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June 28, 2001

WEATHER

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Coahoma Lions seek participants for July 4 parade

Coahoma Lions Club is inviting individuals and groups to participate in the "Freedom Parade" to be held in downtown Coahoma on July 4.

Patriotic floats, marching groups, civic clubs, vintage auto or motorcyclists, church groups, youth organizations and horse owner groups are welcome.

The parade will begin at 10 a.m. Those participating will need to assemble at the Coahoma High School football field parking lot at 9 a.m. for line up and instructions.

If you desire to participate or need any further information, call Lion Parade Chairman Jim LeMarr at 394-4424.

WHAT'S UP...

TODAY

□ Masonic Lodge 598 meets at 7:30 p.m., 219 Main.

FRIDAY

□ The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room.

□ AMBUCS meets at noon at La Posada.

□ Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. All seniors invited.

SATURDAY

□ The Heritage Museum, 510 Scurry, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

□ The Pottin House, 200 Gregg, a restored historic home, is open from 1 to 5 p.m. A one-time admission fee of \$2 for adults and \$1 for children and senior citizens are encouraged.

□ Dance, 8:30 p.m., Eagles Lodge, 704 West Third.

MONDAY

□ Senior Circle meets at 4 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics. People 50 and older are invited to participate.

□ Big Spring Evening Lions Club meets at 6:30 p.m. 1607 East Third.

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Rod Run participants will cruise city festival, Sonic

By LINDY BARR
Staff Writer

The oldest and longest continuing Rod Run is coming back to Big Spring for the 31st year in a row. "The Rod Run is such an exciting event; it



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always manages to bring out many people," said Sheila Burcham, president of the Big Spring Car Club.

Burcham has been the car club president for two years now. Burcham is the first woman president of the Big Spring Car Club.

"To be elected the first woman president of an organization is wonderful and to be re-elected, is overwhelming," Burcham said.

When Burcham met her husband she didn't know

much about cars, although he was a member of the Big Spring Car Club.

"I started to get interested about all the cars and then the time I fixed up the '69 Mach 1, by myself, I was hooked from then on," said Burcham.

Currently there are 15 members of the club. If anyone is interested in cars they are welcome.

"We don't care if you like to old cars or a car driven right out of the show room

of Bob Brock Ford, if you like them you are welcome," said Burcham.

Burcham believes that there are many good things that come out of being a member of the car club.

"People really start to appreciate the beauty of cars, and you will never go to a car show without meeting so many friendly people," said Burcham.

The club attends shows in Odessa, Hobbs, N.M., Waco, Dallas and Colorado.

The Big Spring Car Club will be making an appearance at the Heart of The City Festival this weekend.

The car club will stage a car show at the festival, then hold a police-escorted cruise to the Sonic on Gregg Street.

"This is the only time the Big Spring Car Club makes money," said Burcham.

All the money that the car club makes goes to charity.

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Members of the Society for Creative Anachronism local branch pictured from left, Scott Moss, Robert Black, Dennis Dolan and Robert Rose, fighting during a competition held at Comanche Trail Park in 1997. The local branch is hosting a tournament this weekend at Moss Creek Lake with most of the activities kicking off on Saturday at 10 a.m.

Sundered Shield II bringing medieval times to Moss Lake

By LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

Members of the Society for Creative Anachronism will begin setting up on Friday for their medieval tournament and feast at Moss Creek Lake.

"We are expecting 125 members from all around the state.

Oklahoma and New Mexico," said John Black, the event's coordinator.

The event, known as "Sundered Shield II," will be a special opportunity for the SCA local branch Crossroades Keep to visit



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with SCA members throughout their area.

All weekend long, members will be camped out at the lake, garbed in period clothing. Black said most of the tournament's events begin at 10 a.m. Saturday.

"We will be having light and heavy combat arts competition in the morning," he said. The fighting competition includes a demonstration of medieval armored combat and a rapier or fencing tournament.

"We fight until a winner is decided," Black said. "These competitions can run as long as four hours."

Other activities include medieval arts featuring embroidery and china painting of the period and science including the study of herbs and brewery techniques.

Black said a field will be set up for those who are involved in the archery competition held throughout the day.

At the end of the competition, the SCA king and queen from Houston will hold court to recognize the champions of each event and give out awards. The event is expected to end around 6:30 p.m.

Admission to the tournament for the general public is \$3 per person and Black recommends those attending to bring chairs and shade.

Also, drinks will be on sale on a limited bases.

The SCA focuses on recreating the lives and activities of people who lived between years 600 and

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Preschool children to pedal trikes for cancer research

By LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

Rainbow Christian Preschool students will be pedaling their bicycles for donations on Friday to help continue the search to find a cure for cancer.

The school will hold a Trike-A-Thon with the funds raised from pledges

collected by the children going to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, a childhood cancer research center.

"We'll have fun with it," said Diana Phifer, owner of the school.

"We will start out about 9:30 with the little ones (2-year-olds) who will ride about 30 minutes."

Four different age groups

will take to the "highways" every 30 minutes on a course laid out on the campus dotted with street signs.

The school-age children will end the event around 11:30 a.m., Phifer said. Phifer expects almost 40 students to participate.

The children are collecting pledges this week from friends and family members while also learning about

bike safety in their classroom.

"We have had color sheets each day this week to teach the children about different riding rules," Phifer said. "St. Jude Hospital sent us a booklet that has Bikewell the Bear and we are reading out of that."

According to Phifer, the National Safety Council estimates that accidents

involving bicycles and motor vehicles cause about 1,000 fatalities and 40,000 injuries each year.

The St. Jude Hospital Trike-A-Thon program helps teach students important trike and riding toy safety rules.

Phifer said the classes are also learning about the founding and mission of St. Jude.

Tickets for 'All I Need' available now at chamber

By LYNDEL MOODY
Staff Writer

Tickets are on sale for the dinner theater production of "All I Really Need to Know I learned in Kindergarten," sponsored by the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce.



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"Clay Grizzle is a talented director and last year's dinner theater was very successful," said Terri Davis, chamber executive director. "If anyone is interested, I

would encourage you to get tickets now."

Both performances for last year's dinner theater sold out before opening night, Davis said.

This year's performance is set for July 13 and 14 at the Dora Roberts Community Center with 150 tickets available. Tickets are on sale at the Chamber, 215 W. Third, at a cost of \$15 per person and \$25 per couple.

Dinner will be served in a candlelight atmosphere where guests are offered a choice of chicken or steak provided by Country Fair Restaurant.

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Corridor

Highway commission to vote on trade route during meeting today

By BILL MCCLELLAN
News Editor

The Texas Highway Commission, the three-member panel of the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), was expected to designate the Ports-to-Plains Trade Corridor in a meeting today in Austin.



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Ports-to-Plains is a federally designated corridor which extends from Mexico into Colorado through Texas. The route that has been recommended to the commission by a consulting firm includes U.S. Highway 87 through Big Spring.

"We have a contingency down there (at the commission's meeting) today. Every indication is the designation will be the route through Big Spring. We are anticipating that and obviously very excited about it," said Big Spring Mayor Russ McEwen. "That designation is one that is already a national designation. As you look into future for funding, the reason for this route is to relieve some of the tremendous congestion along the I-35 corridor. This is one of those times when those folks in the east will look more favorably toward us in allowing funding because

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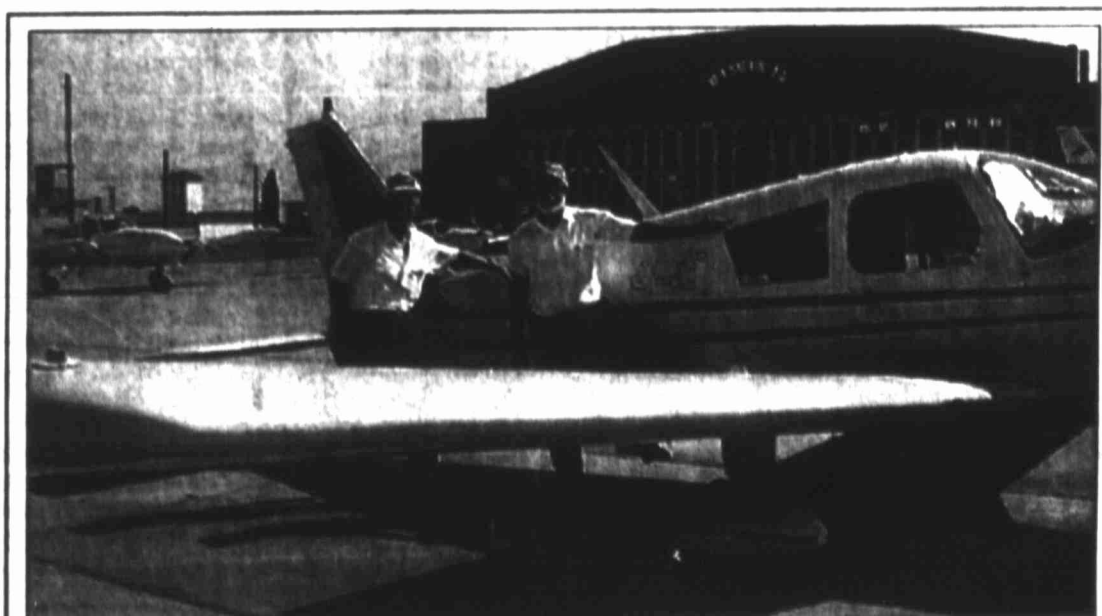
The route the Texas Highway Commission is to vote on today on a proposed route from Laredo to Dumas:

- Laredo to Del Rio: I-35 to U.S. 83 to U.S. 277
- Del Rio to San Angelo: U.S. 277
- San Angelo to Sterling City: U.S. 87
- The route forks at Sterling City to arrive in Lamesa, with one path taking U.S. 87 through Big Spring, and the other taking Texas 158 and Texas 349 through Midland
- Lamesa to Lubbock: U.S. 87
- Lubbock to Amarillo: Interstate 27
- Amarillo to Dumas: U.S. 287

they need relief.

The commission will be voting on the route through Texas only. The recommended route runs north from Laredo to Del Rio along I-35 to U.S. 83 to U.S. 277 and on to San Angelo. From there it connects with U.S. 87 to Sterling City, where it forks, with one path continuing on 87 through Big Spring and Lamesa to Lubbock. The other path takes Texas 158 and Texas 349 through

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Gianmaria Faggioni of Milano, Italy, Flying Rotary International member, left, and Sam Bishop, president of the organization, were among the 50 members who flew in to visit the Hangar 25 Air Museum this morning. The group, consisting of members from around the world, will be flying to several areas in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona in the next few weeks, using their personal aircraft to make the trip.

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"We will have as elegant a dinner as possible," Davis said.

A cash bar will be available for those who choose to purchase alcoholic drinks.

The play, taken from the popular book of the same name, is presented in a series of stories.

Grizzle, Howard College drama instructor, cast the play in May from an open audition.

"The evening promises to be elegant, great food and great entertainment," said Davis.

For more information, contact the Chamber at 263-7541.

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ble organizations, such as Christmas in April.

The Heart of the City Festival will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. The festival will be located in the Heart of the City Park which is downtown on the southeast corner of Third and Scurry streets.

Not only will festival-goers be able to find the rod run but they can find a variety of arts and crafts.

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Midland and on to Lamesa. From Lubbock, the path is I-27 to Amarillo, then on to Dumas on U.S. 287.

Today's meeting comes just two days after the U.S. House of Representatives approved \$2 million in funding for environmental and routing studies under the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21).

"I have been very pleased by the community support we have seen for this project and I have little doubt that this corridor will provide an economic boost to numerous West Texas towns," said U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Abilene. "I believe that this funding will go a long way in making this corridor a reality."

The Senate will now take the legislation under consideration.

By law, the Texas Highway Commission must pick a route by Sunday. Otherwise, it defaults to the recommended, federally approved route.

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1600 in Europe. Members dress as Romans, Vikings, early European villagers, Elizabethan nobility, or even Native Americans and Orientals.

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about the tournament, contact Black at 393-5980 or for questions about the organization contact Jane Lusk at 263-8726.

Police receive letter taking responsibility for hit and run death

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Police say they have received an anonymous letter from a motorist who takes responsibility for killing a police officer in a hit-and-run accident in April.

The author claims to be a 19-year-old college student from New England. The writer, whose gender is not clear, suggests that Lt. Christopher Claypool was reckless, leading to his death.

Claypool, 39, was struck while walking across an intersection to investigate a minor traffic accident.

"I didn't do anything wrong, so I don't feel the need to turn myself in. I do regret not stopping, but all I could think (sic) about was getting myself and my parents car out of state," the letter says.

Police spokeswoman Sherry Jones said Wednesday that authorities don't know whether the letter is valid. They have not released the postmark.

According to the letter, the front end of the car was washed in Harrisburg, Pa., then the writer's parents had the bumper and hood taken off.

The writer says he or she will not be attending college in Ohio in the fall and that the car is being repaired in his or her home state.

Claypool, who was a Columbus police officer for 13 years, is survived by his wife and two children.

"I just feel bad, because this officer has a little son and daughter," the letter says.

Comedian Poundstone charged with lewd acts/child endangerment

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Comedian Paula Poundstone was arrested Wednesday and charged with felony lewd acts upon a child and child endangerment, the district attorney's office said.

Poundstone, 41, was charged with three counts of committing a lewd act on a girl under the age of 14. She was charged with endangering two other girls and two boys, Deputy District Attorney Gina Satriano said in a statement. The charges carry a maximum sentence of 12 years.

"I have faith that the truth is the right thing," was the only statement a haggard-looking Poundstone made to reporters after she was released from jail on \$200,000 bail.

District Attorney spokeswoman Jane Robison said no further details on Poundstone's arrest would be released by her office.

"I know Paula Poundstone well enough to know these charges are 100 percent incorrect," her manager, Bonnie Burns, said in a statement. "She has been an incredible parent, she's made huge sacrifices to see that children who weren't dealt the best cards in life were well taken care of and she's always shown herself to be completely honorable and full of integrity."

"I believe when the truth comes out, you'll see these charges are unsubstantiated and without merit."

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A single mother of two, Poundstone has also regularly taken in foster children.

Poundstone's lawyer, Steven Crone, criticized police for taking the entertainer into custody, saying Poundstone had been aware of the investigation for some time and was cooperating with authorities.

"They know where Paula has been and there was certainly no reason for them to go out and arrest her," he said.

The brassy comic, known for her one-liners about politics and life in general, has been a frequent guest on late-night talk shows over the years and is a regular panelist on the syndicated game show "To Tell the Truth."

She starred in the "Home Movies" television show and won two Cable ACE awards for HBO specials and an American Comedy Award in 1989 as the nation's best female stand-up comic.

Massachusetts researchers solve longtime firefly light mystery

WASHINGTON (AP) — Researchers in Massachusetts have solved a longtime mystery about fireflies — discovering a chemical that lightning bugs use to precisely control their flashing signals of summertime romance.

To turn their lights on and off, the researchers found that the bugs use nitric oxide, the same chemical that in humans helps the heart beat, aids brain function and triggers the male erection.

Barry A. Trimmer, a biology researcher at Tufts University in Medford, Mass., said science has known for years the chemistry of the fireflies' light, but they were puzzled about how 200 species of the insects could create flashes in intricate, individual patterns that differed by fractional seconds.

"That has been a long-standing mystery," said Trimmer. "It was known that nerve cells go into the light-producing organ, but not into the cells that actually make the light."

In effect, scientists knew where the light bulb was and what made it shine, but they couldn't find the on-off switch.

Trimmer and his group, reporting Friday in the journal Science, say the switch is nitric oxide.

Cells that line the airway of the firefly (actually a beetle) made nitric oxide. A signal from the insect's brain releases chemical and the nitric oxide, or NO, causes an adjacent cell structure, called the mitochondria, to briefly shut down. This releases a pulse of oxygen which triggers an enzyme in another cell to turn on the light. It all happens in a millisecond, said Trimmer.

Trimmer said the discovery adds to the legend of nitric oxide, a dissolved gas that researchers in only recent years have recognized as an important chemical in the body. Other studies have identified short puffs of NO as a key to dilating blood vessels, signaling between neurons in the brain, assisting the heart beat and prompting the male erection.

Sara Lewis, a Tufts University firefly expert and co-author of the study, said the summertime light dance of the fireflies is an absolutely critical moment in the life of the small insect.

The firefly light pattern is a mating signal. Males blink a certain sequence and hope to see an answering flash from a female. Each of the 200 species have their own signal, said Lewis.

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263-1211

A BIG SPRING AROUND THE TOWN

Fireflies live for two years as larvae, eating worms in the soil, and for just two weeks as adults — enjoying just 14 nights of flying, flashing and courtship. Then it is all over.

"For them, it is a very short, intense time," she said.

BRIEFS

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints will be cleaning up the Comanche Trail Park water front. The church would like to get as much of the community involved as possible. If more information on the cleaning is needed, you can call Karla Cervantes at: 264-7651

JUNE IS PROSTATE CANCER Awareness month. Interested groups or organizations can contact Bill Birrell at 263-0659 for information on programs or an 18 minute tape narrated by Sydney Poitier.

BASIC BEGINNING COMPUTER CLASSES will be offered at the Senior Center starting Monday, June 25, and Friday, June 29, at 10:30 a.m. We can take six to 12 people in each class. These classes will continue as long as there is interest. For further information, call the Senior Center or Dorothy Kennemur.

The Senior Center is also in need of a color monitor. If you have one to donate, please call the Senior Center.

55 ALIVE/MATURE DRIVING PROGRAM class will be held July 13 at 4:30 p.m. and July 14 at 9 a.m. at the VA Medical Center, Room 212. The cost is \$10 per person. Please call 915-267-1729, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., to preregister for the class. AARP's 55 Alive Driver Safety Program is the nation's first and largest classroom refresher for motorists age 50 and over.

A CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION HISTORICAL book of the Big Spring Independent School district will be on sale at the BSISD administration building

The 56-page book features the history of public schooling in Big Spring and is on sale for \$10. The book includes the history of sports programs, clubs and

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SUPPORT GROUPS

TODAY
•Al-Anon support group, 8 p.m., 615 Settles.

FRIDAY
•Turning Point A.A., 8-9:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•AA, 615 Settles, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. Big Book Study.

•NA 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.).

•Al-Anon support group, noon, 615 Settles.

SATURDAY

•Family support group for current and former patients and their families, 1 p.m. weekly, Reflections Unit of Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Call Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon, 8 p.m., 10 p.m. open meetings, 615 Settles.

SUNDAY

•AA, 615 Settles, 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting.

•NA 8 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 1001 Goliad. Call 268-4189 (pager no.).

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Wal-Mart/Mexico	25.8 -26.3
AMCAP	16.75 -.02
Europacific	28.99 -.16
Prime Rate	7 %
Gold	269.5 - 271.95
Silver	4.25 - 4.33

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity from 8 a.m. Wednesday to 8 a.m. today
•STEPHEN LLOYD CALHOUN, 44, of 510 Lancaster, was arrested on

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a charge of local warrants.
•DUSTIN WAYNE CLARK, 28, of 3210 Oasis, was arrested for local warrants.

•FREDERICK NEWTON, 46, of 608 Douglas, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

•DARLENE SHELDON, no age given, of Davis road, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

•DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported on the 600 block of Elgin and the 100 block of Lloyd Avenue.

•DISTURBANCE/FIGHT was reported on the 400 block of W. 10th and the 1300 block of Fourth.

•LOUD PARTY NOISE, was reported on the 1900 block of Wasson and Arizona and Sunset.

SHERIFF

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

•STEPHEN LLOYD CALHOUN, 44, of 520 Lancaster, was arrested on local warrants for theft, failure to identify, failure to appear and no liability insurance.

•AARON TY BECK-WORTH, 18, of 108 W. 11th, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

FIRE/EMS

The following is a summary of the Big Spring Fire Department and EMS:

1:46 a.m. — 2300 block of Wasson, medical call, one patient transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

6:24 a.m. — 400 block of Glenna Rd., medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

6:28 a.m. — 3700 block of West Hwy 80, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

9:41 a.m. — 600 block of Driver Rd., medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

11:17 a.m. — 2300 block of Wasson, trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

3:02 p.m. — 8900 block of Gillian Rd., trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

3:56 p.m. — 300 block of Rannels, medical call, one patient transported to SMMC.

6:04 p.m. — 400 block of 10th St., trauma call, one patient transported to SMMC.

7:14 p.m. — 1600 block of Lancaster, trauma call, service refused.

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Senate lawmakers looking at compromises on HMO bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — After years of struggle and two weeks of debate, Democratic advocates of patients' rights legislation hope to cement a series of compromises and build support for Senate passage.

"We have a lot of work to do," Sen. John Edwards, D-N.C., a chief sponsor of the legislation, said Wednesday as debate ended.

Senate leaders scheduled a series of votes today on issues ranging from shielding employers from lawsuits to upholding existing state laws on patients' rights.

President Bush, meanwhile, has embraced a bill crafted by House Republicans that would allow

some lawsuits, albeit fewer than Democrats would allow.

The Democratic bill the Senate has been debating for the past two weeks would guarantee access to emergency room visits and specialty care and bestow other rights on the 190 million Americans in private or company health plans.

The measure also would allow patients to sue their HMOs in federal or state court if such coverage was denied and the decision caused irreparable injury or death.

Bush has threatened to veto the bill, and GOP leaders are pushing for major revisions. For instance, they say a range of lawsuits could

prompt employers to cancel the insurance coverage.

Moderate lawmakers from both parties are working on a compromise.

On Thursday, senators plan to consider proposed changes that would:

—Allow companies to avoid lawsuits as long as they specifically leave decisions about medical coverage to the health plan or some other third party.

—Permit states to reasonably prove their own patients' rights laws are as good or better than any new federal standard.

—Allow patients to sue only after they've completed all possi-

ble appeals, with few exceptions.

Senators may also consider other sticking points in the legislation, such as limiting damage awards against insurers and allowing lawsuits in state courts in the first place.

A rival group of senators led by Sen. Bill Frist, R-Tenn., a heart and lung surgeon, could tweak their alternative plan to allow some state-court lawsuits or increase the amount of some jury awards.

With that, would be the hopes of winning over Republican moderates who have sided with Democrats thus far.

In the last two weeks,

Republican have lost proposals to exempt all employers from lawsuits, to shield small businesses specifically, and to speed up a promised tax credit for the self-employed.

The legislation was advanced to the floor by Democrats who decided to make the issue their top priority after gaining control of the Senate earlier this month.

That, in turn, prompted House Republicans to resurrect efforts to craft an alternative, which won Bush's formal endorsement Wednesday. Democrats also planned to run cable television ads, pressuring the president to sign the bill.

Texas likely to get new prison head today

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — The Texas Board of Criminal Justice was choosing from among five candidates today the next executive director of the nation's second-largest corrections system.

The new prison boss will take over Aug. 1 and succeed Wayne Scott, who is retiring after a three-decade-long career in the agency, the last 5-1/2 years as its head.

A three-member selection committee earlier this month whittled a list of 14 applicants, interviewing five finalists for Scott's job. Three of them have Texas ties and three have been directors of state prison systems.

The finalists include Gary Johnson, the Texas department's No. 2 man as head of the institutional division,

and Victor Rodriguez, head of the parole division.

Also interviewed were Michael Moore, head of the Florida Department of Corrections and a former Texas prison system administrator; Dora Schiro, former head of the Missouri Department of Corrections; and Terry Stewart, head of the Arizona Department of Corrections.

Whoever gets the job takes over a \$2.6 billion-a-year department that houses 146,000 inmates at 110 prisons and has about 40,000 employees. The director also is responsible for management of some 80,000 parolees. The job pays \$150,000 annually.

Johnson, who started as a corrections officer in 1973 and moved through the ranks as sergeant and warden and regional director,

has been overseeing a division since 1996 where corrections officers have been complaining about low pay, poor working conditions and shrinking numbers.

For the first time in 15 years, a prison guard in 1999 was killed. And guards blamed staffing problems and low pay for several hostage situations, disturbances and escapes, including most recently the breakout of seven inmates from a South Texas prison and subsequent murder of an Irving police officer last December.

Rodriguez started as a jailer for the Cameron County Sheriff's Department, then joined the Brownsville Police Department as a patrolman and eventually became chief before then-Gov. George W. Bush put him in

charge of the parole board in 1995.

As chairman, he was credited with reducing the parole approval rate, streamlining policies and procedures and fostering a better relationship with the criminal justice board.

But he also was criticized by some for failing to review cases thoroughly, not holding meetings and not conducting official business in public. He was in the national spotlight, along with Bush, when the board denied clemency for Karla Faye Tucker, a pickax killer turned born-again Christian who was executed.

Moore has spent the last 2-1/2 years as Florida corrections secretary, the top prison job in that state, after a three-decade career in Texas corrections.

Jack Lemmon, two time Oscar winner, dead at 76

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Jack Lemmon, the two-time Oscar winner whose acting talents ranged from adroit comedies "The Apartment" and "Some Like It Hot" to the dramatic intensity of "Days of Wine and Roses" and "Tuesdays with Morrie," has died. He was 76.

Lemmon died Wednesday night from complications related to cancer, said his spokesman Warren Cowan. His wife Felicia, his two children and a stepdaughter were at his bedside at USC/Norris Cancer Center, Cowan said.

"To say one word about him would be to say he's a beautiful person," Cowan said today.

The Harvard-educated actor began in films with two comedies and a musical with Betty Grable. Then in 1955, his unique comedy style shined through as the hapless Ensign Pulver in "Mister Roberts," a role that won Lemmon a supporting actor Oscar.

Throughout his career, and especially in films with Walter Matthau, Lemmon was often cast as the well-meaning fellow, a trifle square, who is taken advantage of.

In "The Fortune Cookie,"

he is browbeaten into filing a false insurance claim by his brother-in-law "The Odd Couple" portrayed Lemmon as the fastidious Felix Unger, who suffers from the slobbish habits of his roommate, Oscar Madison (Matthau). In "The Front Page," city editor Matthau tricks his star reporter, Lemmon.

In 1962, Lemmon switched from lighthearted comedies to intense drama. In "Days of Wine and Roses," he played an alcoholic who induces his new wife (Lee Remick) to join him in drinking sprees. His performance earned his first Academy nomination as lead actor.

Of his seven Oscar nominations for lead actor, two were for comedies and five for dramas.

"Save the Tiger," in which he played a dress manufacturer going along with shady business ethics despite the idealism of his youth, won him the Oscar for best actor of 1973.

Lemmon's comedic style was based on his portrayal of a well-meaning Everyman beset by disasters. Such a guise seemed to come easily — he was a self-proclaimed klutz.

Middle ground sought on stem cell research

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Bush administration is searching for a compromise that would allow federal funds for promising but controversial research that uses stem cells derived from embryos.

The issue is pitting scientists and other research advocates against anti-abortion forces, who are making the fight against this research their top issue.

"I'll make a decision on that very emotional issue later on," President Bush said when asked about the matter during a Cabinet Room session Wednesday with GOP lawmakers.

His advisers are developing several options that would allow the research to go ahead but with caveats, according to an administration official who outlined the potential compromises on condition of anonymity.

Options include: —Limiting the number of embryonic stem cell lines that would qualify for federal money. Each stem cell line comes from an individ-

ual embryo that can be duplicated an infinite number of times. Researchers have already used private money to create two stem cell lines, and the administration could limit funds to stem cells already in existence.

—Put the National Institutes of Health in charge of licensing stem cell lines that would qualify for research funds, as a way of controlling the number in use. This is similar to the requirement already spelled out by the Clinton administration.

—Add new protections for parents who created the embryos in the first place. The embryos used for this research are left over from fertility treatments and typically are thrown away after the parents have all the children they want.

Parents already must give permission for their embryos to be used in research. But this process could be tightened by making clear all the options, including offering the

embryos to other couples for adoption, the official said.

One leading research opponent, Richard Doerflinger of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, dismissed these compromise ideas. He said parents already are required to consent and that limiting the research to a few stem cell lines does not make it any more ethical.

He also said allowing the research at all was a compromise.

"If we weren't compromising we would be trying for a ban on private funding as well," he said.

Federal law bans the use of tax dollars on any research that destroys embryos. The Clinton administration got around that by ruling that it was OK to use the stem cells in federally funded research, as long as private dollars paid for them to be extracted from the embryos.

Two applications that have been submitted to the NIH are in limbo while Bush decides whether to

allow the Clinton policy to stand or how to revise it.

Within the administration, Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy Thompson is pushing the president to let the research go forward. Some of the most important stem cell research is going on in Wisconsin.

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OUR VIEWS

Future pros deserve our support, too

As was the case earlier this month when pro rodeo's best took part in the 68th Big Spring Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo, a long-standing tradition gets under way tonight with the opening performance of the 56th annual Howard County 4-H Junior Rodeo.

That performance begins at 7 p.m. in the Big Spring Rodeo Bowl and will continue with a performance at 7 Friday night and wrap up with a 6:30 p.m. start on Saturday.

As many as 350 youngsters from throughout Texas and New Mexico are expected to compete in both girls' and boys' divisions in four age groups — cowboys and cowgirls 8 and under, those 9 to 12 years old, those between 13 and 15 and those 16 and older.

Those competitors will take part in a varied array of events including bull riding, calf riding, barrel racing, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding, steer wrestling, calf roping, team roping, chute dogging, breakaway roping, ribbon roping, goat tying and pole bending.

Sanctioned by the High Plains Junior Rodeo Association, this weekend's event will give fans an opportunity to see future Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) and Women's Professional Rodeo Association (WPRA) stars developing their skills.

It also marks the only opportunity several local youngsters will have to compete before a hometown crowd this season, and we hope they'll find plenty of fan support in the Rodeo Bowl's stands when they come out of the chute this weekend.

We'll see you there.

OTHER VIEWS

What will society do with Andrea Yates, the Houston mother who in the throes of postpartum depression methodically drowned each of her five small children?

Do we want her committed to a psychiatric hospital, with the hope that she eventually will get better? Do we want her imprisoned for life or even put to death?

The public is told that Yates was gripped by the demons of postpartum depression following the birth of her youngest child, Mary, six months ago.

Yates, 36, a former nurse, told police that she drowned her children, Luke, 2, Paul, 3, John, 5, baby Mary and Noah, 7, one by one in the bathtub.

A day after the tragedy, Russell Yates, a NASA computer specialist, clutched a family portrait as he talked about how

postpartum depression had gripped his wife.

He said he and Noah had posted a list of techniques to help her deal with her stress on a board inside the home. He thought the medication his wife was taking would help her recover.

He doesn't know the woman who killed his kids. "What you see here and what you saw yesterday, it's not her," he said.

That undoubtedly is true. But how should society deal with Andrea Yates? Is she a criminal? Her kids are just as dead whether she's a conniving killer or a depression-consumed mom.

At the minimum, her actions should serve as a wake-up call for family members or friends who would minimize, ignore or rationalize the depression or erratic behavior of someone they know.

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Report does not justify global warming

After the National Academy of Sciences report on climate change was released recently, a reader wrote — somewhat smugly, I thought — that now that this august body had settled the question once and for all, I'd probably like to write a column confessing my error. Well, actually, I wouldn't.



CHARLEY REESE

Instead, I'll let one of the authors of the NAS report speak on my behalf. You will find that, contrary to press reports, he verifies my skepticism about global warming.

In an editorial piece published in the June 11 Wall Street Journal, Richard S. Lindzen, professor of meteorology at MIT, set the record straight. The headline stated: "The Press Got It Wrong. Our Report Doesn't Support the Kyoto Treaty."

He cited a CNN news report that described the report as "a unanimous decision that global warming is real, is getting worse and is due to man. There is no wiggle room."

Lindzen wrote, "As one of 11 scientists who prepared the report, I can state that this is simply untrue." No. 1, he stated, there was no unanimity; the NAS never

requires that; the full report represented a span of views. "This full report did, making clear there is no consensus, unanimous or otherwise, about long-term climate trends and what causes them."

He stated that about the only agreement is that the Earth's temperature is about a half a degree higher than it was a century ago, that levels of carbon dioxide have increased, and that carbon dioxide is a greenhouse gas, though not the most important.

"But — and I cannot stress this enough," he stated, "we are not in a position to confidently attribute past climate change to carbon dioxide or to forecast what the climate will be in the future. That is to say, contrary to media impressions, agreement with the three basic statements tells us almost nothing relevant to policy discussions."

Furthermore, he stated, the NAS committee concluded that the United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change's summary "does not provide suitable guidance for the U.S. government."

"Science, in the public arena," he concluded, "is commonly used as a source of authority with which to bludgeon political opponents and propagandize uninformed citizens. This is what has been done with both the reports of the IPCC and the NAS. It is a reprehensible practice that

corrodes our ability to make rational decisions. A fairer view of the science will show that there is still a vast amount of uncertainty — far more than advocates of Kyoto would like to acknowledge — and that the NAS report has hardly ended the debate. Nor was it meant to."

Now, there is a scientist with integrity.

Journalists, being simplistic by nature and trained to seek melodrama, almost always screw up science stories. They simply hate to add all the qualifiers, conditions and uncertainties because it detracts from the drama.

Before I ran across this piece, I already had read most of the text of the NAS report and concluded on my own that it did not match the press reports.

As a matter of fact, one of the three points the good scientist said he and other panelists agreed on — that the Earth was about a half-degree warmer — ignores the fact that atmospheric measurements show a slight cooling. And, by the way, the computer models the global-warming crowd uses had predicted that the atmosphere would warm up first.

There is a wonderful Web site, by the way — in Tasmania, of all places — that follows the global-warming debate quite closely. Try it. It's www.john-daily.com. The site is subtitled "Still Waiting for Greenhouse." You'll find

information that can help you wade through the propaganda and misreporting on this subject.

It is quite true that people who wish to claim it as an authority for their various political or social schemes abuse science. There are even some published quotes from individuals in the environmental area admitting that they lie and exaggerate in order to influence public opinion.

This merely reflects the age-old elitist scorn of common people. They can't be trusted with the truth, the elitists believe; they have to be manipulated for their own good.

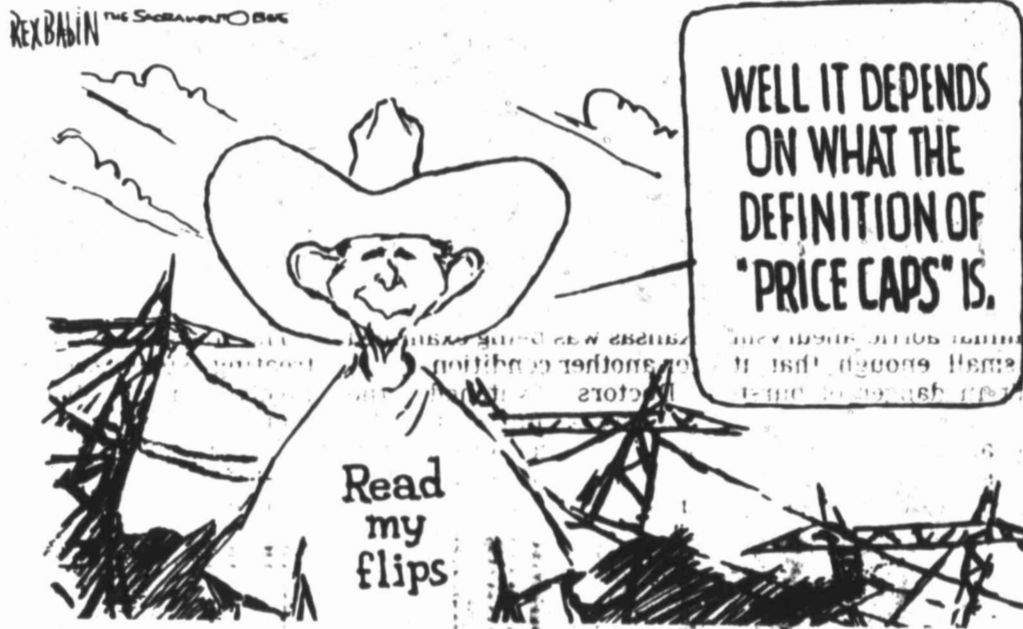
What a load of horse apples.

The rules for clear thinking are fairly simple. Authority does not prove truth. It's funny that many professed atheists scoff at accepting the authority of the Bible or theologians yet fall on their knees in superstitious awe of some secular authority.

My letter writer seems absolutely convinced that if the NAS said something, it was true. As it turned out, what the press had told him that the NAS had said was untrue.

Majority does not prove truth. The majority can and often has been dead wrong. That's why you cannot determine either the truth or the right or wrong of anything with a poll. You can only tabulate people's opinions.

Beware of propaganda.



A nation without a heart

America, the most selfless, philanthropic, forgiving nation the world has ever known, is about to become a nation without a heart because this is the year the welfare safety net begins to collapse.

Aug. 22, 1996, marked the lowest legislative point of Bill Clinton's presidency — the day he joined with House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., and a Republican majority to sign into law so-called welfare reform.

This "reform," among other provisions, substituted TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) for AFDC (Aid to Families with Dependent Children). The operative word was "temporary," because the law included a lifetime benefit limit of five years.

This is the fifth year. Beginning on Dec. 31, 2001, people who have continuously been on welfare since passage of the law will have used up their five years, and the horror stories are already coming in.

In New York City, the letters have gone out: "Your time limits for cash assistance will be expiring this year. We have scheduled an appointment for you to be seen so you can discuss how you plan to manage your household expenses." This refers to the working poor, who do not earn enough to support themselves and their families. It refers to people suffering from illnesses that have incapacitated them so they cannot work. It refers to single parents who must stay at home because they cannot earn enough money to pay for child care. And it also refers to people who refuse to work — what used to be called the town bums or "welfare queens."

It is the last of these that welfare reform sought to take off the dole, yet even here, we objected then as we object now. Society will always have its bums. So what? We are our brothers' keepers.

Already, the plague of homelessness has infected every major American city, a situation that will be exacerbated by TANF. Or will the reality be otherwise?

The nation without a heart is going to be replaced by states with

hearts. In other words, federal welfare reform is just one more way in which federal funding will be replaced by state funding. Most states have passed some form of welfare reform that is designed to take up the slack when federal funding elapses. The problem is that such funding almost universally will fall short of the federal funding, simultaneously creating an additional tax burden on local economies while decreasing benefits to the needy.

So, welfare reform is nothing of the kind. It is a reversal of President Lyndon Johnson's War on Poverty. Taxpayers will pay more, and the needy will receive less. Poverty will increase.

Crime born of need will increase. The working poor will have to work more. The incapacitated will have to turn to charity or begging.

The out-of-work parents will raise their children in squalor.

The homeless population will increase. America will become a less pleasant place for all of us.

This is what the euphemism of welfare reform is about to bring us, because poverty by any other name is still poverty.



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Surgeon general issues 'call to action' on sexual attitudes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Surgeon General David Satcher called on parents, schools and community leaders Thursday to get past their nervousness about sex so they can do a better job preventing unwanted pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases.

In a far-reaching report, Satcher called for a "mature and thoughtful discussion about sexuality," asking the nation to confront these issues with respect for diversity and respect for what science shows is effective.

"Given the diversity of attitudes, beliefs, values and opinions, finding common ground might not be easy, but it is attainable," the report concludes.

The first step is confronting the issue, Satcher added in an interview. "At every level we have problems discussing it," he said.

The "call to action," two years in the making, begins by detailing the problem: 12 million Americans infected by sexually transmitted

diseases each year, with some 40,000 new HIV infections; more than 100,000 children victimized by sexual abuse annually; and nearly 1.4 million abortions each year, with nearly half of all pregnancies unwanted. An estimated 800,000 to 900,000 Americans are now living with HIV.

It also touches on some of the most contentious sexual issues, calling on Americans to respect "the diversity of sexual values within any community."

It says there is no valid scientific evidence that one's sexual orientation can be changed and details the consequences of harassment on the mental health of gays and lesbians.

"We have a responsibility to be more supportive and proactive than judgmental," Satcher said. "We're certainly not trying to get anyone in any religious group to change their views. We're just saying these are people, these are human beings."

Sexuality education must be wide-ranging, begin early and be available throughout one's life, the report says.

It recommends that sex-education programs discuss the benefits of abstinence from sex — but also explain how to prevent unwanted pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases. It recommends improving access to reproductive health care services for "all persons in all communities."

Abstinence is the only certain way to prevent pregnancy and the spread of disease, the report says, and even properly used condoms do not prevent the spread of all sexually transmitted diseases. But the report finds no evidence that "abstinence-only" programs are effective, saying more research is needed.

These programs, which bar any talk of contraception, enjoy the support of many conservatives, including President Bush, who has pledged to raise federal fund-

ing for them.

Satcher said he was not taking sides in the debate. "Those are political decisions," he said. "We try to make very clear what's needed to improve sexual health and what's supported by the science."

Another difference with conservatives: His report encourages abstinence from sex until one is involved in a "committed, enduring and mutually monogamous relationship." Federal abstinence programs call for abstinence until marriage.

"I have to deal with reality," Satcher said when asked about the difference.

Sex education begins with parents, the report says, but schools play an important role because some parents are unable to give their children all the information they need.

"Parents sometimes need help. There are so many parents who are unprepared or uncomfortable

discussing it," Satcher said. "Schools have always been the great equalizers."

"The Surgeon General's Call to Action to Promote Sexual Health and Responsible Behavior" also recommends:

—Providing adequate training in sexual health for health care professionals who deal with these issues.

—Ensuring that programs that aim to prevent sexual abuse are available.

—Encouraging stable and committed adult relationships, particularly marriage, to help strengthen families.

—Increasing scientific research on sexual health, including the entire life span, from childhood to old age.

—Developing and disseminating educational materials for sex-ed classes that cover the "full continuum of human sexual development" for use by parents, clergy, teachers and others.

Videotape shows squalid conditions in Idaho residence of children who held off authorities

SANDPOINT, Idaho (AP) — Erina McGuckin sat 10 feet from her mother, calmly describing how the family ate bread that had been gnawed by rodents and had to remove animal feces from their food as it was cooking.

Her testimony came Wednesday during a preliminary hearing for her mother, JoAnn, on child-neglect charges, which were brought after the 19-year-old complained to authorities about the living conditions at their home.

JoAnn McGuckin was arrested May 29, prompting a five-day standoff between six of her children, ages 8 to 16, and authorities at their ramshackle home. Erina McGuckin left home last

year to join the Navy. A videotape played by prosecutors showed the interior of the family's rural Idaho home littered with garbage, broken furniture, dog feces, spoiled food, maggots and mice.

Erina McGuckin described how the family would cook food such as red beans that had been contaminated with rodent feces. "We would boil the bulk products and skim them (feces) off the top," she testified.

The family ate bread that had been gnawed by rodents by cutting off the chewed parts and toasting the rest over fire to try to kill germs, she said.

McGuckin said the family

drew water from a small lake on their property, used a bucket or the woods for a toilet, had little food and did not do laundry in the winter. She said her mother would spend some of the family's limited money on liquor and shared beer with the children.

The property was overrun by more than a dozen dogs and that mice and other wild animals often came into the decrepit house, she said.

"Mice would crawl into bed when we were sleeping," she testified. "They'd run around under our covers."

Her testimony was followed by the 54-minute videotape taken by sheriff's

deputies that showed the squalid conditions in the family's home. There had been no running water since 1997, and heat was provided in winter by a kerosene stove.

"Maybe people will understand a little better why we did what we did," Prosecutor Phil Robinson said. Authorities here have come under sharp criticism from some people with anti-government sentiments for arresting McGuckin and placing her children in foster care.

Defense attorney Bryce Powell objected to the admission of the videotape, suggesting much of the filth in the house was the result of the standoff.

Jury says Dewhurst did not violate law

AUSTIN (AP) — Jurors in a whistleblower trial decided Wednesday that Land Commissioner David Dewhurst did not fire a former General Land Office attorney for allegedly reporting a violation of the law.

The former attorney, David Scott, had claimed that he was fired from the office in 1999 after warning Dewhurst that the agency was violating state law by not collecting maximum amount of royalties from oil and gas companies that drilled on state land.

The money collected from the royalties goes to the state's \$20 billion school trust fund.

Dewhurst had testified that Scott was fired in a reorganization that resulted in the firing of 103 people on the day that Dewhurst took office in January 1999.

"We knew the facts were on our side," Dewhurst said after the verdict. "I am pleased that the jury quickly saw that we han-

dled ourselves properly from day one."

The 12 person jury in the civil trial deliberated for about an hour before reaching its verdict.

Scott said he was disappointed with the ruling, but believes people heard his message that the land office is not collecting enough money in gas and oil royalties.

"I think we made it aware to the public and I think the GLO will be scrutinized," Scott said.

Scott also said that he believed the jurors had difficulty understanding what would have constituted him reporting a violation of the law.

Dewhurst was elected land commissioner in November 1998, but is leaving the office to run for lieutenant governor.

"This helps my campaign for lieutenant governor because people realize that I am not going to walk away from doing the very best I can for school children," Dewhurst said.

Dole in good condition following experimental surgery

CLEVELAND (AP) — Former Sen. Bob Dole was in good condition today following an experimental procedure to treat an aneurysm, hospital officials said.

Dole, the 1996 Republican presidential candidate, underwent the procedure Wednesday at the Cleveland Clinic. The aneurysm was in his aorta, the body's main blood vessel.

"He maintained his sense of humor throughout his care," said Dr. Kenneth Ouriel, one of three surgeons on the team that inserted a stent graft in his aorta.

The 77-year-old Dole's condition was upgraded from satisfactory to good Thursday morning, spokeswoman Marion Moseley said. Dole is expected to be released by Saturday and will be able to resume normal activities within 10 days.

An aneurysm is a bulge on a blood vessel. When it occurs in the nearly inch-thick aorta descending from the heart, it can burst and

kill nearly instantly. Dole's abdominal aortic aneurysm was small enough that it wasn't in danger of bursting.

The aneurysm was first diagnosed two or three years ago when the former

Senate majority leader from Kansas was being examined for another condition.

Doctors watched the aneurysm until it grew worse. Earlier this month, doctors at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., said he

should have it treated.

The traditional way of treating such aneurysms involves a major abdominal incision. The experimental device used on Dole is used in 15 research centers nationwide.

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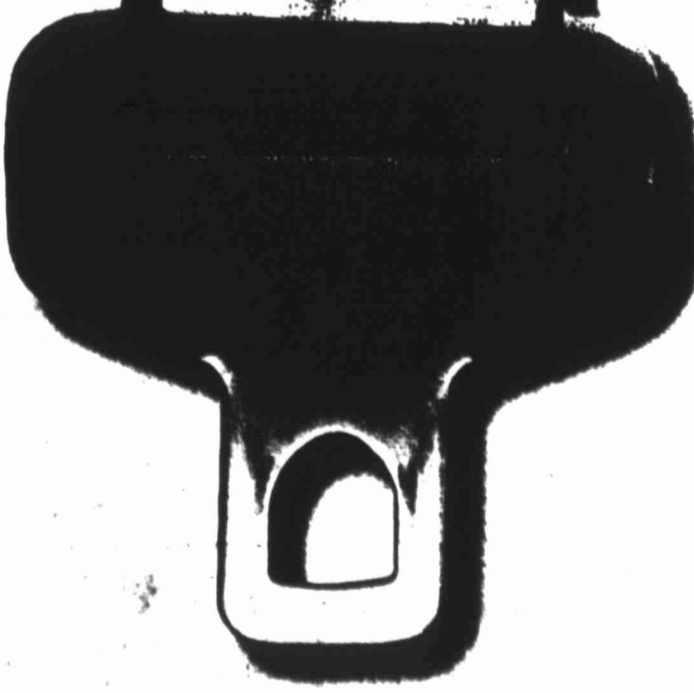
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Sixth Grade: Haley Adams, Raul Aguilar, Mustafa Ashraf, Angela Barnas, Deanna Carlisle, Christopher Carroll, Austin Cox, Bernadette Flores, Abraham Franco, Bryan Juan, Katie Junkin, Mallory Kennedy, Porscha Knowlton, Alyssa Mattson, Wendy Mayfield, Megan McCormick, Morgan Metcalf, Brady Phillips, Alyssa Rains, Tiffany Richards, Sydnie Robertson, Reinhold Robinson, Nicholas Ross, Meagan Smith, Ryan Tannehill, Jacob Truelove, Donald Whittenburg, Dylan Yarbrough.

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Third Grade: Miracle Cervantes, Barbara Cruz, Selena Gonzales, Benjamin Merworth, Alyssa Ruiz, Veronica Ruiz, Ernest Saiz, Vanessa Salgado, Mariah Sparkman, Juan Zavala.

Fourth Grade: Simon Arenivaz, Ashley Castillo, Michelle Dean, Martina Deanda, Maria Enriquez, Kristina Healy, Thad Loftis, Amanda Lopez, Mandy Martinez, Malory Molina, Cecilia Quiroz, Marisa Rodriguez, Matthew Stokes, Thomas Swinney, Christopher Valle, Eric Valle, Deshay Watson.

Fifth Grade: Judy Martinez, Cameron Matile, Joshua Perez, Traci Rodriguez, Esther Tobar, Natasha Yanez.

Sixth Grade: Katlin Abner, Rosa Alcantar, Richard Anderson, Ashley Baker, Jeremy Beck, William Berry, Amber Bethel, Paden Black, Ariell Brown, Denielle Burns, Jay Carnes, Jessica Chancy, Cody Chandler, Caleb Choate, Leah-Kaye Cobb, Toni Contreras, Maris De Los Santos, Mark Dobek, Ricky Dominguez, Kendra Dutchover, Keri Eason, Desmond Garcia, Jason Garcia, Melissa Garcia, Cindy Gonzales, Manuel Gonzales, Richard Gonzales, Lita Green, Marissa Guzman, Ryan

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**JUNIOR HIGH
A HONOR ROLL**

Seventh Grade: Danielle Barrow, Becky Cheyne, Christopher Dominguez, James Dunn, Meredith Fillingim, Laura Fitzgibbons, Jennifer Garcia, Toni Gonzales, Keri Green, Erin Griffin, Kelci McAdams, Rochelle McMeans, Abel Morelion, Rebecca Murphree, Jacob Nichols, Kayla Odle, Ashley Phinney, Kyle Piercefield, Raegan Ritchey, Rosa Rodriguez, Allan Sheedy, Tomas Soto, Ryan Ward, Whitney Weir, Kathryn Weissman, Kelly Wingert, Lucia Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Kendal Adams, Brennan Bailey, Lindsey Barton, Keri Bethel, Brandon Boling, James Clark, Regan Creswell, Karol Foust, Ginger Fugate, Paige Gainey, Corey Green, Adam Heinis, Neisha Heinis, Shannon Higgins, Jessica Hughey, Pamela Inchassi, Mark Lunsford, Ashley Martinez, Holly Mayfield, Maleah McGee, Nicholas McMahan, Jacob Murphree, Darryl Newberry, Curtis Osburn, Connor Phillips, Felix Portocarrero, Spencer Roberts, Anthony Rodriguez, Jessica Rodriguez, Mallory Schumpert, Stefani Scott, Kate Smiley, Jackie Thomas, Heather Vassar, Jason Vela, Veronica Villarreal, Johnathan Volker, Kelli Warrington, Kaye Wooldridge, Ryan Yeats.

A/B HONOR ROLL

Seventh Grade: Ashley Barnett, Vanessa Basurto, Kelsey Battle, Kandice Belcher, Elizabeth Bobo, Jessica Bravo, Vera Brumley, Braden Burchett, Chance Cain, Collin Carroll, Lynsey Chalker, Krista Chesworth, Zachary Chesworth, Kyle Conley, Charles Downing, Kristen Dutchover, Shawna Edwards, Ashton Evans, Robert Finn, Joel Flores, Maegan Fox, John Franco, Mellissa Franco, Ashley Gentry, Roxie Hernandez, Jyoti Hungu, Chalesa Johnson, Dara Kremsky, Andrew Lasater, Amber Levario, Mitchell Lowery, Sunday Luna, Anastasia Martinez, Stephanie Mims, David Morales, Candida Moreno, Oscar Natividad, Michael Neel, Natasha Neighbors, Jessica New, Jessica Olivas, Kimberly Paredes, Kasey Pointon, Heather Policky, Jose Ramirez, Anthony Riddle, Stacie Rios, Rosa Rivera, Courtney Rodriguez, Ashley Rosas, Brittany Salazar, Henry Sanchez, Vanessa Sanchez, Katherine Smith, Matthew Soto, Megan Swinney, Austin Tarleton, Naomi Villa, Chrissie Walters, Seve Watson Sarah Wilkinson, Joshua Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Chelsea Abner, Malerie Aguilar, Pete Anchondo, Robin Anderson, Crystal Baeza, Lisa Beevers, Jessica Brown, Vanessa Bustamante, Julie Cadenhead, Synda Calobreves, Daniel Castillo, Lacey Chavarria, Logan Churchwell, Cambrie Cooke, Alicia Correa, Billy Daves, Courtney Davila, Anthony Emerson, Tiffany Emerson, Jessica Fauver, Cheridan Felty, Nichole Flores, Kasey Forman, Patricia Franco, Bradley Fuqua, Agnes Garcia, Angelo Garcia, Gerardo Garcia, Alexandra Garipey, Rachel Gee, Vianca Green, Randi Gross, Abbey Hagin, Andrea Haro, Floyd Hebert, Shameka Houston, Kami Huddleston, Mary Hunnicutt, Joshua Islas, Matthew Islas, Tiffany Land, Cierra Landin, Joseph Lloyd, Adam Loper, John Marino, Carissa Mattson, Emily McCann, Melody Briga-McDaniel, Jonathan Moscoe, Arielle Moughon, Niebes Ortega, Cynthia Padron, Nicholas Paredes, Wesley Parks, Bryce Payne, Carli Payne, Jeremy Petrowski, Danielle Rainwater, Felicia Rios, Elida Rodriguez, Angel Salazar, April Salazar, Stephanie Smith, John Sparks, Crystal Strum, Manoj Thangam, Jessica Tipton, Ashley Tone, Kelsey Torres, Cycelye Tuitt, Lindsay Wagner, Alexandria Watkins, Kendra Weeks, Lauren Williams, Cassandra Willis, Leighanna Wingo, Chelsey Yarbar.

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**JUNIOR HIGH
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A HONOR ROLL**

Seventh Grade: Danielle Barrow, Kelsey Battle, Kandice Belcher, Braden Burchett, Chance Cain, Collin Carroll, Lynsey Chalker, Krista Chesworth, Becky Cheyne, Christopher Dominguez, James Dunn, Shawna Edwards, Meredith Fillingim, Laura Fitzgibbons, Jennifer Garcia, Keri Green, Erin Griffin, Dara Kremsky, Mitchell Lowery, Kelci McAdams, Rochelle McMeans, Abel Morelion, Rebecca Murphree, Michael Neel, Jacob Nichols, Kayla Odle, Ashley Phinney, Kyle Piercefield, Anthony Riddle, Raegan Ritchey, Rosa Rivera, Rosa Rodriguez, Matthew Soto, Tomas Soto, Ryan Ward, Whitney Weir, Kathryn Weissman, Kelly Wingert, Lucia Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Kendal Adams, Brennan Bailey, Keri Bethel, Brandon Boling, James Clark, Regan Creswell, Karol Foust, Paige Gainey, Corey Green, Adam Heinis, Neisha Heinis, Shannon Higgins, Jessica Hughey, Mary Hunnicutt, Pamela Inchassi, Joshua Islas, John Marino, Ashley Martinez, Jonathan Moscoe, Arielle Moughon, Curtis Osburn, Felix Portocarrero, Spencer Roberts, Anthony Rodriguez, Mallory Schumpert, Stefani Scott, Kate Smiley, Jackie Thomas, Ashley Tone, Heather Vassar, Jason Vela, Veronica Villarreal, Jonathan Volker, Kaye Wooldridge, Ryan Yeats.

A/B HONOR ROLL

Seventh Grade: Ashley Barnett, Vanessa Basurto, Elizabeth Bobo, Jessica Bravo, Jeremy Braxton, Lara Breckenridge, Vera Brumley, Crystal Carrisalez, Kyle Conley, Charles Downing, Kristen Dutchover, Ashton Evans, Joshua Fajardo, Amanda Farmer, Monica Fierro, Robert Finn, Joel Flores, Maegan Fox, John Franco, Mellissa Franco, Kristopher Garcia, Gloria Garibay, Ashley Gentry, Toni Gonzales, Roxie Hernandez, Chalesa Johnson, Joshua Junkin, Hayley Keeton,

Andrew Lasater, Amber Levario, Anastasia Martinez, Morgan McKinney, Stephanie Mims, Joshua Moody, David Morales, Candida Moreno, Keith Myrick, Oscar Natividad, Natasha Neighbors, Jessica New, Eric Olivas, Jessica Olivas, Kimberly Paredes, Kasey Pointon, Heather Policky, Joe Ramirez, Stacie Rios, Courtney Rodriguez, Matthew Rodriguez, Ashley Rosas, Brittany Salazar, Henry Sanchez, Vanessa Sanchez, Allan Sheedy, Katherine Smith, Megan Swinney, Austin Tarleton, Roxanne Trevino, Whitney Walker, Chrissie Walters, Seve Watson, Justin Weatherly, Lorelei Weaver, Sarah Wilkinson, Brittany Yanez, Joshua Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Chelsea Abner, Malerie Aguilar, Brittany Anderson, Robin Anderson, Lindsey Barton, Lisa Beevers, Airianne Brown, Jessica Brown, Tyonne Brown, Vanessa Bustamante, Julie Cadenhead, Synda Calobreves, Daniel Castillo, Lacey Chavarria, Logan Churchwell, Cambrie Cooke, Alicia Correa, Leonides Cortez, Billy Daves, Courtney Davila, Anthony Emerson, Tiffany Emerson, Cheridan Felty, Nicole Flores, Kasey Forman, Patricia Franco, Ginger Fugate, Bradley Fuqua, Agnes Garcia, Angelo Garcia, Gerardo Garcia, Alexandra Garipey, Vianca Green, Brandon Gross, Abbey Hagin, Andrea Haro, Floyd Hebert, David Hernandez, Jennifer Hernandez, Tapley Holguin, Matthew Islas, Tiffany Land, Cierra Landin, Adam Loper, Mark Lozano, Gentry Lunsford, Raul Marquez, Jenna Mathis, Meagan Matthews, Carissa Mattson, Holly Mayfield, Emily McCann, Melody Briga McDaniel, Maleah McGee, Michael Moore, Gabriel Moreno, Jacob Murphree, Darryl Newberry, Efrén Nieves, Niebes Ortega, Cynthia Padron, Nicholas Paredes, Wesley Parks, Jeremy Petrowski, Connor Phillips, Danielle Rainwater, Katherine Rawls, Felicia Rios, Elida Rodriguez, Jessica Rodriguez, Angel Salazar, April Salazar, Todd Seber, Stephanie Smith, John Sparks, Crystal Sturm, Manoj Thangam, Jessica Tipton, Kelsey Torres, Cycelye Tuitt, Amisha Vanderbilt, Kelli Warrington, Alexandria Watkins, Justin Watson, Kendra Weeks, Cassandra Willis, Leighanna Wingo, Chelsey Yarbar.

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A HONOR ROLL**

Seventh Grade: Danielle Barrow, Kelsey Battle, Kandice Belcher, Braden Burchett, Collin Carroll, Lynsey Chalker, Krista Chesworth, Becky Cheyne, Christopher Dominguez, James Dunn, Shawna Edwards, Meredith Fillingim, Laura Fitzgibbons, Jennifer Garcia, Keri Green, Erin Griffin, Dara Kremsky, Mitchell Lowery, Kelci McAdams, Rochelle McMeans, Abel Morelion, Rebecca Murphree, Michael Neel, Jacob Nichols, Kayla Odle, Ashley Phinney, Kyle Piercefield, Anthony Riddle, Raegan Ritchey, Rosa Rivera, Rosa Rodriguez, Matthew Soto, Tomas Soto, Ryan Ward, Whitney Weir, Kathryn Weissman, Kelly Wingert, Lucia Yanez.

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Seventh Grade: Danielle Barrow, Kelsey Battle, Kandice Belcher, Braden Burchett, Collin Carroll, Lynsey Chalker, Krista Chesworth, Becky Cheyne, Christopher Dominguez, Shawna Edwards, Meredith Fillingim, Laura Fitzgibbons, Joel Flores, Jennifer Garcia, Keri Green, Dara Kremsky, Mitchell Lowery, Kelci McAdams, Rochelle McMeans, Abel Morelion, Oscar Natividad, Michael Neel, Jessica New, Jacob Nichols, Kayla Cole, Ashley Phinney, Kyle Piercefield, Kasey Pointon, Anthony Riddle, Raegan Ritchey, Rosa Rodriguez, Matthew Soto, Tomas Soto, Ryan Ward, Seve Watson, Whitney Weir, Kathryn Weissman, Kelly Wingert, Lucia Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Chelsea Abner, Kendal Adams, Brennan Bailey, Keri Bethel, Brandon Boling, Vanessa Bustamante, Julie Cadenhead, James Clark, Regan Creswell, Nicole Flores, Karol Foust, Ginger Fugate, Paige Gainey, Corey Green, Adam, Heinis,

Neisha Heinis, Shannon Higgins, Jessica Hughey, Mary Hunnicutt, Pamela Inchassi, Joshua Islas, Gentry Lunsford, John Marino, Ashley Martinez, Holly Mayfield, Jonathan Moscoe, Arielle Moughon, Felix Portocarrero, Spencer Roberts, Anthony Rodriguez, Mallory Schumpert, Stefani Scott, Kate Smiley, Jackie Thomas, Ashley Tone, Heather Vassar, Jason Vela, Veronica Villarreal, Johnathan Volker, Kelli Warrington, Kaye Wooldridge, Chelsey Yarbar, Ryan Yeats.

A/B HONOR ROLL

Seventh Grade: Ashley Barnett, Vanessa Basurto, Elizabeth Bobo, Jessica Bravo, Jeremy Braxton, Lara Breckenridge, Vera Brumley, Chance Cain, Maureen Carrillo, Kyle Conley, Amanda Deanda, Charles Downing, James Dunn, Kristen Dutchover, Ashton Evans, Joshua Fajardo, Amanda Farmer, Monica Fierro, Robert Finn, Maegan Fox, John Franco, Mellissa Franco, Kristopher Garcia, Gloria Garibay, Ashley Gentry, Toni Gonzales, Erin Griffin, Brittany Hartman, Joshua Hernandez, Roxie Hernandez, Matthew Hilario, Jason Horton, Chalesa Johnson, Jamie Jordan, Joshua Junkin, Hayley Keeton, Veronica Landin, Andrew Lasater, Amber Levario, Shay Long, Anastasia Martinez, Morgan McKinney, Stephanie Mims, Joshua Moody, David Morales, Candida Moreno, Keith Myrick, Natasha Neighbors, Eric Olivas, Jessica Olivas, Gabriel Ortiz, Kimberly Paredes, Heather Policky, Jose Ramirez, Stacie Rios, Rosa Rivera, Courtney Rodriguez, Lidia Rodriguez, Ashley Rosas, Brittany Salazar, Henry Sanchez, Vanessa Sanchez, Allan Sheedy, Katherine Smith, Megan Swinney, Austin Tarleton, Roxanne Trevino, Lorenzo Valbuena, Whitney Walker, Chrissie Walters, Justin Weatherly, Lorelei Weaver, Maleah Wendland, Sarah Wilkinson, Brittany Yanez, Joshua Yanez.

Eighth Grade: Malerie Aguilar, Brittany Anderson, Robin Anderson, Lindsey Barton, Lisa Beevers, Airianne Brown, Jessica Brown, Tyonne Brown, Miguel Burciaga, Synda Calobreves, Lacey Chavarria, Kevin Churchwell, Logan Churchwell, Cambrie Cooke, Alicia Correa, Leonides Cortez, Billy Daves, Courtney Davila, Anthony Emerson, Tiffany Emerson, Jessica Fauver, Cheridan Felty, Kasey Forman, Patricia Franco, Agnes Garcia, Gerardo Garcia, Alexandra Garipey, Heather Granados, Vianca Green, Brandon Gross, Abbey Hagin, Andrea Haro, Floyd Hebert, David Hernandez, Jennifer Hernandez, Tapley Holguin, Matthew Islas, David Killcrease, Heather Knappe, Tiffany Land, Cierra Landin, Lisa Landin, Adam Loper, Mark Lozano, Raul Marquez, Ashley Martinez, Jenna Mathis, Meagan Matthews, Carissa Mattson, Emily McCann, Melody Briga-McDaniel, Maleah McGee, Nicholas McMahan, Andrew Mireles, Michael Moore, Alejandro Moreno, Gabriel Moreno, Jacob Murphree, Darryl Newberry, Efrén Nieves, Joseph Noble, Joseph Olvera, Niebes Ortega, Curtis Osburn, Cynthia Padron, Nicholas Paredes, Wesley Parks, Elizabeth Petersen, Connor Phillips, Danielle Rainwater, Felicia Rios, Jacob Rios, Elida Rodriguez, Griselda Rodriguez, Jessica Rdriguez, Angel Salazar, April Salazar, Arthur Saldivar, Todd Seber, Stephanie Smith, John Sparks, Crystal Sturm,

Manoj Thangam, Scott Thomas, Jessica Tipton, Kelsey Torres, Cycelye Tuitt, Amisha Vanderbilt, Alexandria Watkins, Justin Watson, Kory Webb, Kendra Weeks, Cassandra Willis, Leighanna Wingo.

**BAUER MAGNET
ELEMENTARY
A HONOR ROLL**

Third Grade: Cole Campbell, Valerie Colwell, Brenna Hill, Anna Lozano, Daniel New, Anthony Perez, Lauren Porras, Matthew Ramirez, Jonathan Ray, Elyse Salazar, Joshua Sanchez, Vinnie Solis, Samantha Williams, Jonathan Womack, Martin Yanez.

Fourth Grade: Mylia Black, Suraj Patel, Mercedes Rangel, Zoie Salgado

Fifth Grade: Tori Bohanon, Michael Booth, Lauren Bryant, Clarissa Carrisalez, Jacob Cerda, Christopher Colwell, Nadia Garcia, Macee Gonzales, Bilal Muzaffar, Chels Nanny, Kevin Porras, Danielle Sanchez, Geoff ey Treece, Allison Ward

A/B HONOR ROLL

Third Grade: Andrew Brito, Brantley Carlon, Crystal Carrillo, Zac very Gilliam, Nickolas Jones, Jesse Loter, Pylycia Ochoa, Keely Parnell, Eddilisa Saldivar Chelby Salgado, Jessica Snaithwick, Carla Troncoso Michael Valencia, Jessica Villa.

Fourth Grade: Marilyn Anguiano, Steven Arista, Jerilyn Bermea, Chelse Chavarria, MarcusDeleon, Ashley Estes, Deshae Green, Dominique Green, Brandi Herrera, ErikaHilario, Kristin King, Doportto Leos, Cheyenne Lesser, Krisann Lopez, Mark Lopez, James Marlow, Alexi Martinez, Isaac Martinez, Sergio Martinez, Amanda Medina, Jesse Medina, Honee Moore, Justin Olague, Sidney Parker, Shelby Petersen, Jacklyn Porras, A.J. Richey, Jay Rodriguez, VickiRodriguez, Bo Shorts, Mirella Torres, Viviana Troncoso, Ashley Valencia, Jennifer Vincent.

Fifth Grade: Johnathon Bustamante, Jonathan Granados, Gabby Perez, Samantha Plumlee, Ashleigh Ramirez, Raymon Rodriguez, Heath Rodriguez, Hali West.

**KENTWOOD
ELEMENTARY
A HONOR ROLL**

First Grade: Aaron Arispe, Jennifer Castilaw, Kendra Cook, Trey Lowery, Johnathon Martinez, Sarah Beth Parker, Bryson Phillips, Sterling Strickland, Kelsey Weir.

Second Grade: Joshua Castilaw, Saige Clare, Hayly Curtis, Illiana Lujan, Krista Tarleton.

Third Grade: Sloan Davis, Jose Hernandez, Stefan Martinez, Alex Ortega, Gretchan Pudliner, Callie Shafer.

Fourth Grade: Samantha Amos, Chris Brooks, Caitlin Carlisle, Chelsea Castaneda, Breanna Conner, Heather Coyle, Jordan Fair, Kara Fraley, Kacey Freshour, Lanny Hall, Cade Hollandsworth, Cameron Hughey, Ariel Johnson, Krista Odle, Brionna Palmer, Kade Parker, Stephen Parker, Alexis Ruiz, Jessica Stone, M'lyn Swinney, Katy Tompkins, Whitley Worthan, Britanni York.

Fifth Grade: Allison Banks, Zack Dawson, Christina Hernandez, Charly Kelley, Hadden Phillips, Emily Slape.

A/B HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Sarah Anderson, Zachary Booth, Will Currie, Kirsten Esparsa, Shane Farquhar, Annalee Felts, Matthew Mier, Bryson Overton, Matthew Tompkins, Eden

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Second Grade
Amos, Capri Taryn Kenne Morales, Luci Berkley Pierce Tori Truel Wright.

Third Grade
Brumley, El Macy Gra Mendoza, Ste Jacqueline R Tarleton.

Fourth Grade
Chesworth, Farquhar, C Natasha Rich Schaffner, M Cassidy Ste Woolf.

Fifth Grade
Casey Fraley, Jeremy Lanc Martindale, K Randye Philli Schaffner, Mig

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A HONOR RO**

First Grade: Chrissy Bla Bradbury, D Andrew Fill Griffith, Ka Katelynn H McKinley, Metcalf, Sama Laura Orti Robertson, V Austin Shar Slaughter, Strickland, Stuteville, Syd

Second Grade
Black, Timo Shawna Free Hardy, Emily Inchassi, Kayl Ralston, Debor Karlie White.

Third Grade
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Fourth Grade
Bowen, Andr Cody Copela Dominguez, Dossey, Hutt Brittany Far Gill, Andrew H Juarez,

Catherine Lei Mireles, Rach Jordan Pointor Theresa Rod Sanchez, Hayle Rance Terry Valimont, Pors

Fifth Grade
Aguilar, Mus Samantha Boel Chalker, Marcy Feaster, Ashto Adela Garfia Guerra, Cass Lacey Guzm Horton, Dani Lauren Lunsfor McKee, Jo Michelle McM Munoz, Mere Stephanie Ram Ward, Jared Wi

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First Grade
Boehring, Bustamante, Campbell, Kaye Kelvin Flarit Inchassi, Nich Ariella More Saverance, Mai Hunter Sloss.

Second Grade
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Andriana Rubi Rubio, Tracy Dominique Trevor Shaw, A Brittany Jonathan Villar

Third Grade
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Third Grade: Kathryn Brumley, Erick Curtis, Macy Graves, Kaeli Mendoza, Stephen Powell, Jacqueline Ruiz, Brendan Tarleton.

Fourth Grade: Tyler Chesworth, Cristi Farquhar, Coby Landis, Natasha Richards, Ambrie Schaffner, Mallory Smith, Cassidy Stevens, Kaci Woolf.

Fifth Grade: Nita Cotton, Casey Fraley, Lance Gross, Jeremy Landin, Morgan Martindale, Kyle McDaniel, Randy Phillippe, Braden Schaffner, Miguel Zermeno.

MOSS ELEMENTARY
A HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Katie Black, Chrissy Bland, Dakota Bradbury, Daniel Coyle, Andrew Fillingim, Sam Griffith, Kassie Gross, Katelynn Heap, Tyler McKinley, McKenzie Metcalf, Samantha Munoz, Laura Ortiz, Scarlet Robertson, Valerie Ross, Austin Sharp, Morgan Slaughter, Danielle Strickland, Garrett Stuteville, Sydney Winters.

Second Grade: Kenzie Black, Timothy Davila, Shawna Freeman, Alex Hardy, Emily Hicks, Sonya Inchassi, Kayla Lee, Mindy Ralston, Deborah Thangam, Karlie White.

Third Grade: Anthony Barrera, Mikael Gonzales, Cameron Gross, Sonya Herrera, Travis Kendrex, Mary Kincade, Martin Leija, Aarika Marin, Jay McLeod, Marissa Nieto, Matt Ritchey, Jared Scott, Ginger Simpson, Tyler Tannehill, Chance Urias, Karlye Weaver.

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A/B HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Cassie Boehringer, Elias Bustamante, Taylor Campbell, Kaycee Clayton, Kelvin Flarity, Soughi Inchassi, Nicholas Islas, Ariella Moreno, Kaidie Saverance, Marc Segundo, Hunter Sloss.

Second Grade: Jamaica Ausbie, Chad Bowles, Tyson Cambell, Zach Flournoy, Albert Franco, Alex Franco, Stetson Franco, Jonathan Futrelle, Bittney Hilario, Autumn Hill, Felicia Ortiz, Brooks Osborne, Anthony Padron, Stormie Reed, Allen Rice, Stephanie Rios, Ty Roberts, Miguel Rodriguez, Andriana Rubio, Faustino Rubio, Tracy Russell, Dominique Sarmiento, Trevor Shaw, Aaron Vera, Brittany Villareal, Jonathan Villareal.

Third Grade: Tony Bravo, C.J. Burleson, Kelly Campbell, Brookelynn Coker, Alex Crabtree, Steven Eelder, Tiffany Garcia, Michelle Guzman, Audry Hartman, Jara Hester, Megan Karwedsky,

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Fourth Grade: Christale Chapa, Bryan Chavez, Matthew Childs, Tyrone Clemons, Ysidro Diaz, Chris Edwards, Steven Fierro, Joshua Harris, Shauna Hernandez, Lee Klas, Shauna Lewis, Farley Lloyd, Jonathan Luna, Jace Mince, John Pena, Cassy Phillips, Brandi Rigdon, Casey Rose, Magie Rubio, Cody Saldivar, Samuel Segundo, Brooke Sloss, Chris Soliz, David Villarreal, Marti Wise.

Fifth Grade: Shane Bowles, Robert Castaneda, Jordan Chesworth, Leslie Collier, Cadry Gibbs, Colton Harper, Megan Heffington, Tristen Jenkins, Tori Johnson, Linsey Jones, Jo Ledesma, Jennie Lopez, Kelbi Melton, Robin Nix, Gina Olivares, Olivia Ossorio, Bianca Rivera, Seve Rodriguez, Timothy Rose, Frankie Rubio, Jessie Sanchez, Morgan Schumpert, Philip Tackett, Georgio Taylor, Whitney Torres, Angelica Villarreal.

COAHOMA
ELEMENTARY
A HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Christian Arnet, Katherine Calvert, Justin Coker, Timothy Cravens, Jimmy Cruz, Bryan Darden, Keven Gilbert, Robert Guzman, Ambra Hill, Heather Kirby, McKenzie Moore, Jessi Morgan, Haley Pace, Randy Paige, Cayla Rodriguez, Coleman Sneed, Mackenzie Stone.

Second Grade: Kyle Bales, Rachel Barbee, Morgan Barker, Robert Barlow, Machel Barr, Joann Ebert, Taylor Fields, Dakota Griffith, Martin Gutierrez, Brayden Iden, Courtney Long, Jason Martinez, Jaimie Meeks, Reagan Reid, Cody Riddle, Austin Rinard, Brandi Smith, Devin Thomason, Ronnie Thompson, Andrew Toscano, James Wheeler, Brent Wright, Matthew Wynn, Brooke Zitterkopf.

Third Grade: Ashley Buske, Elisha Carroll, Alexandra Cordes, Britt Dickenson, Katie Dunn, Kylie Gee, Jordan Hammond, Mikael Hill, Kenzie Hunt, Isaac King, Krista Lyons, Hayli McCullough, Kalea Neff, Brandon Olivetti, Megan Parrish, Kirstyn Pulis, Jared Ringener, Nicholas Sevey, Riley Wood.

Fourth Grade: Jared Blythe, Kelsey Butts, Kimberly Calvert, Megan Conley, Nathan Gomez, Danja Gonzales, Karly Green, Braden Griffin, Berkeley Iden, Ashley Martin, Alexandra Moore, Shelbi Paige, Heather Scoggins, Laci Sterling, Erika Stiller, Nina Toscano, Rachel Tucker, Katelyn Wilson.

Fifth Grade: Teryn Bibb, Randi Gerstenberger, Janice Gonzales, Johnny Gonzales, Kayla Gutierrez, Justin Rau, William Reilly, Kay Spiller, Caylea Wood.

Sixth Grade: Trystan Cevallos, Shandra Coker, Stephen Ewing, Kamrun Green, Rebecca McEndree, Callie Paige, Cody Pprice, Cody Scoggins, Tyler Tucker, Miguel Yanez, Michael Yeater.

A/B HONOR ROLL

First Grade: William Barker, Kief Black, Curtis Callendar, Kendra Carey, Jacob Echavarría, Kathleen Evans, Silvia Gonzalez, Minnie Goodblanket, Dustin Gutierrez, Tyler Hammond, Kaitlyn Hector, Christopher Henry, Rebecca Mince, Cody Oliver, Ryan Reed, Calvin Stansel, Cade Williamson-Webber.

Second Grade: Jenna Bryan, Sergio Calixto, Shae Carroll, Lane Gammons, Itzel Gomez, Joanna Gonzales, Aaron Gonzales,

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Third Grade: Guadalupe Abrego, Kali Anderson, Macy Bailey, Sean Boren, Mikel Bridge, Adalberto Calixto, Milton Castillo, Judson Chevalier, Mitch Cornutt, K'leigh Fowler, Donovan Grissom, Raymundo Gutierrez, Mark Gutierrez, Kirk Hahn, Chance Hart, Bianca Mancha, Jordan Martin, Kourtney McAdams, Jacob Owens, Joshua Paniagua, Jennifer Pittman, Regan Rainey, Hilary Rodriguez, Carlos Rodriguez, Lauren Ruiz, Lisa Salazar, Charles Willard, Linzee Yarbar.

Fourth Grade: Devin Adamson, Isaac Arguello, Tia Bailey, Damian Bailey, Amber Barber, Steven Boren, Harrison Chevalier, Kyla Clark, Crista Coker, Canyon Daniels, Albert Daylong, Melanie Gutierrez, Aricka Hart, Kayla Holleman, Paige Jackson, Lewis Jetton, Taylor Johnson, Kelly Lee, Amber McKusick, Jovi Paniagua, Karrie Patterson, Brendan Payte, Jason Pitts, Ashlie Richter, Oscar Rodriguez, Lauren Sloan, William Smith, Asa Wheeler.

Fifth Grade: Kristal Barber, Crystal Beck, Linsey Chavez, Ashley Hodnett, Amy Holleman, Madeleine Hopkins, Colter Morgan, Lani Mow, Regan New, Bobby Payne, Christie Rich, William Richardson, Regan Rupard, Kaleigh Sevey, Heather Sheppard, Steven Stiller, Logan Stone, Rachel Wheeler.

Sixth Grade: Kayla Brownfield, Justin Cline, Courtney Dees, Jason Gonzales, Kayla Hankins, Kayla Hogan, Jacquelyn Hopkins, Kaitlin Jones, Miguel Juarez, Blaine Kerby, Katelin Lyons, Nathan Maddox, Ami Martinez, Jacob McCain, Collin McMillan, Jessica Pittman, Taylor Rainey, Ariel Rawls, Shilo Rawls, Domingo Rodriguez, Trevor Sheppard, Channa Smith, Dakota Teaff, Brianna Thurman, Elisha Townesend, Edward

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Ninth Grade: Trevor Bibb.

10th Grade: James Barton, Lauren Green, Jeremy Hart.

11th Grade: Jamie Corse, Cody Hogan, Jacob Jones.

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Actor Martin Sheen pleads guilty in anti-missile protest

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Martin Sheen pleaded guilty Wednesday and was sentenced to three years probation for trespassing at an Air Force base during a protest against the United States building a missile defense system.

"If we went to trial and lost, I would have no problem (going to jail)," Sheen said. "But the 'West Wing' (producers) might have a problem with it."

Sheen, who has another year on his contract playing the U.S. president on the NBC drama, said his attorney advised him to enter the plea to a misdemeanor federal trespassing charge.

Under the plea deal, the judge also fined Sheen \$500. He could have been sentenced to six months in jail and fined \$5,000.

Sheen asked to donate the fine to charity.

"The U.S. government takes enough of my money," he said.

The judge denied the request. The actor was among 22 demonstrators arraigned after the Oct. 7 protest at Vandenberg Air Force Base. The remaining defendants pleaded innocent and face trial in December.

Outside the courthouse, Sheen said he still opposes the space-based missile defense system.

"I can't think of a worse thing to inflict on the universe than nuclear weapons in outer space and all of them pointed to the Earth," he said.

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The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ***** Seek out others with your customary efficiency. You could be surprised by the direction of a key project. Speak your mind, and discuss what you want. Your highly convincing style attracts others. Take time for a one-on-one discussion. Tonight: Dinner for two.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ***** You clear out more work than anticipated, and you surprise others. Expenses continue to mount. Devise new ways of making money or better ways of saving money. Network and return calls in the afternoon. Others will respond to your requests. Tonight: Among the throngs of people.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ***** Your imagination might have a difficult time staying in the here and now. Reach out for someone at a distance. Ask for more of what you need from this person. You have good luck. Try to funnel some energy into your work. Tonight: Join your co-workers.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) *** Stay centered, even though you might get confused when dealing with an unusually scattered associate. Your instincts provide you with information. Dig into your well of creativity when dealing with a child or loved one. Add more spirit to a relationship. Tonight: Kick back and enjoy.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) **** Reach out for someone. Discussions reveal a great deal of vision on another's part. Honor a long-term goal, as it almost seems possible right now. Don't lose your drive when you are this close to the finish line. Touch base with family about plans. Tonight: Stay close to home.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) **** You benefit from a sudden change at work. Others might not always be as dependable as you are. A boss or associate lets you know how worthwhile you are. Perhaps now is the time to ask for that pay raise. You could be unusually nervous. Tonight: Out

at a favorite haunt.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ***** Your smile wins friends and brings many new options in your direction. The world is your oyster, should you choose to leap and risk. A lucky hunch brings smiles as well as success. Affirm a financial matter. Confirm weekend plans before racing off. Tonight: Your treat.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ***** Mellow out some and see what others suggest. By not making a move or declaring your position, you'll ultimately gain. Others are only too happy to please you, especially that special someone in your life. Use a late-day second wind for fun rather than for work. Tonight: Let your charisma speak.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) *** Make waves early on if you know the kind of impact you desire. Someone demonstrates caring in a way that means a lot to you. Don't start planning the wedding yet! Do some thinking in the next few days when feelings mount. Tonight: Play it low-key.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ***** Take charge and resolve key issues during the morning and early afternoon. Take an extended lunch break with co-workers. By creating a better work atmosphere, everyone gains. Don't waste your unusual energy. Clear your desk off quickly. Tonight: Head to where your friends are.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ***** Spread good news that surprises even you! Others might be delighted, but they don't have the same vision. You might need to be more specific with a friend or associate. Let your creativity flow into different areas of your life, including making unusual weekend plans. Tonight: Others follow your lead.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ***** Deal with others on a one-on-one level if you want to make your point. Otherwise, their attentions might not be so focused. You can choose your words for each individual. Family supports you in an important change. Detach from the immediate. Tonight: Head out the door.

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Exercising in water allows for more comfortable movement

Did you know that you weigh 50 to 90 percent less in water than on land? So this means that when I'm in the pool I weigh — well never mind. Anyway, summertime is always the season for water sports and activities, but why not make it a year-round fitness program? Water aerobics has traditionally been (at least from



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my experience) an exercise program for seniors, but it is also beneficial for people of all ages. According to the American Council on Exercise (ACE), water exercise is one of the fastest growing trends in physical fitness. In fact, a study done by Kraft Foods estimates that more than 16 million Americans include swimming or water exercises as part of their fitness regimen. For people who have arthritis or have suffered joint injuries of some sort, water exercise could be just the ticket.

Speaking from my own point of view, dry land activities, such as walking, jogging, aerobics and weight lifting can be traumatic to the skeletal system, resulting in joint pain and injury. Exercising in water allows for more comfortable movement, greater range of motion and more flexibility. "People can do so much more in the water than they can on land. Water-buoyancy nets big benefits, with water's cushioning effect protecting the body from stress injuries," said Dr. James Rippe, a leading joint health researcher.

Because you weigh less in water, the burden on joints in the hips, knees and back are greatly decreased and body temperature is better regulated which prevents overheating. Researchers offer these tips for those interested in beginning a water exercise program: • Stretch — This is a great way to warm up before any exercise and those stretches you may have had a hard time doing on land will probably be much easier in the water. • Turn up the heat — Water temperature should be about 82-88 degrees Fahrenheit in order to

maintain comfort, optimize conditioning and keep joints warm and limber. • Swim smarts — Of course, it would be great if you knew how to swim and how to perform CPR, but this is not necessary if you stay where you can touch bottom and can reach the side of the pool. • Resistance workout — While working out in the water, keep in mind that the deeper the water, the less stress your body will experience, which means less stress on your joints. To get maximum calorie burn, walk, jog or jump with enough speed to feel the water's resistance work

against your body without putting excessive pressure on your joints. • To much of a good thing — The old mantra no pain, no gain is not a good thing to live by. Pain is the body's way of telling you that something is wrong or that you have sustained an injury. If you have pain after two hours following the workout this means you have overdone it and should do less at your next workout. You can do this by decreasing the number of repetitions you do and by resting for about 20 seconds after 10 seconds of moderate to intense exercise.

READER'S CORNER

Butterfly

Today I watched a butterfly flying so gracefully in the blue sky her bright colors were truly beautiful

And just for a moment I longed to be as free as the beautiful butterfly flying so free but that thought was quickly replaced

As I saw a bird scoop up the beautiful butterfly and make a quick meal of her

In my longing to be free of my burdens I thought I would like to be free as the beautiful butterfly

But in truth we all have burdens to carry even the beautiful butterfly who wasn't so free after

all... —Lana F. Anguiano

His Mercy Ever New
The mockingbirds were singing
Before the rain began,
They were singing still sweeter
Before the rain did end.

There upon the highline
Strung through the tree,
The mockingbirds enjoyed a bath
And sang with the greatest glee.

I stood there in wonder
Raindrops falling on my hair.
God gave the earth a bath
And freshened up the summer air.

A gentle breeze soon followed
Like a fan in God's hand,
To dry the glistening raindrops
That had blessed the air,
The earth and man.

Oh my soul was raptured
At His mercy ever new.
Every single thing He does is
To bless and teach me
and you

—Martha Anderson Peugh

The Other Shore
On this side of the sea,
I stand upon the shore.
And though I cannot see it,
I know there is more.
When my life is over,
And I go through death's door,
I'll be across this sea,
And alive upon the other shore.

Now I am living,
By God's breath it is so.
Life continues on the other shore.
By His spirit you must know.
When life and death embrace,
It is not the end.
On this shore, I live now,
And I'll live more abundant then.

It's a different place, and
Things are done differently.
A place of no sorrow,
Where our spirit's fully free.
Though we cannot see it,
We will live forever more.
As surely as I live now,
I'll be living on the other shore.

—Martha Anderson Peugh

The Presence
I want to smell the flowers
And walk in the rain.
I want to watch the sun rise,
And hear the mocking bird sing.
Today my name could be called
And I'll be pleased to go,
Now I can the Master's hand
In His bounty here below.

Every sunset is different
Each one is special to me,
There's so many hues and colors
That pleasure the eyes
and heart to see.
I want to run with the wind
As it races through the leaves,
And sit in the cool shade
to be
Kissed by the evening breeze.

I marvel at a summer storm
In awe I'm led to pray.
What a lesson in the power of Lightening and thunder as they play.
I want to know the presence

Of God in this land.
I want to travel safely
Led by Jesus' own hand.

Of the many things God made
To pleasure you and me!
And He gave them to us freely
If we're willing to see.
They teach us of The Father,
The Maker of this land,
So we can know the presence
Of God on every hand.
—Martha Anderson Peugh

Blossoms for Sarah
Sarah loved blossoms
from the old apple tree
planted by Johnny,
her husband to be

Blossoms for Sarah
my sweet bride to be
I'll pick you some blossoms
for your wedding bouquet

It was early in spring time
when the apple trees bloom
they planned to be married,
planned their honeymoon.

But the angel of death came to her in the night
and they buried sweet Sarah
in her wedding gown white.

Blossoms for Sarah
on her wedding day
he picked apple blossoms
to cover her grave.

John stood there a weeping
then he said, "I must go"
and gather some apples
and the seed I will sow

The seeds will all flourish
and soon make a tree
from the tree comes the blossoms
for Sarah and me

Many years later,
he came back to see,
her grave was all shaded
from an old apple tree
The tree was in blossom
such beauty to see,
the tree that was planted
by her husband to be.

Blossoms for Sarah
in his arms you could see,
sweet apple blossoms
from John Appleseed.
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Rose Maj volleyball

The Rose Volleyball held July Gym. The camp to second grade high school. Fees for graders is \$70 for graders and school athletes. Sessions will be 9 a.m., which grades 2-5 from 2 p.m. school camp from 6 p.m. Game starts as fund raising volleyball stressed. Registrations mailed to 12711 Rebeck 79720. For more call Pierce 264-3662.

Black Golf set for Jul

The Big Gold Tennis has been July 13-15 a Tennis Comanche 1. Play will in boys and doubles and singles in five. Fees will event, \$20 for three. Entries received on July 6. For more call Wendy 5485.

YMCA swim seeks con

The Big 5 Swim Team competing in meets. Practice held Monday Thursday. To be eligible, young people must be able to compete in the YMCA pool. For more call the YMCA.

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There will tournament the Big S School senior Friday and Saturday. The entry fee team. For more contact Britt 267-1011.

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IN BRIEF

Rose Magers-Powell volleyball camp set

The Rose Magers-Powell Volleyball Camp will be held July 16-18 at Steer Gym.

The camp which is open to second graders through high school seniors.

Fees for second to fifth graders is \$55, it will be \$70 for sixth to eighth graders and \$95 for high school athletes.

Sessions for grades 6-8 will be 9 a.m. until 12:30 p.m., while those in grades 2-5 will attend from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. High school campers will work from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Game strategy, as well as fundamentals of playing volleyball will be stressed.

Registration fees may be mailed to Traci Pierce at 2711 Rebecca, Big Spring 79720.

For more information, call Pierce at 267-4047 or 264-3662.

Black Gold tourney set for July 13-15

The Big Spring Black Gold Tennis Tournament has been scheduled for July 13-15 at the Figure 7 Tennis Center in Comanche Trail Park.

Play will be conducted in boys and girls singles, doubles and mixed doubles in five age divisions.

Fees will be \$15 for one event, \$20 for two and \$25 for three.

Entries must be received no later than July 6.

For more information, call Wendy Justiss at 639-5485.

YMCA swim team seeks competitors

The Big Spring YMCA Swim Team is currently competing in long course meets.

Practice sessions are held Monday through Thursday mornings.

To be eligible to compete, youngsters must be able to complete a lap of the YMCA pool.

For more information, call the YMCA at 267-8234.

Annual Coahoma ragball tournament

There will be a ragball tournament Friday and Saturday, July 6-7, at the Coahoma Little League park.

For more information contact Rocky New at 394-4041.

Senior Class to hold ragball tournament

There will be a ragball tournament sponsored by the Big Spring High School senior class on Friday and Saturday, July 13-14.

The entry fee is \$100 per team.

For more information contact Brittany Bryant at 267-1011.

ACS still offering Texas Golf Pass

The American Cancer Society is again offering the Texas Golf Pass that entitles holders to more than 680 rounds of golf at 289 courses throughout the state.

The passes are \$35 each and proceeds from the program benefit the Cancer Society's research, education programs and patient services efforts.

Both the Big Spring Country Club and Comanche Trail Golf Course are participating.

For more information, call 1-800-ACS-2345.

ON THE AIR

Television

BASEBALL

6 p.m. — Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds, 6 p.m., FOX FAM, Ch. 6.

5:30 p.m. — New York Mets at Atlanta Braves, TBS, Ch. 11.

Rangers lose 4-2 as Molina leads Angels' rally

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Benjie Molina proved just how much the Anaheim Angels missed him while he was on the disabled list.

After missing nearly two months with a strained right hamstring, Molina returned to the Angels' lineup and hit a tiebreaking RBI single during a four-run rally in the eighth inning, tagged out a runner at home plate and guided left-hander Jarrod Washburn through eight solid innings as Anaheim beat the Texas Rangers 4-2 Wednesday night.

"You could see what we've been missing without Bengie," manager Mike Scioscia said. "That's not to take anything away from the guys who filled in for him — but as we saw last season and the beginning of this season, Bengie was really

emerging as a leader.

"He helped us with the bat and with the glove, and he did a great job with Jarrod. It was important that Jarrod wouldn't skip a beat despite changing catchers. We felt very confident that with Bengie back there, he would continue to keep Jarrod on the same path."

Washburn (6-4) won his fifth straight decision — in a span of nine starts — allowing two runs and seven hits. The left-hander struck out eight and walked four.

Washburn had received 51 runs of support in his other five victories, with no fewer than seven in any of them. So it must have felt strange for him to win a game in which his teammates were blanked for seven innings by Doug Davis.

"Davis pitched a great game, but I just had a feeling that we were going to get to him and catch up," Washburn said. "It looked like he got a little tired, got a few pitches up and made a couple of mistakes."

Davis (3-6) held the Angels to one hit over the first 6 1-3 innings and entered the eighth with a four-hitter. But Darin Erstad led off with an infield single and scored one out later when Anderson hit his 11th homer.

"It was a cut fastball away and I just left it up over the plate," Davis said. "It was a mistake. And when you do that against a good hitter, he's going to capitalize on it. I made one bad pitch, and I didn't get away with it."

Davis, who had allowed just one

homer in his previous eight starts, stranded four runners in scoring position before losing his shutout bid. He struck out three, walked five and was charged with three runs and six hits in 7 1-3 innings.

After Tim Salmon chased Davis with a double, reliever Pat Mahomes walked pinch-hitter Orlando Palmeiro. Molina, who had missed 46 games, followed with a single that made it 3-2 and pinch-hitter Scott Spiezio had a sacrifice fly.

"I wanted to be part of every single game — and not being able to was eating me alive," said Molina, who caught more games last season than any Angels catcher since

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Courtesy photo

The Big Spring Steers seven-on-seven football team celebrate after another tournament victory. They defeated Abilene Cooper 34-14 in the championship game, ending the tourney undefeated. Pictured in the back row are Mike Ornales, Jerrod Phillips, Tye Burger, Curtis Woodruff, Jordan Cobb, Jason Mathews, Dustyn Beauchamp and Eric Chavez. In the middle row from left are Josh Pedigo, Wesley Smith, Jarrod Boyd, Adam Solis and Brandon Mendoza. Next are Raul Garza and Clarence Wilkins with Mike Smith reclining in front.

Steers win 7-on-7 tourney, thumping Cooper in final

HERALD Staff Report

The Big Spring Steers won another seven-on-seven football tournament as they defeated Abilene Cooper 34-14 in the championship game Saturday at the Abilene Sports Complex.

The Steers went undefeated, winning all four games in the 32-team tournament. "We competed excellent in the tournament," Big Spring varsity football coach Dwight Butler said. "We came back after trailing 6-0 by scoring 21 unanswered points. They (Abilene Cooper) scored in the second half and we scored 13 unanswered points. All our scoring was by passes."

Steers quarterback Tye Butler passed for all five Big Spring touchdowns to five dif-

ferent receivers. "They surprised me, they would just turn it up when they had to," coach Butler said. "We've got some real good receivers."

The Steers crushed the Christoval team in the opener 54-20, went on to defeat the Munday Moguls 56-28 and edged Odessa High School in a close game 38-30 en route to a 4-0 mark.

Competing for the Steers were Mike Ornales, Jerrod Phillips, Burger, Curtis Woodruff, Jordan Cobb, Jason Mathews, Dustyn Beauchamp, Eric Chavez, Josh Pedigo, Wesley Smith, Jarrod Boyd, Adam Solis, Brandon Mendoza, Paul Garza, Clarence Wilkins and Mike Smith.

The team was coached during the tournament by Mark Choate, Randy Phillips and Phillip Smith.

College coaches lobby for betting ban

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two dozen college coaches and officials fanned out across Capitol Hill on Wednesday to urge Congress to approve a bill banning gambling on amateur sports.

Wagering on college sports "takes away from the very innocence of our game," Penn State basketball coach Jerry Dunn said.

Among those accompanying Dunn were Georgia State basketball coach Lefty Driesell, South Carolina football coach Lou Holtz and retired Michigan football coach Bo Schembechler. They wore buttons with the

words, "Don't bet on my game."

Wallace Renfro, director of public relations for the NCAA, said the coaches planned to meet with 65 members of the House and Senate. The NCAA paid for their trips to Washington.

The NCAA backs a bill that would outlaw wagering on college, high school and Olympic sports. Nevada allows wagering on professional and college sports but not on high school sports and the Olympics. No other state allows wagering on sports.

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., a sponsor of the bill,

admitted he was surprised when opponents almost killed the legislation in the Senate Commerce Committee last month.

The committee split 10-10 over whether to gut the bill. The tie vote meant the bill survived. But it also showed that bill opponents had made progress since last year, when all but two members of the committee supported a ban.

McCain and Sen. Sam Brownback, R-Kan., said they plan to force a floor vote on the bill by offering it as an amendment, but do not know when they will do so.

High school hoopsters dominate first round of NBA draft

NEW YORK (AP) — Already young and bad, the Chicago Bulls got younger and worse — at least for the short term.

In a stunning trade completed midway through the first round of the NBA draft, the Bulls sent their best player, Elton Brand, to the Los Angeles Clippers in exchange for the draft rights to 18-year-old center Tyson Chandler.

The Washington Wizards used the first pick on high school senior Kwame Brown of Glenn Academy in Brunswick, Ga., marking the first time an NBA team has selected a high school player No. 1 overall. FC Barcelona forward Pau Gasol went third to Atlanta, which will

send him to the Grizzlies as part of a yet-to-be-completed trade for Shareef Abdur-Rahim. No player from a foreign team had ever been drafted so high.

The Bulls also selected a high school player with the fourth pick, grabbing Eddy Curry of Thornwood H.S. in South Holland, Ill.

Curry and Chandler will make the Bulls even younger than they were last season when they had the greenest roster in league history.

"I don't remember starting two freshmen when I was a coach in college," Bulls coach Tim Floyd said. "I guess I'm going to get a chance in the NBA."

"We've gotten younger, and it's

going to be very difficult to replace Elton's 20 (points) and 10 (rebounds) immediately next year. We recognize this whole draft is based on potential and who these guys could become."

Indeed, this draft was all about the allure of potential.

Three of the first four players chosen were high school seniors, and the college player of the year — Duke's Shane Battier — wasn't taken until the Grizzlies picked him sixth — one spot after Golden State selected Michigan State guard Jason Richardson, a freshman.

In another trade, the New Jersey Nets sent the rights to Eddie Griffin, selected seventh overall, to

the Houston Rockets for the rights to their three first-round picks: Arizona forward Richard Jefferson (No. 13 overall), Stanford center Jason Collins (No. 18) and Pepperdine guard Brandon Armstrong (No. 23).

Also, Cleveland traded the rights to North Carolina center Brendan Hayward, the 20th overall pick, to Orlando for center Michael Doleac.

At first glance, the biggest winners of the night appeared to be the Clippers.

After taking Chandler with the No. 2 pick, they immediately traded him and forward Brian Skinner to

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FISHING REPORT

Here is the weekly fishing report as compiled for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for June 28. (Report also available on Web at www.tdfr.com.)

CENTRAL

BROWNWOOD: Water murky; 81 degrees; black bass to 8 pounds are good on white or chartreuse Rat-L-Traps and Carolina-rigged soft plastics in 15-20 feet. Striped bass to 6 pounds are good on striped jigs and white Rat-L-Traps in 15-25 feet. White bass are good on shad and jigs in 15-20 feet. Crappie to 10 inches are good on minnows and jigs in 10-20 feet. Channel and blue catfish are good on chicken livers, shad and nightcrawlers in 15-25 feet. Yellow catfish are slow on perch in 15-25 feet.

BUCHANAN: Water clear; 82 degrees; 10:17.94; black bass are fair slow rolling silver shad Terminator spinnerbaits, Devils Tongues on split-shot or drop-shot rigs and 4" chartreuse/pepper Disc Worms on 8-15 foot ledges in creeks and on brushpiles in 12 feet very early and late. Striped bass are slow to fair drifting live bait and vertically jigging 1 oz. Horizon Pink Minnows or Curba Stripper jigs through trees near the dam in 28-40 feet. White bass are fair on 1/4 oz. Rat-L-Traps, Ltd Fishie Shads and Horizon Pink Minnows off points in 18-25 feet. Crappie are fair on live minnows fished in brushpiles in 16 feet. Channel catfish are good on punch-bait, live bait, worms and minnows.

PROCTOR: Water murky; 78 degrees; 11:21.17; black bass are slow. Striped bass are slow trolling striped jigs, bass minnows and shad. Crappie are slow on minnows and jigs. Channel and blue catfish are slow on trotlines baited with perch and bass minnows. Yellow catfish are slow.

SOUTH

AMISTAD: Water fairly clear; 83 degrees; 38 low; black bass are fair to good on Carolina-rigged watermelon seed worms, deep diving crankbaits and spinnerbaits in 15-25 feet. Striped bass are fair on slabs and striped jigs early and late in 20-30 feet near the dam. White bass are fair on slabs and jigs way up the Rio Grande. Crappie are fair on live minnows above Rough Canyon. Channel and blue catfish are fair on cheesebait in 5-20 feet. Yellow catfish are fair on droplines and trotlines baited with live perch.

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ALAN HENRY: Water clear; 79 degrees; black bass are fair on Carolina-rigged 10" carno or blue fleck Power Worms. Crappie to 2 pounds are fair on minnows and jigs near the dock and on the main lake.

ARROWHEAD: Water stained; 4.5 low; 77 degrees; black bass are fair. Crappie are good on jigs and minnows in 18-20 feet around derricks, sand bars and fishing pier. White bass are good on minnows. Catfish are good on juglines or by rod along the dam.

BRADY: Water lightly stained; 76 degrees; black bass are fair on white spinnerbaits. Catfish are slow.

DOLORADO CITY: Water clear; 85 degrees; black bass are slow on spinnerbaits and purple or red soft plastic worms. Crappie are slow. White bass are fair on Rat L-Traps. Redfish are good on cut shad and Rat-L-Traps. Catfish are good on cheesebait in 5-10 feet.

FT. PHANTOM HILL: Water clear; 79 degrees; black bass are slow. Crappie are good on minnows in brushpiles in 14 feet. White bass are good on Silver Rat-L-Traps and shad. Blue catfish are good on stinkbait. Yellow catfish are good on goldfish and perch.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water lightly stained; 77 degrees; 12 low; black bass are good on Carolina-rigged watermelon or chartreuse french fries, spinnerbaits and shallow running crankbaits. Crappie are good in 15-20 feet on minnows and jigs. Catfish are fair. The concrete boat ramps are out of the water. A temporary ramp is open near the dam (turn at Wal-Mart and follow the paved/caliche road to the east side of the dam).

NASWORTHY: Water stained; 71 degrees; black bass are good on red shad soft plastics in the reeds. Crappie are good on minnows and jigs. White and striped bass are fair on minnows and shad. Catfish are fair. Lake is being dredged of 2-feet of silt (3 year project started summer 2000).

NOCONA: No report available.

OAK CREEK: Water lightly stained; 76 degrees; Water low-no boat ramps open; black bass to 7 pounds are good on topwaters along the bank early then on pumpkinseed Power Worms. Crappie are slow. Catfish are good on jug or trotlines baited with minnows.

OH. RIVER: Water lightly stained; 78 degrees; 15 low; black bass to 9 pounds are fair Carolina-rigged french fries and Power Worms. Crappie are fair. White bass are fair near grass beds around windy points. Smallmouth bass are slow. Catfish are good on jug or trotlines baited with minnows. The road to Concho Park is under construction.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water lightly stained; 80 degrees; 1.75 low; Fishing is slow but improving — algae bloom affected all species of fish throughout lake (restocking taking place). Black bass are very slow. Striped bass are slow. Catfish are slow.

SPENCE: Water lightly stained; 74 degrees; black bass are fair on topwaters early — then switching to white spinnerbaits. Crappie are fair on jigs and minnows. White bass are fair on slabs and minnows. Striped bass are slow. Catfish are slow on worms and minnows.

STAMFORD: Water clear; 76 degrees; black bass are fair on live bait, spinnerbaits and crankbaits. Crappie are good on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair on minnows. Blue catfish are good on shad, perch and punch bait near the hot water discharge.

SWEETWATER: Water clear; 75 degrees; 16.5 low; black bass to 7 pounds are good on minnows. Crappie are slow. White bass are fair. Blue catfish are good on shrimp and doughbait.

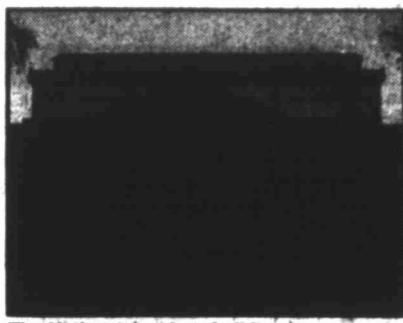
WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 78 degrees; 19 low; black bass to 9 pounds are fair on crawfish pattern crankbaits. Crappie are fair on minnows. Walleye are very slow. Catfish are fair on worms and shrimp.

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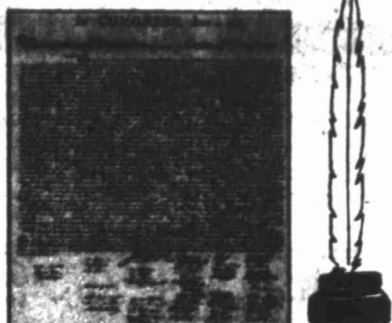
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Preserving for Now and Later

Our Charters of Freedom



The National Archives building in Washington, D.C. An archive is a place where important documents are preserved.



Of the three Charters of Freedom, the Declaration of Independence is in the worst shape. Some people say that we have loved it too much. Before coming to the National Archives, it had been displayed in places where it was damaged.

The visitors who go to view the Charters of Freedom on July Fourth will take a last look before these documents are taken off display for two years. The 86-year-old National Archives building is being renovated.

The big exhibit hall (the Rotunda) where they are displayed will be redone to make viewing much easier for the public. The documents themselves will be put into improved, more up-to-date display cases.

All three documents are on parchment, or animal skin soaked in lime water and softened to remove hair. It is then stretched, scraped and dried under tension to make a smooth surface.

Our government keeps our country's birth certificate, the Declaration of Independence, in a very safe place.

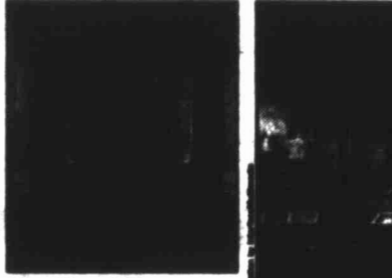
Along with many other important documents, or official papers, it is kept at the National Archives, a big building in Washington, D.C.

The Declaration of Independence is one of three documents, or official papers, that we call our Charters of Freedom.

- The Declaration of Independence
- The Constitution
- The Bill of Rights



Like most families, yours probably keeps your birth certificate and other important papers in a very safe place.

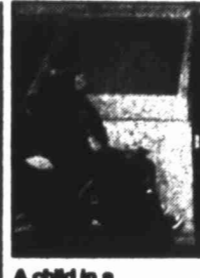


The old way of displaying the Charters of Freedom, pages 1 and 4 of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights were all displayed in a case in the exhibit hall. Visitors used to have to walk up stairs to see them. A ramp was added for those in wheelchairs.



The new way of displaying: In 2003, the Charters will be displayed as shown in this computer-made view.

1. The Declaration of Independence
2. All four pages of the Constitution
3. The Bill of Rights



A child in a wheelchair tries out a mockup, or specially built trial display case, to make certain handicapped visitors can easily view the documents. Experts are working to make the visit to the National Archives more pleasant. There will be a new bookstore and visitor waiting area.

The Mini Page thanks Rick Blundo, Lee Ann Potoc, Margaret Kelly and Catherine Nicholson of the National Archives staff for their help with this issue.

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Supersport: Mike Mussina

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College: Stanford

Mike Mussina is in his first year as a pitcher for the New York Yankees. Before that he spent 10 years with the Baltimore Orioles.

Last year he had an earned-run average of 3.79, third best of his career. His 210 strikeouts were also the third best of his career.

He has played in several All-Star games. In college he helped his team finish third best in the nation. Mike was born in Williamsport, Pa., and now lives in Montoursville, Pa. In high school he played baseball and football.

He likes "Star Trek," crossword puzzles and Stephen King books. He studied economics in college.

Meet Dolly Parton

Dolly Parton has been making hit records most of her life. Now 55, she began performing at 11 and has released 12 albums in her career.

She grew up in Tennessee, the fourth of 12 children. The family would play music and sing at the church where their grandfather was the preacher. Her uncle realized her talent and got her started by singing at local radio stations.

Among the instruments Dolly plays are the banjo, autoharp, piano and guitar.

Besides singing, she has worked as an actress. She also owns Dollywood, a theme park in Tennessee.

She still lives in Tennessee with her husband, Carl, who owns an asphalt-paving company.

MIGHTY FUNNY'S Mini Jokes

The following jokes all have something in common. Can you guess what the common theme or category is?

Winston: Why are judges and tennis players alike?
Kia: Both work the courts!

Stan: What kind of foot do you have when it is hit with a golf club?
Zev: A swollen one!

Captain: Why didn't you stop the ball?
Goalie: I thought that's what the nets were for!

Our Charters of Freedom TRY 'N FIND

Words that remind us of the Declaration of Independence are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward or diagonally. See if you can find: DECLARATION, PARLIAMENT, INDEPENDENCE, CONSTITUTION, BILL, RIGHTS, SIGNERS, DOCUMENT, INK, QUILT, LAWS, ARCHIVES, DELEGATES, JULY, WRITE.

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Mini Spy ...

Mini Spy and her friends are watching the fireworks on the Fourth of July. See if you can find:

- safety pin
- puppy face
- number 3
- peanut
- flyswatter
- letter E
- coffee pot
- key
- word MINI
- letter A
- snailboat
- heart
- funny face

A Kid's Guide to the Charters of Freedom

The Declaration (1776)
The committee that drafted the Declaration of Independence presented it to John Hancock. He was the first to sign it.

John Hancock

Thomas Jefferson was on the committee to draft the Declaration. He wrote most of it.

• The Declaration is a document, or official paper, in which delegates risk their lives and fortunes to declare to the world their independence from England and their plans to found a new nation.

• It was adopted by the Second Continental Congress on July 4, 1776.

• It was signed by 50 members of Congress on Aug. 2. Six more members signed later, making the total number of signers 56. It has 1,458 words, including the signatures.

The Constitution (1787)
George Washington was president of the convention that wrote the Constitution. He was the first to sign it.

George Washington

James Madison of Virginia is called the father of the Constitution. He played a leading role and kept detailed notes. Later, he also played a leading role in getting the Bill of Rights added.

• The Constitution is a document in which delegates from 12 of the original 13 states set down the laws of the land. It has served as a model for countries around the world. It has 4,543 words, including the signatures. It has four sheets.

• It was adopted by delegates from 12 states on Sept. 17, 1787. The state of Rhode Island did not send any delegates.

• It was embossed and signed by 39 delegates on Sept. 17, 1787.

The Bill of Rights (1791)
The Bill of Rights was introduced to the first Congress to meet after the signing of the Constitution. Congress met in Federal Hall in New York City. John Adams, who was vice president, was one of the three signers.

John Adams

George Mason of Virginia wrote the Virginia Declaration of Rights. Many of his ideas influenced the Bill of Rights.

Some of the delegates who wrote the Constitution in 1787 felt that more rights should be added. The 10 amendments, or additions, are known as the Bill of Rights.

Twelve amendments to the Constitution were sent to the states for their approval in 1789. This version had 865 words, including the signatures.

Two years later, on Dec. 15, 1791, enough states had approved 10 of the amendments so the Bill of Rights went into effect. It is only one sheet.

From the First Amendment
"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, or abridging (stopping) the freedom of speech or of the press."

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GARAGE SALES

Big Spring State Hospital Surplus & Consignment has been cancelled for the month of July. The sale will be on an "as needed" basis from now on. The next sale will be August 1st.

1708 Yale. Sat. 8-7 Hooded oven, bicycle, dishwasher, weight bench, clothes, misc.

2 Family Garage Sale. Sat. 7-2. 513 Tubb Loop Rd., 1.3 miles East of refinery on N. Service Rd. Furn., tools, clothes, hoist, misc.

3 Family Garage Sale. Sat. 9:00am. 4005 Connally. Furn., appliances, baby stuff, clothes & lot's more.

504 Dallas Fri. 8-12. DVD player, recliner, 3 CD stereo, clothes, Kiss figures, misc.

Garage Sale. 912 East 12th. Sat. 8-4. Bathroom sink, small tool box, clothes, misc. items.

Garage Sale. Fri. 1-4pm Sat. 7-3pm. 806 Kent Ave. across from Moss Elementary.

Moving Sale. Saturday, 8-4. 2704 Crestline. A little bit of everything!

Neighborhood Garage Sale. 2200 Edgemore off 24th in Kentwood Sat. 8:00. Queen size water bed w/12 drawers, vacuum cleaner, shock vacuum, kids clothes, jeans, and lot's of misc.

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Lives of the elderly are not always what they seem

Dear Ann Landers: My 93-year-old neighbor died last week. While living to the ripe old age of 93 is quite an accomplishment, his last years were anything but pleasant. He had been to the hospital numerous times for fractured bones.

He claimed he fell. The truth was, he had been beaten. His home had become a haven for drug dealers, prostitutes and career criminals.

I live in an upscale neighborhood in an affluent retirement community. This elderly neighbor allowed a young prostitute to move in with him. He said she was his "niece." The woman looked like a tramp and entertained an assortment of weird characters. Several people in the neighborhood tried talking to him, but he said everything was fine. When he was beaten last month, we called the police, but the man refused to file charges.

This man had two sons who lived a few hours away. When their father died, they were shocked by what had happened to him. They were not aware of the beatings, and were stunned when they learned their father had given nearly \$200,000 to his "niece." We would have been happy to keep the sons informed, but we had no way of getting in touch with them.

Ann, please tell your readers with elderly parents to make sure at least three neighbors have their phone number. Ask their parents' banker to notify you if

there are any large withdrawals or unusual activity in their bank accounts. If something seems peculiar, investigate, and if necessary, contact an Elder Abuse Care or Family Protective Services organization for help.

Our old neighbor signed away the title to his house to this "niece," and now, we have to worry about a nasty legal fight and the possibility that she will open our lovely neighborhood to more of her slimeball friends. Tell your readers to take a more active role in their parents' lives. - John in Florida

Dear Florida: They say "a word to the wise is sufficient," but I believe the truly wise don't depend on neighbors to watch out for their elderly parents. They phone and visit often enough to know what is going on.

I hope you readers who have elderly parents will pay attention to what you read here today. If you don't, you will regret it.

Do you have questions about sex, but no one to talk to? Ann Landers' booklet, "Sex and the Teenager," is frank and to the point. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.75 (this includes postage and handling) to: Teens, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$4.55.) To find out more about Ann Landers and read her past columns, visit the Creators Syndicate web page at www.creators.com.

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For Rent 3 br den carpeted, 1 bath no pets. 3215 Cornell 263-6878

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