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## BSISD shopping for teachers

By STEVE REAGAN Staff Writer
Parents aren't the only ones doing some last-minute shopping in year. Big Spring school district offiar. Be Spring school district offior teachers that is - shopping or teachers, that is. Personnel matters highlighted a Independent School District board of trustees Monday night at the high school.
Every year as the school year
approaches, there are invariably
 Vilarreal year, it gets harder and who fit our needs, because there's fewer of them out there of course," Villarreal said. "So we make a lot of phone calls and cull through our applications."
Resignations accepted by trustees mast-minute per- during Monday's meeting included sonnel vacancies that Marcy Elementary teacher Debbie need to be filed, making
Assistant
Superinten- Hall, BSHS physics/chemistry dent Rey Villarreal the teacher Ramsaroop Ramkhelawan, busiest man at BSISD. Goliad teacher Linda Heidelberg, When you get this high school vocational ag teacher Robin Senter and junior high counselors Jackie Swinney and Christa Tucker.
Hirings approved by the board Erwin, junior high counselor Erwin, junior high counselor
Sheila Hall, high school teacher See BSISD, Page 3

David Coslow, and employee with a local contractor, replaces a conventional water meter with a new AMR (Automated Meter Reading) unlt. Once operational, the unlt will allow clty officlals to gather more accurate water readings simply by driving by and collecting the information wirelessly.

## Water meter replacement going smoothly, officials say

By THOMAS JENKINS
Staff Writer
With more than 400 water meters already replaced with AMR (automated meter reading) units, the city of Big Spring is expected to
billing zone Aug. 9 .
"The replag. 9 . tor for the city of Big Spring going very smoothly, and we're trial run during training, from before we begin training on how to before we begin training on how to See METERS, Page 3

## Five earn all-state journalism staff status

By STEVE REAGAN


Five Big Spring High
School students were recently named to the University Interscholastic
League All-State
Nathan Booth Alyssa

Rains and Taylor Parks, who will all be seniors this school year, were joined by junior Michelle
McMurtrey and sophoMcMurtrey and sopho-
more James Bowen as more James Bowen as
BSHS' representatives on BSHS representat
the all-state staff. the all-state staff Leland Mallett, journa

ism instructor academic competition at BSHS, said this past school year, plus the students the ratings given
were nominat- school publications. ed for all-state All five of Mallet c ed for all-state
honors based fine of Mallett s
nominations made the allon the number
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## state staff.

See ALL-StATE, Page 3

The announcement that Cuba's communist leader, Fidel Castro, had undergone surgery for intestinal bleeding sald he had transferred power o his brother Raul, spurring crowds of South Florida's Cuban-American community of about 650,000 to take to the treets waving Cuban flags late Monday and into early Tuesday mornIng, celebrating Castro's iliness and possible demise.

## Political earthquake

Cubans in Florida cheer news that Fidel Castro temporarily relinquishes power By ADRIAN SAINZ $\qquad$ tion was hope," said
Armando Tellez, who sat Associated Press Writer HIALEAH, Fla. - When Gladys Mors truck watching as hunthat Fidel Castro had tem- dreds of cars clogged the porarily given up power, is a singular event in
she woke her



## Ricketts open house

Dr. Robert Ricketts, Ph.D., Democratic candidate for the District 19 congressional seat, will meet with area voters from 5:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. tonight at 300 Washing-
ton Blvd. in a special meet-the-candidate ton Blvo. in a
open house.

## open house.

Ricketts will face District 19 incumbent Randy Neugebauer and Libertarian Fred Jones in the November general election. Rickettes is the former director of accounting programs and holds an endowed chair in taxation af Texas Tech University, where he has taught since 1988. He is a CPA, certified in the state of ters' and Ph.D. degrees in accounting.

Glider festival coming
The Hangar 25 Air Museum will hold its first Big Spring Hang Gliding and Flight Festival Saturday, Aug. 12, on the Hangar apron in the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark. The festival will inchide limited plane rides from the U.S. Flight Academy, game booths, classic cars and plenty of vendors.
Several contest events are also planned, including a pet and owner look alike contest, peanut spitting contest, singers and dancers, horseshoes, washer pitching and much more. The festival will feature a garage sale, with booth space available for
$\$ 25$. Deadline to sign up has been extend25. Deadine to sign up has been extend-
ed to Friday. For more information, contact Hangar 25 at 264-1999.

FISD board to meet
FORSAN - Forsan school trustees will adopt a proposed tax rate for the comin school year when they hold a special
board meeting at 7 p.m. today in the administration building board room. Trustees are expected to adopt a tax rate of about $\$ 1.49$ - $\$ 1.37$ in maintenance and operations and 12 cents decrease of about 17 cents from the pre vious year, Superintendent Randy Johnson said.
Also tonight,
Also tonight, trustees will consider: - 2006-07 saláry schedules. - Goal setting for the new school year.

## Obituaries

William H. (Bill) Toerck

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2William H. (Bill) Toerck, 93, of Big Spring, died Monday, July 31, 2006, in a services will be held at 1 p.m Wednesday, Aug. 2, 2006, at Mt. Olive Memorial Park with Rev. R.T. Havener pastor of the Firs
He was born Lec. 30, 1912, in Wilson County. Bill married Polly Grandstaf ed him in death on Aug. 19, 1972. He later married Mary Ann Love on Dec. 21, 1983, in Big Spring. Mr. Toerck had lived in the community since 1936
He served in the United States Army Air Corps during He served in the United States Army Air Corps during many years until his retirement. He was a member of First Assembly of God Church where he served as a deacon.
Survivors include his wife, Mary Ann Toerck of Big Spring; three step daughters, Henrietta Chapman of Caldwell and husband Don of Big Spring; one step son, Warren E. Moore and wife Pauline of Surprize, Ariz., a sister, Edna Higgons of Seagoville; and a niece and her spo
He was also preceded in death by his parents, E.H and Mary Lee Toerck; four sisters, Mattie arah
Hobbs, Ida Mae Noce, Lillie Gregory and Grace Grandstaff; and two brothers, John Alton Toerck and Sylvester Toerck
The family suggests memorials be made to the Firs Spring 79720 .
Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle \& Welch Funeral Home \& Crematory of Big Spring Online condolen
www.npwelch.com

Kitty Andrews

## Severa "Tia Sarah" Roman

 Severa "Tia Sarah" Roman, 73, of Big Spring, died Sunday, July 30, 2006, at her residence. A rosary will be held
Wednesday, Aug. 2, 2006, at 7 p.m. at the Nednesday, Aug. 2, 2006, at 7 p.m. at the
Nalley-Pickle Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 3, 2006, at the
St. Thomas Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Mount Olive Memorial
She was born May 4, 1933, in Big Spring. Severa was a lifelong resident of Big Spring Survivors include a sister, Sulema Delgado of Bi Spring; four nephews and one niece who she loved as her own.
She was preceded in death by her parents.
Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle \& Welch Funeral Home \& Crematory of Big Spring Online condolences can be made at

Margaret Jean Becker Atwell
 Margaret Jean Becker Atwell, 73, of Big Spring, died Sunday, July 30, 2006,
at her residence. Graveside funeral serat her residence. Graveside funeral ser-
vices will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 3, 2006, at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel with Dr. Randy Cotton pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, offici-
ating. She was born Sept. 28, 1932, in Belen, 1936 with her family where she grew up and was a lifelong resident of the community. She was Survivors include a daptist Church.
Survivors include a daughter, Janet Harrington of
Niederwald; three grandchildren; a brother George iederwald; three grandchildren; a brother, George
Becker of Snyder; and two sisters, Mabel Chute of Bi Spring, and Vada Pittman of Sanger, Calif.
She was preceded in death by a daughter, Shirley Atwell; a grandson; her parents, Albert and Mattie Becker; six brothers and three sisters.
The family suggest memorials be made to the Society, c/o Lucy Bonner, PO Box 2121, Big Spring 79721.
Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle \& Welch Funerat Home \& Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com
Glénn Dower
 Glenn Dower, 83, of Big Spring, died Sunday, July 30, 2006, at his residence Graveside funeral services will be held
at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug 2,2006 at the at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 2, 2006, at the
Peace Chapel at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Steven King, pastor of Birdwell Lane Baptist Church, officiatBird.
ing.
He
and married Oleta Wilsen, in Electra and married Oleta Wils
erved in the United States Army during exas and New Me worked in the oil fields in the West in 1966 from Snyder. He retired in 1985 from Small ishing and Rental Tool. He attended Birdwell Lane Baptist Church.
Survivors include his wife, Oleta Dower of Big Spring; a son, Kenneth Dower of Big Spring; a daugh Snyder; eight grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren Snyder; eight grandchildren; 10 gre
and three great great grandchildren.
He was preceded in death by a son, Allen Wayne Dower; and a brother, Shirley Wayne Dower.
Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle \& Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle \&
Welch Funeral Home \& Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com

## Take Note

- CHRIST COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP IS COLLECTING INFANT CAR SEATS AND CARRIERS them.
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## Police blotter

## The Big Spring Police Department reported the fol-

lowing activity between 7 a.m. Monday and 7 a.m.
today: ${ }^{-1}$. arrested Monday on a Howard County warrant for
${ }^{\text {J JOSt. }}$ JOSHUA ANTHONY YANEZ, 18 , of 1002 N. Main Street, was arrested Monday on a charge of no driver's license.

- SUSIE LEDESMA, 21, of 501 N.E. Eighth Street, was arrested Monday on a charge of theft. 501 N.E. Eighth Street, was arrested Monday on a charge of Eight
theft.
$-\mathbf{C R}$
- CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported:
in the 1100 block of Sixth Street.
BURGLARY OF A HABITATION was reported in the 4200 block of Birch.


## Sheriff's report

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the folowing activity

- MARCUS LAMON COLE, 19, was transferred to the county jail Monday by the BSPD on a Howard - FABIAN RI

FABIAN RIOS, 32, was arrested Monday by the HCSO on a parole violation. the 400 block of College.

- ANIMAL CRUELTY was reported in the 3100 block of South Anderson Road


## Fire/EMS

The Big Spring Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services reported the following activity - MEDICAL was reported in the 1700 block - MEDICAL was reported in the 1500 block of Princeton. One person was transported to SMMC. - TRAUMA was reported in the 400 block of hwest First Street. Service was refused. jublCAL was reported in the 3600 block of Lajunta. One person was transported to SMMC Virginia. One person was transported to SMMC. - MEDICAL was reported in the 2300 block of Scurry. One person was transported to SMMC. - MEDICAL was reported in the 700 block of West Eighth Street. One person was transported to SMMC. Northeast Eighth Street. One person was transported - DMMC. of Parkway.

## Weather

Tonight...Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 70s. South winds 10 to 15 mph .

## Lottery

## Res

Numing numbers drawn: 15-16-18-24. Bonus Ball: 34 . Number matching four of four, plus Bonus Ball:
Estimated jackpot for Thursday night drawing: $\$ 450,000$.

Results of the Cash 5 drawing Monday night: Winning numbers drawn: $3-10-22-23-34$.
Number matching five of five: none. Number matching five of five: none.

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday night the Texas Lottery in order: 4-0.8

A Gold Mine in Bedroom Drawers $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Newswire: People are selling thcir old } & \begin{array}{l}\text { broken and outdated items like } \\ \text { scrap gold that is gathering dust for } \\ \text { chains, charms, rings and more. }\end{array}\end{array}$ its cash value because gold prices "Everyone has bits of gold just lying
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| It's me, honest! <br> WESTLAKE, Ohio (AP) - A bar waitress checking to see if a customer was legally old enough to drink looked down to see a familiar photo. <br> It was her own. <br> The 22 -year-old waitress, whose name was not released called police last week and said she had been handed her own stolen driver's license by a woman trying to prove she was 21. | Turner said Monday. <br> Detective mom <br> NORCO, Calif. (AP) - The teenagers who toilet-papered Katja Base's home may now be regretting it. <br> Base, a mother of six, was unwilling to let the teens get away with it, saying she began trying to track them down to teach her kids about accountability. <br> Base awoke one February |
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| The woman, who became susress went to call police, fled the Moosehead Saloon, but her com panion provided her name. | morning to find her front lawn aged landscaping, broken light fixtures and ruined finishes on two cars. Dog food and flour |
| Maria Bergan, ${ }^{23}$, of | covered the law |
|  | Realizing the sheriff's de |
| night with identity theft and | ment ha |
| ceiving stolen property. She | than track down |
| s arrested at her home in | pranksters, Base decided to |
| suburban Creveland. The waitress said she had lost | some detective |
| wallet July 9 at a bar in | managers to tally daily toilet. |
| ewood. | paper buys for the |
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At 7:30 p.m. Feb. 17, someone to help curb excess drinking.
bought 144 rolls of toilet paper
Aought 144 rolls of toilet paper, $A$ yellow card is shown to
bers. cheese, dog food, flour and plas- jmbibers who may be heading tic forks - the same items toward trouble during a night at
found on her lawn and house. It the pub, while a red card was a cash transaction, making the pub, while a red card
removes them from the bar. it difficult to trace, but the store said Hospitality Association of had video surveillance.
The video showed four teens making the purchase, one of
them wearing a Norco High School letterman's jacket with a name stitched across the back. Base then borrowed a Norco High yearbook and went online to get the name and addresses of
the teens on the tape. the teens on the tape.
six youths are now facing
vandalism charges.
"Her work was instrumental
in helping us to identify the suspects,", said Lt. Ross Cooper of the Riverside County Sheriffs
Department.

Carded at the bar
WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) - Inspired by the yellow and red cards flashed by footbalr refereess, some New Z Zealand
bars are using color-coded cards

New Zealand chief executive Bruce Robertson In a dozen bars using the cards in the North Island cities of Auckland and Wellington, a served to the recipient for a spe. cific period of time.
"If you're giving them the red card you're saying 'T'm sorry', you are too anfected by alcohol
for to serve you any more, or for us to serve you any more, or
have you on the premises. I'm afraid you're going to have to go,"' he said.
Patrons who
Patrons who leave with "good grace" are entitled to return another time and present their red card for
Robertson said.
"It wouldn't work in all bars, but in scme bars that have perhaps got a sporting focus, that haps got a sporting focus, that

## ALL-STATE

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"It was really surprising to get all five of them on the all-
state staff," Mallett said "Usually, we only get said "Usually, we only get one or
two ... Five is a nice surprise...'
The The UIL all-state journalism
staff is comprised of the best staff is comprised of the best
journalism students in journalism students in Texas,
regardless of school classification, Mallett said.
McMurtrey won district and regional championships in feature writing this past school year and placed fourth petition in May.
Mallett was understandably proud of the quintet's accomplishments.
"They just really enjoy writ-
ing, and they're competitive ing, and they're competitive

- really competitive, said. "This was a good outlet for them."
Contact Staff Writer Steve Reagan at 263.7331, ext. 234, or
by $\stackrel{\text { by }}{\text { reporter@bigspringherald.com }} \underset{ }{\text { e-mail }}$


## METERS

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billing cycle. That way we can work out any bugs in the system." The replacement program is part of a energy ontract the city council ecently apr:oved with Siemens Building Technologies.
The program is expected save the city more than 5 years through improvements to various aspects of the municipalities perations, including lighting systems, plumbng and heating and air "Titioning
avings will come from the improvements made
the city's water system,

## BSISD

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coach Joey Martin, Marcy teacher Debbie arter, Goliad teacher gy technician Toni Hernandez, junior high and Goliad teacher Tonia sparks.
The latest round of hirings brings the number of new staff at BSISD to 59 Vor the coming year. teachers have been hired, along with 12 paraprofessionals.
Villarreal noted that the district still needs to hire two teachers and three he start of school Aug. 4. other business, rustees approved the new budget for the Howard County Contact Staff Writer Steve Ragag at 263-7331, ext. 234, or by e-mail at exporter@bigspringherald.com

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(432) 257-445)
$\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { ready to celebrate because } \\ \text { the transition to Castro's }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { in Cuba." } \\ \text { White House spokesman }\end{array} \\ \text { ment with Cuba } \\ \text { In Hialeah, }\end{array}$
the transition to Castro's White House spokesman
brother Raul Castro Peter Watkins said the brother Rauld have little effect on the Cuban government's policies. "Raul Castro will give the Cuban people nothing, but business as usual,"
said David Sandoval, 28, lead singer of the Cuban American funk band Delexilio and a New York City lawyer.
violent, democratic nontions that a legitimate government and meaning gul change can take hold

Peter Watkins said the administration was monican't speculate Castro's health, but we continue to work for the day of Cuba'
The Cuban population in Florida is hardly unified, with hard-line exiles urging a tough stance against Castro and a younger generation of
Cubans who were born in Cubans who were born in
the United States more the United States more
likely to support engage-
ment with Cuba
In Hialeah
In Hialeah, 34-year-old
Orlando Pino steered bicycle with one hand and waved a Cuban flag with he other. He said he wants to return to Cuba when Castro dies.
"There's a lot of people in Cuba who are home crying," said Pino, who arrived in the Miami area wo years on a religious visa. "There's a lot of conusion over there because many people loved him. Cuban people to Cuban people to wake up
from their sleep. It's a lot
of time under one person and they have become accustomed to that, good Miami-Dade College sociology professor Juan Clark, who specializes in Cuban affairs, said he
was surprised that the was surprised that the
announcement of Castro's illness was done so publicly.
Clark
Clark noted that when
castro had a well-publ Castro had a well-publitering a kneecap and tering a kneecap and
breaking an arm, he did not delegate power to his brother.
"Either he is in very,
very serious condition or he may have alread he may have already
passed away. They might well be preparing gradually for that succession phat they want

Associated Press writ ers Laura Wides-Munoz,
Jessica Gresko, Jennifer Kay and Matt Sedensky in Miami contributed to this

actually using," said Darden. "However, in the
end their bills will average out and be more beady because they will Walker said questions regarding the
replacement meter should be directed to the water department by

Contact Staff Writer 7331 ext. 232 or by e-mail citydesk@bigspringher






## HDITORIAL

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


Our Views

## Have a message

 to get out? Well, rent a fair boothIt's time to be thinking about the Howard county Fair. And as we noted last week, it's a time to show off your product, sell crafts bond issue. Whatever you have to present to the public, one of the best ways to reach a lot of people in a short amount of time is through a booth at each year's fair.
The fair is scheduled Wednesday, Sept. 27, through Saturday, Sept. 30, and again feature lots of activities that organizers believe are certain to attract a large number of visitors.
Among the offerings are musical entertainment, a tractor pull, Kountry Kids contest, Battle of the Cheerleaders, livestock shows and a ritght-
ly carnival. There are, of course, all of the tradily carnival. There are, of course, all of the traditional contests for baked goods, vegetables, art
work, photographs, arts and crafts and more. Also attracting folks to the fair will be the A Also attracting folks to the fair will be the Ag
Expo and appreciation luncheon, which will be Expo and appreciation uncheon, which will be
held on Thursday, Sept. 28, at the Howard County Fair Barn this year instead of at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.
That weekend is also homecoming for Big Spring High School, ensuring even more visitors to the city, and therefore to the fair.
Fair booth spaces are $\$ 150$ for an 8 -foot by 10 foot area and are reserved on a first-come, firstserved basis. You can bring your own tables and chairs or rent them. One table and two chairs rent for $\$ 10$.
Booths can be set up between 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 26 , or 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, Tuesday, Sept. 26 , or $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 3 p.m. Wednesday,
Sept. 27. The fair officially opens at 4 p.m. Sept. 27. The fair officially opens at 4 p.m.
Wednesday. Each booth will be given four weekWednesday. Each booth will be given four week-
ly passes. Additional passes, if needed, can be purchased at the fair office.
One other important note - extension cords are not provided by the fair association and some outlets are located overhead, so we suggest you plan accordingly.
For more information, call 432 353-4448.
And remember, if you are a local businessman or a politician running for office, that larger than normal crowd of visitors expected at this year's fair are potential customers and voters. Seems to us like making sure you have a fair booth is a real "no-brainer.

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mailed to editor@bigspringherald.com

A Small Prayer
by K. Rae Anderson
May we put our energy in heavenly areas for our lives, Lord.

## Dems' dream: Something for nothing

$T$Leadership Council rightly has figured out that the American middle class feels it is too low on the Bush totem pole, and so the DLC has devised an American Dream initiative that promises to relieve
the middle class in ways that would never occur to the Bushies - while helping to elect more Democrats. On the politics, th American Dream The Bushies clearly don't understand how it looks to the hear land when the administration tries to get rid of half of
the IRS auditors who investigate inheritance tax returns. Bush's signing of the
bankruptcy bill last year was a bail-out for rapacious banks that enable dicey creditcard spending. Even though the Bush tax cuts helped the middle class as well as the rich, they occurred as the federal debt bal-
looned to $\$ 8$ trillion - a sorry looned to $\$ 8$ trillion - a sorry
legacy for all of America's chillegacy
dren.
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On the policy, the DLC Dream is not that impressive. Iowa Governor and DLC San Francisco last week touting the DLC Dream, and he showed a solid understanding of where Washington is going wrong. He complained that everyone talks about the "death tax," while he "bants to do something about the that is each American's share of

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OVERTURNED

## The not-very-big difference between Christie Brinkley and a 20-pound bass


 finally boils down to this: Does the fact that one of can't find a decent guy (four times) mean that the rest of us even more doomed? In other. words, if love eludes a swimsuit-issue cover girl, what can
the rest of us nonthe rest of us noning, one-tooth-turning, one-tooth-turngals possibly hope
for?
Or is this the tabloid story of the summer precisely well for the rest of womankind? After all, it's the twotiming jerks who go for the goddesses. Doesn't that leave the of us?
Yes! And yes.
Yes, we normal-looking women will never have the pool of guys to choose from that Brinkley had
or probably already has again.
the federal Hosanna.
But the DLC goes too far in pushing an initiative that, sort of, promises a European-style welfare
state - but since we're Americans, we don't have to pay steep European taxes. That is, thank you very much, more something for nothing. The Dem Dream promises to make health care and education guage: "Every American should have the opportunity and responsibility to go to college and earn a degree, or to get the lifelong training they need."
Responsibility to go to college?
What does that even mean? Is everybody supposed to go college? I ask.
Vilsack responds that one of the saddest things he has to deal with as a governor is meeting young
adults who tell him, "I really want to go to College X, but we can't afford it, so I'm either not going to college or I'm going to the community college down the road.' Vilsack is also upset that his son law school and thinks the government should step in so that students can go to the university or law school of their choice and still not shoulder a huge loan that prevents them from
until their 30 s.
The government can, should and does offer loans and grants for students, but I don't think waitresses and janitors should pick up the whole tab for someone else's law school of choice.
As it turns out, neither does the
Initiative promises a 10 -year, $\$ 150$
demon block grant for states that work to make college more afford able. The blueprint also calls for a $\$ 3,000$ tuition-tax credit for colleg
and graduate students - which and graduate students - which
would be welcome relief for fami would be welcome relief fro fami-
lies, even if it is not a free education at a pricey Ivy League institu tion. The plan also calls for help for nontraditional students. How would the DLC pay for its
package, which features not only package, which features not only
tuition-tax credits, but also a $\$ 500$ tuition-tax bond for every baby born in America, universal heath care for children and a matching fund for low-income earn
up to $\$ 2,000$ a year?
Why, with efficiencies, of course
The American Dream Initiative would be funded by cutting the number of government contractors by 100,000 and "cutting wasteful
corporate subsidies."
Now why didn't I think of that?
I liked Vilsack's focus on making government work better. I sorely wish Bush had more of that attitude. Also, I like the DLC blueprint's focus on robust regulation of pensions and mutual funds. I even liked vilsack's call for a
cial commission to eliminate wasteful federal spending. (As Vilsack put it, "It gives people cover, but you know what, I'd rather give them cover and get the job done.")
Still, when it comes to promises of more government without rais. ing your taxes, well, that must by why the DLC called it a "dream" initiative.
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Maybe it's my grayish tooth tal ing, but it really does seem like the men who chase models are the men that everyone - mode
included - should avoid. For guys like that, marrying a model is right up there with reel ing in a 20 -pound bass: a way of inspiring oh-so-sweet envy. Does the man care if the bass is smart
or funny? Heck no - all he cares about is whether there's a photographer around to snap his picture with the thing. Then he can dump her for a cuter, younger bass who wants to sing and doesn't see anythe married fisherman to jumpstart her career.
Ahem. What I mean is: The guys who actually go out and pursue models are generally not thinking
of these women as individuals. of these women as individuals. They're thinking of them as future all agree: No woman wants to be treated like a great piece of bass. Now, those of us who are the
herring in life know herring in life know that when someone wants us, it's because of
who we pre, not what we look
stand a very good chance of not getting thrown back when we have the temerity to start aging. in our society, but it's even harder to be an older woman once known for her looks. I got an e-mail the other day listing a whole lot of great beauties and their ages: Gina Lollobrigida, 79, Brigitte Bardot, 71, Ann-Margret, 65, etc. The tagline read, "I remember them all As if they couldn't possibly be beautiful anymore. As if anyone still pining for Gina and Brigitte isn't getting pretty prunish himself. beautiful at 52 , but she's not 19 . Anyone who finds that a failing rather than a fact of life is the kind of guy it's best to avoid. Fortunately for us with a grayish difficult.

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## News briefs

9-year-old boy dies from drill injuries LONGVIEW (AP) - A 9 -
year-old boy has year-old boy has died when a drill allegedly thrown by his stepfather pierced his chest, police said. $\underset{\text { Ruben Mata, of }}{\text { Longview, died Sunday }}$ a Dallas hospital after bęing hurt July 24. Ruhen caught the cordless drill thrown by -redrico Garcia in the family's pierced his chest, police pierced Police on Monday con tinued to search for Garcia, 30, who has been charged with aggravated filed before Ruben died and will be reviewed, said Sgt. Shaun Pendleton, a Longview police spokesman.
Pendleton said police would pursue charges against Garcia whether or not he intended to hurt his stepson. "Even if you don't ally you chay do so with reckless behavior. If you drive a car and a passen ger gets killed, even though it's an accident, you can still be charged, Pendleton said
Garcia was dismantling family's backyard whe the injury occurred,

## Mabank fire burns

 downtown buildings MABANK (AP) least three buildings Monday in Mabank city oftcials said.The blaze began about 4
p.m. in a coin-operated laundry,
Adming City Confer said Louann was not immediately

Firefighters had the fire mostly out by Monday night and were monitoring a few hot spots, a said The fire burned the cleaners, a beauty shop and an insurance office.
"The ladies that worked in the cleaners came out and said it was on fire,"
Confer said Monday evening. "It's already spread to at least two others.
No injuries were report-
ed. About five other volunwer helping Mabant firefighters battle the blaze, Confer said.
Mabank is in Kaufman
County, about 50 miles County, abou
east of Dallas.

## Flight diverted

 to Tulsa after onboard altercation TULSA, Okla. (AP) Southwest Airlines flight headed for Arkansasmade an unscheduled made an unscheduled Monday afternoon after an altercation between two passengers, authorities said.
Flight 396, which departed Las Vegas with Tulsa International Airport about $2 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. after one passenger "threatened another one with a ball point pen," Dallas-
based Southwest Airlines based Southwest Airlines
spokeswoman McInnis said.
"The authorities met the flight and once the men were questioned by authorities, the flight conMcInnis said.
McInnis said there were no reports of injuries, but

FBI officials said one of the passengers was treatpersonnel and released. Airport police took Danny Hughey Jr took into custody and the North Little Rock, Ark. resident was later arrest ed, the FBI said in a new release.

## Gunman shoots rec

center employee in robbery attemp DALLAS (AP) Mesquite mother of three was in stable condition Monday after a gunman Grove recreation cente where she works.
Cheryl Lydick was in the center's office when a man wearing a black came in and demanded she open the safe. Police said she told the man she didn't have access to the safe, and then he shot her
several times. several times.
The suspect, who police anything, also as taking maintenance worker Lydick had surgery Monday and was recover ing at Baylor University Schepps Dairy announced a $\$ 10,000$ reward in connection with an arrest and grand jury indictment in th robbery and shooting
Datlas police Lt. Rick unusual and he doesn't remember any similar incidents at a recreation center

## Women charged with

 murdering homeless men for insurance LOS ANGELES (AP) Two women in their 70s were charged Mondaywith having homeless men killed in hit-and-run car crashes to collect car crashes to collect
more than $\$ 2$ million in life insurance.
Olga Rutterschmidt, 73, and Helen Golay, 75, were each charged with two
counts of murder and two counts of conspiracy to commit murder for financial gain.
The charges make the women eligible for the death penalty.
Prosecutors will wait until the case moves closer to trial before deciding whether to seek executions, Deputy District
Attorney Shellie Samuels Attorney Shellie Sam
said in a statement. The women are accuse of arranging hit-and-run
killings in alleys using drivers whose identities are unknown. Paul Vados, 73, was killed in November 1999 and Kenneth McDavid, 51 , as killed in June 2005. d in May and initially charged with federal mail fraud. They are awaiting an October trial on those
charges, but in light of charges, but in light of
the murder allegations the murder allegations authorities are considercounts for now, said U.S. attorney spokesman Thom Mrozek. He added
that those charges could be refiled later.
The women befriended the transients, paid for hem to stay in apartments and obtained their signatures before taking
out three dozen life insurance policies on them, authorities say.
They had them killed and then coilected while falsely claiming to be relatives, according to the Some insurers found the circumstances suspicious and refused to pay. An investigation began ast year when police looking into McDavid's to the Vados case, authorities said. Blood was found in a car Golay
reportedly had towed reportedly had towed

## wansiland (y)

I David was killed. case and winning because there was no murder and there is no evidence o ney, Roger Jon Diamond said Monday.

## Boy's body found

 on golf course; sex offender arrested BALTIMORE (AP) Ang since last week "wa found slain early Monday on a golf course near his home, and a twice-con-victed child sex offender victed child sex offender
was arrested in his death police said.
Hours after finding the body, police arrested Melvin Jones Jr., 52,
inside a downtown inside a downtown fast
food restaurant after they food restaurant after they
got an anonymous tip that got an anonymous tip tha
he was there. He was he was there. He was
charged Monday nigh with first-degree murder and other crimes
Col. Fred Bealefeld
described of detectives Harris family's friend and said there was "every indication" that Irvin's mother knew about
Jones' 2002 conviction for Jones' 2002 conviction for
having sex with a teenage having sex with a teenage
"I'm blaming myself right now," Irvin's moth er, Shanda Harris, told

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The constant chatter of young kingbirds is the highlight of baby season for anyone soasking with birds. working with birds. The two plctured above are the nestings Bebe
McCasland speaks of ralsing.

Bird Poop
Raising kingbirds rewarding but takes lots of care, too

Swooping over the front lawn, the
juveniles flew in juveniles fliew in
tandem behind the parent bird. When she
elevated, they followed he upward motion. Landing on the grass nother was quickly oined by her two off. spring. She had already caught a rather large nsect. As they waited to be fed, the adult kingbird
carefully and quickly pecked the cicada and gave each youngster a portion. The remainder he saved for herself. With that necessity out fook flight, the mother ard across the street. With her maturing young in close pursuit, she land ed in a live oak. Al njoyed the safety of the anopy of leaves.
To witness the of the young kingbirds reminded me that the month before had been the beginning of "baby Arriving one morning a weak nestling had been

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 kingbird immediately fell asleep.
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ detected the constant chatter and call of a very hungry baby. Only the doorbell delayed me.
"Another nestling to be a sibling for the first
kingbird," Ithought when I saw the baby bird a young boy had brought me. Telling him I would put his youngster in with
another I had received another 1 had received
that morning, I anticicated the work to come. Nestlings require reguNOW YOUR

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lar feedings from early morning until dark. graduate from formula to small crickets quickly. Soon they were out of the nest I had provided. The branches in their enclo-
sure were in use as soon as the birds learned to balance. They greeted us with loud pleas for more insects: The hardest part began. Teaching birds to be Hunger is the best motivator. When a youngster

only to eat. Their faint yellow-colored chest
feathers were deepening, and their tails grew longer.
The morning arrived when it was time to get them to the aviary at the o be ready to migrate. When I entered their cage o capture them, the king. birds landed on my hand after days of totally ignorng me. If birds could say bye," then this must have been their parting gesture. place to be fed, it learns readily not to dally. With consistent demands that
the two play my game, I was finally rewarded with one of them taking food without my suggestions. The other followed this same behavior the next
day. That battle was won. day. That battie was won
Next came a large cage to encourage more flight. As soon as the kingbirds discovered the length of the cage, I was all but forgotten. Every day they
flew from one end to the other, and came down

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tion, call $264-2366$

Quarterback club schedules meeting Big Spring High Club has scheduled its first meeting of the season for $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Monday at the BSHS Athletic Training Center.
Mark Tissue, the booster club's prest dent, encourages all ball players and fans of the Steers to attend.
Quarterback Club meetings will be held every Monday night
For more information, call Tissue at tion, cal
$816-3458$.

## New volleyball coach sets parentplayer meeting

 New Big Spring volleyball coach Amanda Whitaker has player meeting with anyone planning on being involved with the high school volleyball program this upcoming season. The meeting, which is for high school stuplace at 7 tonight at the Athletic Training Center.For more informa tion, call coach Whitaker at $325-864$ 1467.

BIg Spring ISD sets dates for buying football tickets
Fans of the Big Spring Steers football team who have had
season tickets in the season tickets in the past can begin pur chasing tickets for the upcoming season at the Big Spring
High School ATC Previous ticket holders have until Aug. 10 to purchase tickets. The general public may purchase tickets on Aug. 14. Tickets can be pur chased through Kay 8 a.m. to 4 p.m Monday through Thursday.
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second day at in
same time AP Sports Writer MINNEAPOLIS - Torii
Hunter is back, Carlos Silva was Maybe the Minnesota Twins didn't need any help from trades after all.
Hunter Hunter had a homer and four RBIs in his return from the disstrong innings to lead the Twins to a 15-2 victory over the Texas Rangers on Monday night, Josh Rabe had a homer and
three RBIs and Nick Punto had three RBis and Nick Punto had
four hits, four runs and three RBIs to back Silva (7-9), who gave up one run and six hits and struck out four. It was the kind of performance the Twins are going to need a lot
more of from Silva if they are more of fromend for the postsea-
going to contend son. Johan Santana and Francisco Liriano are aces at the top of the rotation, but Brad Radke's shoulder is ailing and
Silva and Scott Baker have strug. gled for most of this season. "He's the key," Hunter said Silva. "We know what Liriano

## See Rangers, Page



Minnesota Twins runner Michael Cuddyer photo /soer Whooior/MInnoepooine Star Tribune third and home in the first Inning by Texas Rangers catcher Gerald Laird. The Twins defeated the Rangers 15-2 at the Metrodome in Minneapoll
Monday.

Trades provide Wells from Pirates, Stairs from Royals

## By Stephen hawkins

AP Sports Writer
ARLINGTON - The Texas Rangers wanted to add a pitcher before the trade deadline, and had been watching Kip Wells. Confident the right-hander is finally healthy, the Rangers
acquired Wells from the Pittsburgh Pirates for a mino leaguer in the final hour before Monday's deadline.
Wells is $1-5$ with a 6.69 ERA in seven starts since being activate
from the disabled list June 18 from the disabled list June 18
But he has allowed only four earned runs over $192-3$ innings for a 1.83 ERA his last three starts, with seven shutou innings Saturday at
Francisen for his first victory since October. and healthy," Rangers genera manager Jon Daniels said. "The See trades, Page 8

## Bullet in Davis' thigh also punch line <br> By JAIME ARON

AP Sports Writer OXNARD, Calif. Watching Dallas Cowboys
safety Keith Davis safety Keith Davis go
through training camp, you wouldn't know he's running around with a bullet lodged into his thigh from a freak shoot ing only a few weeks ago
Well, there is one way you'd know- - if you were close enough to hear his teammates tease him about it. "We tell him, 'We're no going to the huddl we're coming back,'" cornerback Terence Newman said. "I've been trying to catch him asleep and dig
(the bullet) out so I can put it on eBay. But every time I touch his leg, he wakes up.
"It's ail just fun and games," Newman added "He just laughs. He could've happened to anybody; He's taking it real well." Davis was driving on a 16 when he was early Jul 16 when he was hit by tw
shots from another shots from another cal
One bullet grazed hi head, the other became lodged in his thigh. He
was hospitalized for only


Dallas Cowboys coach BIII Parcells at work during the Cowboys' training camp in $\begin{gathered}\text { Mcrard, photo/Ron } \\ \text { Oalif. }\end{gathered}$

was hospitalized for only
two days, returning to full two days, returnimg to join
strength in time to his teammates for the start of training camp. Davis later changed some of the details of the story he gave police - he was leaving a party, not ing family in Louisiana so he could go to church What mattered most to the Cowboys is that he truly was simply in the wrong place at the wrong
time, and coach Bill Parcells said an investigaSee Cowbors, Page 8

AP Sports Writer
NEW YORK - Before the video games, the athlete's foot commercials, the announcing booth and The six-legged Thanksgiving turkeys, bohn Madden was a foot-
bach. And, as Madden the announcer might put it, he was a pretty darn good Saturday, Madden will Saturday, Madden will
enter the Pro Football enter the Pro Football
Hall of. Fame 28 years Hall of Fame 28 years
after coaching his final
game, recognition some line for the announcing for a man that become, especially for PlayStation lovers, the face and voice of the NFL. "It means everything to was said Madden, who Sas elected by the just something that humbles you and excites you more than you've ever Madden excited." Madden was only 32 when Al Davis hired him to coach the Oakland Raiders in 1969.
Before leaving

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## Landis' backup test result to be released Saturday

 Associated Press Writer Associated Press WriterPARIS - The result of Tour de France winner Floyd Landis' backup doping test will be announced Saturday. The analysis of his "B" sample is expected to take place Thursday through Saturday a the Chatenay-Malabry lab out-
side Paris, International Cycling side Paris, International Cycling
Union spokesman Enrico Carpani said Tuesday Landis tested positive for an elevated ratio of testosterone to epitestosterone following the
17th stage of the Tour de France
n the Alps, where he made a thetic, putting his defense into remarkable comeback after a
poor performance the day before.
son at the UCI with knowledge of If the " B " sample is negative. If the " B " sample is negative, Landis would be cleared. If it is positive, which Landis' lawyers
say they expect, he could be stripped of his Tour victory and banned two years.
The American cy his body's natural metabolism not doping - caused the result and he would undergo further tests to prove it.
The New York Times reported Monday that tests on Landis' "A" sample show some of the testos
terone in his system
the result.
UCI president Pat McQuaid aid Tuesday he had not seen the lab findings and could not confirm the report. He said the cycling organization had asked the French lab to speed up its the French
analysis.
"The lon sample is tested, the until the ' $B$ ' sample is tested, the more specuthe more of everything that goes on," he told The Associated Press.
ooth in 1978, Madden led Oakland to a $103-32.7 \mathrm{reg}$ ar-season record and a regular-season winning ular-season record and a percentage stands as the Bowl. Oakland never had $\begin{aligned} & \text { highest ever among } \\ & \text { coaches with } 100 \text { career }\end{aligned}$ losing record under victories. Madden, winning seven ivision titles ang seven vision titles and mak-
nd his Raiders teams the playoffs eight sund as some of the most Current broadcast in league history. Current broadcast part- With players such as
ner Al Michaels likens Ken Madden's Michaels likens Ken St?bler, Fred coach s short career as Biletnikoff, a coach to that of Hall of
Fame pitcher Sandy oufax. Only Hall of Upshaw, Art Shell and Willie Brown, the Silver and Black had plenty of talent and
more attitude
loses this weekend for August closes thi
vacation.
Landis
Landis' lawyers Landis' lawyers in Spain filed an official request for the " B " an official request for the "B"
test late Monday. But Carpani said the UCI had already filed its own request earlier Monday because of concerns about the case dragging on.
Landis' Swiss-based team, quickly as possible.
"The sooner that's done, the better it will be for the team," Phonak team manager John Le'angue said. He declined
answer any other questions.

## COWBOYS

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ified that.
Still, the incident raised eyebrows because something similar happened to Of course that's. why he's being teased so much.
Davis takes it all in with his usual easy smile. Considering how much worse it could've been,
why wouldn't he? "I'm truly blessed to be
and here" Davis said out here,", Davis said
Monday. "I'm having fun.

## RANGERS

can do, we know what
Santana can do. We need him. Silva was there Monday night, helping to hand the Rangers their seventh
loss in eight games. The loss in eight games. The
slide dropped them into last place in the AL West
and has prompted general manager Jon Daniels to do some wheeling and trading deadline
Daniels acquired AllStar left fielder Carlos Lee from Milwaukee last
week, then got Pittsburgh starter Kip Wells and Kansas City's Matt Stairs


#### Abstract

I feel fine. Everything's going well. No limits. his 2003 shooting, in par because the coach ha just arrived and was try ing to set a tone. He'd told players to avoid dangerplayers to avoid danger ous places and Davis ous places and Davis incident occurred in the parking lot of a topless parkin club. Davis Davis' roster spot is more secure this more secure this time. The team's top specia teams player, he started 15 games at free safety last season and earlier this summer received two-year contract worth roughly


guers on Monday The Twins jumped all 5) in the first, getting little help from the Metrodome in a five-run inning.
Lee lost a bloop by Joe
Mauer in the Mauer in the lights and pop fly dropped among Lee, center fielder Gary Matthews Jr. and short stop Michael Young fo an RBI had an Cuddyer also had an RBI single before Rabe capped the big inning with a three-run lead.

In other AL games, 5; Tampa Bay , Baltimore 5; Tampa Bay 7, Detroit 3;
Boston 9, Cleveland 8;
including about $\$ 2$ milincluding about $\$ 2$ mil-
lion in bonus and salary this season, after New Orleans tried prying him away with an offer sheet. Still, Davis sees nothing special about
return to action return to action said. "I mean I do," he job, to come out here and job, to come out here and perform on the football field. Everybody has been
very supportive, since very supportive, since
Day 1. It's good to be out here, good to be playing football."
He's been playing well, oo. He had several interceptions in the first few
practices, then was all

Chicago 8, Kansas City and Oakla
Morneau and Punto each had run-scoring singles in the second to push the lead to 7-0, chasing Rheinecker after 112.3
innings. Hunter followed with an RBI single off Joaquin Benoit for of Twins' 10th hit of the game and an $8-0$ lead after
two. "It kind of snowballed on him," Rangers manag. er Buck Showalter said. "We didn't play that well should've gotten out of those first couple innings with only one or two
runs. It's a place that hings like that seem to happen.
over the running game Monday morning; two of scuffles.
"That's what we expect him to do," fellow safety by Williams said.
Davis needs a big camp because Parcells has safety being up for grabs. Other candidates are veteran Marcus Coleman whose 6 -foot-5 Watkins, intrigues Parcells. "I think I know pretty much what I have with Keith." Parcells said. er. He's fought his way

## TRADES <br> Continued from Page

last couple of starts, his velocity was back, he had a good breaking ball, the slider was good, the changeup was there. He was throwing strikes Wetling groundballs." led all major leaguers with 18 losses, missed most of spring training and began this season on the DL after surgery for a blocked artery
The Rangers finally
landed landed a starting pitcher three days after getting er Carlos Lee from er Carlos Lee from
Milwaukee in a six-player
onto this team and I have onto this team and
respect for him." After all the bullets he's dodged off the field, Davis figures he can handle this competition.
"I feel like if I go out there and do what I do, said. "Nothing against the other guys, but I just go out there and do what I'm supposed to. I bust my tail every day doing the little
things to make me a better football player.
Extra points: The
Cowboys signed punter
Cowboys signed punter
Tyler Fredrickson and
Tyler Fredrickson and Merritt, LB JJ Horne and
deal. Texas sent righthandsburgh The Rangers also acquired first basemanoutfielder Matt Stairs from the Kansas City
Royals on Monday for minor league right-han der Joselo Diaz Wells, a Houston native, was drafted by the Chicago White Sox 16th overall in 1998 out of
Baylor - about a $90-$ Baylor
minute $\begin{gathered}\text { about } \\ \text { drive }\end{gathered}$ from Arlington. He is $56-74$ with a 4.45 ERA over 195 career appearances (17 starts) for the White Sox (1999-2001) and Pirates (2002-06), and can become son, when he is making
$\$ 4.15$ million.
uesday, August 1,2006
CB Byron Parker. With hree roster spots now open, more signings are resenc... Frederickson's presence will ease the oad on incumbent Mat of making the team, though, is as a kickoff specialist. New kicker Mike Vanderjagt hasn't even attempted one yet... play second-string QB Tony Romo a lot this preseason. "I've got to decide where he is," Parcells said. Romo has been in
the league three years the league three years
without throwing a pass in the regular season.

He joins a rotation that ncludes Kevin Millwood and Vicente Padilla, both have each lost their last two starts. Wells will like ly replace one of the rook. e left-handers, John Koronka.
Adam Eaton, acquired in an offseason trade from San Diego, is scheduled to make his second start for missing the first 100 games because of surgery on the middle finger of his pitching hand. M.Manager

Buck
Wells Showalter said Wells could start as early as of the three-game series in Minnesota.

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If there was one thing If there was one thing
Grady did not like, it was a braggart. Do you know what
a braggart might be? Will you look in a dictionary tomorrow and find out?
Good! Well, on with the story. Grady was not going to let the frog and his brag-
ging ruin his day. But when ging ruin his day. But when that frog said that he could
hop higher and farther than Grady, well, Grady just had Grady, well, Grady just had
to say something to the frog about that! We all know what Grady $\quad$ knows. Grasshoppers can hop, tool
"What is your name?" Grady What is your name?" Grady

## nswered trog. answered "Theodore

 "TheodoreToadfrog, an want to know?" "Because always want to know- the
name of the frog that I am going to beat in a hopping contest," said Grady. "I will have a hopping contest with you," Grady went on to say,
ulf you agree that the loser must do something nice for someone else." "I will agree to it," said Theodore Toadfrog, "For no one can sing better, swim better, catch bugs better, or hop better than me!
"See that $\log$ over there?"
Grady asked pointing to a big old dead pointing to a big old dead
tree that had fallen many years ago, "Can you hop over it?" Now, Theodore had jumped over that log many times before, but he was
much closer to it He wasn't much closer to it. He wasn't sure that he could jump that
high or that far, but he was a high or that far, but he was a
proud frog and he had to try, proud frog and he had to try,
especially now that Grady Grasshopper was watching him. Theodore leaned back, way back, and with a mighty thrust of his legs, jumped

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 263-1381"Okay, you try," said can hop that far and that high." Grady did not even lean back. He did not look as he was even going to try. Then he hopped. As he was going over Theodore's head, he looked down and smiled.
He smiled even more when he smiled even more when
he landed on the other side he landed on the other side
of the log! "Maybe I shouldn't brag so much," thought Theodore. Grady can jump much higher and further than
"You won, fair and square," Theodore said to Grady,
"What must I do that will be nice for someone?" "Just nice for someone?" "Just
look around you," Grady said to Theodore," There are many other frogs and grasshoppers that need help. Just find one that is not

Theodore did not have to
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someone who needed help. He helped another frog catch bugs. Yuck! Then he helped a grasshopper find some
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helped a hedgehog, then, a warthog! I don't know what he helped them do! He
found out that instead of found out that instead of
bragging all the time to make bragging all the time to make
himself feel good, helping others made him feel much better! And he never bragged again.
As for Grady Grasshopper, he went back to his nice green grass. He was feeling
so good after helping so good after helping him in a hopping contest. He him in a hopping contest. He
never did finish his nap. But he is going to now. His eyes are almost closed. He is in the part of sleep where he is not quite awake and he is not quite asleep again. His eyes

By Emile Le Beau
t's summer, but your break is anything but relaxing. First, Mom enrolled you in early morning swimming lessons even though she knows you hate submerging yourself in cold water. Then you came home to a long list of chore And ing! ing! summer stress supposed to be fun, bur appealing. So before you start countin the days until it's time to go back, here are some ways to fix those summer stressors:

SUMMER STRESS: Your paren are so weird. Mom sings aloud while she gardens. And Dad wears his gros. est Hawaiian shirt with shorts and black socks while he does yardwork How can they be so embarrassing? Solution: Mom and Dad might be embarrassed too Karen Judson, autho of "Resolving Conflicts: How to Get Along When You Don't" (Enslow Publishers, $\$ 31$ ), says kids should not snap at their parents or laugh at them in front of friends.
Instead, take your parent aside at a different time. Start the talk off with

think it's a big deal. I don't think any body cares - everyone is so busy with what they have to do," Zahra says. "Paying attention to (other people's) parents is not important.
SUMMER STRESS: You're forced to play a sport you hate. Sometimes parents think it's fun for kids to play a sport during the summer
But getting up early for a cold-water swim or leaving the AC for a scorching soccer practice can be anything but a good time
Solution: First, decide whether this is a big or little problem, Judson says. "The exercise is probably good for you, but if it feels intolerable ... negotiation," she says. Kids need to prepare before they si says kids are more emotions. Judso says kids are more emotional than
adults during negotiations. "Emotion can take over, and then you forget everything you want to say. You forget all your good points," she says. Instead of melting down over morn ing tennis practice, Judson recommends making an organized list of your thoughts and complaints. Meet with Mom and Dad privately and $g$
over the list. And be prepared: Your parents will most likely argue that the exercise is good for you
SUMMER STRESS:
SUMMER STRESS: You're really spooked by summer storms - all
that thunder and lightning is scaring you silly.
Solution: Learn the facts - and relax. Lightning is not going to strike you in your bed, says Bob Rauber, a professor of atmuspheric sciences at the University of Illinois at UrbanaChampaign. a cordless phone instead pho regular phone during regular phone day away
storms. And stay from windows and plumbing, such as the shower, Rauber says. "Plumbing is in the ground, and it's a good conductor (of electricity). Water also is a good conductor," he explains. It helps to got your mind off the storm, says Kate K., 12. When she was I would play games (to) keep me focused on the game and not the thunderstorms."
SUMMER STRESS: You have too many chores. While Mom and Dad are at work, you're expected to clean the house. What are you, the maid? Solution: Get organized so yo can get out to play. Katie K. thinks five chores or more are way too much.

She has fewer chores on her list - she has to make her bed, put the dishes away and take out the trash. If she has something important to do, such as swimming, she tries to get her chores For kids who think ${ }_{\text {1 }}^{\text {F For kids who think they have too }}$ ing a schedule so you can plan on time to play. "Make a little day planner. Make a schedule, and take 30 or 45 minutes out of your time and get your


Lend a helping hand
Want to take the time to help someone in need? Start your own volunteer project! Here are some helpful hints to make it happen
First, figure out what your community needs. Ask teachers, parents and friends what they think your neigh borhood needs the most. It's possible that they'll menion some things you would have never thought about. and then think identut what you can do to help. Use you interests and talents to decide what you want to do. If you are a baker at heart, bake cook-
ies. If you have a knack for crafts, make something!

Make it a group effort. Encourage your family and friends to get involved and help out as a team ing that fun! Meeting new people and know lot of fun.

Here are some thing you can do in your neighborhood: - Volunteer at a retirement home. Bake goodies for or just spend time with residents. Whatev
they'll be happy to spend time with you.
Have a bake sale. This age-old tradition is still one of the most popular ways to raise money because it works. Everybody loves to eat! Choose an organization or cause that you want to support. Then hold a bake salc and donate all of the money you mak
Clean up: The summer is a great time to enjoy the outdoors, but sometimes the scenery is not very clean. hood by picking up papers, cans and trash.

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