tabernacle Ministries, located at 1209 Wright St.

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• 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.

• A Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

UPCOMING EVENTS
Oct. 24:
Pumpkin Patch and Pioneer Days:
Potton House 8AM-12PM
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Oct. 26-30:
Woodcarvers Show & Sale:
Dora Roberts Community Center
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Nov. 11:
Veteran's Day 5k Presented by GEO

Nov. 19:
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• The largest fundraiser for the Heritage Museum, the Silver Wings Ball will be held at the Hotel Settles. Cocktail hour will begin at 6 p.m. and dinner will be served at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$50 per person and can be purchased from any board member. To find out more information or to become a sponsor for the event, contact Hangar 25 Air Museum at 432-264-1999.

• Residents living in and around the Big Spring can learn about their risk for cardiovascular disease, osteoporosis, diabetes, and other chronic, serious conditions with affordable screenings by Life Line Screening. East Fourth Baptist Church will

host this community event on Nov. 19, 2015. The site is located at 401 E 4th St in Big Spring.

Screenings can check for:
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• The Howard County's Adopt a Military Hero: Christmas for the Troops is looking for APO addressees.

If you have a family member, friend, co-worker or anyone in your life that will be deployed during Christmas, Adopt a Military Hero is looking for their address to send a Christmas care package. Email the address to adoptmilitaryhero@sbcglobal.net or drop it off at Hardison Appliance located at 1606 E. 3rd St. no later than Nov. 7.

PINK

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able to share this education with the Big Spring and Howard County community. So many people have been affected by breast cancer or will be at some point in their life. "While great strides have been made

with this disease, the numbers affected are still high and it's time to bring them down," Duforat said.

"We hope that the community will join us, (both) men and women alike. This isn't just a woman issue, it's an issue that affects men as well. This event will not only be an opportunity to receive some educa-

tion, but it will also be time to ask any questions you may have or even schedule a mammogram if that's still on your to do list for the year," she continued.

The Yellow Rose Café will be providing refreshments during the event.

To RSVP for the event, contact Duforat at 432-268-4699.

BANDS

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er, this is not a state competition qualifying year for Class 4A.

The CHS band will march at 1:45 p.m. at Lowrey Field in Lubbock in the Class 3A Area contest, consisting of bands from Region 1, 6, and 16. Only three of the 16 bands competing will qualify for a state slot. This is the second trip to Area for the Big Red Band under the leadership of band director John Landin. In 2013, the band qualified for Area contest for the first time in recent memory.

"I feel that my students are ready to give their best," Landin said. "I am extremely proud of them and all of their hard work this season."

Senior drum majors Belia Nelson and Heather Goodger will lead off the CHS band as they take the field Saturday to perform its award-

winning routine, "Journey to a New World." The CHS assistant band director is Jessica Fox.

The FHS band will perform later in the afternoon at 3 p.m. at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo. The powerhouse band has one of the later performances in the Class 2A Area Marching Contest that consists of 21 bands. Only 10 bands will qualify for the area finals, which begins at 6 p.m.

"All the bands will be good at Area but competition still remains with Sundown (which earned third place in 2013 state competition), New Deal, Tahoka, Abernathy, and the unknown factor as well," Rhodes said. Our band continues to improve each day, and we hope for good weather, especially when you go north."

Only four bands will move on from Class 2A competition and the FHS band hopes to make its ninth trip to state. A proven competitor, FHS

has earned silver medals (second in state marching finals) in 2005, 2009 and 2013 and a gold medal (overall state winner) in 2007.

In 2013, the band fell one collective point behind Shiner High School, which was named the state champion at the competition held in San Antonio. The final results were a reversal compared to the prelims held earlier that morning. Forsan placed first in prelims followed by Shiner.

The 103-member band is led by drum majors Lindsey Boeker, a senior, and Hannah Beauchamp, a junior. Assisting Rhodes with the band this year are Chans Moellendorf and Misty Moellendorf.

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WOOD

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Monday through Thursday, club members will hold several classes for both avid carvers and beginners. Classes cost anywhere from \$5 to \$40, depending on the subject matter, and the club will provide all the materials you'll need — "even Band-Aids," Fryar joked.

The contest portion of the show will be held Friday. Entries in a variety of classes — ranging from miniatures to relief carvings to reli-

gious items — will be judged, with a winner in each division as well as a Best in Show announced.

On Saturday, the public will be invited — admission is free — to browse and buy various carvings, and vote for the People's Choice award, Fryar said.

But people can come out every day of the show if they're interested in buying something. Club member Lloyd Claxton said visitors are always welcome.

There will be drawings for two specialty items — a Christmas tree complete with 100 hand-carved ornaments

and a Nativity scene.

The club, which boasts members from across the West Texas area, meets on the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Sibley Learning Center on Garfield Street in Midland.

For more information on this year's event, contact Fryar at 270-2510.

Contact Staff Writer Steve Reagan at 263-7331 ext. 235 or by e-mail at reporter@bigspringherald.com

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Opinion

The disappearance of inflation

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DAILY PRAYER

May we remain diligent about reading Your word, Lord, for our life.

Amen

In a world in which the Cold War is a fading memory, North Korea and Cuba endure as museums of communism, so no one will forget how criminally insane it always was. In a world haunted by the specter of persistently falling prices, some countries are creating severe inflation, so we can be grateful for its virtual disappearance.

One of the governments providing this public service is that of Venezuela, where the currency has lost so much value that even robbers reject it. A recent carjacking victim told The New York Times his armed captors had no interest in his bolivars. They only wanted to know whether he had U.S. dollars stashed somewhere.

That sort of thing happens when annual inflation is over 150 percent. Feeding a family of five for a month cost three times more in August than it did a year before. Shortages abound; black markets are proliferating; and Venezuelans find themselves bartering goods and services to get by.

The source of the malady is plain: a socialist government that has mismanaged the economy, which is also feeling the pain of falling world prices for oil, the nation's chief export. "There's been a lack of respect and understanding of the implication of money printing and excessive money creation on the economy," former International Monetary Fund official Claudio Loser told The Wall Street Journal.

The more currency that is produced the less anyone wants it. "People are literally getting rid of money faster than the government can print it," Bank of America economist Francisco Rodriguez said.

Venezuelans find that their misery has only a little com-

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pany. The yearly rate in Argentina has run above 20 percent for years and is now around 30 percent. Malawi is at 24 percent. Each day, the coins and bills their citizens carry buy less than the day before.

This may be hard for Americans to imagine, given their recent experience. On average, over the past five years, the consumer price index has risen at the minimal rate of 2 percent annually, and the inflation rate hasn't reached 4 percent since 1991.

Many adults have never had the dread experience of watching prices rising rapidly across the board year after year.

Their elders, who were not so lucky, retain a fear of inflation in their bone marrow. Baby boomers were raised on lurid tales of hyperinflation in 1920s Germany, when consumers had to carry piles of money in wheelbarrows to do their normal shopping. That wasn't the worst of it. The trauma, we were taught, led to the rise of Adolf Hitler.

In the 1970s, we got our own taste of it. The U.S. inflation rate soared into double digits and stayed there. A bag of groceries that cost \$20 in 1972 cost \$46 in 1982. The price of gold skyrocketed from \$38 per ounce to \$615. Not much imagination was needed to picture a sudden run on wheelbarrows.

It didn't happen, thanks to

a Federal Reserve that, in the early 1980s, slammed on the brakes by raising interest rates and curbing monetary growth. Since then, inflation has stayed tame — to the point that these days, the debate is about whether we have enough of it. Charles Evans, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, recently argued that the central bank shouldn't raise interest rates until "we begin to see some sustained upward movement in core inflation."

That view is at odds with the demands of those Republicans who have been predicting a nasty outbreak of inflation since at least 2009. Conservatives once had to battle to get liberals to recognize the harm done by creating too much money. But rather than celebrate their victory, they keep fighting the last war. As a result, they ignore the new danger, which takes the form of deflation and slow growth.

In September, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported that U.S. inflation over the previous year was zero. The European Union's inflation was less than zero. Japan is in the same territory. Falling commodity prices are a threat to developing countries whose economies depend on exporting raw materials. A little inflation might be a good thing for growth.

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FROMA HARROP

Jeb Bush has dropped into single digits in the polls — and that's just among Republicans in his home state of Florida. What happened to the man with all the money, top name recognition and, according to last year's political sages, a clear shot at his party's presidential nomination?

The problem is all the money and how it may have clouded Bush's political judgment. He seems to have assumed that the cash pile freed him from the chore of dealing with the party's difficult grass-roots voters.

As part of this faulty thinking, he's been awfully blatant about advertising his availability as the go-to man for business interests seeking favors from government. Such interactions often take on the air of corporate welfare, despised by many in the Republican base and lots of others.

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But the biggest irony of how Bush swings the money bat is that he may have turned off some big-money donors, as well. Case in point is the apparent defection of Texas energy magnate T. Boone Pickens as a loyal benefactor, having penned him a check for \$100,000 early on.

The back story: Pickens' wind power company, Mesa Power, bid on huge energy contracts being granted by the province of

Ontario. Pickens lost to NextEra, an energy giant domiciled in Florida. Pickens is now in international court charging Ontario with having fixed the process in NextEra's favor. The court is expected to rule on the case shortly.

What does this have to do with Jeb Bush? NextEra, owner of Florida Light & Power, has been another bankroller of Bush campaigns.

As Florida governor in 2009, Bush infamously called for an increase in the company's electricity rates. To win support for the unpopular position, he held up the scary prospect of rolling blackouts and economic collapse if the state didn't go along. A longtime NextEra executive subsequently became a limited partner in one of Bush's private equity firms.

Pickens has begun to publicly throw support toward Carly Fiorina and Ben Carson. Perhaps he resents the Bush family's divided affections. He recently chided brother George W. for calling Ted Cruz selfish.

"Hell, they're all in it for themselves," Pickens said. That's the voice of one irritated man and also one who no longer sees a downside in alienating a Bush.

Here we have it, the political risk facing a politician with vast dynastic connections and so much campaign cash that he's declared the prohibitive front-runner. It opens the temptation to give corporate donors the impression that they need him more than he needs them. (Cough up, or I won't answer your call once I'm president.)

What about Donald Trump, who against logic continues to lead the Republican polls? Trump has a lot more money than Bush has. But Trump does the little people the honor of aiming his populist messages — both wise and ridiculous — directly to them. The big corporate donors are not on his team, his team comprising mainly himself. He doesn't owe them. That's the message.

Trump is probably as surprised as anyone that he's gotten as far as he has — and the thought of actually being elected president may horrify him. His candidacy seemed intended mainly to build his brand.

In any case, the showman knows to go for the people's love, whereas Bush seeks their allegiance. Love is something a candidate works for. Allegiance is extracted. Which would most of us prefer?

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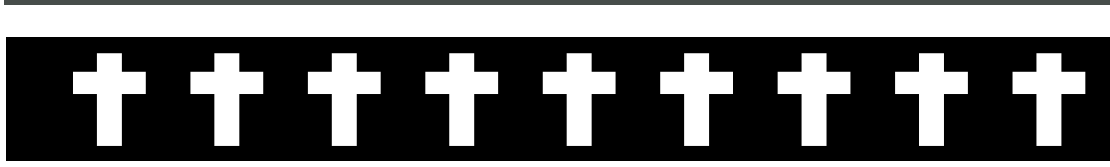
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Did you ever wonder: Locusts

When Pharaoh saw that the thunder and hail had stopped... as soon as the danger was past, he hardened his heart and did not send the people out.

Again, this may be tied to Pharaoh knowing that next month the wheat and spelt would be growing. It was his responsibility to provide food for his people. During the famine they had sold their land to him and sold themselves to him as servants. But there remained a chance to make a crop so that the people would have food.

And did you notice from the mention of the crops that the hail probably happened in late spring or early summer? That is when the barley makes. Wheat is ready to harvest in late summer.

This was the seventh plague. This time, Pharaoh confessed his sin, and he confessed that God is the Righteous One, if only God would make the hail stop! Pharaoh knew by now the awesome power of God Almighty, and he had a month to wonder what He would send next.

God's demand had now changed from a three

days' journey into the wilderness. Now, the wording was 'send them out!'

Moses and Aaron warned Pharaoh, "Tomorrow Hashem will send a swarm of locusts into your border. It will cover the earth and consume all that escaped the hail."

Only a month after the plague of hail, the wheat and spelt were about to make heads of grain.

And did you notice that the swarm of locusts would be confined to the borders of Egypt? This could not have been simply a swarm of locusts migrating across the countryside.

Studies of entomologists have shown that locusts and grasshoppers lay an enormous number of eggs during very hot and dry weather. Swarms of these insects often follow times of drought.

But a month earlier God sent a lot of moisture in the form of hail. God took precautions to show that the Hand of God brought this swarm of locusts.

Pharaoh's servants said, "How long will this be a snare for us? Send out the men that they may serve Hashem, their God! Do you not yet know that Egypt is lost?"

Pharaoh relented. He called Moses and Aaron back, saying, "Go and serve Hashem, your God! Which ones are going?" Pharaoh expected only the men who were head of a household would go.

Moses answered that everyone must go. The

strong men and the old, women and children, and all of their livestock would go out.

Here Pharaoh realized that he would lose all control over the Hebrews; they would not be obliged to come back. He shouted, "So be Hashem with you if I will let your children go!" This was said sarcastically. He continued, "Only the men may go!" And he drove them away.

The next morning an east wind carried the locust-swarm. It settled on Egypt from border to border, and ate all the greenery in Egypt.

Pharaoh hurriedly sent for Moses and Aaron. He begged Moses, "Entreat Hashem to forgive my sin just this time, and to remove from me only this death."

Do you see that Pharaoh asked only out of fear for his discomfort? "Deliver me from this death of starvation," was his concern.

God caused a very powerful west wind to carry the locusts away toward the Sea of Reeds. This was the eighth plague.

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Church News

First Presbyterian Church — Big Spring

The youth group schedule for Sunday evening is male chorus at 5:15 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m., followed by handbell choir and youth group.

Sarah Salinas is in charge of Take Ten for this Sunday. Ushers for Oct. are Buddy Cochrane, Lane Reynolds, Vicki McLean, and Mark McLean. Jenn Patterson is Lector for the month.

The Service Committee thanks everyone for the generous response to the Annual Fall Food Drive. Anyone who did not pick up a blue bag and list of food items and wishes to help with this effort may get those from the church office.

Sunday is Stewardship Commitment Day, when pledge cards will be collected during the worship service.

The lectionary is Job 42:1-6,10-17; Psalm 34:1-8,(19-22); Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52. The Noisy Offering will be collected during the children's moment, and pledge cards will be received during the service. The

service is a music worship service, featuring our retiring choir director and organist Mike Mitchell. The choir will present anthems "Kumbaya," arranged by Sjolund, and "With Songs of Rejoicing," by J. S. Bach. "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," arranged by Gilbert Martin will be the offertory anthem. Mitchell will offer three solos on the organ: "Imperial March" by Edward Elgar, "Sinfonia" by G.F. Handel, and "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands" arranged by John Barr. The worship service will be followed by a Farewell Lunch for Mike at Dora Roberts Community Center.

Please note that our worship service begins at 10:50 a.m. for announcements and parish concerns before our radio broadcast starts at 11 a.m.

The regular Wednesday church activities are the following: 5:17 p.m., the lectionary Bible study, led by Craig Holstedt and Tom Koger; children's choir, 4:30 p.m. and young women's choir, 5:15 p.m. Beginning next week, Oct. 28, the chancel choir will meet for rehearsal at 6:30 p.m.

If you cannot attend worship, you may listen in on KBST 1490 AM., beginning at 11 a.m. If you wish to have a printed bulletin for Sunday services, please call the church office at 263-4211. You may also see what's happening at the church by visiting our website: www.fpcbs.org. On our website, you can find a link that will enable you to listen to several recent sermons by Rev. Craig Holstedt. Like us on Facebook.

Forsan Baptist Church

This Sunday our message is titled, "Banana Peels," and comes from Psalm 119:113-120.

This week we will continue our study series on Sunday evenings called, "Heaven: Now and Then." This study will focus on what Heaven may be like as we enter it now, and what it will be like when Jesus returns. This Sunday evening our topic of discussion will be, "The Tribulation, Part X: God's Property."

We have begun an American Sign Language class at the church on Tuesdays at 6 p.m. This class will include fundamentals of sign language, spelling, counting, and conversational communication.

On Oct. 25, we will have a covered dish lunch at the church directly after morning worship. Come join us for worship and fellowship on that special day.

Our annual Trunk or Treat will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 28 in the west parking lot of the church. This is open to kids of all ages. It is a time for family fellowship and a safe environment for kids. You are welcome to participate by bringing a vehicle and passing out candy and prizes from your trunk or tailgate, or set up carnival-type games for the kids to play. We are also accepting candy donations for the event. Friendly costumes are welcome, but please avoid anything scary or demonic.

Regular youth and children's activities are in full swing on Wednesdays with special afternoon classes at 4 p.m. Our current after-school classes are Art and Pinewood Derby. Youth

and children's meal will be served at 5:30 p.m., and age-appropriate classes will begin at 6 p.m. We will be offering CHAOS for youth, GAs for girls, RAs for boys, and Heroes in Training for kids age 3-5.

Our church is located at 201 Main in Forsan. Sunday school begins at 9:50 a.m., with worship services at 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday services begin at 6 p.m. Rides for all youth activities are available if arranged ahead of time. Call the church at 432-457-2342 or Pastor Darren Weaver at 432-213-2348.

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Sunday service begins at 9 a.m. with Bible study and Sunday school at 10:15 a.m. If you are new to the area or haven't been to church before or in a while, please accept this as an invitation to join us this Sunday.

Dolline Budke will present the scripture readings this week.

Our Wednesday night Bible study began again on Sept. 16, 2015. A meal is served from 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. and classes are from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Please join us this week.

Tune in to KBYG every morning for a devotional sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Tune in to 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 a.m. and 6:50 a.m. each morning for "Morning Meditation Thoughts".

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Do you know Him – or just say that you do?

1 John 2:4-6, *Whoever says "I know him" but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him, but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him: whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked (ESV).* By way of reminder, John's first letter to Christians is all about fellowship – what it is,



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how to have it, and how to maintain it. Our partnership with God and Christ can only be established and maintained by doing things according to God's terms and not by what I think or want. In the verses above, John is saying that there were some people, even in the early church, that said they "knew" Jesus but because they were not keeping His commandments, John says they do not have a relationship with God. What was true then is still true today. Simply because you say you are a Christian, does not make it so. If we do not keep the commandments of Jesus, then we do not know Him, which means we don't have fellowship with the

Father and Jesus.

John wants Christians to feel secure in their relationship with God and Christ. But he also wants Christians to understand there are things that must (ought) to be done in order to maintain that relationship. We also need to realize how we get into Jesus in the first place. The Apostle Paul, also writing to Christians, says in Galatians 3:26-27, *for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ (ESV).* In Romans 6:3-4, Paul also writes to Christians, *Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were bap-*

tized into his death? We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life (ESV). Obedience to the gospel puts a person into Christ. Keeping His commandments and abiding in His word is what keeps a person in Christ. And as long as the Christian is walking in the light, God maintains a relationship with that believer and the blood of Jesus keeps that person cleansed, even when they miss the mark from time to time.

Greg Surles is the preacher at Birdwell Lane church of Christ

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Sunday:
Bible Study - 9 a.m.
Worship - 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Class - 9:30 a.m.
Bible Study and devotional - 7 p.m.

Blessed Hands Deaf Church

Come praise God with us Sunday as we gather at 10:50 a.m. and 2 p.m. Pastor Jim Walterhouse and the congregation of Blessed Hands Deaf Church invite you to select a service time that fits your schedule and join them in worship. Currently, BHDC meets inside First Baptist Church at 705 W. FM 700.

For Wednesday evening schedule and more information about Blessed Hands Deaf Church, contact Pastor Jim at: jwalterhouse@gmail.com.

First Baptist Church

Join us in worship Sunday at 10:50 a.m. Pastor Mark Lindsey begins a new sermon series titled "The Mission" which focuses on the invitation of God to join Him as He redeems the world to Himself. During the service there will be a special time of distributing shoeboxes to be filled for Operation Christmas Child. Following morning worship, everyone is welcome to attend a potluck luncheon to welcome our new Children's Minister, Justin Green, his wife Megan, and daughter Macy. If you are unable to attend the morning service, you may watch through the live stream on our website at: fbcbigspring.org.

At 9:30 a.m., Sunday school groups meet throughout the building with children gathering in the 'Good News Garage' on the first floor, and youth, college students, and adults meeting in second floor classrooms. The 'New Beginnings' class is led by Pastor Lindsey and is designed to inform those interested in our church, and new members, about the beliefs, structure, and practices of FBC. Come early for fellowship and coffee; greeters are happy to assist you in finding your class.

Sunday evening from 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m., the acclaimed study "Financial Peace" by Dave Ramsey meets in the second floor youth department. Childcare is provided at the church. Call 267-8223 for additional information.

Youth will gather at the Raffini's home from 6 p.m. - 7 p.m. Sunday night for a time of fellowship, food, and Bible study. Transportation is available; contact youth pastor Jonathan Raffini at 270-8223 for details.

Get ready for the upcoming week by joining us for our evening worship service at 6 p.m. Pastor Lindsey continues to lead us in God's Word on a journey through the Old Testament.

Upward Basketball evaluations continue Monday October 26 from 4-7.

We look forward to seeing you at our annual Fall Festival on Oct. 31 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. It will be a fun time for everyone.

Wednesday evening begins with a meal served in the Family Life Center from 5 p.m. - 6 p.m., followed by activities for all age groups and life stages. Go to: fbcbigspring.org for details. Join us Wednesday for hamburgers and hot dogs.

First Baptist Church is located at 701 W. FM 700. You are always welcome at FBC.

Cornerstone Covenant Church

Cornerstone Covenant Church invites you to join us Sunday at 10:30 a.m. for the celebration of our Eighth Annual Church Anniversary with special guest speaker, Pastor Barney Carbajal and wife Sandi of Abundant Life Christian Center of Belen, New Mexico.

Saturday at 2 p.m. join the Outreach Ministry Team as we head to Northcrest Apartments. We will be meeting in the church parking lot right in front before departing at 2 p.m.

Wednesday at 7 p.m. Bella Willard will be hosting the Women's Bible Study with a new series by Pricilla Shirer called, "The Armor of God!" This class will be held in the main sanctuary. The men will join Pastor Willard in the Chapel (formally the

fellowship hall) for a time in the Word. Don't forget to bring your remote controls from home

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A free small fellowship meal is served each Sunday morning at 10 a.m. and Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the Misfits Lounge, Children's Welcome Center and the Youth Lounge; three locations for your convenience and fellowship.

Join us Sunday at 10:30 a.m. for worship. (CCC offers nursery and children church for both mid-week and Sunday services).

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other question about the ministry contact our Administrative Office at 432-264-0015. You can also find us on facebook; ccbbigspring; or visit us at www.ccbbigspring.org if you would like more information.

First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad. We have fellowship with coffee and donuts beginning at 9:15 a.m., Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m., and worship begins at 10:50 a.m. where we celebrate an open table at communion every Sunday. Sunday is the monthly board meeting, all members are encouraged to attend.

Our guest minister is Dan Miracle who will have a sermon taken from Mark 10:46-52 where we hear how we too can be healed by our faith just as Bartimaeus, the blind beggar. Enhancing our worship are Tara Trowbridge, choir director and Lawrence Thibeault, our pianist. They will lead our singing with "My Hope is Built", "Have Thine Own Way, Lord", and "How Firm a Foundation", just to name a few.

Remember that First Christian will be having their annual Trunk or Treat in conjunction with First Presbyterian and St. Mary's Episcopal in the front parking lot of First Christian Church, 911 Goliad St. We look forward to seeing lots of scary, funny, and original characters that night trick or treating. Trunk or Treat will be Saturday, Oct. 31 from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. (a time change from the previously set time). Hope to see you all.

Again, if you would like more information regarding our church services, Isaiah 58, or if you just need someone to pray with you, please contact our office between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Friday at 432-517-4821.

First Church of the Nazarene

Trunk or Treat at First Church of the Nazarene will be Saturday, Oct. 31 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the church parking lot at 1400 Lancaster. This event is free to all that attend. This year our trunk or treat is going to be unlike any other and will be sure to captivate those that come.

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Niemi, Stars roll to fifth straight win, beat Penguins 4-1

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Dallas goaltender Antti Niemi weathered an offensive storm in the first 10 minutes Thursday night. His teammates rewarded him with a big lead, and the Stars rolled from there.

Jason Spezza put Dallas up by three goals with his fifth of the season in the second period, and the Stars beat the Pittsburgh Penguins 4-1 on Thursday night for their fifth straight victory.

"I didn't think we were really good at the start," Stars defenseman Johnny Oduya said. "(Niemi) made some great saves. Otherwise we could've been down two or three goals."

Oduya and John Klingberg scored their first goals of the season and Mattias Janmark got his third, helping the Stars finish a perfect four-game trip and improve to 6-1-0 overall.

Niemi stopped 33 shots for his third victory of the season and fourth straight against Pittsburgh. Niemi made 37 saves in a 3-0 win against the Penguins two weeks ago in Dallas.

"We knew there would be a big push," Stars coach Lindy Ruff said. "Our goaltender gave us a couple big ones and we responded with finding a way to score a couple."

Nick Bonino scored his first goal for Pittsburgh (3-4-0). The Penguins couldn't extend a three-game win streak.

Evgeni Malkin's four-game points streak ended, as did his stretch of three straight games with a goal. The Penguins have scored 11 goals in their first seven games. They ended a five-game homestand, their longest this season, and will play six of their next sev-

en on the road.

Marc-Andre Fleury, who started each of the Penguins' first seven games, made 19 saves.

"I thought we came out with a lot of intensity," Penguins' coach Mike Johnston said. "We were generating a lot of momentum with shots, but after that I thought we tried to get too cute with the puck and we passed up shots."

"That got us into trouble because Dallas is a transition team and they stung us in and they stung us a couple times."

Jamie Benn and Tyler Seguin entered with a combined 10 goals and 20 points during Dallas' hot start, but didn't factor into the Stars' scoring Thursday.

Dallas finished seven points out of a playoff spot last season after dropping 17 of its first 26 games.

"For me, it's about making progress," Ruff said. "So far, we're happy with it."

Pascal Dupuis returned to the lineup for Pittsburgh and played his first regular-season game in nearly a year after recovering from a torn ACL and separate bouts with career-threatening blood clots.

The 36-year-old Dupuis was limited to 55 games during the previous two seasons combined, scoring six goals in 16 games last season before missing the final five months because of the blood clots. He



Dallas Stars' Johnny Oduya (47) celebrates his goal with teammate Jason Demers (4) during the first period of an NHL hockey game against the Pittsburgh Penguins in Pittsburgh, Thursday, Oct. 22, 2015

scored once in four preseason games this season, but missed the first two weeks with a lower-body injury unrelated to the blood clots.

"I'm happy to be back, but I'm definitely not happy with the result," Dupuis said. "We started well, but we had a little letdown."

Niemi kept Pittsburgh off the board with a several key saves early, including a short-handed breakaway stop on Dallas.

Dallas took over from Oduya's fluttering shot from the left point made it 1-0 with 9:05 left in the first.

The Stars scored again four

minutes later with a power-play goal, their seventh in as many games. Klingberg pulled the puck around Dupuis at the blueline and fired a hard wrist shot to the top-left corner.

After David Perron's ugly turnover in his own zone, Spezza took the puck into the slot and snapped a wrist shot over Fleury's glove hand.

Bonino scored midway through the second, but Janmark helped Dallas regain its three-goal edge less than three minutes later. Fleury denied Valeri Nichushkin's initial redirection in front, but Janmark scored on the rebound.

NOTES: Bonino left in the third period after an elbow from Jason Demers, who was assessed a game misconduct. ... Penguins' second-round pick Daniel Sprong, who missed Tuesday's game because of work visa issues, was scratched on Thursday. ... Pittsburgh also scratched D Adam Clendening and F Bobby Farnham, while Dallas sat defensemen Jamie Oleksiak and Patrik Nemeth. ... Both teams are back in action Saturday as the Penguins visit Nashville while Dallas begins a four-game homestand against Florida.

Dodgers and Mattingly part ways in mutual agreement

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Don Mattingly and the Los Angeles Dodgers stuck to their scripts Thursday, insisting they agreed to a mutual parting of the ways while never revealing the exact reason he won't return as manager.

Like a publicist announcing the demise of a Hollywood marriage, the parties insisted the split was amicable. Mattingly even suggested he "will be friends like forever" with his former bosses.

"I don't really want to get into details of our conversations. They were good conversations, they were open and they were honest," Mattingly said by phone from his offseason home

in Evansville, Indiana. "It just became evident that this was the best thing for both parties."

At Dodger Stadium, president of baseball operations Andrew Friedman and general manager Farhan Zaidi parroted the same vacuous message.

"It was kind of organic," Friedman said. "It just kind of crystalized that is something that potentially made a lot of sense."

Before that conclusion, the parties discussed extending Mattingly's contract beyond next year, its final season.

"When we started on Friday we expected him to be our manager in 2016," Friedman said.

"I think that was his thought process, also."

But something clearly changed as the discussions wore on. Exactly what it was neither side would specify.

"It came back to this was the right time and right thing," Mattingly said. "Andrew, Farhan and Josh (Byrnes) are great guys and they're going to do great things. The organization is in great shape."

Mattingly said he felt wanted, his players backed him, and Friedman and Zaidi expressed their respect and admiration for him, making it all the more puzzling why he's walking away from a storied organization that boasts baseball's highest pay-

roll. Neither side shed any light to help the franchise's longtime fans understand the move.

"If there is a reason that this happened we would share it," Friedman said. "It's not so black-and-white here. There's a huge middle, and it's gray there. We're not hiding anything. It really is how things played out."

Zaidi said a contract extension was discussed, but no official offer was made.

"I've had my own level of cynicism hearing about people mutually parting ways," he said. "We can sit up here with all level of sincerity and say that's how it came about."

Los Angeles was 44-36 in five years under Mattingly, finishing with a winning record in every season and claiming the last three NL West titles. But the Dodgers have not reached the World Series since winning the championship in 1988. The 54-year-old former Yankees star ranks sixth in wins among Dodgers managers.

Friedman said he expects to hire a manager by the start of baseball's winter meetings that run Dec. 7-10 in Nashville, Tennessee. He and Zaidi began discussing possible candidates Wednesday, including those with and without previous managerial experience. They declined

to reveal names.

"We expect to have a younger team going forward," Zaidi said.

The contracts of Mattingly's coaches are expiring, and they have been told they are free to look for new jobs, Friedman said.

Friedman called the circumstances of Mattingly's departure "a little bit of an unusual situation."

After the Dodgers lost 3-2 to the New York Mets in a decisive Game 5 of the NL Division Series, Mattingly met over the last week with Friedman, Zaidi and Josh Byrnes, senior vice president of baseball operations.

Scoreboard

TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL
HOUSTON ASTROS — Named Doug White minor league pitching coordinator; Mark Bailey minor league catching coordinator; Morgan Ensberg minor league mindset coach; Leon Roberts roving minor league outfield instructor; Josh Miller minor league complex pitching coordinator; Dyar Miller pitching coach and Ralph Dickerson hitting coach of Fresno (PCL); Taylor Rhoades strength and conditioning coach of Corpus Christi (TL); Michael Burns pitching coach and Dwayne Peterson strength and conditioning coach of Lancaster (Cal); Wladimir Sutil coach of Quad Cities (MWL); Lamarr Rogers manager and Ace Adams pitching coach of Tri-City (NYP); and Chris Holt pitching coach of Greeneville (SAL).
MINNESOTA TWINS — Assigned OF Shane Lohp, C Eric Fryer and RHP Aaron Thompson outright to Rochester (IL).
TEXAS RANGERS — Reinstated 2B Jurickson

Profar from the 60-day DL. Announced 1B Kyle Blanks declined outright assignment and elected free agency.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Assigned INF Darwin Barney outright to Buffalo (IL).
National League
CINCINNATI REDS — Announced the contracts of bench coach Jay Bell, pitching coach Jeff Pico and assistant hitting coach Lee Tinsley will not be renewed. Reassigned third base coach Jim Riggleman to bench coach, first base coach Billy Hatcher to third base and outfielders coach and infield coach Freddie Benavides to first base and infielders coach.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Announced manager Don Mattingly agreed not to return next season.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
ATLANTA HAWKS — Waived G/F Terran Petteway.
CHICAGO BULLS — Waived Gs Jordan Crawford and Ramon Simmons.
CLEVELAND CAVA-

LIERS — Signed F Tristan Thompson to a five-year contract.
OKLAHOMA CITY THUNDER — Waived Gs Michael Qualls, Julyan Stone and Dez Wells and F Talib Zanna.
SACRAMENTO KINGS — Waived G David Stockton.
SAN ANTONIO SPURS — Signed F Julian Washburn.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
ARIZONA CARDINALS — Released RB Mike Gillislee from the practice squad. Signed WR Ryan Spadola to the practice squad. Re-signed RB Robert Hughes to the practice squad.
CHICAGO BEARS — Terminated the contract of DL Jeremiah Ratliff. Signed DL Ziggy Hood. Signed DE Olsen Pierre to the practice squad.
CLEVELAND BROWNS — Signed OT Andrew McDonald and QB Matt Blanchard to the practice squad.
DENVER BRONCOS — Signed CB Tony Carter.

Signed RB Kapri Bibbs to the practice squad.
JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS — Released S Craig Loston from the practice squad. Signed WR Neal Sterling and RB Joe Banyard to the practice squad.
MIAMI DOLPHINS — Signed DB Jonathan Dowling to the practice squad.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Placed DT Shamar Stephen on injured reserve. Signed WR Jordan Leslie to the practice squad.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Released DL Khyri Thornton. Released OL Brennan Williams from the practice squad.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS — Signed LB Markus Pierce-Brewster to the practice squad.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed DT Kendrick Ellis.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Signed WR Rasheed Bailey to the practice squad.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS — Released QB Brad Sorensen from the practice squad. Signed G Michael Huey to the practice squad.

Canadian Football League
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Released WR Jace Davis from the practice roster. Signed DL Jake Thomas to a contract extension and QB Bryan Bennett to the practice roster.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ARIZONA COYOTES — Assigned F Matthias Plachta to Springfield (AHL).
CAROLINA HURRICANES — Reassigned D Rasmus Rissanen to Charlotte (AHL). Recalled D Bret Pesce from Charlotte.
COLORADO AVALANCHE — Reassigned F Mikko Rantanen to San Antonio (AHL). Recalled F Dennis Everberg from San Antonio.
EDMONTON OILERS — RW Iiro Pakarinen from Bakersfield (AHL). Assigned F Andrew Miller to Bakersfield.
TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING — Assigned F Brian Hart from Syracuse (AHL) to Greenville (ECHL).
American Hockey League

SAN DIEGO GULLS — Assigned Fs Bryan Moore and Kenny Ryan to Utah (ECHL).
ECHL
ADIRONDACK THUNDER — Released F Stephen Bucu.
COLORADO EAGLES — Loaned F Drayson Bowman to Charlotte (AHL).
GREENVILLE SWAMP RABBITS — Released F Paul Rodrigues.
TOLEDO WALLEYE — Loaned F Evan Rankin to Lehigh Valley (AHL).
SOCCER
National Women's Soccer League
CHICAGO RED STARS — Claimed M Brittny Bock off waivers.
COLLEGE
BYU — Suspended LB Sione Takitaki for the remainder of the season.
SUSQUEHANNA — Named Tony Decker strength and conditioning coach.
VERMONT — Announced the retirement of athletic director Robert Corran, effective at the end of June 2016.

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Notice of Draft Federal Operating Permit
Draft Permit No.: O3747

Application and Draft Permit. WTG Gas Processing, L.P., 211 N Colorado St, Midland, TX 79701-4607, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an initial issuance of Federal Operating Permit (herein referred to as Permit) No. O3747, Application No. 21853, to authorize operation of the South Feagan 2 Treating Facility, a Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas facility. The area addressed by the application is located at from Big Springs, go S. on US 87 for 6.7 miles, Turn W. on RR 33, go 0.9 miles, Turn W. on FM 818, go 3.4 miles, Turn N. on Lease Rd. & go 0.2 miles to site on right in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas 79720. This link to an electronic map of the site or

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facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to the application. You can find an electronic map of the facility at: <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=32.157777&lng=-101.537222&zoom=13&type=r>. This application was received by the TCEQ on September 8, 2014.

The purpose of a federal operating permit is to improve overall compliance with the rules governing air pollution control by clearly listing all applicable requirements, as defined in Title 30 Texas Administrative Code § 122.10 (30 TAC § 122.10). The draft permit, if approved, will codify the conditions under which the area must operate. The permit will not authorize new construction. The executive director has completed the technical review of the application and has made a preliminary decision to prepare a draft permit for public comment and review. The executive director recommends issuance of this draft permit. The permit application, statement of basis, and draft permit will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ Central Office, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building E, First Floor, Austin, Texas; the TCEQ Midland Regional Office, 9900 W Interstate 20 Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79706-2636; and the Howard County Library, 500 S. Main St., Big Spring, Texas, beginning the first day of publication of this notice. The draft permit and statement of basis are available at the TCEQ Website:

www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/tvno/otice

At the TCEQ central and regional offices, relevant supporting materials for the draft permit, as well as the New Source Review permits which have been incorporated by reference, may be reviewed and copied. Any person with difficulties obtaining these materials due to travel constraints may contact the TCEQ central office file room at (512) 239-1540.

Public Comment/Notice and Comment Hearing. Any person may submit written comments on the draft permit. Comments relating to the accuracy, completeness, and appropriateness of the permit conditions may result in changes to the draft permit.

A person who may be affected by the emission of air pollutants from the permitted area may request a notice and comment hearing. The purpose of the notice and comment hearing is to provide an additional opportunity to submit comments on the draft permit. The permit may be changed based on comments pertaining to whether the permit provides for compliance with 30 TAC Chapter 122 (examples may include that the permit does not contain all applicable requirements or the public notice procedures were not satisfied). The TCEQ may grant a notice and comment hearing on the application if a written hearing request is received within 30 days after publication of the newspaper notice. The hearing request must include the basis for the request, including a description of how the person may be affected by the emission of air pollutants from the application area. The request should also specify the conditions of the draft permit that are

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inappropriate or specify how the preliminary decision to issue or deny the permit is inappropriate. All reasonably ascertainable issues must be raised and all reasonably available arguments must be submitted by the end of the public comment period. If a notice and comment hearing is granted, all individuals that submitted written comments or a hearing request will receive written notice of the hearing. This notice will identify the date, time, and location for the hearing.

Written public comments and/or requests for a notice and comment hearing should be submitted to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or electronically at www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html and be received within 30 days after the date of newspaper publication of this notice. If you communicate with the TCEQ electronically, please be aware that your email address, like your physical mailing address, will become part of the agency's public record.

A notice of proposed final action that includes a response to comments and identification of any changes to the draft permit will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments, a hearing request, or requested to be on the mailing list for this application. This mailing will also provide instructions for public petitions to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to request that the EPA object to the issuance of the proposed permit. After receiving a petition, the EPA may only object to the issuance of a permit which is not in compliance with the applicable requirements or the requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 122.

Mailing List. In addition to submitting public comments, a person may ask to be placed on a mailing list for this application by sending a request to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address above. Those on the mailing list will receive copies of future public notices (if any) mailed by the Chief Clerk for this application.

Information. For additional information about this permit application or the permitting process, please contact the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Public Education Program, MC-108, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or toll free at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained for WTG Gas Processing, L.P. by calling Ms. Elena Hofmann at (713) 983-0112.

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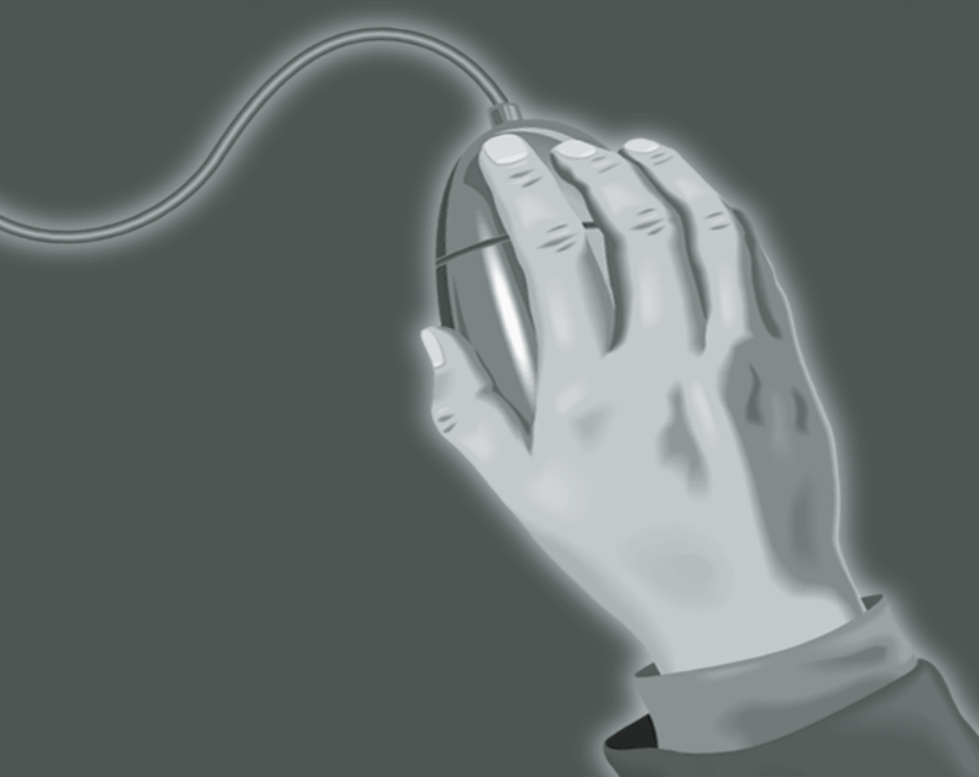
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Tomorrow's Horoscope



Scorpio Dawning

The sun enters Scorpio, circulating deeper psychological truths. This time of year encourages us to live more fully by being honest about our passions and our agendas.

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suspect has a crush on you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). While looking for fun, don't expect to find it in leisure. All the excitement is bound up inside a knotty problem.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Though it would seem only fair that the one who does the most work is also the one most rewarded when the work is done, unfortunately, it doesn't always happen that way.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). This day will spike with excitement, and then -- whoosh -- fall into lulls of long, flat time. It's a roller coaster you'll find enjoyable once you resign yourself to going along for the ride.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). When they don't act right (and they won't in some of today's instances), try to think of the bad manners as a sign of lacking knowledge and training, not as a personal deficit.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). As many people try to get your attention at once, your powers of focus will be challenged. Though it's nice to be needed and popular, you could also feel harried by all the commotion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). What you most want to do might be something you know is wrong. Just know you're not alone. Being good isn't easy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You might not agree with or approve of another person's choices, but your sophistication of mind and your worldly style hinge on the one crucial attitude that peace depends on: tolerance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). In the same way that bad art lacks an artistic point of view, bad dates lack a romantic point of view. You'll have the most fun with people who know what they like, what they are looking

for and why. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). It's easier for you to meet another person's needs when you know what they are. Ask. If what you learn isn't what you wanted to hear, chances are you'll be willing to adjust your thinking in the name of harmony.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). So much will go right when you avoid two things: worrying about the future, and worrying about now. Without the anxious energy, you'll enjoy seizing your opportunities.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 23). Dreaming is your forte this year. You will continue to see things as they ought to be, and your idealistic views pave the way for a beautiful future. November brings a big, lucky commitment. Come up with a business plan in the next 10 weeks. A winning performance at the start of 2016 will help you move up at work.

WEEKEND LOVE

FORECAST: ARIES: Witty repartee is a turn-on for you, which is why you'll gravitate toward the brainy and verbal types. TAURUS: You're attracted to a certain attitude more than a certain body type. GEMINI: You prefer not to make concrete plans and will have the most fun when you're free to go where the mood takes you. CANCER: Friendships get interesting. Glimmers of romance show up in unexpected places. LEO: Your exes haunt your mind and stock your social media. It's good to be wanted. VIRGO: The feeling is mutual, and so why not make some plans together? LIBRA: Because you listen so well, you'll win the heart and attention of one who has a lot to unburden. SCORPIO: Can a person actually feel you thinking about him or her? Yes. SAGITTARIUS: Trust that your love life is going to work out for your highest and best good. CAPRICORN: Back when you dreamed about this, you were a different person. Reflect. What are your thoughts

now? AQUARIUS: Glamour is a nice thing to strive for, but being real and doing what's right is obviously much more important. PISCES: Once again, you'll be reminded that you can't help who you're attracted to, but you can help what you do about it.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND: The prevalent water-sign energy beckons relationships to the deeper side this weekend, and none gets deeper than a Scorpio and Pisces couple. The moon in Pisces and the sun in the very early stages of Scorpio intensifies the attraction between these two signs, who likely feel as though they have known each other for several lifetimes.

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Annie's Mailbox

Dear Annie: Two nights ago, I witnessed my best friend being verbally abused by her boyfriend. The boyfriend was drunk and probably doing something illegal.

I listened to him yell at her on the phone all night while we were supposed to be spending time together for her birthday. It was 3 a.m., and he was demanding that I pick him up on my way to take her home.

I let my friend know that she can call me if she needs anything, and dropped her off at their house. Although I'm sure her boyfriend will eventually get himself arrested for violating his probation, I feel it is up to me to report him. But if I do, I will lose her friendship.

Dear Unsure: We aren't certain what this man was doing that violated his probation. Yelling at his girlfriend isn't enough to warrant a report, unless there is a restraining order preventing him from phoning her. Does his

probation state that he cannot drink? If so, you should report him and let the chips fall. But a suspicion that he might have been doing something illegal is not sufficient, and the police likely would not pick him up for that unless you could provide proof. And without any evidence, he could accuse you of harassment.

Please be careful. This guy sounds like a loose cannon. Your friend should call the National Domestic Violence Hotline (the-hotline.org) at 1-800-799-SAFE and ask for help.

Dear Annie: I'd like to offer some additional advice to "Can't Stop Crying," who wants to keep the dog confined because "Lassie" scratches the floors, wears down the furniture and leaves dog hair all over. Her husband thinks she's being cruel and refuses to compromise. Now he sleeps with the dog, and she's in tears. Your suggestion to get a trainer to intercede was good, but it won't help with the dog hair.

My savior was an indoor invisible fence. It is a small unit that plugs into an outlet creating a barrier. Our dogs have freedom throughout the downstairs, except

for the formal living and dining room. And the invisible fence also prevents the dogs from going upstairs to our bedrooms. We allow the dogs on the family room furniture, which gives them lots of snuggle time with us. The durability of washable dog blankets protects the furniture and can be removed when we have company.

Our dogs are spoiled and happy, and so am I. I'd also like to note that "Crying's" dog probably has become accustomed to sleeping with the husband and it will take a little tough love to break that habit. A friend found that it helped

to give their dog a large stuffed animal to sleep with instead. -- M.

Dear M.: Thanks for the additional suggestions. We hope the husband is willing to compromise, but he seems quite content to romance the dog and leave his wife by herself in the bedroom.

Annie's Mailbox is written by Kathy Mitchell and Marcy Sugar, long-time 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

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Contract Bridge Bidding Quiz By Steve Becker 1. You are South and have the following hand: ♠KQJ1097 ♣AK1097 ♦AK10 ♣AK1097. What would you bid now? 2. The bidding has gone South West North East ♠ Pass 2♥ Pass ♣ Pass 3♥ Pass. What would you bid now? 3. The bidding has gone South West North East ♠ Pass 2♥ Pass ♣ Pass 3♥ Pass. What would you bid now? 4. The bidding has gone East South West North ♠ Pass 10♣ Pass 1♥ Pass. What would you bid now? 5. Four diamonds. You might feel tempted to skip and bid four hearts because partner has bid four hearts. However, it's not a good idea to make a jump by bidding four hearts. Partner does not need to hear

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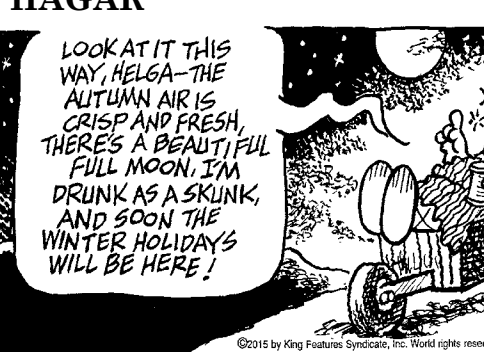
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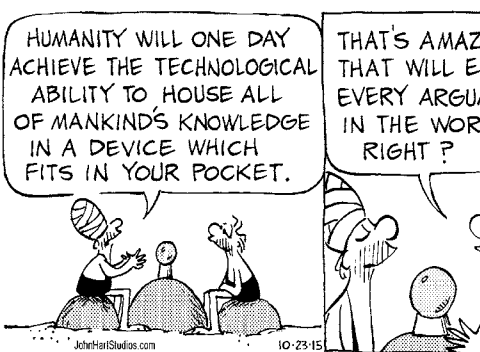
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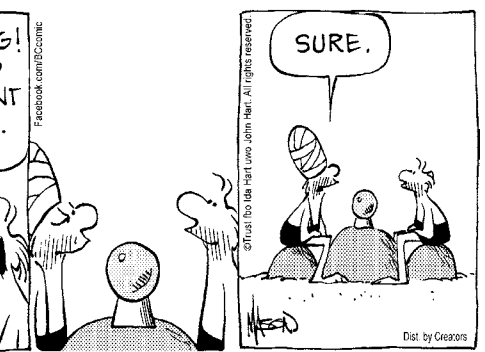
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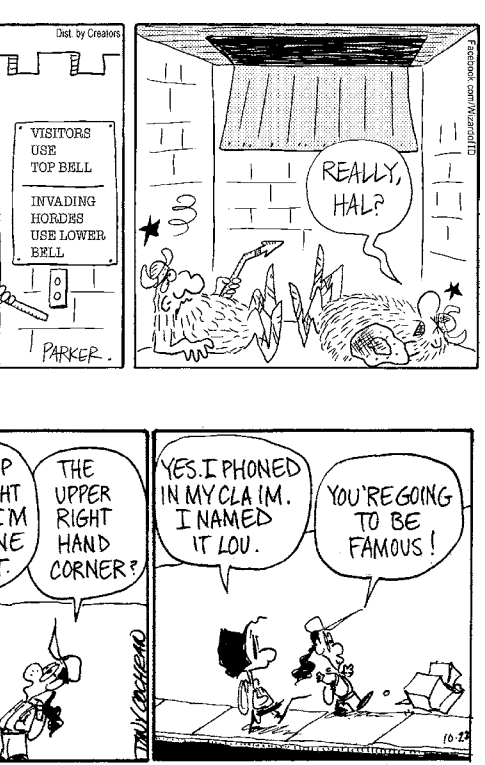
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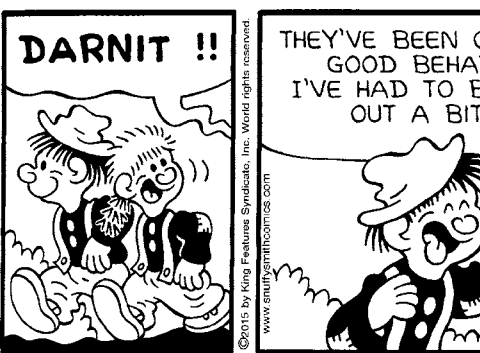
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This Date In History

Today is Friday, October 23, the 296th day of 2015. There are 69 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On October 23, 1915, tens of thousands of women paraded up Fifth Avenue in New York City, demanding the right to vote.

On this date:

In 1707, the first Parliament of Great Britain, created by the Acts of Union between England and Scotland, held its first meeting.

In 1864, forces led by Union Maj. Gen. Samuel R. Curtis repelled Confederate Maj. Gen. Sterling Price's army in the Civil War Battle of Westport in Missouri.

In 1925, talk show host Johnny Carson was born in Corning, Iowa.

In 1935, mobster Dutch Schultz, 34, was shot and mortally wounded with three other men during a gangland hit at the Palace Chophouse in Newark, New Jersey. (Schultz died the following day.)

In 1942, during World War II, Britain launched a major offensive against Axis forces at El Alamein (el ah-lah-MAYN) in

Egypt, resulting in an Allied victory.

In 1944, the World War II Battle of Leyte (LAY-tee) Gulf began, resulting in a major Allied victory against Japanese forces.

In 1956, a student-sparked revolt against Hungary's Communist rule began; as the revolution spread, Soviet forces started entering the country, and the uprising was put down within weeks.

In 1963, the Neil Simon comedy "Barefoot in the Park," starring Elizabeth Ashley and Robert Redford, opened on Broadway.

In 1972, the musical "Pippin" opened on Broadway.

In 1983, 241 U.S. service members, most of them Marines, were killed in a suicide truck-bombing at Beirut International Airport in Lebanon; a near-simultaneous attack on French forces killed 58 paratroopers.

NBC News reporter and anchorwoman Jessica Savitch, 36, and New York Post executive Martin Fischbein, 34, died in a car accident in New Hope, Pennsylvania.

In 1989, 23 people were killed in an explosion at Phillips Petroleum Co.'s chemical complex in Pasadena, Texas. In a case that inflamed racial tensions in Boston, Charles Stuart claimed that he and his pregnant wife, Carol, had been shot

in their car by a black robber. (Carol Stuart and her prematurely delivered baby died; Charles Stuart later died, an apparent suicide, after he himself was implicated.)

In 1995, a jury in Houston convicted Yolanda Saldívar of murdering Tejano singing star Selena. (Saldívar was sentenced to life in prison with the possibility of parole.)

Ten years ago: Warsaw's conservative mayor, Lech Kaczyński (lekh kah-CHIN-skee), won Poland's presidential runoff vote. The Chicago White Sox took a 2-games-to-none lead in the World Series as they beat the Houston Astros 7-6.

Thought for Today:
"Just be yourself, it's the only way it can work."
Johnny Carson (1925-2005).

Answer to previous puzzle

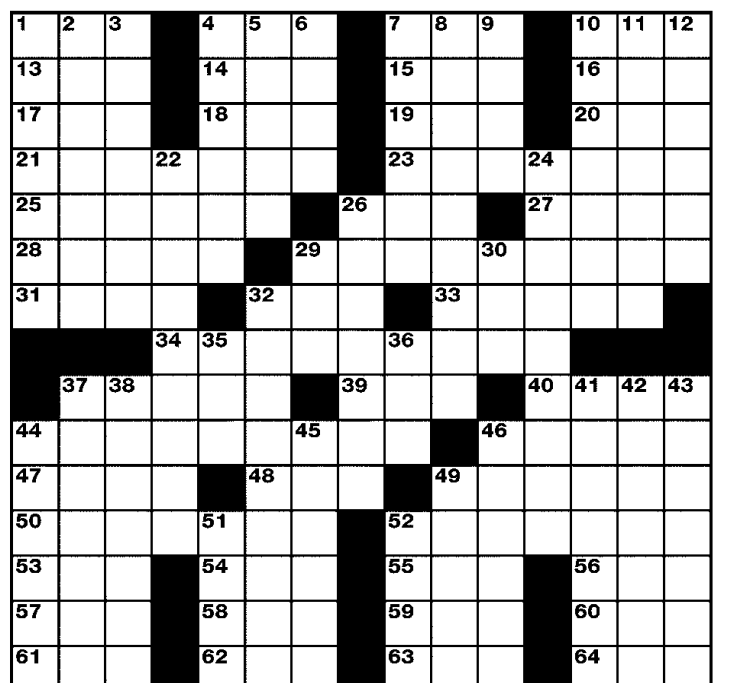
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Newsday Crossword

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- ACROSS
- Portrayed
 - Curious George author
 - "That's terrible!"
 - Render less perfect
 - Rescue pro
 - Hack
 - Beaver St.
 - Second-biggest bird
 - Class competition
 - It may move you
 - Munch-based manufacturer
 - Diamond St.
 - False ally
 - Abridged, perhaps
 - Albertan NHL team
 - Hardy follower
 - Symbol of virtue
 - Vast body
 - CHALLENGE TO A SUNBATHER
 - Caustic
 - "That's impressive!"
 - Dish towel material
 - KICK OUT A COMEDIAN
 - Cleaning products
 - Sched. board datum
 - Draft choice
 - HAS A LEAKY TUB
 - Consequently
 - Oil Market Report producer
 - Gatos, CA
 - What rain does on wax
- DOWN
- Sly laughs
 - Penguin feature
 - Grade school anthem
 - Heinz Field player
 - Pub
 - Physicals, for instance
 - Don't allow
 - Initial Cub Scout rank
 - Well-protected, as a warship
 - Hacked
 - Help to settle
 - Fingerspelling skill
 - Decide formally
 - COOL COOKIE QUANTITY
 - PROTESTER'S TEMPO
 - Web-crawling software
 - Here: Lat.
 - Ad enticement
 - Wide-area alert
 - Saison humide
 - Wise
 - Undiversified, as a farm
 - Goalpost locale
 - Galápagos owner
 - Surfeited
 - Full literary collection
 - Carmen character
 - Barnyard sound
 - Cornet cousin
 - Hair treatment
 - Frisbee field, perhaps



Reflections: When I am 64

This weekend my high school class of 1965 will gather for its fiftieth class reunion. How did this happen? Half a century since we walked across the stage and tossed our tassels? Can this be possible? When I was growing up we thought sixty-four was ancient, and now we will soon be seventy.

Paul McCartney wrote the song, "When I'm 64" at the age of 16 and later recorded it in 1966. I have listened to it most of my life. I remember reciting the lyrics in my youth, thinking of the inconceivably ancient age of



BILL TINSLEY

sixty-four. I assumed by then I would be in a nursing home or dead. "Will you still need me, will you still feed me, when I'm sixty-four?" Well, I blew past 64 four years ago and, strangely, I don't feel old or anywhere near incapacitated.

Every year I spend several days with some of my childhood friends. We are all past sixty-four. Several of us were in first grade together in 1953. We have the photo to prove it. While we don't feel old and think of ourselves as we once were in our youth, others apparently think we are old. When we went out to a restaurant together for dinner, the owner took pity on us and gave us a free dessert.

But, I realize something when I am with my childhood friends. I realize

we are all still on the journey. We started this journey together as children in post-World War II. We were the first baby boomers. We didn't know what that meant. We just knew there were lots of us. We have journeyed through the sixties, Vietnam, flower power, the Moon landing, Watergate, floppy disks, the World Wide Web, the dissolution of the Soviet Union, Desert Storm, the Dot Com Bust, 9/11, Iraq, Afghanistan, and the Great Recession.

Our individual journeys have taken different turns and twists. A couple entered the military graduating from West Point and the Air Force Academy, one became a physician, two entered business, one became an educator, one became an Episcopal priest, another a Baptist minister. We have different political, economic and religious opinions. But we are still together on the jour-

ney. It reminds me of the words Jesus first spoke to his followers. "Come and follow me." God always invites us to a journey. His invitation is to all of us and His invitation is lifelong. The journey never stops. It has valleys and mountaintops. It leads through sorrow and celebration. It encompasses wonder, worship and war. It includes pain, poverty and prosperity. Now that I am past 64, the age our generation has sung about since youth, I am grateful for the journey. I am grateful for the companions God has given me to travel with. And I am grateful for the One who invited me to follow Him when I was young and still leads me when I am old.

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. Email bill@tinsleycenter.

Work begins on immense towers of Barcelona's Sagrada Familia

BARCELONA, Spain (AP) - Work on Barcelona's breathtaking La Sagrada Familia Basilica, designed by visionary architect Antoni Gaudi, has entered its final phase of raising six immense towers that will make it Europe's tallest religious building, surpassing Germany's Ulm Minster.

Presenting the project Thursday, chief architect Jordi Fauli said the central "Tower of Jesus Christ," the tallest of the six, will make the architectural marvel that draws millions of visitors each year one for the record books when it is finished in a little over a decade.

"The central tower of 172.5 meters (566 feet) will make it the tallest cathedral in Europe, because the tallest tower in Europe is Ulm, at 162 meters (531.5 feet)," Fauli said.

St. Peter's Basilica in Rome will still have the tallest interior.

The Sagrada Familia, an emblematic fixture of the Barcelona skyline and a major tourist site, had its first stone laid in 1882. It is 70-percent complete and currently tops out at 112 meters (367 feet).

Fauli said the plan to have the towers and most of the church's structure completed in 2026 for the 100th anniversary of Gaudi's death is still on schedule. He said there will still be some elements left to finish, such as decorations.

"It's difficult to predict but we can say that it will be completed by 2030, 2032," he said.

The "Tower of Jesus Christ" will be crowned by a cross and tightly surrounded by five other towers, one dedicated to Mary and four slightly shorter ones for the four evangelists.

Fauli unveiled the next phase of the construction in a newly finished chamber that formed a small amphitheater, perched 60 meters (196 feet) above the floor of the church from where hundreds of visitors gazed at the church's stained glass windows and arching ceilings.

The tower will rise directly above the chamber,

which is designed to support the weight of the towers and channel sunlight into the building.

A mere 15 years ago, there was no roof on the inner part of the church as it stood between the two beautiful facades with eight bell towers that leave spectators overcome with awe, one side looking like a sand castle and the other a work of art inspired by cubist painting.

Gaudi won the patronage of some of Barcelona's wealthiest industrialist and upper-crust families, who commissioned him to build gorgeous homes and other daring buildings and parks that have helped make Barcelona a leading tourist destination.

A fervent Catholic, Gaudi largely dedicated his life to the project, incorporating both Christian symbolism and organic forms into a unique aesthetic.

Gaudi, who died in 1926 after being struck by a trolley, never expected the cathedral to be completed in his lifetime. Only one facade was finished when he died.

Fauli took over as the chief architect in 2012. He inherited the charge of carrying on the task of making Gaudi's drawings, some of which were only rough sketches, into the massive monument that is now reaching its conclusion.

The monument received more than 3.2 million visits in 2014, making it one of the biggest tourist sites in Spain.

The entrance fees of 15-20 euros (\$17-22) finance the construction budget of 25 million euros (\$28.38 million) a year.

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