

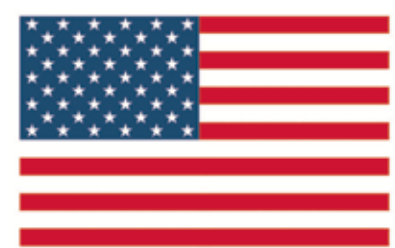
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## No visitors allowed at FCI Big Spring Prison under 'limited operational status' after CO assaulted



Courtesy photo

FCI Big Spring remains closed to visitors following an assault on a correctional officer after he discovered an inmate in possession of a contraband cellphone. According to the Facebook page belonging to the facility's staff union, the site has been plagued with contraband problems for two years.

By **ROGER CLINE**  
 Staff Writer

The Federal Correctional Institution in Big Spring remains under "limited operational status" after an incident earlier this month. According to a press release issued by FCI Big Spring, "On Friday, June 8, 2018, at approximately

12 p.m., the inmate population at the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) Big Spring failed to report to their assigned work details. Staff secured the housing units, and the institution was placed on limited operational status." The release goes on to say that an internal investigation is underway, and the facility will return to

full operational status "as soon as possible." "There were no staff or inmate injuries, and at no time was the public in danger," the release says. According to a notice on the Federal Bureau of Prisons page for FCI Big Spring, "Visiting at the Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) has been suspended until further notice." No other explanation is given on that page. The Facebook page for the FCI's staff union, Local 3809, reveals that Officer Hunt, a correctional officer at the facility, was assaulted after discovering an inmate in possession of a contraband cellphone at the prison. "On May 30, 2018 at 2:40am Officer Hunt was conducting a round within a housing unit. He noticed an inmate with a bright light illuminating from underneath his blanket," says a post on the Facebook page. "The inmate refused to comply with any orders. Hunt pulled on a headphone cord that was dangling off of the bed and a cell phone fell to the ground. When Hunt looked down at the cell phone that had just fallen on the ground, the inmate jumped on top of Hunt and then slammed him into the wall between two bunks. The inmate then began looking for the phone on the ground, which gave Hunt enough time to call for assistance." A second inmate became involved in the altercation. "An all-out fight ensued to include inmate #2 jumping in when Hunt had gained the upper hand,"

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## Summer Shopping Extravaganza

Special to the Herald

Summer Shopping Extravaganza is today! The Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce is once again sponsoring the event, hosted by area local businesses.



The extravaganza is just a way to let the community know what we have in our backyard and for those that can't get out and shop after work, this is their chance. The businesses will stay open until 8 p.m. for your shopping convenience. And they will be offering refreshments; great sales and a lot of fun!

"We have been doing this for the past three years and it has been a really successful time for all who participate," said Chamber of Commerce Director Debbie Valverde.

Laura at Blissful Boutique, 1801 E FM 700 Suite C10 is having store-wide savings and drinks; Patricia and Kayla at Blue-Eyed

Buffalo, 223 S. Main has 25 percent off art and 20 percent off bedding, 15 percent off cowhide, 10 percent off accessories; and Genia at Dazzling Décor, 1304 Scurry, will be offering specials throughout the store, and drawing for a Consuela shopping bag filled with summer essentials valued at \$200.

At Higginbotham Brothers & Co., 1900 E FM 700, Shawn is offering 5 percent off firearms and 20 percent off lawn & garden supplies.

Other great shops are Lula Blu Boutique, 2112 Scurry, where Mallory and Lori are having a store-wide sale, and they will be serving "Corn Diggity" (a Texas twist on a Frito Pie) worth stopping and trying out. Sherry at Merle Norman, 1210 S. Gregg, has all shoes and scarves half price. If you get hungry, Jeannie at Queens of the Dude Ranch, 221 S. Main, will have a sale and door prizes; and if you

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## 'The Spring,' a documentary about Big Spring's namesake

Special to the Herald



Courtesy Photo

Interim Community Services Director Hayley Herrera, shows off the Telly Award and Communicator Award earned this spring by the documentary about Big Spring's historic spring, "The Spring."

"The Spring," the documentary-style video written and directed by Tumbleweed Smith along with James Fite, videographer and editor; B.Z. Lewis, music; and Bruce Schooler, photography; was submitted in four film competitions, and was awarded the bronze Telly and an award of distinction from the Communicator Awards.

The Telly Awards is the premier award honoring video and television across all screens. Established in 1979, The Telly Awards receives more than 12,000 entries from all 50 states and five continents. Entrants are judged by The Telly Awards Judging Council—an industry body of over 200 leading experts including advertising agencies, production companies, and major television networks.

The Communicator Awards is said to be the largest and most competitive awards program, honoring creative excellence for communication professionals.

"The Spring" is available to view on www.facebook.com/BigSpringCVB and www.visitbigspring.com.

For more information call Hayley Herrera at 432-263-8235.

## VA's Wright named to governor's board

By **TYLER SCHELLIE**  
 Staff Writer

VA employee Kim Wright was just appointed to the Texas Board of Nursing, by Governor Greg Abbot. The board oversees the practice of professional nursing, examina-



Wright

tion of students, and standards of professional conduct for license holders. The board also prescribes and publishes the minimum requirements and

standards for course studies in various nursing degree programs.

"It was an honor, Governor Greg Abbot is a great person and this means a lot to me," Kim Wright said.

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## Obituaries

### Jesse James Collins



Jesse James Collins, 30, of Big Spring, went to be with his son, Bradley, Wednesday, June 13, 2018. Vigil services will be 7:00 PM Sunday, June 17, 2018 at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral Mass will be 10:00 AM Monday, June 18, 2018 at Holy Trinity Catholic Parish. Interment will follow at Coahoma Cemetery.

Survivors include his parents, Connie and Demetrio Alvarado of Big Spring; his father, Michael Collins; two sons, Hayden Collins and Anderson Collins; one sister, Jessica Alvarado; one nephew; the mothers of his children; his grandparents; three aunts; and one uncle.

He was preceded in death by one son, Bradley Collins; and his grandfather.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com)

## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **VENANCIO ALONSO CASTRO**, 29, of 1922 W. FM 738 Orange Grove, was arrested on charges driving while intoxicated.

• **ABEL MAGANA**, 28, of 811 W 6th St. was arrested on warrants of burglary of a building.

• **ANTON WARDELL HILL II**, 28, of 1317 Wood St. was arrested on a warrant for driving with an

invalid license, with previous conviction/suspension.

• **DAVID CANALES JR.**, 33, of 507 E. 15th St. was arrested on a warrant for jumping bail.

• **WESLEY JAMES SHOUP**, 50, of 9906 Centerpoint Rd. lot 1 was arrested on charges of assault family violence threat.

• **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported on the 3600 block of Tingle St.

• **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported on the 700/ Gregg Bridge.

• **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported on the 900 block of N Lamesa Highway.

• **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported on the block of 1200 Settles St.

• **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported on the block of 3600 Hamilton St.

• **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported on the block of 9900 Center Point Rd.

• **THEFT** was reported on the 900 block of Willia St.

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 70 inmates at the time of this report.

• **DAVID CANALES JR.**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for jumping bail.

• **VENANCIO ALONSO CASTRO**, 29, was arrested by BSPD on charges for driving while intoxicated.

• **DYLAN LEE DANEK**, 24, was arrested by DPS on charges for driving while intoxicated.

• **ANTON WARDELL HILL II**, 28, was arrested by BSPD on

a warrant for driving with an invalid license, with previous conviction/suspension.

• **ABEL MAGANA**, 28, was arrested by BSPD on warrants of burglary of a building.

• **WESLEY JAMES SHOUP**, 50, was arrested by HCSO on charges of assault family violence threat.

## Take Note

• Come on down to the American Legion Post 506 Saturday, June 16 Fish Fry. The American Legion will be serving plates, \$10 each from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the Legion also offers carry out plate and will be delivering from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information or to order you Fish Fry plate for carry out call 432-263-2084. The American Legion Post 506 is located at 3203 W Hwy 80. Everyone one is welcome.

• Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 432-263-9669.

• The mission of CASA of West Texas is to promote and support quality volunteers who speak for the best interest of abused and neglected children in court in an effort to find each child a safe, nurturing and permanent home. We need your help. If you're interested in volunteering, contact Sara Balsaldua at 1-877-316-8346 or visit [www.BecomeaCASA.org](http://www.BecomeaCASA.org) or [www.casawtx.org](http://www.casawtx.org).

• The Crossroads Young Marines is taking applications for another boot camp. For more information, call 432-517-4791. Young Marines welcomes boys and girls ages 8 to 18 who are still attending school.

• The Homeownership Preservation Foundation (HPF) is an independent national nonprofit dedicated to helping distressed homeowners navigate financial challenges and avoid mortgage foreclosure. If you want to stop mortgage foreclosure and are need of help, the time to call 888-995-HOPE is now. HPF can provide counseling free of charge, in English and 170 other languages, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. For free foreclosure help, call the hotline.

• Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas, handles legal issues affecting Veterans, Retirees, and their family members. They will have clinics that provides volunteer attorneys that will provide free legal advice (up to 25 minutes depending on the issue). A pro bono attorney may be assigned to handle some cases that include: bankruptcy, consumer issues/contract, child support and custody, divorce, employment, foreclosure, housing, landlord/tenant, probate and guardianship, real estate, social security/SSI, Veterans benefits/issues, wills and estate planning. The Clinic dates are on Aug. 23 and Nov. 1 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Northside Community Center on 110 N.E 8th St. Applicants must be financially eligible to obtain services. Please bring a copy of your DD215 and/or Veterans ID card. Appointments are required. For more information or to make an appointment, please contact Pete Fierro at 432-332-1207, ext. 4511.

• The Howard County Democrats meet the second and fourth Mondays of each month, at 5:30 p.m. in the Howard College Library.

• The Emergency Services Chaplains Corps is seeking volunteer chaplains. The corps provides spiritual services to Howard County residents and visitors in crisis situations. Prospective chaplains don't require any specific experience or education to qualify for the position, just a calling from God and a willingness to devote time to the program, which requires a 24- to 30-week training program and dedication of one day per week for emergency call-outs. Those interested should contact Senior Chaplain Joel Miller at 432-213-1221.

• Big Spring's Centennial Lions Club is holding a drive to collect books for the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club. Books for kids in kindergarten through about 10th grade will be accepted, with special preference for books for younger children in kindergarten through third grade. Cash donations to allow the Lions to purchase additional books are also appreciated. Books or donations can be taken to the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St., or to the home of Lions member Ken Lawhon at 1707 E. 15th St. For more information, contact Lawhon at 214-998-9716.

• Food 2 Kids Big Spring needs you! It is time to start sacking food for Big Spring elementary students who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It just takes a couple hours of your time and the work is very rewarding. To volunteer, just show up at the time and dates listed. For more information, call, 432-935-3998.

If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school.

• Each week Kindred offers free health checks from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the Corner House Coffee Shop, 1701 Scurry St.

### Wanda Schram Duke

Wanda Schram Duke, 82 of Stanton, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, June 13, 2018. The family will accept guests from 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2018 at Gilbreath Funeral Home with a Graveside Service following at 11 a.m. at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton. She is survived by her husband, Rex Duke and her sons, Jimmy Bryan, Eddie Bryan and Christopher Bryan.

## Fire, EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 820 block of Colorado City Hwy. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3500 block of Gail Hwy. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported on Gregg St. and FM 700. No transport.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported on W I-20 MM 170. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported on 3rd and Lancaster.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported on 3rd and Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Sycamore. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of N Hwy 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Support Groups

### FRIDAY

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

### 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

• 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.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees it, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 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.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

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the post continues. "The blow from inmate #2 was enough to disorient and take the breath away from Hunt. Hunt gave numerous orders to the inmates but they continued to attempt to destroy the evidence. As they started to circle Hunt, getting ready to rush him again, responding officers arrived to assist."

The fracas was the culmination of an ongoing contraband problem at the facility, the post states.

"Over the past two years FCI Big Spring has developed a major contraband issue. It's not a coincidence that this aligned with a self-imposed Bureau hiring freeze, staffing cuts, increased augmentation etc.," the post says. "The massive spike in the introduction of cell phones, drugs, weapons, etc., are allowing inmates to continue their crimes behind our fences

for monetary gain and at the cost of our's and the public's safety. Many of the key players will do 'whatever it takes' to make money. Interrupting these activities has already taken the life of one of our correctional brothers, Lt. Teniente Albarati (a correctional officer in Puerto Rico who was shot to death on his way home from work), and has caused severe injury to others, to include our own Officer Hunt. We've also had a reported five recent cases of staff who have dealt

with illness due to exposure to drugs during searches, two of which have required immediate medical treatment."

FCI Big Spring is a low-security facility that houses 1,032 male offenders in Big Spring.

Contact Staff Writer Roger Cline at 432-263-7331 ext. 235, or by email at reporter@bigspringherald.com.

**Afghan official: US drone kills Pakistan Taliban chief**



In this file image made from video broadcast on Thursday, Nov. 7, 2013, undated footage of Mullah Fazlullah is shown on a projector in Pakistan. An Afghan defense ministry official says Friday, June 15, 2018 a US drone strike in northeastern Kunar province killed Pakistan Taliban chief Mullah Fazlullah.

spokesman said Friday.

In a telephone interview, Mohammad Radmanish said Fazlullah and two other insurgents were killed early Thursday morning, just hours before Afghanistan's Taliban began a three-day cease fire to mark the Muslim holiday of Eid al-Fitr. The three-day holiday follows the end of Islam's holy month of Ramadan when devout adherents fast from sunrise to sunset.

However, Sakhi Mashwani, a Parliamentarian from Kunar province told the Associated Press that Fazlullah, along with five other insurgents, died when the strike slammed into the vehicle in which they were driving.

Mashwani said dozens of people, including Fazlullah's brother, Moheen Dada, gathered Friday in the Ghaziabad district of Kunar province, to offer prayers for the dead Taliban leader.

According to a statement attributed to U.S. Forces-Afghanistan spokesman Lt. Col Martin O'Donnell, the U.S. carried out a "counter-

terrorism strike" Thursday in the border region between Afghanistan and Pakistan targeting "a senior leader of a designated terrorist organization."

The statement did not say whether the strike had killed anyone and did not identify Fazlullah as the target. However, the statement did note that the drone attack did not violate a cease-fire announcement made June 7 by Afghan President Ashraf Ghani. The Taliban's promise of a temporary truce came on Monday.

Radmanish said the drone attack took place in Marawara district, near the border.

Pakistan's military refused to comment on the report of Fazlullah's death saying any information would have to come from Washington. Yet Fazlullah's death would be welcome news in Pakistan, where the government has repeatedly complained that Fazlullah and his Tehrik-e-Taliban had found safe havens across the border in Afghanistan. Meanwhile, Kabul and Washington both complain that Pakistan has for years allowed Afghanistan's Taliban free movement as well

as medical treatment for battlefield wounds.

Still, the recent cease fire announcement by Afghanistan's Taliban is being at least partially credited to Pakistan, which some observers say has been pressing the leadership to accept President Ghani's recent peace overtures.

In his Eid greeting this week, Afghan Taliban chief Haibatullah Akhunzada repeated the Taliban demand for direct talks with the United States before opening negotiations with the Afghan government. Until now, Washington has refused.

It was Yousafzai's open call for girls' education and criticism of the Taliban that infuriated Fazlullah. She was just 14 when she survived the assassination attempt in 2012. Her return to her hometown earlier this year seemed a particular triumph as it was also to open a school funded by a charity she established to promote girls education globally.

She has often said that Fazlullah's attempts to silence her backfired and instead he amplified her voice around the world.

**Coffee Time**

Editor's note: When this story was run in Thursday's Herald, the portion meant to appear on Page 3 was inadvertently omitted. We are re-running the story in its entirety here. Coffee Time was from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. today, and it happens each Friday at the same time.

By AMBER MANSFIELD

Staff Writer  
Friday is approaching, which means it is almost time for Kindred Coffee Hour. If you haven't yet attended this free public event put on by Kindred at Home and

to steer people in the right direction when it comes to their health, or even if they are already doing great, we just love being able to offer this service to the community, and we are so happy about its continued growth," said Fair.

Every week there is something different in store for the guest of Kindred Coffee Hour. This Friday, special guest speaker Mark Richardson will be speaking to those present at the coffee hour about "Thank a Veteran Day," and what people can do to take part in that day and

show their support for local veterans.

"Our veterans and their families have given so much and Thank a Veteran Day is just a reminder for the rest of us to take the time to acknowledge their sacrifice," said Amanda Duforat, SMMC Marketing Manager. "This is an opportunity to find out how this day got implemented and why it's important to remember."

If you would like to know more about the topics each week, the guest speakers or what all this coffee hour can offer you, contact Christian Fair at 432-816-3573.



Fair



Duforat

Pakistan has been hunting Fazlullah for several years and has repeatedly said he was plotting attacks on Pakistan from safe havens in Afghanistan.

By AMIR SHAH

Associated Press  
KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — A U.S. drone strike in northeastern Kunar province killed Pakistan Taliban chief Mullah Fazlullah, the insurgent leader who ordered the assassination of Nobel Peace Prize winner Malala Yousafzai, an Afghan Defense Ministry

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do get hungry for dinner while shopping, Double L BBQ will be on site with street tacos and snow cones for purchase.

At Southern Blush, 1203 Scurry, Carla and her girls will be offering a women's clothing sale; and new to the block is Britney and Natasha at The Wardrobe Boutique, 115 S. Main. They will have their infamous "Spin to Win Wheel"...you could get some great discounts on your purchase; they will also have mimosas, snacks and drawings for giveaways.

Also out and about that night will be the Chamber Ambassadors. They will have three coupons to hand out to use that evening at the business they are at, but you the customer must know the Chamber catchphrase. If you know what it is, go up to the Ambassador, let them know, and if you have it right, you could get a 20 percent off coupon to be used at the business on items under the discretion of the owner/manager that evening.

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Kim's passion for health care and helping people began in High school. She began working as an EMT with her mother. After graduation she wanted to continue her career and went on to receive a vocational nursing diploma from Howard college, where she later went on to become a BLS ( Basic Life Support) instructor.

After a long career in nursing, from encompass home health to big spring independent school district there was only a brief period of time that she took a step away from Nursing to raise her three children. Upon returning she landed her job with the VA, where she has been the last three years.

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## Country star George Strait part of Harvey recovery campaign

ROCKPORT, Texas (AP) — Country star George Strait leads a new tourism campaign for part of Hurricane Harvey-damaged South Texas months after the storm devastated the area he sometimes calls home.

Officials with the Rockport-Fulton Chamber of Commerce say Strait, who's owned a house in the community for years, participated free of charge.

Strait is part of the "Find Yourself in Rockport-Fulton" radio and TV campaign to encourage tourists to return to the area hard-hit when Harvey made landfall in August. Strait talks about one of his favorite places is the "Rockport-Fulton area on the coast."

He visited the area last September, joining Gov. Greg Abbott, to encourage residents.

The TV commercials start this month in San Antonio and Austin. The radio spots will air in the Texas Hill Country and New Braunfels.

## Ex-doctor charged in 1988 attack after victim dies

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas prosecutors say an ex-physician has been charged in the death of a woman left incapacitated after being sexually assaulted and strangled in 1988.

Dallas County jail records show 56-year-old George Guo was being held Thursday on a capital murder charge with a \$5 million bond.

The Dallas County District Attorney's Office says Guo was arrested Wednesday in Houston in the June 1988 attack on Dr. Katherine Bascone in Highland Park.

The attack left Bascone blind and with a brain injury. She died in earlier this year.

Authorities say DNA testing helped in the investigation.

Records show Guo was convicted in 1991 of burglary, and his medical license was revoked. Guo was also convicted of burglary with intent to commit sexual assault in a 1999 incident. He left prison in 2013.

Online records don't list an attorney representing Guo.

## Ex-US Navy man sentenced for taking classified information

GALVESTON, Texas (AP) — A former member of the U.S. Navy has been sentenced to prison for illegally keeping classified national defense information, including that of some U.S. nuclear operations.

The Justice Department says 43-year-old Weldon Marshall of Sherman, Texas, was sentenced Wednesday to 41 months in prison.

Marshall pleaded guilty March 5 as part of a deal in which he admitted taking top secret documents when he left the Navy in 2004. He also admitted taking secret documents about U.S. operations in Afghanistan while he worked as a defense contractor for various companies.

Marshall's rank and how he used the documents were not revealed. Assistant U.S. Attorney Alamar Hamdani declined further comment. Marshall's attorney did not return a phone call seeking comment.

## Remains of Korean War POW from South Texas to be buried

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — The remains of a Texas serviceman taken prisoner of war following a 1951 battle with Chinese forces in South Korea have been identified and will be returned to his family.

The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency on Thursday announced the remains of Army Pfc. Felipe A. Champion of Brownsville will be buried June 21 in his hometown.

Champion was age 19 and with Company K, 3rd Battalion, 38th Infantry Regiment, when he was reported missing in action in February 1951. The U.S. determined Champion was a prisoner of war.

Another American POW, after being released, reported Champion died in custody at the Suan Bean Camp in 1951.

North Korea in 1992 returned 15 boxes of remains reportedly from where Champion was believed to have died. DNA evidence helped identify Champion last August.

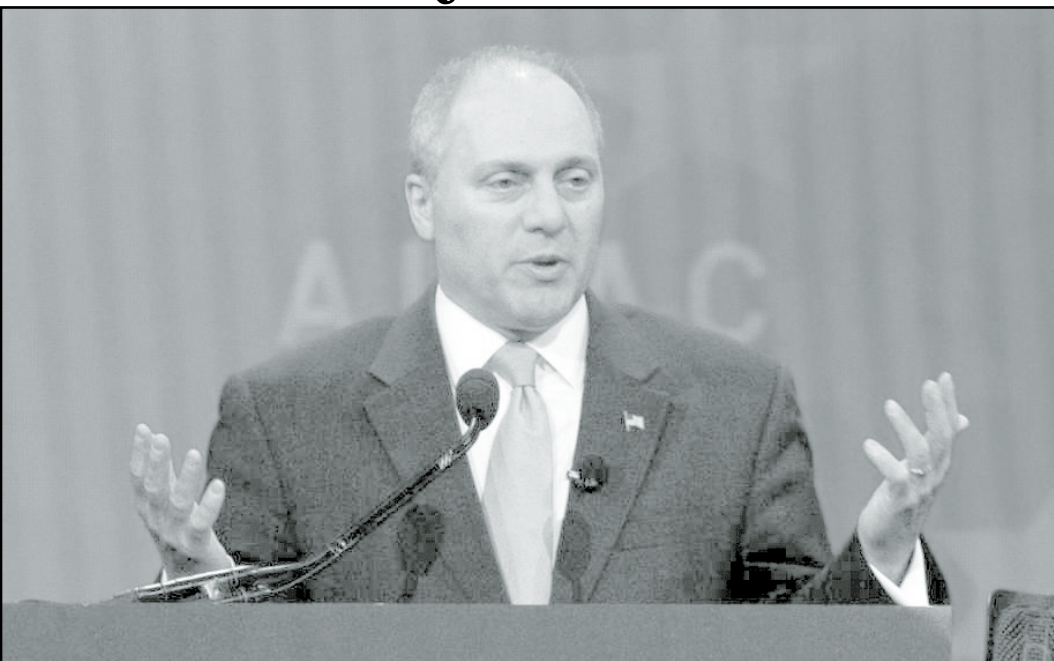
## US to open temporary shelter in Texas for immigrant children

HOUSTON (AP) — Federal authorities say they will open a temporary shelter for unaccompanied immigrant children in far west Texas as existing facilities reach capacity.

A spokesman for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services said Thursday that authorities would open a shelter at the Tornillo port of entry, about 40 miles (64 kilometers) southeast of El Paso. The spokesman did not immediately respond to questions about whether children would be kept outdoors.

The numbers of children in existing facilities have surged as the Trump administration institutes a zero tolerance policy against families that try to enter the U.S. without legal permission. Hundreds of families have been separated, with parents detained and their children placed in government shelters.

# Congressional baseball game comes a year after shooting



AP photo

In this March 6, 2018, file photo, House Republican Whip Steve Scalise speaks at the 2018 American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) policy conference in Washington. In the year since Scalise and others were wounded during a shooting rampage at a congressional baseball practice, mass shootings have occurred at a Texas church, a Las Vegas music festival and schools in Florida and Texas. Each incident is jarring, but GOP lawmakers say their views on gun control have not changed.

By MATTHEW DALY and LAURIE KELLMAN

Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the year since House Majority Whip Steve Scalise and others were shot at a congressional baseball practice, mass shootings have occurred at a Texas church, a Las Vegas music festival and high schools in Parkland, Florida, and Santa Fe, Texas.

Ohio Rep. Brad Wenstrup, a doctor who helped save Scalise's life last June, has watched those attacks unfold with the acute sensitivity of a mass shooting survivor. Each shooting is jarring, says Wenstrup — he calls the Parkland shooting in particular sickening — but his views on gun control have not changed.

"If not for a gun — two guns really — being used on our side" by two Capitol Police officers at the GOP practice, "you might have seen 20 dead people," Wenstrup says. "That tells you where I'm coming from."

That sentiment is widespread among Republicans, who say the attack has only strengthened their commitment to protecting gun rights. The

attack one year ago gives special weight to the annual game Thursday night at Nationals Park, where Republicans and Democrats are gathering for the competition that dates to 1909.

Rep. Roger Williams of Texas, who is coaching the Republican team, said he personally asked President Donald Trump to attend the game, and Trump replied that he'd be there. Williams said he didn't know if Trump was actually attending, and the White House wasn't saying late Wednesday.

Scalise, of Louisiana, suffered life-threatening injuries in the June 2017 shooting but returned to work last fall. He said the shooting "deepened my appreciation for the Second Amendment because it was people with guns who saved my life and every other member out there."

If Capitol Police officers David Bailey and Crystal Griner had not been there with guns to counter the shooter,

improve school safety.

Scalise said he sees no need to go further.

"Taking away the rights of law-abiding citizens is not the answer. Again, it was law-abiding citizens with guns that saved my life and many others," he said.

Wenstrup, a former Army combat surgeon in Iraq, says he wants to approach gun violence as a health care issue, particularly mental health.

"We need to address homicide in America and what's driving it, and certainly gun violence is a part of that," he said in an interview. "I think every school, every place where people gather, has to take a look at their security."

Rep. Chuck Fleischmann, R-Tenn., who was on the field during the shooting, said it reinforced his view that officials need to combat violence in all forms, whether it is someone with a gun, knife or bomb.

"Many times it's mental illness," Fleischmann said, adding that the FBI told lawmakers in a closed-door briefing that the gunman was intent on "suicide by cop."

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GREG SURLES

been bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall have been loosed in heaven." Then he strictly charged the disciples to tell no one that he was the Christ (ESV, including footnotes).

Remember in our previous article we asked the question, "Who is Jesus?" We must acknowledge Jesus

as the Anointed Son of the living God. We must submit to him as King in order to be in his kingdom. The kingdom of Christ is a spiritual kingdom not a physical one. As Jesus stood before Pilate on the day of his death, he said that his kingdom was not of this world (John 18:36). His kingdom would not be identified by a physical location or national boundaries. It would be identified by its monarch and all of his subjects who would be gathered into it. After all, that is the meaning of the word "church."

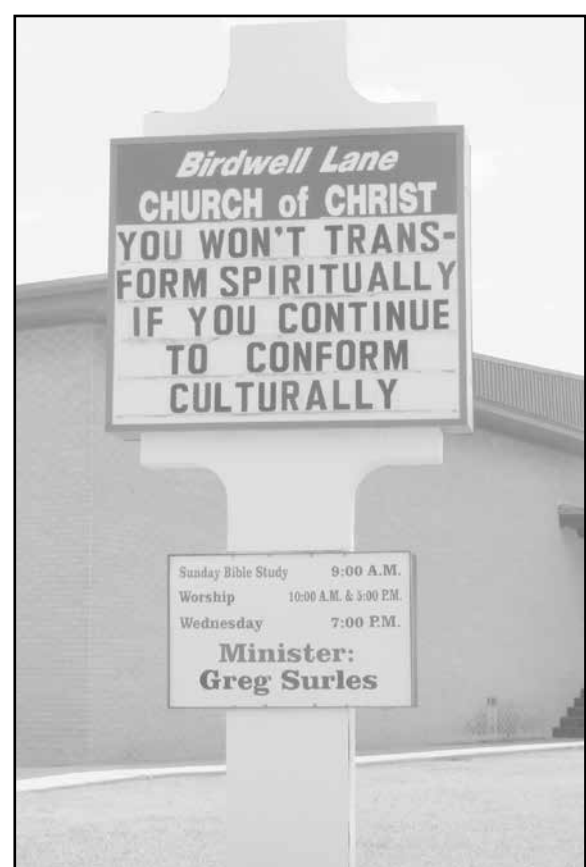
The Greek word translated as "church" in the New Testament refers to an assembly or congregation, a gathering of people. Jesus did not promise to build a physical structure. Rather, he was going to put together (assemble) a single group consisting of all who would put their trust in him and swear allegiance to him as their King. Colossians 1:13-14, He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and

transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins (ESV).

The Apostle Paul would emphasize the spiritual nature of the church as a heavenly kingdom and not an earthly one. Philippians 3:20-21, But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself (ESV).

Are you a citizen in the kingdom of which Jesus is the King? Are you a part of the assembly that has been put together by the Anointed Son of God? Are you a member of the church of Christ?

Greg Surles  
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## Church News

### Crestview Baptist Church

We at Crestview Baptist Church want to extend a warm invitation for you and your family to come and join us for worship, discipleship, evangelism, and fellowship. At Crestview, we are all about the gospel of Jesus Christ and serving Him as we learn His Word together. Sunday School begins at 10 a.m., and Sunday Worship is at 11 a.m. Pastor Tom Lassiter has started preaching through Paul's epistle to the Galatians on Sunday mornings. On Sunday and Wednesday nights at 6:30 p.m., the pastor is teaching through the book of Proverbs. If you are looking for a church home where there is lots of love and care, and a strong emphasis on God's Word, we hope you will come and visit us! We are at 2305 Gatesville Road in Big Spring. Come and be a part of what God is doing here!

### Forsan Baptist Church

This Sunday Curtis Lloyd will be the speaker. Wednesday youth and children's activities are suspended for the summer months but will resume when school starts in August. Wednesday adult Bible study class begins at 6 p.m.

If anyone needs a ride to or from Wednesday evening activities, please call Pastor Darren Weaver at 432-213-2348.

### Cornerstone Covenant Church

We at Cornerstone Covenant Church would love the opportunity to Connect with YOU! Please join us this week at one of the following events:

Sunday, June 17th- Join us this Sunday at our 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. worship service as we celebrate all Fathers on Father's Day #thenewman. Come on out as you can expect biblical teaching & preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise & worship. We would love the opportunity this Sunday to share what God has for you, and get to know you better.

Monday, July 9th- Join Far Above Rubies Women's Ministry in the ARC from 6 p.m.-8 p.m. As we encourage and equip each other in God's word. Bring your favorite dish to share for food, fun and fellowship. For more information contact Debbie Reiger @432-935-1257

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try that picks-up on Sundays for our 11 a.m. Worship Service. If you are needing a ride please contact the church offices.

Cornerstone Covenant Church (CCC) is a unified, spirited, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ. Please join us every Sunday at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for worship services.

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other questions please contact our Administrative Office at 432.264.0015 or email us at info@cccbig-spring.org. You can also find us at facebook.com/CCCBigSpring or visit us at www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

### Blessed Hands Deaf Church

Pastor Jim Waltherhouse and the congregation of Blessed Hands Deaf Church encourage you to gather with them in worship of The Living Redeemer, Jesus Christ, Sunday at 2 p.m. Join BHDC in a spiritually enriching time of praising God and learning from His Word. Currently, BHDC meets inside First Baptist Church at 705 W FM 700. For detailed information about Blessed Hands Deaf Church, including Wednesday evening schedule and activities, contact Pastor Jim at: jwaltherhouse@gmail.com.

### First Baptist Church

"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, Jesus Christ, that whoever believes in Him will not perish, but will have



## ROMANS 8:18

*"The pain that you've been feeling, can't compare to the joy that's coming."*

everlasting life." John 3:16

Celebrate God's never ending love Sunday morning at 10:50 with the people of FBC as they lift their grateful hearts in reverential awe of Him. Music Minister Alan Schantz will lead worshippers in a blend of contemporary praise and worship songs, and classic hymns of the faith. Pastor Mark Lindsey continues the sermon series titled "The Voice of The LORD" which focuses on listening to, and obeying, God. Drawn from Exodus 19:7-15, Sunday's message is titled "Do Not Cross the Line" and prompts hearers to meditate on the fact that God displays Himself within parameters of His own choosing, and we are to live with an earnest and solemn expectation of His Sovereign direction with every breath we take. If you have mobility issues use the west circle drive, and someone will be glad to assist you inside and park your vehicle. If unable to attend, you may join the service through the live stream on the church website at: fbcbigspring.org. Click on 'MORE' tab, then 'SERMONS')

At 9:30 Sunday School groups meet throughout the building with children gathering in the Good News Garage on the first floor, and teens, college students, and adults meeting in second floor classrooms. Greeters are available to help you find your class. Come early to enjoy a time of fellowship and coffee.

Wednesday evening activities begin at 6 pm, and include adult Bible study and prayer time, Saturday Youth group for teens, and Adult Worship Choir practice. There will be no regularly scheduled children's activities on Wednesday's during the summer.

Summerama for kids is in full swing each Tuesday and Thursday from 9-3. This program is for elementary aged children, and is focused on learning how to stay anchored in God. Participants will also take numerous field trips as part of the action packed schedule. Call the church office at 267-8223 for details about how your children can sign up.

Mother's Day Out is open each Tuesday and Thursday from 9-3. Contact Tracy Boeker at 267-8223 for information about available openings for





## CHURCH

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your little ones.

It's time to save the dates for summer camp opportunities for your children and families. Step-Up Camp is for children who will have finished 4th grade through finished 6th grade, and the dates are August 6-9. Family Camp is for the entire family, and the dates are July 27-29. Contact Children's Minister Justin Green at 267-8223 to reserve your spot, and for additional information.

All local teens are encouraged to sign up now for summer Youth Camp by contacting Youth Pastor Jonathan Raffini at 432-270-8332; (scholarships are available).

To find out more about what's happening at FBC, go to the website: [fcbigspring.org](http://fcbigspring.org) or call 267-8223.

FBC is located at 705 W FM 700. There is always a place for you at First Baptist Church. "...may the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, ...guard your hearts and

group of youth and bell choir members will be attending a Presbyterian Association of Musicians conference at MO Ranch near Kerrville.

The Session meeting, which is usually on the third Tuesday of the month, has been moved to June 26, the fourth Tuesday, due to conflicts with members and the moderators. It will be at 6:00 p.m. in the church library as usual.

The regular Saturday Prayer Breakfast will be in Fellowship Hall at 8:00 a.m. on June 23.

Paula Farquhar is in charge of Take Ten for this Sunday. Glen Burch is Lector for June. The Communion servers this month were John Brode,

# Who can you trust?

There was a day when we felt we could trust those who spoke to us, the Presidents who led us and the journalists who interpreted the news. We believed Washington "could not tell a lie." Lincoln was known for his honesty. We always knew we could trust Walter Cronkite, whether he was reporting the assassination of JFK or describing the first lunar landing. But those days seem naive and far away.



BILL TINSLEY

The world has become much more complex. The truth is far more difficult to discern. Nixon's claim that he was no crook and Clinton's assertion that he "never had sex with that woman," eroded our trust in the Presidency. Today we feel caught between "fake news" and "alternate realities." Brian Williams and Matt Lauer left us disillusioned with journalists. We hardly know who to believe.

Former NY Mayor, Michael Bloomberg, speaking at Rice

University's commencement, stated that we are facing "an epidemic of dishonesty ... an endless barrage of lies and alternate realities." ... "The greatest threat to American democracy isn't communism, jihadism or any other external force or foreign power," he said. "It's our own willingness to tolerate dishonesty in service of party, and in pursuit of power."

NBC News reporter Andrew Rafferty said, "We live in a world where lying has become an art. Politicians, celebrities, characters on the screen, all lie. They do so convincingly and without remorse. And technology has moved prevarication into a whole new realm. The world where 'seeing is believing' has vanished."

The ninth commandment is essential to personal, relational and societal health. "You must not lie." (Exodus 20:16 Living Bible).

When we ignore God's instructions on truthfulness and honesty, we sow the seeds of our own misery and destruction. Whether marriage, family, business or politics; in the home, the school, the work place and the world.

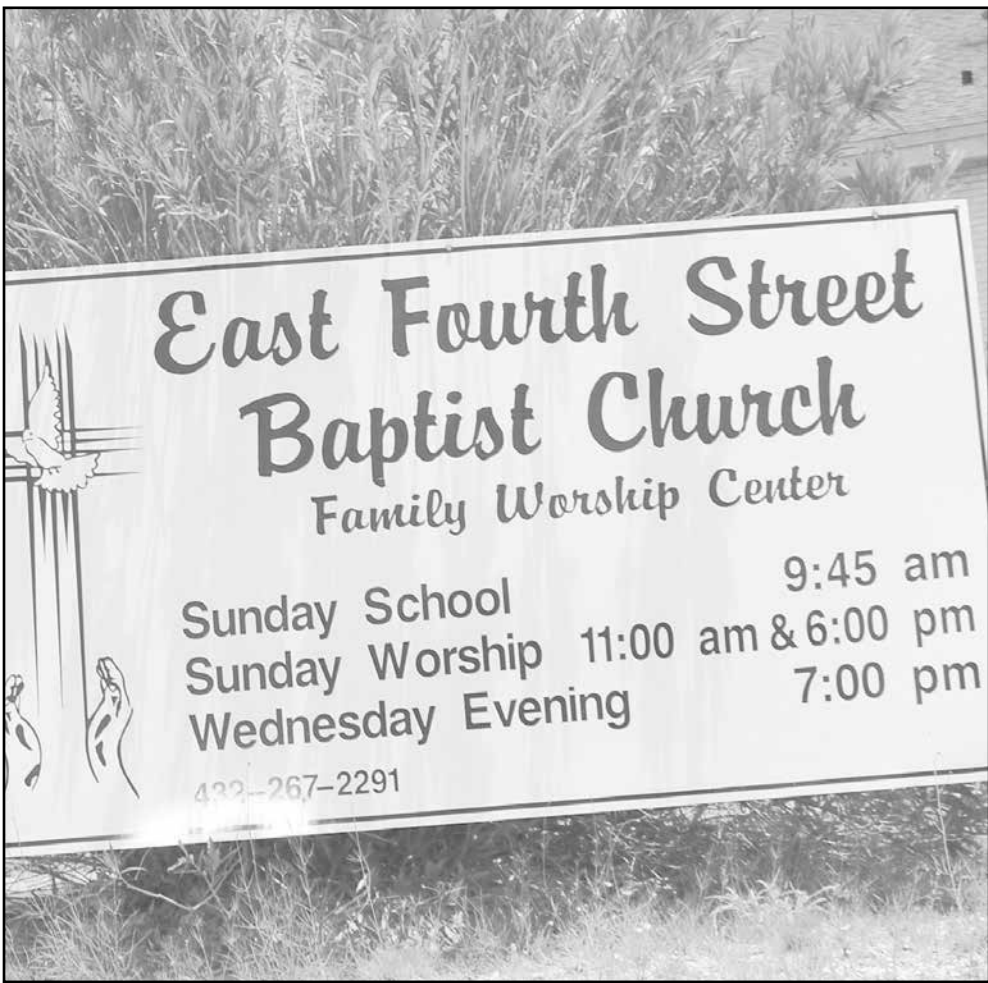
So, what should we do? First, we must practice telling the truth to our children, to one another, in business and

personal relationships. Above all, we must be known to be honest. We must not lie.

Second, we must practice discernment. We cannot believe everything we hear and see at face value, especially social media that has little or no accountability. "Do not be deceived," the Bible says, "God is not mocked. A man reaps what he sows." (Galatians 6:7). And again, "Do not be deceived, my beloved brethren. Every good thing given and every perfect gift from above, coming down from the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shifting shadow." (James 1:16-17).

Third, we must place our trust in the One who alone is truthful, honest and above reproach. We must trust God, confident that He knows our hearts, our secret thoughts and every word we speak. "Let God be found true, though every man be found a liar." (Romans 3:4). Jesus said, "If you continue in my word then you are truly disciples of mine; and you will know the truth and the truth will make you free." (John 8:31-32).

*Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. Visit [www.tinsleycenter.com](http://www.tinsleycenter.com). Email [bill@tinsleycenter.com](mailto:bill@tinsleycenter.com).*



ans 5:6-17; Mark 4:26-34. Tom Koger, Commissioned Ruling Elder from this church, will deliver the sermon. The Chancel Choir will open worship with the Introit "The Lord Is in His Holy Temple" by Tim Martin. The Choir will present "For the Fruit of All Creation," a Welsh melody, as the anthem. The offertory anthem presented by the Choir is "The Summons" by Bell/Maule.

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minds through Christ Jesus." Philip-  
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### First Presbyterian Church

On Wednesday the Lectionary Bible Study, led by Tom Koger and Mike Robinson, meets at 5:00 p.m. in the church library. The Chancel Choir rehearses at 6:00 p.m. The Youth and Children's activities on Sunday afternoon are out for the summer.

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# Coaching college player dads takes patience, understanding

By RALPH D. RUSSO

AP College Football Writer

Todd Graham has recruited and coached plenty of fathers during his 17 years in college football. Married, unmarried. Engaged, estranged. The relationships between player, mother and child have varied and, therefore, so have the ways Graham has tried to help.

Never, though, has Graham viewed fatherhood at a young age as a red flag on a player or prospect. "If it was I'd be hypocritical," said Graham, a former Arizona State head coach. "I had a son when I was 17 years old. When I went to college and I was being recruited to go to college I had an 8-month-old."

The NCAA does not keep track of how many athletes in any sport are parents, and privacy means schools are not eager to share that information. Several prominent college football coaches declined interview requests on the topic, but it is not uncommon to find fathers playing major college football all over the country, and many of them are unmarried.

As with any aspect of a player's life, coaches want to know as much as possible when a child is in the picture.

"We're adopting the child as an extended family member," former Texas coach Mack Brown said.

The core question for most coaches? "Is there a support system?" TCU coach Gary Patterson said.

That means digging deep into the personal life of a player and his family. That's typical in recruiting, no matter the circumstances, but talking



AP photo

**Baylor head coach Matt Rhule talks to players and fans before the start of their annual Green and Gold NCAA college football scrimmage in Waco, Texas. Rhule, who used to coach at Temple, said he believes educating every man in his program about fatherhood is part of his job. At Baylor, he held a weekly voluntary class on fatherhood last season, led by his 69-year-old father, Denny, who is a former minister.**

about teen parenting can cover potentially touchy territory.

"The first thing is I want to know about the relationship with the child. I want to know what's the relationship with the child's mother and then is one set of parents or both sets of parents involved in helping raise the child," Troy coach Neal Brown said. "And really just listening and understanding that situation. What you have to do is you have to make a decision whether you think the player is mature enough to handle both aspects. To be a student-athlete while also handling those responsibilities."

"I can tell you during the time that I've been a head coach, there's not one kid who we've disqualified I guess is the best way to put it, from recruiting based on because they had a child," he said. "We've been comfortable with those relationships."

Graham estimated about a dozen players on his teams have had kids.

"A large percentage of them weren't married, but were in a committed relationship," said Graham, who also did stints as head coach at Rice, Tulsa and Pitt before being fired by Arizona State after going 7-6 last season.

In many cases, Graham said, the presence of a child was a good influence on a player: "It tended to curtail a lot of their social life."

Baylor coach Matt Rhule said his father, Denny, a former minister, led a weekly voluntary class on fatherhood for coaches and players last season.

Matt Rhule said his message to his players is: "When the time comes to finally be a dad, No. 1, I encourage them to enter into it as a decision. Make the decision to be a father. Whenever you're blessed enough to be a father, go be a great dad."

# School, fatherhood, football connect former Temple teammates

By RALPH D. RUSSO

AP College Football Writer

David Hood has been a dad and a college football player and sometimes he had to do both at the same time.

Last year during summer workouts at Temple, little David IV, then 3, tagged along with his dad for a few days. Up at 5 a.m., Hood brought his son to the locker room, the training table, the practice field — where the youngster stretched with the team — and then the weight room.

"It was adorable," Temple coach Geoff Collins said.

Exactly how many major college football players are fathers is difficult to know. The NCAA does not keep track of student-athletes who are parents, and schools often don't share such information. But it is certainly not uncommon in college football.

Hood, who was Temple's leading rusher last season, was one of four Owls players parenting young children in 2017, including Hood's former roommate and fellow running back Ryquell Armstead. Neither is married, but both are raising their child with the child's mother. They each receive plenty of help from other family members and say Temple coaches have been supportive and accommodating. And, of course, they can turn to each other for encouragement and guidance on juggling school, fatherhood and football.

"They're going to call that me and Ryquell's legacy because that's all we do," Hood said. "That's all we do is talk about what's going on and try to find the best possible solution to make it work."

Hood, 21, has moved on from football, graduating from Temple and leaving a year of football eligibility behind after sustaining a concussion this past spring. He has decided to focus solely on a promising career as a rapper.

The native of Atlantic City, New Jersey, arrived at Temple in 2014 a father, something he kept hidden from coaches who were recruiting him, worried they would pull his offer. He was living with his girlfriend and pregnant at the time, when then-Temple assistant Francis Brown came for an in-home visit.

"I told her to put the biggest hoodie on she could find," Hood said with a laugh. "They cannot know. So they didn't know until I got there."

When he got to Temple, Hood found that coach Matt Rhule and his staff wanted to help him be a parent and a student-athlete. Freshman and sophomore football players were required to live on campus, but Hood was allowed to get a place off campus with his girlfriend, Tiffany Gordon, and David IV.

"I was coming from class and going straight home to my son and my girl," Hood said.

Now at Baylor, Rhule said he believes educating

every man in his program about fatherhood is part of his job. Rhule held a weekly voluntary class on fatherhood last season at Baylor, led by his 69-year-old father, Denny, who is a former minister.

"It's another thing to give them the tools and resources not just for them but for us (coaches). Look at what it really means to be a father and how to do it. That's the first thing is giving formal training and not just giving lip service, but having something there. The second thing is: understanding as a coach how hard it can be to be a father."

Collins, who followed Rhule as Temple coach, said he allowed players with children to skip mandatory Saturday training table.

"We would make those accommodations," Collins said. "If their child gets to spend two or three or four extra hours with their dad that's very important to us as a coaching staff."

Armstead's daughter, Ry-kail, was born Aug. 5, 2015, the day before the start of his first preseason camp at Temple.

"I stayed the night and I left that morning to go compete for a job and I ended up becoming second string as a true freshman," said Armstead, who was second on the team in rushing last season.

Since then Temple coaches allowed Armstead to miss preseason activities that fall on his daughter's birthday.

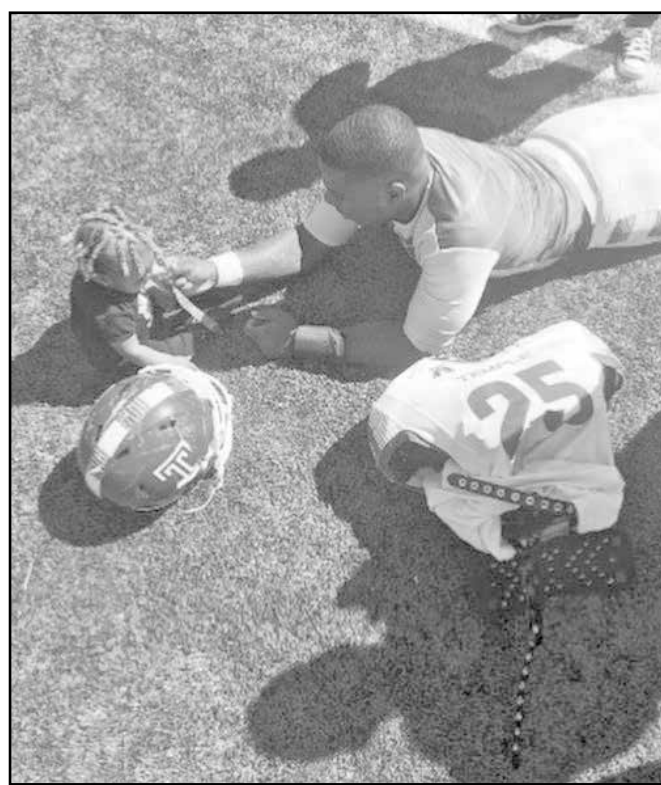
"My coaches understand. They support it. I'm definitely not missing that for the world," said Armstead, who is expected to be the Owls' top tailback this season as a senior. "Those are memories you're never going to be able to get back."

Temple is about a 40-minute drive from Armstead's hometown of Millville, New Jersey. He has spent a lot of time making that drive, but is not around his daughter as much as he would like. He said he is lucky to have family willing to pitch in and credits Ry-kail's mother, Lamera Rhett, with providing stability for his daughter.

"She's a wonderful human being. She's very dedicated, hard-working," Armstead said in a recent phone interview on his way to work an off-season job at a Philadelphia-area restaurant. "She makes sure my daughter is well back home and my family all rally to watch my daughter when my baby momma has to go to work, things of that nature."

Holding a job is all but impossible for most major college football players during the season, and between winter conditioning, spring ball and classes, it doesn't get much easier in the offseason.

Hood and Armstead received football scholarships to cover tuition, room and board and books, plus a \$2,500 cost-of-attendance stipend. Both also qualified for federal Pell grants, which give finan-



AP photo

**Temple running back Ryquell Armstead plays on the field with his daughter Ry-kail during spring NCAA college football practice in Philadelphia. David Hood and Armstead shared a position and an apartment while playing for Temple. They also shared the experience of being fathers on top of students and football players.**

cial assistance to attend college to students whose families qualify. Armstead and Hood both said the Pell grant money helped immensely.

Often that meant while teammates were celebrating a victory, or commiserating after a loss, Hood and Armstead were not around.

"With me taking pride in my daughter, I do the things like not partying," Armstead said.

Usually, Hood and Armstead's children attended Temple home games and watched the rest on TV.

"He knows exactly who I am on the field and he knows exactly what position I play," Hood said. "He knows exactly the people I play with. He knows exactly what channel you can catch me on. And he wants to wear my jersey for a week."

Hood said David IV and Ry-kail have become friends. The moms sometimes get the kids together without the fathers. No longer teammates, fatherhood is likely to keep Hood and Armstead together longer than football ever could.

# Texas Tech WR Quan Shorts arrested, dismissed from team

booking photo/Lubbock County Sheriff's Office

**Quan Shorts, a Texas Tech wide receiver. Shorts has been kicked off the Red Raiders squad after Lubbock, Texas, police arrested him on a misdemeanor marijuana possession charge. A Lubbock Police Department statement says officers were at an apartment complex as part of an ongoing investigation Thursday afternoon, June 14, 2018, when Shorts, who's 21, was arrested. Details of what prompted his arrest haven't been disclosed.**

Associated Press

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He's in the Lubbock County Jail, where records list no attorney for him.

About two hours later, Tech coach Kliff Kingsbury announced Shorts had been dismissed from the team. A Tech statement said the university would have no further comment.





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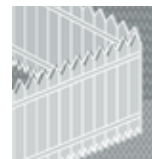
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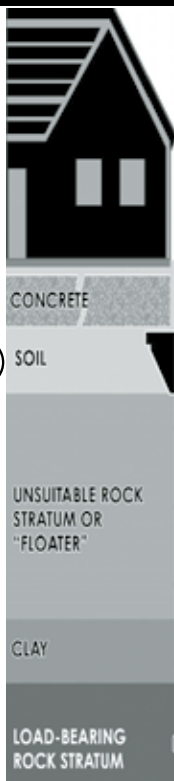
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Penetration Point Location  
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**Annie's Mailbox**

**Boyfriend Enables Irresponsible Son**

**Dear Annie:** I've been dating "Grant" for a few months, though we have known each other for 20-plus years. He has two kids, ages 25 and 21, and I feel that they run all over him. Their mother died about five years ago. She and Grant had been divorced for a few years before that. His youngest son, "John," lives with him, and Grant got the boy a job at his company. I feel that he needs to stop treating the kid as if he were 15.

Grant buys John beer, cigarettes and anything he needs. He even pays his cellphone bill. Grant says he tells John that he has to pay a certain amount per week, but half the time he doesn't get it. John throws temper tantrums if he doesn't get his way, and Grant always gives in.

We just got a place together, and John came with us. John says he has no intention of leaving. I don't want to live like this because he does nothing around the house to help. He doesn't want to help

prepare food, and he doesn't want to clean up after himself. I feel that his dad needs to let him make his own decisions and pay his own way as far as his personal bills go, but I feel I'm fighting a losing battle. What to do? Thanks for any advice you can give me. -- Frustrated at Home

**Dear Frustrated at Home:** Your problem is Grant, not his 21-year-old son. Seeing as Grant insists on treating John like a boy and allows him to run all over you, it is time to put your foot down. Tell Grant that either his adult son

helps with the household chores and acts responsibly -- rules to be enforced by Grant -- or you will move out. You don't have a choice at this point. It is good that your relationship is in its early stages.

**Dear Annie:** I dealt with a lot of trauma in my life, bottled it all up and smiled my way through the pain. We often believe that we are the only ones suffering from mental trauma of some kind or another. The truth is that if we step back and look at the big picture, we can begin to understand that we are

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good fit. -- Stronger and Happier

**Dear Stronger and Happier:** Therapy really is a wonderful thing, and I think everyone could benefit from it. Thank you for sharing your story of hope and triumph after trauma.

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**Tomorrow's Horoscope**

**BY HOLIDAY MATHIS**



**Mercury's Opposition to Saturn**

Before glasses, the reading stone was invented -- a piece of polished quartz, flat on one side, that monks held over texts to make them easier to read by visually enlarging them. Mercury's opposition to Saturn urges us to take the technology that's helping us to a more personal level today. Bring the glass from the page to your face, so to speak.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** "It gets easier," they say. That's the shorthand version. The real truth is that "it" stays about the same and you don't. You get better and stronger and more creative and faster until "it" seems like child's play.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** It's easy to be fooled by words, and it's quite possible to misread the actions a person takes. Consider taking note of what you hear and see without rendering a judgment. This isn't about one incident; rather, it's about a trend.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** An array of options will open up. This won't be difficult for you. You've known your choice for a while now. Like someone on a scripted reality television show, you'll go through

the motions, explaining your reasons.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** Natural attractions are difficult to resist, but today it will be appropriate to try your best. The old standby, "Out of sight, out of mind," could be the ticket. Redirect your attention. In time, what's relevant today will no longer be.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** Part of a loving relationship is being good at being loved -- appreciating what others do without trying to control it, and letting them show you instead of being so capable that you never need their help.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Let someone know that imperfections are not only acceptable but also necessary and even desirable. We're all in this together. Sometimes we forget to help one another until we see the reasons we must.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** You've come to an impasse. Neither person is right; neither person is wrong. Nonetheless, someone has to move, or the flow of life will be needlessly and frustratingly blocked.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** When people feel better, they behave better. Therefore, your strategy of helping people to feel good will keep you headed toward peace, harmony and productivity.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** People promise you so much that if they make good on even half of it, you stand to gain greatly. Tonight, you'll be confronted with the past. Nostalgia will play into your current

feelings about someone.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** To think, wonder, imagine, obsess... there have been times when these modes served you very well. Such times will come again! As for today, a peaceful, quiet, content mind will better serve the situation.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** When you genuinely want to help but don't understand

enough about the situation to be truly useful, the most helpful thing you can do is observe and seek greater knowledge.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** It's strange. You alter your appearance, and for some reason it changes the dynamics of a relationship. Why? Because even a slight change of costume means you're playing a slightly different character.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (June 15).** Because of the new people coming into your life, coupled with a willingness to let go of any pettiness that was holding you back, the months to come feature an expansion of your heart. What you do out of love will not follow

the usual course, and that's part of why it's so memorable. There's a windfall in August. Cancer and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 8, 30, 29, 42 and 6.

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

ANSWER



**By Steve Becker**

**Bidding quiz**

Your partner bids One Spade, and the next player passes. Both sides are vulnerable, and you have a partscore of 40. What would you bid with each of the following five hands?

- ♠AJ83 ♥KJ95 ♦74 ♣KJ4
- ♠Q76 ♥AK984 ♦KJ ♣AJ2
- ♠K843 ♥10 ♦1087 ♣AKJ32
- ♠Q972 ♥AQ1074 ♦62 ♣85
- ♠J54 ♥AQ6 ♦KQ85 ♣AJ9

**1. Three spades.** With 40 on, a direct jump-raise indicates a hand of opening-bid proportions and a fit for partner's suit. The purpose of the jump-raise is to alert partner to the possibility of a slam. Partner does not have to bid again. He continues forward with values that justify exploring for slam opposite responder's announced strength.

**2. Three hearts.** The jump-shift guarantees 17 or more points and forces opener to bid again (with a 40 partscore, partner would not have to answer a two-heart response). Opener rebids naturally depending on both distribution and high-card strength. A three-spade bid by opener would show a rebiddable suit, while three notrump would indicate a balanced hand and lack of interest in slam.

**3. Two clubs.** Since a contract that would yield game has not yet been reached, opener must bid again. It's best to mention the club suit first, planning to show your good spade support next should opener be interested in slam. If the partscore were 60, clubs would not be mentioned; in that case, a direct raise to three spades would be the better bid.

**4. Two spades.** You have good spade support and are in the range for a single raise, so that is the best action. Two hearts (not forcing) would be an inaccurate response, as that bid would normally show a good heart suit and imply lack of support for spades. If partner bids again over two spades, trying for slam, you can then mention your heart suit, at the same time indicating heart interest.

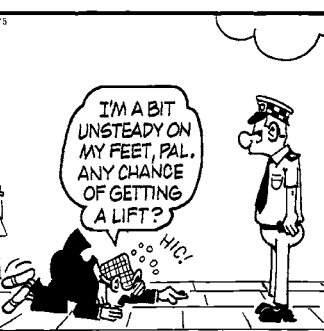
**5. Three notrump.** Since two notrump would be sufficient for game, three notrump is a slam try, but opener is not required to bid again. If he has a minimum opening suitable for notrump play, he can pass.

The three-notrump response with a partscore of 40 has the same meaning as the same bid without a partscore. It indicates notrump distribution, 16 or 17 high-card points, and stoppers in the unbid suits.

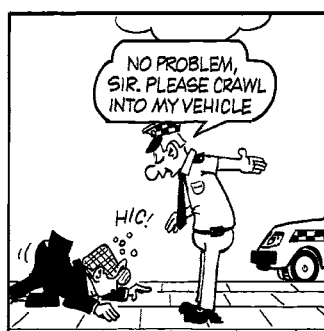
Tomorrow: Assembling the necessary clues.

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5:30	Local 2 ABC	P. Luche	Noticiero	CBS 7	Tele	News	Dr. Young	Euromaxx	Mama's	American	Fam. Guy	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter	Question Around	Texas Insider	Law & Order: SVU		BattleBots
6:30	Jeopardy!	Rosa de Guadalupe	Big Bang	CBS 7	Mundial y más	News	Think Red	PBS News-Hour	M*A*S*H	Fam. Guy	Burgers	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter	Pardon NFL Live	Rangers	Law & Order: SVU		BattleBots
7:30	Quinto (DVS)	El rico y Lázaro	The Resident	Undercover	Mi familia perfecta	News	Ninja Warrior (DVS)	Wash	Griffith	Whose?	Burgers	Movie: Tyler Perry's Why Did I Get Married Too?	NBA Draft Special	MLB Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Texas Rangers	Law & Order: SVU	Live PD: Rewind		BattleBots
8:30	What Would	Papá a toda madre	The Orville	Hawaii Five-0	Sin Senos Si	Light of Southwest	HaYesod	Great Performances at the Met	G. Pyle WKRP	Life Sentence	Movie: San Andreas, Alexandra Daddario (DVS)	NBA: The Jump	CFL Football: Toronto Argonauts at Saskatchewan Roughriders	MLB Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Texas Rangers	Law & Order: SVU	Live PD		Bering Sea Gold
9:30	(:01) 20/20	Por amar sin ley	News TMZ	Blue Bloods	El Señor de los	Dateline NBC	Light of Southwest	Light of Southwest	Heroes	Page Six	Heroes	Claws (DVS)	SportsCenter	World Poker	Mod Fam	Mod Fam		Deadliest Catch
10:30	Local 2	Impacto	Mom	CBS 7	Tele	News	News	News	C. Burnett	Seinfeld	ELEAGUE	Movie: Tyler Perry's Why Did I Get Married Too?	SportsCenter	Around Pardon	Mod Fam	Mod Fam		Bering Sea Gold
11:30	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Noticiero	Mod Fam	Late Show-Colbert	(:35) Titulares y más	Tonight Show	Creation	Amanpour	Perry Mason	Rules	Rules	Movie: Tyler Perry's Why Did I Get Married Too?	SportsCenter	World Poker	Mod Fam	Mod Fam		Deadliest Catch
12:30	Extra	Fuerza-Destino	Cup Tonight	Access	El Señor de los	Daly	Shabbat	Shabbat	Mani	King/Hill	Movie: Bad Words, Rohan Chand	SportsCenter	First Take	MLB Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Texas Rangers	Queen of the South	Queen of the South		BattleBots
1:30	Paid Prg.	Simplemente María	How I Met	ET	Programa	(:37) The Doctors	Light of Southwest	Light of Southwest	Mannix	Top 30	Paid Prg.	SportsCenter	First Take	MLB Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Texas Rangers	Queen of the South	Queen of the South		Bering Sea Gold

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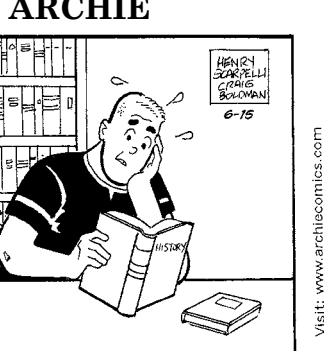
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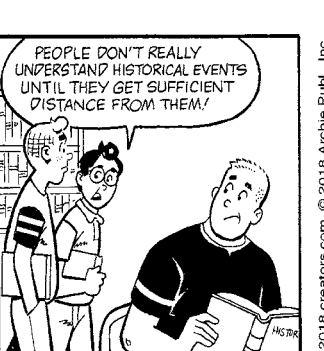
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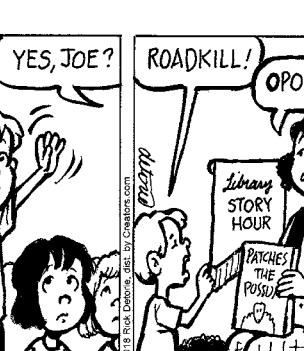
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This Date In History

Today is Friday, June 15, the 166th day of 2018. There are 199 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On June 15, 1215, England's King John put his seal to Magna Carta ("the Great Charter") at Runnymede.

On this date:

In 1520, Pope Leo X issued a papal bull in which he threatened to excommunicate Martin Luther if he did not recant his religious beliefs, a threat that was carried out the following January.

In 1775, the Second Continental Congress voted unanimously to appoint George Washington head of the Continental Army.

In 1836, Arkansas became the 25th state.

In 1849, James Polk, the 11th president of the United States, died in Nashville, Tennessee.

In 1904, more than 1,000 people died when fire erupted aboard the steamboat General Slocum in New York's East River.

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed an act making the National Guard part of the U.S. Army in the event of war or national emergency.

In 1944, American forces began their successful invasion of Saipan (sy-PAN) during World War II. B-29 Superfortresses carried out their first raids on Japan.

In 1955, the United States and Britain signed a cooperation agreement concerning atomic information for "mutual defence purposes."

In 1969, the variety show "Hee Haw," a fast-paced mixture of country music and comedy skits, debuted on CBS-TV.

In 1978, King Hussein (hoo-SAYN) of Jordan married 26-year-old American Lisa Halaby, who became Queen Noor.

In 1988, the baseball romantic comedy "Bull Durham," starring Kevin Costner and Susan Sarandon, was released by Orion Pictures.

In 1993, former Texas Gov. John Connally, who was wounded in the gunfire that killed President John F. Kennedy, died in Houston at age 76.

Ten years ago: President George W. Bush went for a bike ride and attended church in Paris, then he and

his wife, Laura, traveled to London for meetings with Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip, as well as Prime Minister Gordon Brown and his wife, Sarah. The NBC News program "Meet the Press" paid tribute to its host, Tim Russert, who had died two days earlier. "In the Heights" was named best musical, "August: Osage County," best play, at the Tony Awards.

Five years ago: Wild celebrations broke out in Tehran and other cities as reformist-backed Hassan Rowhani capped a stunning surge to claim Iran's presidency. Paul Soros, 87, a successful innovator in shipping, philanthropist and older brother of billionaire financier George Soros, died in New York.

One year ago: A day after a man with a rifle and a handgun wounded House Whip Steve Scalise (skuh-LEES) and others at a baseball practice in Alexandria, Virginia, some far-right Republicans suggested that vitriolic rhetoric on the left could be to blame for the attack, prompting House Democratic leader Nancy Pelosi to retort, "How dare they say such a thing?" Two escaped inmates sought in the killings of two guards on a Georgia prison bus were captured after being held at gunpoint by a rural Tennessee homeowner whose vehicle they were trying to steal.

Today's Birthdays: Rhythm and blues singer Ruby Nash Garnett (Ruby and the Romantics) is 84. Funk musician Leo Nocentelli (The Meters) is 72. Actor Simon Callow is 69. Singer Russell Hitchcock (Air Supply) is 69. Rock singer Steve Walsh is 67. Chinese President Xi Jinping (shee jihn-peeng) is 65. Actor-comedian Jim Belushi is 64. Country singer Terri Gibbs is 64. Actress Julie Hagerty is 63. Actress Polly Draper is 63. Rock musician Brad Gillis (Night Ranger) is 61. Baseball Hall of Famer Wade Boggs is 60. Actress Eileen Davidson is 59. Bluegrass musician

Terry Smith is 58. Actress Helen Hunt is 55. Rock musician Scott Rockenfield (Queensryche) is 55. Actress Courteney Cox is 54. Country musician Tony Ardo is 54. Country musician Michael Britt (Lonestar) is 52. Contemporary Christian musician Rob Mitchell is 52. Rock musician Jimmy McD is 50. Actor-rapper Ice Cube

is 49. Actress Leah Remini is 48. Actor Jake Busey is 47. Bluegrass singer-musician Jamie Johnson is 46. Rock musician T-Bone Willy (Save Ferris) is 46. Actor Neil Patrick Harris is 45. Actor Greg Vaughan is 45. Actress Elizabeth Reaser is 43. Rock singer Dryden Mitchell (Alien Ant Farm) is 42. Former child actor Christopher Castile is 38.

Rock musician Billy Martin (Good Charlotte) is 37. Rock musician Wayne Sermon (Imagine Dragons) is 34. Actor Denzel Whitaker is 28. Olympic gold medal gymnast Madison Kocian is 21. Actress Sterling Jerins is 14.

**Thought for Today:**

"In trying to make something new, half the undertaking lies in discovering whether it can be done. Once it has been established that it can, duplication is inevitable."

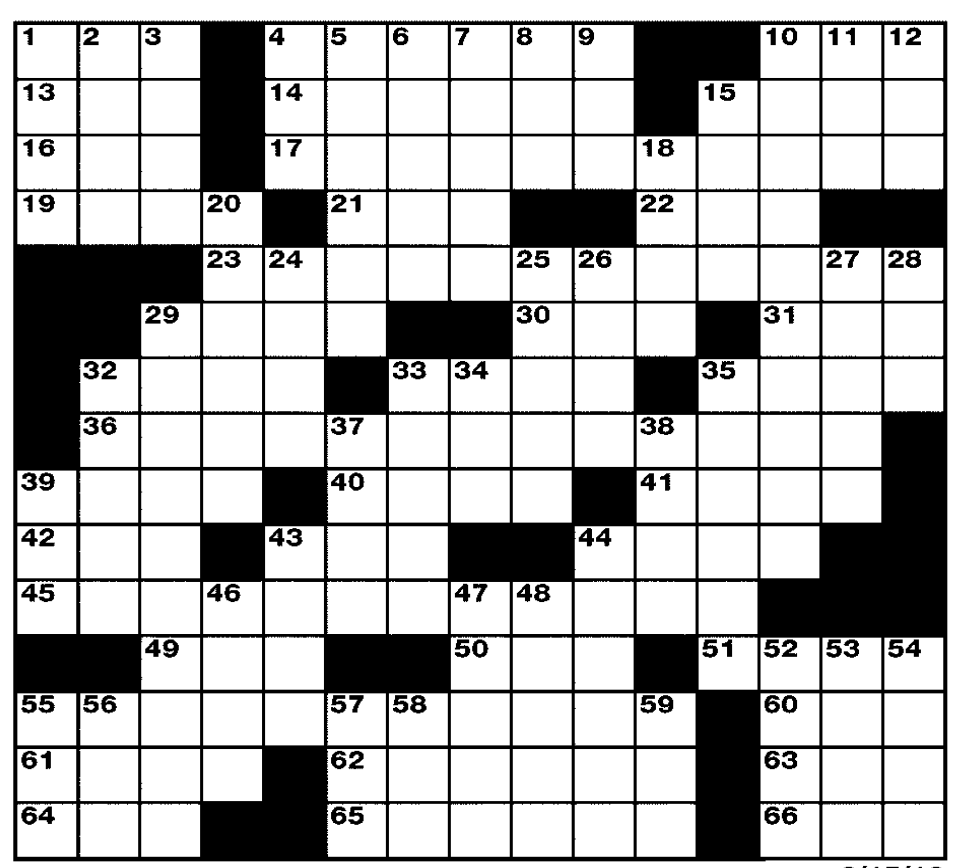
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Newsday Crossword

SECOND CHANGES by Greg Johnson  
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Big Apple hub
  - 4 Seafood order
  - 10 Underground resource
  - 13 Ring great
  - 14 Young person
  - 15 Plan, as mischief
  - 16 Family friend, often
  - 17 One asked to "turn out the light"
  - 19 One of the brass
  - 21 Olds auto
  - 22 Scottish John
  - 23 Line from Kipling
  - 29 Trounced, perhaps
  - 30 Starter like un-
  - 31 Dickinson preposition
  - 32 Destructive son of Zeus
  - 33 Minuscule amount
  - 35 Iconic publisher of filmdom
  - 36 Creation for a negotiation
  - 39 Place to board
  - 40 Real dynamo
  - 41 Face up to
  - 42 "\_\_\_ wrong?"
  - 43 Nothing at all
  - 44 Where subs are ordered
  - 45 Mall facility
  - 49 Akihito affirmative
  - 50 Lord of the Rings being
  - 51 Dress detail
  - 55 Book or film about Van Gogh
  - 60 Mixed-veggies morsel
  - 61 Intros to entrées
  - 62 Electrolux alternative
  - 63 Stone-skipping path
- DOWN**
- 1 Wisecrack
  - 2 \_\_\_ time (workplace benefit)
  - 3 Toy with a tail
  - 4 An NL Central insignia
  - 5 Media conglomerate
  - 6 Bowling button
  - 7 Being pulled
  - 8 Intersected
  - 9 Country club employee
  - 10 Drinks with juice
  - 11 Crank (up)
  - 12 Matterhom female
  - 15 Beast on California's flag
  - 18 Beast on Sri Lanka's flag
  - 20 Monty Python member
  - 24 Cardinal point
  - 25 Play direction
  - 26 Soundproofing material
  - 27 Physicist Mach
  - 28 Casual top
  - 29 James Bond, e.g.
  - 32 Texas Revolution battle site
  - 33 "Can't win this hand"
  - 34 Piece of admiration
  - 35 Presses and folds
  - 37 Boss at Valhalla
  - 38 Solemn assent
  - 39 Square dance participant
  - 43 Unsophisticated one
  - 44 Tolerate with great reluctance
  - 46 Body art, casually
  - 47 Serious criminal
  - 48 Yellowish green
  - 52 Apple that's flat
  - 53 Nothing at all
  - 54 Singly
  - 55 Little fellow
  - 56 Photo archive source
  - 57 "Well, looky here!"
  - 58 Seating arrangement
  - 59 EMT destinations



Answer to previous puzzle

OWES SAUCE SCAB  
COVE LUCAS PITA  
TBAR ODORS INTAL  
BLUEWINGEDTEAL  
CLUMP NOSE MIO  
VIA LANG PLANT  
SETI CLIMATE  
REDDTAILEDHAWK  
ENABLED DIET  
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