

Salute to our veterans VA, college to host program Friday morning By STEVE REAGAN

Staff Writer

Big Spring will pause to remember its military veterans during a community ceremony Friday.

The ceremony, hosted by the Big Spring VA Medical Center and Howard College, will begin at 11 a.m. Friday at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum on the college campus.

The program will include guest speakers, patriotic music, a wreath laying, and will be followed by a free light lunch for veterans and their families.

Akisha Williams, chief of voluntary services for the West Texas VA Health Care System, said the featured speaker will be local attorney Robert Miller. Music will be provided by the Big Spring High School and Big Spring Intermediate choirs, along with Rhapsody, the Big Spring High School chorale group.

Big Spring Mayor Larry McLellan will present a proclamation in honor of Veterans Day, while Gold Star mothers Melissa Volker, Belinda Garcia, and Ginni Metcalf are scheduled to lay a memorial wreath

The event is free to the public. Also of note on Veterans Day Friday: • Foran Elementary School's second and third graders will present "American Heroes," a musical program in honor of veterans, at 2:30 p.m. at the elementary campus. • Coahoma Elementary, 600 N. Main St. The school choir will per-

# 70 years of swing



HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys will celebrate the Nix family's 70th anniversary in the music business when they headline a dance at The Stampede Saturday night.

# Nix family marks music milestone

## **By STEVE REAGAN**

Staff Writer

Seventy years of homegrown Western swing music will be celebrated when Jody Nix and the Texas Cowboys take the stage at the Stampede Saturday.

On Nov. 11, 1946, Hoyle and Ben Nix and the West Texas Cowboys performed for the first time at the Yell's Inn in Big Spring, playing a brand of country music eventually known as Western swing. Today, Jody Nix – Hoyle's son and Ben's nephew — and his band are carrying on that tradition.

Bobby Flores and the Yellow Rose Band — will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

"This kind of thing is not going to happen except one time," Jody said. "My dad and uncle had long careers playing music ... and I've worked to keep the family tradition going. I look at it as a family business, just like any other."

sic — he began in 1960 when he was 8 years old, playing drums in his dad's and uncle's band. Now playing fiddle and some guitar, Jody and his band carry on the tradition started by Hovle and Ben.

"(Saturday) will be a wonderful, memorable, nostalgic event," he said. "It'll be like going back in

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Doors open at the Stampede at 8 p.m., and the dance – featuring Nix's band, along with guest artist

The elder Nixes' band played five nights a week all across West Texas, Jody said.

"They played in Big Spring, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Brownwood, and all parts in between," he said. The band eventually established a home base at The Stampede, which was constructed in 1954.

Jody can boast a long career in mu-

time."

All tables for the event have already been reserved, but standingroom tickets are available for \$20.

For more information about tickets, contact Nix at 432-267-2060.

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**Courtesy photo** From left: Ashlan Armstrong, Andi Armstrong, and Seth Hamby excelled at the Region 18 4A State Qualifying Congressional our program." **Debate Competition.** 

# BSHS debaters shine again at regional meet

#### **Special to the Herald**

Since the University Interscholastic League started the Congressional Debate contest in 2013, the Big Spring High School Speech and Debate program has never failed to bring home a first place finish at the Region 18 4A State Qualifying Congressional Debate Competition.

This year was no expectation.

In fact, senior Seth Hamby improved on last year's alternate to the state meet spot by earning the gold trophy this past weekend as well as first place.

"Seth has really stepped it up this year," coach Jennifer Adams stated. "He has become a real cornerstone of

Finishing a close second was fellow

senior Andi Armstrong.

"Both of these students have been with our program for a while and are really showing what they are capable of," Adams said.

Andi's twin sister, Ashlan, was named the "outstanding presiding officer" as well as being the alternate to the state meet.

The Congressional Debate contest models the legislative process of the United States Congress. Students draft legislation, research the docket of bills, and find resolutions to prepare their speeches. At the tournament, students deliver speeches on the merits and disadvantages

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## **Obituaries**

## Carolina Hernandez Vences



Carolina Hernandez Vences, 52, of Knott passed away Monday, Nov. 7, 2016, at her residence.

The family received friends from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2016, at Myers and Smith Funeral Home. Funeral services were at 10 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, 2016, at Myers and Smith Chapel. Burial followed at Ackerly Cemetery.

She was born June 14, 1964, to Elvira Cerna Martinez and Ventura

G. Martinez in Brownfield, Texas. She was a lifetime resident of Knott, graduating high school from Sands High School in Ackerly. She was a member of Templo Centro De Albanza. She loved Elvis, music, singing, dancing, cooking and helping others; but most of all, spending time with her grandchildren and family. Carolina was a very loving and caring person that loved making people laugh.

Carolina is survived by one son, Johnny Chavez of Euless; one daughter, Angelica Jackson and husband Richard of Virginia; five grandchildren, Alysia Chavez of Weatherford, Uriah Chavez of Weatherford, Alyssa Jackson, L'Leana Jackson, and Hadassah Jackson all of Virginia; her mother, Elvira Martinez of Knott; three sisters, Jeannie Hernandez, Liz Alvarez, and Patsy Chavez; eight brothers, Ernest Rivera, Rudy Rivera, Robert Rivera, Jesse Hernandez, Max Hernandez, Frankie Hernandez, Joe Hernandez, and Adam Hernandez; and lots of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Ventura

G. Martinez; and an uncle, Alfred Cerna.

Pallbearers will be Cruz Martinez, Rebecca Rivera, Bobby Joe Rivera, Isaiah Hernandez, Jesse Hernandez Jr., and Joey Luciano Hernandez.

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

Paid obituary

## Pam Baker



Pam Baker, 61, of Big Spring died Wednesday, Oct. 26, 2016, in a Lubbock hospital. Memorial services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016, at the First Presbyterian Church in Coaho-

She was born Feb. 4, 1955, in Big Spring and married Robert Dale Rumley Aug. 31, 1985, in Coahoma.

## Angela Harrison



Angela Harrison, 50, of Big Spring died Thursday, Nov. 3, 2016, in Nolan County.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016, at Myers and Smith Chapel.

She was born Oct. 16, 1966, to Gizella Ethel Brack Baker and James Arnold Baker in North Miami Beach, Fla. Angela has been in Big Spring for 31 years, moving here from Abilene. She was a member of

Bluff Creek Cowboy Church in Drasco, Texas. Angela was a registered nurse supervisor at Lamun-Lusk Sanchez Texas State Veterans Home and was

## Pat Harrison



Pat Harrison, 48, of Big Spring died Thursday, Nov. 3, 2016, in Nolan County.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016, at Myers and Smith Chapel.

He was born Jan. 8, 1968, to Martha Jo "Jody" Harrison and Kenny Harrison in Oklahoma City, Okla. He lived most of his life in Amarino, and moved to Big Spring in 2012, coming from Ballinger. He married Angela Baker on February 9, 2013, in Drasco, Texas. He was a member of Bluff Creek Cowboy Church in Drasco, Texas, for a few years. He was a

She worked at the federal prison and was the chief medical records clerk.

Survivors include her husband, Dale Rumley of Coahoma; one sister, Beverly Star and husband Gary of Grapevine, Texas; one niece Shelly; and three nephews, Brad, Sean, and Gary.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Rube Cecil and Dorothy May (Lindley) Baker.

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

also a registered nurse for Home Hospice. She had also worked at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Angela is survived by two daughters, Misty Sims of Baird and Katie Harrison of Midland; one stepdaughter, Mercedes Harrison of Amarillo; one stepson, Joshua Harrison of Big Spring; her father, Jim Baker and wife Jan of Ballinger; one brother, Kenneth Baker and wife Mary Lou of Big Spring; one stepbrother, Thomas Mullen of Murrieta, Calif.; two stepsisters, Elaine Nokishiqi of Abilene, and Rachel Oglesbee of Abilene; six grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Gizella "Giz" Baker; and one sister, Karen.

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veteran of the United States Army. He was the property manager for Maple Properties in Big Spring at the time of his death.

Pat is survived by one daughter, Mercedes Harrison of Amarillo; one son, Joshua Harrison of Big Spring; two stepdaughters, Katie Harrison of Midland and Misty Sims of Baird; one brother, Chris Garrison of Ballinger; two sisters, Robin Horn of Amarillo and Stacy Shropshire of Ft. Worth; six grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

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## **Police blotter**

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• ARICO ANTHONY SPINELLI, 35, of 807 E. 16th St. was arrested on warrants for disregarding a red light and failure to appear.

• JEFFREY COLIN RAINES, 39, of 2911 W. Highway 80 Apt. #139 was arrested on a charge of engaging in organized criminal activity.

 ANDREA MARY SILVA, 22 of 1015 Wood St. was arrested on a charge of engaging in organized criminal activit<sup>,</sup>

death by one grandson, Christopher Quincy Deshawn Lee.

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## Juana Torres



Juana Torres, 93, of Big Spring died Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2016, at Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

A vigil will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 11, 2016, at Myers and Smith Chapel. Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Coahoma Cemetery.

She was born March 28, 1923, to Leonor Anguiano Hernandez and

Antonio Hernandez in Coahoma. She lived her lifetime in Howard County. She lived 91 years in Coahoma and the last two in Big Spring. She married Santos Torres on June 8, 1942. He passed away April 13, 1975. She was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Guadalupanas, and was a Crucil-

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• A Benefit Evening with EJ Jones performing with traditional Highland Bagpipes and accompanied by Frances Cunningham on bouzouki will be held on Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at St Mary the Virgin Episcopal Church, 1001 S. Goliad. This benefit is free to the public. A dessert reception will follow. Donations will be accepted to benefit the United Way of Big Spring and Howard County.

• H-E-B is looking for non-profits agencies to set up information tables at the annual Feast of Sharing. Please contact Sandy Stewart at 432- 935-1604 to



lista. Juana was a homemaker but also worked for more than 15 years at Lil Sooper in Coahoma.

Juana is survived by one daughter, Beatrice Padron of Ft. Worth; three sons, Eddie Torres and wife Micki of Mansfield, Henry Torres and wife Nell of Watauga, and Alberto Torres and wife Leticia of Big Spring; three brothers, Arturo Hernandez of Big Spring, Ignacio Hernandez of Big Spring, and Joe Hernandez of Coahoma; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one son, Alex Torres; five brothers, Manuel Hernandez, Emilio Hernandez, Guillermo Hernandez, Julio Hernandez, and Apolonio Hernandez; and two sisters, Beatriz Hernandez and Santiaga Ramirez.

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## Note

reserve a spot. Feast of Sharing will be held on Dec. 11 at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

 Seniors and mature adults are invited to a dance on the first, third and fifth Friday of each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center.

Dances are from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live bands. No alcohol or smoking permitted. There will be a pot luck as well so bring a dish if you want to eat.

Cost is \$8 per person.



 MOBEY CORDELL LEWIS, 24, of 1002 N. Main St. Apt. #50 was arrested on a charge of engaging in organized criminal activity.

• MOSES ELIJAH FLORES, 18, of 4005 Dixon was arrested on charges of theft of property (less than \$100) and evading arrest or detention.

 CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the 500 block of S. Main St.

• BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported in the 7700 block of South Service Road.

• THEFT was reported in the 900 block of East Second Street, and twice in the 200 block of West FM 700.

• STOLEN VEHICLE was reported in the 1200 block of East 15th Street.

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## LOCAL/WIRE



**Big Spring** State Hospital Superintendent Lorie Dunnam poses with members of the Midland **Air Force JROTC Color Guard who** participated in the hospital's Veterans Day program honor ing the hospital's many veterans - patients and employees. Dunnam received the Patriot **Employer Award** from the Secretary of Defense for **Employer Support** of the Guard and **Reserve during the** program.

**Courtesy photo** 

# Dunnam receives employer award

#### Special to the Herald

Big Spring State Hospital Superintendent Lorie Dunnam accepted the Patriot Employer Award on Wednesday

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State Hospital Nurse Day Program Wednesday honoring patients served in the armed Employer Support of serving in the National Guard or Reserve, or The hospital presented the spouse of a Guard or

individual nominate supervisors and bosses for support provided directly to the nominating Service member and his or her family. The Patriot Award reflects the efforts made to support citizen warriors through a wide-range of measures including flexible schedules, time off prior to and after deployment, caring for families, and granting leaves of absence if needed.

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## News in brief

#### Transition: Obama, Trump to meet at White House

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Barack Obama is set to welcome his successor, Donald Trump, to the White House, extending an olive branch to a man he has blasted as unfit to serve as commander in chief and who led the charge to challenge the legitimacy of his own presidency.

The Oval Office meeting scheduled Thursday symbolically begins the transition of power from Obama, a Democrat who ushered in a sweeping health care law and brokered a landmark nuclear accord with Iran, and Trump, a Republican who has vowed to wipe those measures away.

Trump takes office on Jan. 20.

First lady Michelle Obama also planned to meet privately in the White House residence with Trump's wife, Melania Trump.

Republicans were emboldened by Trump's stunning victory over Hillary Clinton, giving the GOP control of the White House and both chambers of Congress.

"He just earned a mandate," House Speaker Paul Ryan declared.

anti-Trump profanity. One protester outside LA City Hall read a sign that simply said "this is very bad."

Late in the evening several hundred people blocked one of the city's busiest freeways, U.S. 101.

## After blistering campaign, Americans wonder how to heal

DECATUR, Ga. (AP) — For an hour they stood shoulder to shoulder, those who supported Hillary Clinton and Donald Trump, praying together in a service of postelection healing. Noting the painful labels and divisions of the just-finished campaign, the Rev. Jenna Faith Strizak said, "We've got to figure out how to live together. And not just live together, but be one."

That could take a miracle: To bring together those elated by Trump's ascension to president-elect **COWBOYS STEAKHOUSE** ment of the country's worst instincts and a threat to its future. Even as I Clinton pledged the victor her support Wednesday, others protested in the streets, burned flags and insisted he didn't represent them. "It's shattering," said Byron Beck, a | Any Entree \$9.00 or above | writer in Portland, Oregon, who sup-1 ported Clinton. While harshly faulting | Must Be Presented For Discount | Trump, he cast the moment as a dilemma for all Americans. "We have lost our way, and I don't know what that reset button will look like, but I know that I will work for it or I'll leave the country." Trump extended a hand to such opponents in his victory speech, saying Clinton was owed "a major debt of gratitude" as he made plea for both sides to join behind him: "Now it's time for America to bind the wounds of division."

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#### 'Not my president:' Trump denounced in protests across US

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A day after Donald Trump's election to the presidency, campaign divisions appeared to widen as many thousands of demonstrators — some with signs with messages declaring "NOT MY PRESIDENT" — flooded streets across the country to protest his surprise triumph.

From New England to heartland cities like Kansas City and along the West Coast, demonstrators bore flags and effigies of the president-elect, disrupting traffic and declaring that they refused to accept Trump's victory.

Flames lit up the night sky in California cities Wednesday as thousands of protesters burned a giant papier-mache Trump head in Los Angeles and started fires in Oakland intersections.

Los Angeles demonstrators also beat a Trump piñata and sprayed the Los Angeles Times building and news vans with

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each piece of legislation, and vote to pass or defeat the measures

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form at 11 a.m.

• Washington Elementary, 1202 Birdwell Lane, 9 a.m.

• Big Spring Intermediate, 2000 S. Goliad, Friday, 7 a.m. to 8 a.m. The staff and students will host a breakfast for all area veterans. The school's choir students will perform for entertainment.

• Marcy Elementary School, 2101 Wasson Road, 8:30 a.m., The fourth grader choir will sing to the veterans. Refreshments will be offered.

• Moss Elementary, 3200 Fordam, 2 p.m. Vet-

they have examined. Students also learn parliamentary and how extemporaneously to respond to the arguements of others over the course of a session. The state meet is held

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erans are invited to a music presentation by the school's fourth graders.

• All non-emergency offices at the City of Big Spring and Howard County will be closed in observance of the holiday, but the county's three public school systems and Howard College will hold classes that day.

• On Thursday evening, Goliad Elementary, 2000 Goliad, will host an evening Veterans Day program at 6 p.m.

Staff Writer Lyndel Moody contributed to this report.

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students an experience at the Texas Capitol Building Annex in Austhat is unlike almost January 9th-11<sup>th.</sup>. any other UIL event." "Its really impressive The UIL Student Confor the UIL to arrange gressional Debate State to have the Congres-Tournament, now in sional Debate contest its fourth year, saw the in the actual meeting Big Spring Speech and rooms where the Texas Debate team earn a gold legislature meets," Adand silver medal finish ams said. "It gives the last year.

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"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

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ere is what eight years of President Obama's "post-racial" reign have wrought. The weekend before Election Day, Hillary Clinton grinned from ear to ear at a Cleveland rally while reciting a verse from

Jay-Z's remix of Young Jeezy's "My President is Black." As the rapper and his Black Lives Matterpromoting wife, Beyonce, beamed on stage nearby. pandersuit-clad Clinton twanged with a stilted accent:

"Remember, Jay memorably said: 'Rosa Parks sat so Martin Luther could walk, and Martin Luther walked so Barack Obama could run, and Barack Obama ran so all the children could fly."

This would be comical if not for the noxious cynicism of it all. Clinton may not remember (if she was ever aware in the first place), but the original version of "My President is Black" is a brazen middle finger to nonblack America. Just a few lines after the verse Hillary quoted, the song taunts:

Hello Miss America, hey pretty lady

Red, white, and blue flag, wave for me baby

Never thought I'd say this s---, baby I'm good

.....*w* 

No more war, no more Iraq No more white lies, the President is black

So the poster granny for liberal white privilege, groveling for black votes, kissed the rings of celebrity Obama BFFs Jay-Z and Beyonce by parroting an inflammatory anthem laced with profanities and radical racialized gloating.

Could there have been a more perfect beclownment to cap Clinton's phony-baloney "Stronger Together" campaign?

After denigrating millions of Trump supporters as "deplorable" and "irredeemable" earlier this year, Clinton then unctuously confessed on election eve: "I regret deeply how angry the tone of the campaign became.'

Note the classic textbook employment of the passive voice to ing blasted as haters by Clinton's hate-filled minions, after being slapped down as racial "cowards" by Clintonite holdover Eric Holder, after being lambasted as "xenophobes" and "nativists" by immigration expansionists in both parties, after enduring a string of faked hate crimes blamed on conservatives, after ceaseless accusations of "Islamophobia" in the wake of jihad attacks on American soil, after baseless accusations of "homophobia" for protesting the government's gay wedding cake coercion, and after mourning a growing list of police officers ambushed and targeted by violent thugs seeking racial vengeance, an undeniable movement of citizens in the 2016 election cycle decided to push back.

When all is said and done, one

"Remember, Jay memorably said:' Rosa Parks sat so Martin Luther could walk, and Martin Luther walked so Barack Obama could run, and Barack Obama ran so all the children could fly."" This would be comical if not for the noxious cynicism of it all.

of the most important cultural accomplishments of Donald Trump's bid will be the platform he created for Americans of all colors, ethnicities, political affiliations, and socioeconomic backgrounds to defy soul-draining identity politics.

Beltway chin-pullers expediently focused on Trump's white and conservative supporters who are rightly sick and tired of social justice double standards. But they ignored the increasingly vocal constituency of hyphenfree, label-rejecting American People Against Political Correctness who don't fit old narratives and boxes.

And the same "Never Trump"

**Identity politics in America: A post-mortem** endlessly about the need for "minority outreach" after 2012 were flummoxed by the blacks, gays, Latinos, women and Democrats who rallied behind the GOP candidate.

The most important speech of the 2016 election cycle wasn't delivered by one of the presidential candidates. It came from iconoclastic Silicon Valley entrepreneur/investor and Trump supporter Peter Thiel who best explained the historically significant backlash against the intolerant tolerance mob and phony diversity-mongers.

"Louder voices have sent a message that they do not intend to tolerate the views of one half of the country," he observed at the National Press Club last week. He recounted how the gay magazine The Advocate, which had once praised him as a "gay innovator," declared he was "not a gay man" anymore because of his libertarian, limited-government politics.

"The lie behind the buzzword of diversity could not be made more clear," Thiel noted. "If you don't conform, then you don't count as diverse, no matter what your personal background.'

Trump's eclectic coalition was bound by that common thread: disaffected individuals tired of being told they don't count and discounted because their views do not properly "match" their gender, chromosomes, skin color or ethnicity. That is exactly why the more they and their nominee were demonized, the stronger their support grew.

"No matter what happens in this election," Thiel concluded last week, "what Trump represents isn't crazy and it's not going away."

He's right. I too often take for granted my own personal awakening about the entrenched tribalism of identity politics at a crazy liberal arts college in the early 1990s. The liberation from collectivist ideology is profound and lasting. Witnessing so many outspoken newcomers arrive at this enlightenment, however circuitous the route, has been the most encouraging and under appreciated phenomenon of the 2016 campaign.

Michelle Malkin is a senior editor at Conservative Review. For more articles and videos from Michelle, visit ConservativeReview. com.



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pundits and establishment political strategists who gabbed

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## **DAILY PRAYER**

Dear Lord, even during hard times You are there, just as the sun is above the storm clouds. Amen.

## The all-Trump election

et me tell you about my life since Donald Trump won the Republican primary. I voted against Trump in June because of his history as an unreliable conser-

vative and longtime supporter of big government. I voted for Libertarian Gary Johnson in the general election. Yet I have had this dark presence that has shadowed me. Wherever I have

gone, I have

DEBRA J. **S**AUNDERS

been put in the position of explaining or defending Trump by people who saw it as my duty to denounce The Donald.

On the radio and in speaking appearances, it has fallen to me to explain to Bay Area audiences why someone who is not a complete idiot would vote for Trump. I can only assume that my questioners don't know any Trump voters — other than relatives they must endure over cocktails during holidays.

To mention that Trump was preferable on regulation, Obamacare or the U.S. Supreme Court was to invite scorn. How dare anyone conjure up issues when Trump's rhetoric is so divisive?

I've watched countless hours of cable news, during which reporters grilled Republicans about whether they would vote for Trump in November. Never once did I see a reporter demand that Democrats disclose

whether they would vote for Clinton, even though she had set up home-brew servers for State Department emails and then deleted thousands of those emails after they were under subpoena.

All you heard was nagging about Trump, Trump, Trump.

On panels, it has been my job to watch liberals excoriating Trump as a racist, sexist bigot.

I remain dubious about whether Trump is up to the job of president. On the other hand, it is possible that the White House will humble Trump and make him a better man. Whereas with Clinton, we know that power corrupts.

It never occurred to these fine fellows that American voters might support him. Sure, they winked, he won the Neanderthal GOP primary, but he could never win the popular vote. His appeal, they knew, was limited to angry white men who didn't go to college.

I was wrong, too. I thought Trump most likely would lose and also that he could cost Republicans control of the Senate. I believed the polls.

San Francisco sure believed those polls. How many times did I watch Democrats agree that it

would be better if Clinton won big? As Chris Lehane, a former aide to Al Gore and now a lobby ist for Airbnb, told the San Fran cisco Chronicle editorial board, if Clinton won big, Republicans would have to face reality. If the election were tight, on the other hand, both sides would learn nothing and just go back to their corners.

I did not agree. A big win for Clinton would justify her bad decisions and her grabby ways. As I write this and Trump seems poised to win the Electoral College, I don't think many Democrats are hoping that Trump wins really big — for the good of the country.

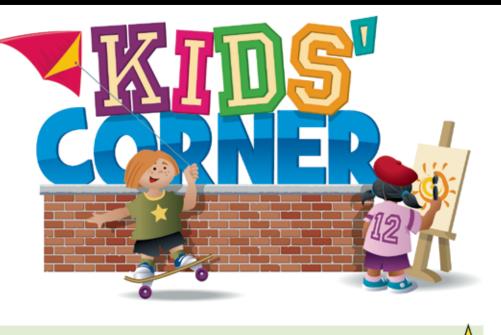
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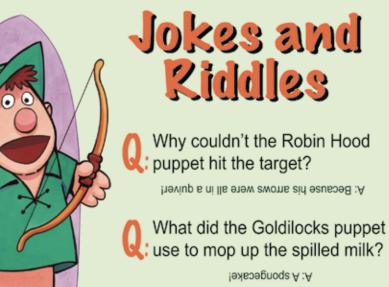
Here's where the media really got it wrong. Most people in the press never thought Clinton's baggage would hurt her chances. Me, I thought Hillary Clinton would be a terrible president. And guess what. So did a huge chunk of American voters.

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## KID'S PAGE





## **Name That Puppet**

There have been many puppets on film and TV. Fill in the blanks to name some of those puppets.

- 1) LA\_\_\_ CH\_\_P
- 2) C \_\_\_\_ KIE M\_NS\_ER
- 3) KE\_\_\_IT THE F\_\_\_G
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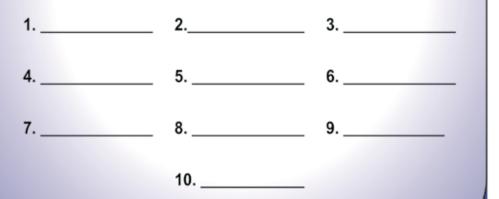


<sup>4)</sup> Elmo, 5) Yoda, 6) Miss Piggy, 7) Fozzie Bear Answers: 1) Lamb Chop, 2) Cookie Monster, 3) Kermit The Frog,





List 10 words that rhyme with "string."



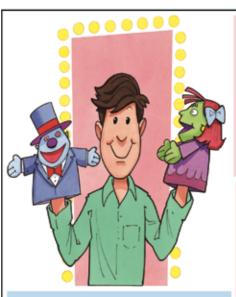


## A Puppet of Your Own

You don't have to be a great artist to make a great puppet. All you need is a sock, a few art supplies and some imagination.

Any sock you can slide your hand into and move it around will work for a puppet. If you plan to draw a face on your sock puppet, you might want to get a white sock. Slide the sock onto your hand, close your hand and mark where you think the eyes, nose and mouth should go. Then sketch or glue them on if using felt.

Once your puppet has a face, you can give it a name and start practicing with it. You'll want to try different



## Fact or Fiction? Puppeteer Challenge

Puppeteers are the men and women who bring puppets to life. Here are some questions about puppeteers and their work. How many can you answer correctly?

- 1) Puppeteers may work with many types of puppets. Fact or Fiction?
- Puppeteers may move some puppets with strings. Fact or Fiction?
- String puppets are called marionettes and are easy for puppeteers to work with. Fact or Fiction?
- Puppeteers may move some puppets with their fingers or hands. Fact or Fiction?
- 5) Puppeteers may move some puppets with rods. Fact or Fiction?
- 6) One of the most well-known puppeteers was Jim Henson, who created the Muppets. Fact or Fiction?
- Jim Henson also created some of the characters on Sesame Street, including roommates Ernie and Bart. Fact or Fiction?
- 8) Jim Henson performed Ernie, while his friend Frank Oz performed Ernie's roommate. Fact or Fiction?
- Frank Oz also performed Grover at one time. Fact or Fiction?
- 10) The neighborhood of make-believe on Mister Rogers' Neighborhood has a lot of puppets, including King Friday, Queen Sara Saturday and their son Prince Sunday. Fact or Fiction?

10) Fiction, the name of the prince is Prince Tuesday Fiction, the names of the characters are Emie and Bert, not Bart, 8) Fact, 9) Fact. to work with and require many hours of practice to master, 4) Fact, 5) Fact, 6) Fact, Answers: 1) Fact, 2) Fact, 3) Fiction, string puppets are some of the hardest puppets voices and hand positions to bring your puppet to life.

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# **Sports**BIG HERALD Let the games begin

Forsan, Ozona open playoffs tonight in San Angelo

## By DREW WILLIAMS Sports Editor

The playoffs are here, and the Forsan Buffaloes are ready to prove they belong. Finishing fourth in its dis-

trict and going up against a first-place team would normally put the odds very much in favor of Ozona, but the Forsan team and head coach Jason Phillips are confident that the experience gained playing district opponents such as Post, Anson, and Hawley will be beneficial.

"I think it's great. Coming through that district, that was probably the best district top to bottom that I've been in in 23 years of coaching. Anybody could beat anybody on any given day, and it was always week in and week out a dog fight. I think it's got us ready, and I think we're a better team for playing in that district," Phillips said.

Forsan enters the playoffs with momentum after playing what essentially was a playoff game last Friday between the Buffaloes and the Stamford Bulldogs that determined the fourth and final playoff



HERALD photo/Drew Williams Forsan's Tearell McVae carries the ball in the Buffaloes' 26-20 win over Stamford last week.

spot out of 2-4A. A 26-20 win punched the Buffaloes' playoff ticket, and Phillips said he was excited about the way his team played, especially on the defensive side.

"We played well. Stamford was a good football team and we knew that going in. Their record wasn't that good but they played some really good teams predistrict and then everybody in our district close. Nobody blew them out, and we knew it was going to be a tussle," he said. "Our guys played really well, and defensively in the second half, to shut those guys out was amazing."

Now the Buffs will face off against a familiar foe in Ozona, who was in the same district as Forsan the two years prior to this season. Phillips said after the game against Stamford that Ozona reminded him a bit of Reagan County, a team that Forsan lost to earlier this season, adding that Ozona probably isn't as athletic but is just as big.

"The good thing is we were in their district the last two years, so we're pretty familiar with those guys. They like to run the ball, and they don't throw it very much. They're physical and they've got some good size, and it's probably their physical play that's the thing we've got to deal with the most," Phillips said.

As for Forsan's game plan, Phillips said to expect "more of the same," when it comes to the quicker running game he instilled following a blowout loss to Hawley in the first district game of the year. Since that game, the Buffs are 2-1 and have been putting up gaudy rushing totals on the strength of running back Tearell McVae and quarterback Bryce Hergert.

"Our game plan this week is kind of a combination of the last few weeks against our district opponents. We thought we did some different things well in each game, so we kind of combined those and we're going to try to put it all together this week," Phillips said.

Forsan and Ozona will kick off at 7:30 p.m. tonight at San Angelo Stadium. Do you have an interesting sports item or story idea? Call at 263-7331, Ext. 237. Email results to: sports@bigspringherald.com

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## Big Spring cross country ready for state meet by DREW WILLIAMS

Sports Editor

The Big Spring High School cross country team has wrapped up a district championship, a top-4 finish at regionals, and will now head to the state championship.

Cooper Miller, Aaron Martinez, Ian Gonzales, Eric Stinson, Juan Lugo, Manuel Marquez, and Ismael Collazo will each represent Big Spring at the state championship at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock.

"We came into the year expecting to win (district), and we won that one by about 10 points. Then we got to regionals where we had a really good chance to get down there and finish first or second, but we ran into a little injury problem. During the race, our top runner went down with an asthma attack and had to be carried away in an ambulance," head cross country coach John-Michael Leggett said regarding Miller. "But the other six guys that were running stepped up."

At regionals in Lubbock, multiple Steers set personal records to help overcome the loss of Miller, including Stinson beating his PR by "about 40 seconds."

"He was really the reason we were able to finish in fourth place

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## Thompson's fast start leads Warriors past Mavericks, 116-95

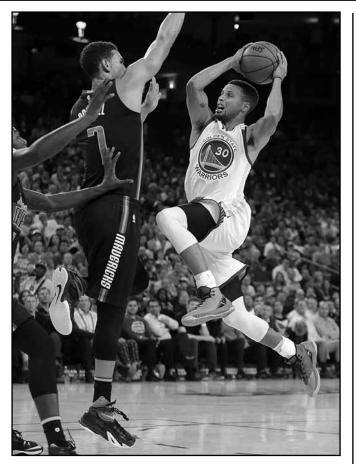
## By JOSH DUBOW

AP Sports Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. — Klay Thompson figured it would just be a matter of time until his outside shot started falling again. That time came in the first quarter.

Thompson hit his first seven shots and scored 18 of his 20 points in the opening period, and the Golden Warriors State cruised the undermanned past Dallas Mavericks 116-95 on Wednesday night. "I feel it's coming every game, honestly," he said. "I won't let missed shots dictate how hard I play. As long as I play hard, I know I'll be successful. It's that simple." Kevin Durant led Golden State with 28 points, Stephen Curry added 24 and Draymond Green had 16 points and 10 rebounds as the Warriors used their outside shooting to build a 19-point lead in the first quarter and never looked back.

Harrison Barnes scored 25 points to lead Dallas in his first game against the Warriors since leaving as a free agent last summer. But he didn't get nearly enough help. "The first half it was kind of like a deer in headlights," he said. "It was kind of like the scouting report went out the window and we were just out there playing. Once guys settled in we did a much better job." Thompson had been in a bit of a shooting slump to start the season, making just 11 of 53 3-pointers in the first



## Arlington voters approve new ball park, set to open in 2020.

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Proponents of Arlington taxpayer funding for a \$1 billion retractableroof Texas Rangers stadium have won approval.

With 98 percent of the vote counted, voters approved by a 60-to-40-percent margin Tuesday the extension of a half-cent sales tax, 2 percent hoteloccupancy tax and 5 percent car-rental tax for a new home for the Major League Baseball team. That revenue now goes to defraying Arlington's \$155 million debt on its share of the cost of the NFL Dallas Cowboys' AT&T Stadium, which opened in 2009. The vote also allows a 10 percent admission tax and a \$3 parking tax for the Rangers' use, the same deal reached for the Cowboys. Although the Rangers hadn't publicly threatened to leave, a team representative held preliminary talks with Dallas officials about a covered stadium there.

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AP Photo/Ben Margot

Golden State Warriors' Stephen Curry, right, shoots against Dallas Mavericks' Dwight Powell (7) during the second half of an NBA basketball game Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2016, in Oakland, Calif.

## Harden's triple-double leads Rockets past Spurs, 101-99

#### **By RAUL DOMINGUEZ**

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — When the San Antonio Spurs finally stopped James Harden, his Houston Rockets teammates came through on defense.

Harden had a triple-double with 24 points, 15 assists and 12 rebounds, and Houston made two late defensive stands to hold off San Antonio 101-99 on Wednesday night, handing the Spurs their third straight home loss.

"It was important for us," Harden said. "The only way we're going to get to where we want to go is on the defensive end. The game wasn't pretty at all, but defensively we got stops."

Kawhi Leonard scored 34 points for the Spurs but missed his final two shots, either of which could have tied the game. After Leonard missed a layup in the final seconds, LaMarcus Aldridge missed a tip-in attempt at the buzzer.

Aldridge finished with 14 points and five rebounds.

"It was a good play called," Leonard said of his last shot. "I got to the paint, got a shot off, just didn't fall. (Aldridge) had a good chance, it just fell short, but we'll take that again."

Leonard made 11 shots on a career-high 26 field goal attempts.

San Antonio extended its longest skid at home since dropping three straight overtime games in December 2014. The Spurs did not lose at home last season until April 11 against Golden State and tied an NBA record by finishing 40-1 at the AT&T Center.

"It's tough to win in this building," Rockets forward Ryan Anderson said. "They're a team that obviously has some great players. To get a win in here, you've got to be happy."

The Spurs used a rotation spearheaded by Leonard and Danny Green to defend Harden, but found little success.

Harden set an aggressive tone early with nine points, six assists and three rebounds in the first quarter.

"He's always been a great passer," San Antonio coach Gregg Popovich said. "He has the ball in his hands a lot more as the point guard. He is one of the best players in the league. Very difficult to guard." When Harden wasn't draining jumpers and tossing in runners, he kicked the ball out to open teammates after drawing multiple defenders on his drives.

The Rockets were 10 for 30 on 3-pointers and shot 47 percent overall in snapping a four-game skid at San Antonio.

Anderson was 4 for 6 on 3-pointers and had 20 points. Eric Gordon scored 15 and fellow reserve Sam Dekker added 12.

"Coach is liable to call anybody and guys stepped up," Harden said. "Dekker hit some big shots."

The Spurs sat Pau Gasol the entire second quarter in favor of a quicker lineup and it helped them erase a 13-point deficit to take a 51-50 lead.

San Antonio employed the same strategy late in the third to pull within a point twice, but could not overcome the Rockets even when Harden struggled.

He missed his final three shots as well as a pair of free throws and committed a turnover in the final 3 minutes, yet Houston was able to win with defense.

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AP Photo/Eric Gay

Houston Rockets guard James Harden (13) drives to the basket past San Antonio Spurs center Dewayne Dedmon (3) during the first half of an NBA basketball game, Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2016, in San Antonio.

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9, NOVEMBER, 2016 10, NOVEMBER, 2016 TAMI L. DAVIS ASSISTANT CITY SECRETARY

#9227 November 9 & 10 , 2016

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 5 OF THE BIG SPRING CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "BUSINESS AND OCCUPA-TIONS."BY REPEALING

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the JPM EOC OPERAT-ING, INC., [RRC Operator No. 448014] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad **Commission Statewide Rule** 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement because the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 10, Bk. 32 T1S, T&P RR CO/ FROST, J A Survey, A-1041, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, HOWARD County, being 3.2 miles SE direction from BIG SPRING, Texas.

#### PURSUANT TO THE

TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted WITHOUT A HEARING if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1 Penetration Point Location Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L 330.0 F WEST L Terminus Location BH County: HOWARD Section: 46 Block: 32 T1N Abstract: 655 Survey: T&P RR CO/ MURPHY, J R Lease Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L 330.0 F WEST L Survey Lines: 412.0 F NORTH L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

330.0 F WEST L

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 9400 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Leah Moon Becton, at (832)701-1776, x125.

#9206 October 20, 27 & November 3, 10, 2016

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Last Day of Venus in Sagittarius

Why wait until you're in peril or you need something? On the last day of Venus in Sagittarius, reaching out is lucky, especially if you're reaching out to total strangers. And as long as you're making the connection, you might as well reach to the heavens, too. There just might be a legion of unseen guides waiting around for you to put them to work.

**ARIES (March** 21-April 19). You crave someone's love. Do you dare pause to ask why? Knowing the origin of this craving might not stop it, but there is something valuable to learn in the investigation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Your

mind power is quite real. Your intentions and attitude will cause you to move through the world accordingly and with an impact of body that changes particles, matter and thus, to some degree, the course of history.

**GEMINI (May 21-**June 21). How someone longs to understand the mystery of your inner life. It's not going to happen, at least not in any kind of substantial way, but if you offer up a glimpse into your thoughts and feelings you'll make the relationship slightly easier.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). People will reject something that doesn't fit in with a number of other things they know to be true. To be persuasive you may need to change, soften or mold your idea to click in with what is already accepted.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Contradictions abound, and what does this mean? Maybe saying and believing contradictory things isn't a sign that you're getting something wrong. Maybe it's a sign that you're getting something

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#### Tomorrow's Horoscope CAPRICORN

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). When you feel something's different about a relationship, this is no cause to panic. Different can be good -- even differences that don't seem particularly favorable at first. Relationships that aren't changing aren't growing.

right.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You know that people from other cultures and backgrounds think differently. You're surer of this than you are of being right in your own cultural views.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). As intellectually adept as you are, you're always operating on a sensual level, too. The lighting affects you, as does the color, scent and overall attractiveness of things. Today you'll find comfort in the beautiful.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You're no minimalist, but you're willing to let something drop in the name of simplicity. Also, a request has been made. So what goes? Note: Just because a thing is enjoyable doesn't make it superfluous.

(Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Though you may prefer to be around positive role models, if they don't show up, fret not! Reverse role models may work even better. Seeing what you don't want will be among the strongest motivators.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). As you show appreciation for the solid people and felicitous circumstances of the day, a joy ignites in your heart, radiates through your body and rings out through the atmosphere. You are happiness, ground zero.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). How might you get out of your uptight, rational mind? Have an experience that transcends it. Lean into the mystical. Reach into that which cannot be easily explained or completely understood.

**TODAY'S BIRTH-**DAY (Oct. 10). You'll claim a victory in the next three weeks, priming you for a solar year of confidence. The winning attitude will spill over into your love life. Risks, adventure and fun fill the end of the year.

In January, you'll be called to take on a major responsibility. Compensation will be delayed until August. Aquarius and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 30, 22, 28 and 15.

ASTROLOGICAL **QUESTIONS:** "Recently, I have been dating man after man, and I have yet to find anyone I am compatible with mentally and physically. Will the coming year be different for me? I am a Scorpio born Oct. 29, 1978."

A Scorpion with prowess, you are a force for attracting what and whom you want. With your Venus and Mars in your sun sign, you are as charming as you are fierce, as sensual as you are seductive. And enviably, you don't need to work very hard to win anyone's affection, yet you still feel compelled to put in the effort. Know that a powerfully bewitching Scorpio woman can be as mesmerizing as she is threatening to the male ego, so occasionally softening your approach is the right track. Instead of diving

right in, hang back; give him a chance to reveal himself to you. You need to trust your innate animal magnetism to draw him in. Harness your desire by using your formidable mental focus to visualize (specifically) the qualities and attributes of your dream man. Venus in Capricorn will favor a cool approach. In the weeks to come. move slow, let intrigue work for you, trust your powers of attraction and play the long game.

**CELEBRITY PRO-**FILES: Wishes have come true for Miranda Lambert fans who hoped her new record would transform the recent turmoil of Lambert's personal life into beautiful, vulnerable, heartbreaking music. The Scorpio songstress was born with four luminaries in Scorpio, the sign of transformation. Lambert thrives on change and welcomes the opportunity to take her art to new levels.

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Ready to Date Again

Dear Annie: It has been two years since my husband of 25 years passed away. He was my best friend. We did everything together.

Mv children have been amazingly supportive to me. They are always including me with their own families for dinners, with going to church, etc. Neither my son nor my daughter has even hinted at this, but lately I have been

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#### California **Dear Lonely:**

True, it might be a little more challenging to meet someone now than when you were in your 20s. But it is by no means impossible, so don't give up so easily. Anything worth doing is worth a little grit.

about your readiness, but now that you are ready, it's time to spread the word.

Dear Annie: Do not always take letters at face value and make assumptions. I am that daughter described in the letter from "Missing Her," the 82-year-old moth-

parents to stop doing things that were hurtful to me, they would say such things as, "How dare you tell us what to do? We're your parents." I was dragged to counseling on multiple occasions, but whenever the therapist suggested my parents could

Instead, they write long, chatty letters that are all about them and pretend that there is nothing amiss. Meanwhile, they vilify me to anyone who will listen.

In these circumstances, Annie, you have the gall to say that I seem "quick to burn bridges rather than repair them"? My opinion, Annie, is that rather than just support what this "poor, victimized" woman wants to hear, you could perhaps present the possibility that there is another side to the story. -- Grieving for the Relationship I Couldn't Have

group -- who was only showing interest in the 35-year-old; go figure. I just feel that men my own age are looking for someone younger. I am ready to just give up and be alone for the rest of my life. -- Lonely Widow in

First, I suggest you check out online dating sites. Find the sites that seem right for you, and ask your children to help you set up your profile, if you need help. I'm sure they would be excited. They want you to be happy.

> If you're really not comfortable with online dating, just telling your friends and family that you are now open to dating could open doors for you. They may have not wanted to set you up because they weren't sure

er who lamented that her daughter hasn't spoken to her in 12 years.

For years, I was the family scapegoat. I was called "troublesome" and "always prickly." Every time I did something good, my parents took credit for it. (I got into a prestigious university because my mother took the application to the post office, for example.) Anything bad and I was going to kill my mother with the grief I caused.

When I asked my

relationship techniques (for instance, talking directly to me rather than complaining about me to my brother and dragging him into the problem), the therapy sessions were somehow no longer "working" or "convenient" and were stopped.

change some of their

After decades of this, I finally decided that I had had enough and stopped responding to them. They have not once reached out to ask what they could do to repair the relationship, nor have they apologized for past wrongs or in any way offered to work toward a better relationship.

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## By Steve Becker You have to do a little work

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable NORTH **♦**Q9852 ♥9843 **♦** T ♣A 7 6 EAST WEST **♦**4 ♥K 10 2 **4**7 ♥J65 ♦ K 9 5 4 3 +10842🖡 K (O 9 5 3 SOUTH 🕈 A K J 10 6 3 ♥AQ7 A 10 8 ♣J The bidding: West North South East 1 ♠ 6 ♠ Pass 4 🏟 Pass

Opening lead — king of clubs.

Many endplays come ready-made for declarer. Some of these might not be as easy to see as others, but that does not alter the fact that the position necessary to accomplish the endplay is there from the start. All that is needed is to lay the proper groundwork, and the final piece sim-

ply falls into place. In today's deal, for example, South should take the view from the outset that the slam cannot be defeated regardless of how the opponents' cards are divided. This is true even though at first blush the slam appears to depend on the favorable location of the king of hearts.

come strictly on the success of a heart finesse, which is only an evenmoney proposition, South puts into motion a plan designed to overcome the possibility that West might have

He does this by clearing the diamonds and clubs from his own hand and dummy before tackling the heart suit. After winning the club lead with the ace, he ruffs a club high and draws a round of trumps. Next he cashes the ace of diamonds, ruffs a diamond, then ruff's dummy's last

play that cannot fail. He leads a low

ever he returns, South is sure to take the rest of the tricks. A heart lead is fatal, and so is a club or a diamond. which would hand declarer a ruffand-discard. The endplay thus removes all risk of defeat.

defense if East played the jack when the heart was led from dummy. South would simply cover the jack with the queen, and West would again find himself in a hopeless position.

Tomorrow: Test your play. ©2016 King Features Syndicate Inc

However, rather than stake the out-

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The stage is now set for the endneart from dummy and, after East follows low, plays the seven.

West wins with the ten, but, what-

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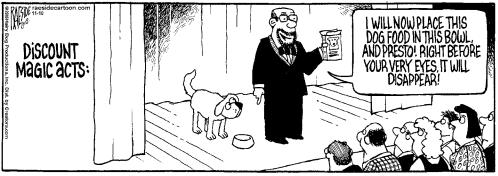
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Mustafa Kemal Ataturk died in Istanbul at age 57.

In 1942, Winston Churchill delivered a speech in London in which he said, "I have not become the King's First Minister to preside over the liquidation of the British days before its dedication. Soviet leader Leonid I. Brezhnev died at age 75.

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## **S**ports

## Texas A&M and Ole Miss both look to backup QBs this week

#### By The Associated Press

Mississippi (4-5, 1-4 SEC) at No. 10 Texas A&M (7-2, 4-2, No. 8 CFP), 7:30 p.m. (SEC Network)

Line: Texas A&M by 10.

Series Record: Texas A&M leads 6-2. The Aggies are looking to bounce back after an upset at Mississippi State last week that likely knocked them out of the College Football Playoff. The Rebels need two wins with just three games left to become

#### bowl eligible for the fifth straight first half. This week he'll face a pass season.

**KEY MATCHUP** 

QB Jake Hubenak vs. Mississippi's pass defense. Hubenak will get his second career start in place of Trevor Knight, who is out for the season after injuring his shoulder last week. Hubenak threw for 222 yards with two touchdowns and an interception after taking over against Mississippi State when Knight was injured in the defense ranked 56th in the country. PLAYERS TO WATCH

Mississippi: QB Jason Pellerin. The freshman will likely get his first career start after senior Chad Kelly, who leads the SEC in passing yards a game, suffered a season-ending knee injury last week. Coach Hugh Freeze hasn't confirmed that Pellerin will start, but said he would get most of the snaps in practice this week.

Texas A&M: WR/PR Christian Kirk. The sophomore has returned three punts for touchdowns in the past two games to give him five in his career. Kirk returned two against New Mexico State two weeks ago and a third one last week at Mississippi State. If he returns one on Saturday he will become the third player in FBS history and first since 2013 to have a punt return touchdown in three straight games.

can happen."

## STEERS

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and get out to Austin, because if he runs what he ran at district, we finish fifth or sixth. So him running what he did, he was able to pass enough people at the end to slide us into fourth," Leggett said. "We run in the toughest region in the state, and for our number one runner to go

those other six guys that they were willing and able to step up, especially when they were having to run past their number one runner with an ambulance right there."

down, it says a lot about

Leggett also praised the commitment the team has shown throughout the year.

"This is the first time we've gotten out as a team since 2007. We won the state championship

that year. We've had a couple kids get out individually, but we haven't had a team get out," he said. "These kids put in work every morning starting in June. It hasn't been easy, but they've made sacrifices to be here every day and parents have made sacrifices to get them here. I know during summer, the last thing a kid wants to do is come up here at seven in the morning and run eight or ten miles, but these seven kids have done that.'

The Steers will leave for Round Rock at 9 a.m. Friday before the meet starts 24 hours later on Saturday morning. Leggett said he expects the results to be close, and that San Elizario High School should represent the toughest competition.

"We're expecting it to be a competitive field. There's about six or for the three medal positions. The team (San Elizario) that's sitting out in front of everybody has won the state championship three years in a row, and at the regional meet they finished all seven of their runners in the top 15, so they're going to be tough to beat," Leggett said. "But whenever you get down to a state competition, anything

seven teams that are all

right there in the mix

Big Spring High School will send off the team with a celebration and the sound of cheers as the bus leaves for Round Rock Friday at 9 a.m in front of the high school. Leggett said the planned route is to "start at the gym at our locker room over there, and make our way down 11th Place and then down Goliad and head out of town."

## ROCKETS

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"They had my back," Harden said. "But those turnovers, those can't happen consistently, or two missed free throws."

TIP-INS

Rockets: Harden had his streak of four straight games with at least 30 points and 12 assists snapped. ... Houston played seven of its first eight games on the road. The last team to open with such an arduous schedule was Cleveland in 1970-71. ... Corey Brewer started his second straight game. Gordon started the team's first six games.

Spurs: Tony Parker missed his third consecutive game with a sore right knee. Popovich expects Parker to play Friday at home against Detroit or Saturday in Houston. ... Manu Ginobili joined Rashard Lewis as the only second-round draft picks in NBA history with 13,000 career points and at least 1,300 3-pointers. Ginobili is the 15th second-rounder to reach 13,000 points. ... Green became the sixth player with at least one 3-pointer in 300 games for the Spurs. Parker, Ginobili, Bruce Bowen, Matt Bonner and Sean Elliott are the others.

GOOD FIT

Harden's move to point guard has paid off for the Rockets, who are tied with the Spurs atop the Southwest Division at 5-3.

"He's scoring a bundle and getting about 10 assists a game," Popovich said. "I think anybody would take that. That's pretty darn good." DANNY BOY

Green made his season debut for San Antonio, scoring eight points in his return from a strained left quadriceps. He missed his first 3-point try but drained his second from the right corner and finished 2 for 8 on 3s. "I thought Danny was great," Popovich said. "He hit big shots. He drove it a few times. He played good defense. I thought he looked really good."

## MAVS

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seven games. But he returned to form from the start in this one. He hit four of Golden State's eight 3s in the opening quarter during a span of just more than 2 minutes.

"It was good to see him get the 3-point stroke going," coach Steve Kerr said. "He started off on fire. It didn't carry over the rest of the game, but he had a tremendous first quarter. You can see it coming. It's absolutely coming with Klay."

Durant got going after that and extended the lead to 67-34 in the final minute of the first half with his own shot from

long range.

The Mavericks managed to cut the deficit to 13 early in the fourth quarter but never really threatened Golden State the rest of the way.

TIP-INS

Mavericks: Starting guards J.J. Barea and Wesley Matthews and C Andrew Bogut got the night off on the back end of a back-to-back. ... Dallas has lost eight straight in Oakland.

Warriors: Durant scored at least 20 points for the 72nd straight regular-season game, tying Michael Jordan for the fourth-longest streak ever. ... Curry left briefly in the third quarter after tweaking his right ankle. He got it taped and came back into the game.

#### REUNION

The game marked a return to Oakland for Barnes and Bogut, who left in the offseason after the Warriors signed Durant. They both got long ovations before the game and a video tribute in the first quarter for their roles in winning the NBA title in 2015 and a record 73 regular-season games last season.

"The fans here are phenomenal," Barnes said. "They showed love ever since my rookie year up until my last year here, so it was very nice."

**BROTHERLY LOVE** With Barea sitting, Seth Curry got the start for Dallas and a matchup with big brother Steph. They guarded each other when both were in

the game and Stephen hit a 30-footer over Seth in the second quarter. Seth had 10 points and nine assists.

"It's always a good time when we're matched up against each other," he said. THE

SPREAD WEALTH

Thompson, Durant, Curry and Green all hit four 3-pointers for the Warriors. The Elias Sports Bureau said it's the first time a team had four players hit at least four 3s in one game.

UP NEXT

Mavericks: Continue their road trip against the New York Knicks next Monday.

Warriors: Travel to Denver on Thursday for their second back-toback of the season.

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UP NEXT

Rockets: Host San Antonio on Saturday. Spurs: Host Detroit on Friday.

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## EDUCATION

**BIG SPRING HERALD** Thursday, November 10, 2016

# Parent's Corner **Steal my thunder**

am totally enjoying the amount of rain we are having this year and I dearly love to just sit back, watch it rain, watch the lightening streak across the sky, and listen to the thunder. Talking about thunder, are you familiar with the phrase "steal

my thunder"? Did you ever wonder where that phrase came from? Well, as I was listening to the thunder recently that phrase came across my mind, so I decided to do a bit of research to track down the real meaning.

In today's vernacular, to steal someone's thunder, you use another person's idea and take all the credit

for it, or you can steal someone's thunder by upstaging them in one way or another. But the original phrase was given to us in the 1700s.

Live theater productions have plenty of sound effect tricks and many of them are centuries old. It seems that technicians back then had a number of simple, but successful means of

creating effects on stage, and if the sound of thunder was needed for a stormy scene, various methods were used to create the sounds, including shaking thin sheets of metal and rolling metal balls down troughs and grinding lead shot in bowls.

Stage technicians were always trying to find new ideas and create new and better ways of making sounds more authentic. One such case was an unsuccessful playwright by the name of John Dennis, who had a bright idea, which was a totally new way to create the effect of thunder.

He found that by rolling metal balls not in a trough, but a bowl would give a very real sound of thunder. He attempted this during the premiere performance of one of his plays, Ap-



pius and Virginia. The play was unsuccessful, but some of his new ideas of special effects brought immediate notation of theater goers.

It seems that a short time later, Mr. Dennis attended a performance of Macbeth, where he noticed that his new thunder method was being used by the production team.

Utterly outraged, he is said to have jumped up from his seat and interrupted the show by shouting, 'the villains will not play my play, but they steal my thunder!'

Mr. Dennis was never really given credit for his invention, but he did end up giving us a new phrase. I hope, in giving you this information I am not stealing the thunder of Mr. Dennis.

Now to another subject: I recently read that three friends attending a funeral were asked, "When you're in your casket, and friends are mourning over you, what would you like them to say?" George said, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful husband and a great family man." Chris commented, "I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher who made a huge difference in people's lives." Kevin said, "I'd like them to say, 'Look, he's moving!""

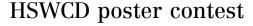
Darrell Ryan is the Big Spring ISD director of school safety.





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Congratulations to the Big Spring High School students who were inducted into Howard College's Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society earlier this week. Pictured from left are Justin Rider, Makenzie Word, Medina Bancroft, Brandi Villa, and M'Kenna Hopper. Not pictured is Samantha Grace.



The Howard Soil & Water Conservation District is sponsoring its annual poster and essay contests.

This year's contest theme is "We All Need Trees".

Winners are invited to a banquet in their honor. The top two winners will be sent on to area and state competitions.

Deadline for the contests is Feb. 1, 2017. For further information contact, Judy Tereletsky at 432-267-1871, Ext 3 or by emailing Judith.Tereletsky@tx.nacdnet. net.



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