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BSSO performs 'Side By Side' with area young musicians



HERALD photos/Roger Cline
 Above, members of the Big Spring High School, Colorado City High School, and Howard College bands stand ready as Guest Conductor John Giordano, center, gives direction to members of the Big Spring Symphony Orchestra during the Side By Side concert Saturday night. Left, Giordano conducts the Orchestra while Justice John Hughes plays a clarinet solo during the concert.

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

The music which inspired the Broadway musical "Kismet," music from the Tom Hanks movie "The Terminal," and music from one of America's greatest composers highlighted the stage Saturday night during the Big Spring Symphony Orchestra's "Side By Side" concert. Guest Conductor Maestro John Giordano, a frequent guest to BSSO concerts and Music Director Emeritus of the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra, led the orchestra through

the concert, to much enjoyment from those present.

For the last two numbers, band members from Big Spring High School, Colorado City High School, and Howard College were added to play side by side with the Orchestra.

"I think it went extremely well, especially when we added the young people. It was just wonderful. I really enjoyed it," Giordano said. "It's an extraordinary orchestra. It

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CHS Debate teams fare well at first competition



Courtesy photo

Shown left to right are Coahoma High School Cross-Examination Debate team members; Aubrey Green and Brianna Coskey; Debate Coach Katie Valencia; and team members Julia Cox and Grayson Glidewell.

Special to the Herald

The Coahoma High School team of Grayson Glidewell/Aubrey Green and Julia Cox/Brianna Coskey placed fifth and seventh respectively in their first CX (Cross Examination) contest at the UIL District 5 3-A meet held in Clyde Wednesday.

"All four students represented Coahoma exceptionally well and are excited to get going for next year," said CHS Debate Coach Katie Valencia. "This was their first ever CX debate competition and my first time to coach. They exceeded all of my expectations, and I am very proud of them."

Glidewell and Green went 2-1 at the meet and earned 167

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Veterans memorial

By AMANDA DUFORAT
 Managing Editor

The heart of service and sacrifice in Big Spring has deep roots, and it is the desire to honor that service which brought three local residents to pursue a Veteran's Memorial.

"Right now we are currently in the beginning stages. We would like to add three more veterans to the board so we can move forward," Manuel Sanchez, local Army veteran, said.

The seven member committee, is working off an idea that came up after Veteran's Day last year. According to Sanchez, a small group worked together to send well wishes to local service members and the initiative snowballed into a bigger effort.

"The idea originally started with wanting to pay honor and give recognition to Hispanic veterans - past and present - who have roots in Big Spring, but that idea has

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Bid awards, Amphitheater, up for discussion at City Council meeting

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

Consideration of bids on several items will once again be front and center at the Big Spring City Council meeting. The council will meet this Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in their chambers, 307 E. Fourth St. This week, the council will consider granting permission to go out for bids

on five projects and/or lots of equipment and materials; and consider granting three bids.

The five bid requests being looked at include a bid for the 2019 Distribution Lines Improvements Project, for which the city has set aside \$1.5 million; a bid for 900 linear feet of 30-inch sewer line; a bid for an irrigation central control system for the Municipal Golf Course; a bid for a

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Car club meets at Cowboys



HERALD photos/Anna Gutierrez
 Members of the Antique Automobile Club of America, met at Cowboys this past Saturday for their Valentines gathering. There were over 60 members from the West Texas Region from Midland, the Wool Capital Area from San Angelo, and other members from surrounding areas, who made the trek to Big Spring, many of them in their classic cars. Roses and chocolates were passed out to the members of the car clubs, and everyone enjoyed a fantastic meal.

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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **LEE ROY SALINAS**, 48, of 1403 Tucson, was arrested on a warrant for interfering with emergency request for assistance.
- **THEFT** was reported in the

1100 block of N. Lamesa Hwy, and in the 500 block of Westover Rd.

- **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported in the 1000 block of San Antonio St. and in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.
- **STOLEN VEHICLE** was reported in the 1000 block of San

Antonio St. and in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.

- **BURGLARY OF A HABITATION** was reported in the 400 block of Adams.
- **UNATTENDED DEATH** was reported in the 1600 block of Martin Luther King.

Take Note

• AARP Tax-Aide will offer free income tax preparation each Monday through April 1 at the Big Spring Senior Center at the Dora Roberts Community Center, 100 Whipkey Drive. Hours are 8 a.m. to noon. The service is available to all taxpayers with moderate to low income.

Taxpayers need to bring a photo ID for the taxpayer and/or spouse, Social Security cards for everyone on the tax return (Tax-Aide will not do a return without seeing the Social Security cards), last year's tax returns, and W-2s and all other proof of income received in 2018.

Free electronic filing will be available for faster refunds.

For more information contact Ray Alexander at 432-212-3533.

• Come enjoy some hot, fresh pizza and help the Coahoma ISD eighth-grade Academy Leadership class raise funds for their summer educational trip to Philadelphia. The fundraiser will be held from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., Monday, Feb. 11, at Pizza Inn. Ten percent of the night's sales and all tips and donations goes to help fund the summer trip.

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

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

• Maranatha Baptist Academy, 903 Johnson Big Spring, Texas 432-213-1046, Call today for educational needs. In School, High School graduation, Tutoring, homeschool. We are qualified to help you with your child's education, kindergarten through twelfth grade. Come by or give us a call. Open enrollment.

• Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the fit for you.

Duties include working in the gift shop, delivering newspapers to inpatients, hospitality services, popcorn and more.

To find out more about opportunities available with the SMMC Auxiliary, contact Amy Miramontes at 268-4809 or April Arms at 268-4907.

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

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

• The Howard County Democrats will meet the second and fourth Monday of each month at 5:30 pm. at the Howard County Democratic Headquarters, 1408 Scurry, behind Prosperity Bank.

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

• Big Spring's Centennial Lions Club is holding a drive to collect books for the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club. Books for kids in kindergarten through about 10th grade will be accepted, with special preference for books for younger children in kindergarten through third grade. Cash dona-

tions to allow the Lions to purchase additional books are also appreciated. Books or donations can be taken to the Salvation Army, 811 W. Fifth St., or to the home of Lions member Ken Lawhon at 1707 E. 15th St. For more information, contact Lawhon at 214-998-9716.

• Food 2 Kids Big Spring needs you! It is time to start sacking food for Big Spring elementary students who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It just takes a couple hours of your time and the work is very rewarding. To volunteer, just show up at the time and dates listed. For more information, call, 432-935-0713.

If you want additional information about getting your child on this program please contact your child's school. The next sacking event will be March 4 and 5 at the old Lakeview High School, 1107 NW 7th St, at 5:30 p.m.

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

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

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

Cost has dropped to \$5 per person thanks to a sponsor Marcy House, 2301 Wasson Road.

• Howard County Republicans meet the second Monday of each month. Club members meet in the Cactus Room at Howard College at 11:30 a.m. for Dutch treat lunch and meeting at 12 p.m.

• The Christensen-Tucker Post-2013 Veterans of Foreign Wars meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 pm at 500 Driver Road. For more information, contact David Leonard, Post Commander, at 432-816-6004. All combat veterans of foreign wars are invited to come.

• The Big Spring Symphony Board of Directors meets every first Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the symphony office, 808 Scurry Street.

• Order of the Eastern Star Big Spring Chapter 67 meets the third Tuesday of each month at 219 Main St. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. Lodge meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact 432-271-2138.

• Staked Plains Masonic Lodge No. 598 meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. (dinner is at 6 p.m.) at 219 1/2 Main St. All Masons are welcome.

• Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary Group is looking to expand. Positions are available for the Auxiliary group and the Teen Volunteer program. Must be 15 years of age to take part in the teen volunteer program. If you would like to volunteer please contact Heath White at 268-4850.

• The Big Spring State Hospital Volunteer Services Council is in need of volunteers to fill a variety of needs to assist the hospital's patients. Applications to become a volunteer can be picked up at The Chalet, 115 E. Second St., Tuesday through Saturday between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. or at the Big Spring State Hospital Community Relations Department, 1901 N. Hwy 87, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Volunteers can assist with a variety of functions, including The Chalet Resale Shop, various fund-raisers and patient events. For more information, contact Dee Lindsey, Big Spring State Hospital Director of Community Relations, (432) 268-7535 or danielle.lindsey@dshs.state.tx.us

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Support Groups

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

- Big Spring and Snyder Parkinson's Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

This is a group for all Parkinson's Disease patients, spouses and caregivers.

For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942.

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

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

- Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; open 12 and 12 study meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

- RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at 432-517-9207 for more information.

• Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-8600.

THURSDAY

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

• Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

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

• Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. t 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information, email francisco.garza@wtc-mhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.

• GriefShare is a Biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support). Meetings are weekly, every Thursday, at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for more information.

FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

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

SATURDAY

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

SUNDAY

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

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CONCERT

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really plays very well."

Justice Stephen Hughes, a former lawyer and Justice of the Eighth Court of Appeals, performed, accompanied by the Orchestra, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's Clarinet Concerto in A and the theme "Viktor's Tale" from the movie "Terminal."

"I thought it went very well, very well. It's a good orchestra. You know, the personnel changes from concert to concert, and this turned out to be a really good group. They were a good backup for my solos," Hughes said.

Justice Hughes went on to explain

how he discovered the piece from "The Terminal."

"You know, I have a clarinet friend who graduated here from Big Spring the year after me, and she ended up teaching clarinet at the college level, and she suggested it," he said. "She just said it was a really fun piece, and it was."

"Oh, my gosh, he's as much a clarinetist as he is a lawyer," Giordano enthused about Hughes. "He's phenomenal. For someone who's a lawyer to go back into music and play as beautifully as he does, it's just amazing."

After kicking off the concert with the National Anthem, the Orchestra performed the Overture to "William Tell" by Gioachino Rossini, which

was used as the theme music for the 1950s western TV show "The Lone Ranger."

Next, the orchestra delved into Alexander Borodin's "Polovetsian Dances," which were adapted by Robert Wright and George Forrest and formed most of the music in the Broadway musical "Kismet."

After the Borodin pieces, Justice Hughes took the stage and performed the Mozart concerto and "Viktor's Tale" before the intermission break.

After intermission, Giordano led the orchestra through George Gershwin's "An American In Paris," complete with honking car horns; and Gabriel Fauré's "Pavane."

Finally, the members of the bands from BSHS, Colorado City High

School, and Howard College took the stage to perform Jean Sibelius' "Finlandia" with the orchestra.

After the main portion of the concert, the young people remained on the stage and performed an encore: a rendition of "America The Beautiful," with the orchestra.

Following the concert, the Big Spring Symphony Guild held a reception in the Auditorium's lobby, sponsored by Prosperity Bank.

For more information, visit the Big Spring Symphony's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/BigSpringSymphony.

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DEBATE

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speaker points. Cox and Coskey went 0-3 and earned 160 speaker points. Cox was rated top speaker in her first debate round.

Points earned by Glidewell and Green from their fifth-place finish will carry over for the CHS academic team in the upcoming UIL meet.

"Considering that was our first time competing in this event and we got some numbers, that felt good for us," Cox said.

The CX members are used to competing at a high level in speaking events. Cox and Green have qualified for state competition in FFA (Future Farmers of America) LDE events twice, and Cox placed 16th in the nation at the FFA national convention in the Creed event held in October.

However, this type of format was new to all four students.

"We didn't know what to expect because we have never done it before," Glidewell said. "We had the stuff that Mrs. Valencia said we needed and we went in there. The first round was like 'whoa.' Then in the second and third round, we knew what to expect. I think next year it will be a lot easier going into that first meet."

In fact, both Glidewell and Green said competing against the eventual winner of the meet, Jim Ned 1, for their first debate was a very good learning experience.

"We would be CXing them and asking them questions, and they'd make a point and I was like, 'You know, that makes a lot of sense,'" Glidewell said.

Both sophomores said they put that knowledge into use in their next two debates during the competition.

"I took so many things that they said against us and used it later on, so it made me sound really good," Green said laughing.

"They were prepared and they knew what they were talking about, and I think that helped us in the second and third round," Glidewell added.

After each debate, the four students met and exchanged notes to help them to develop stronger arguments and become more persuasive speakers in the next round. Glidewell said he enjoyed the persuasive part of the competition.

"That is the part I liked the most, because the judge has to go in with a neutral mind," he said. "It's our job to persuade him whichever way we are assigned."

"It also made us think on our feet really fast," Green added. "You have no idea what the other team was going to say, so you had to flip through your folder very fast to find something to disagree with them."

As for the best part of the meet, Cox, who plans to become a lawyer, said she really enjoyed arguing her points aggressively.

"I was like, 'I am not going to be mean,' and she (Cox) was like 'I am going at them,'" Coskey said, drawing laughs from the other three students.

CX is a UIL-sanctioned event where students are given a set topic to research at the beginning of the competition season. Competitors must prepare to defend both an affirmative and negative position, and must wait until the debate to see which role they will argue. This year's topic, found on the UIL website, is: "Resolved, the United States federal government should substantially reduce its restrictions on legal immigration to the United States."

MEMORIAL

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grown to encompass all veterans of Howard County," Sanchez said. "all of our veterans deserve to be recognized for their sacrifice, whether they served in peace or war time."

Currently, the board is looking at building the foundation to become a 501(C)(3) designation. During their next meeting, which is set for 3 p.m. on Feb. 17, bylaws will be voted on and the process of applying for a 501(C)(3) organization will be discussed.

"We are reaching out to the community for several reasons; legal assistance on completing the 501c3 designation, design planning, and most importantly

acquiring a list of all veterans, from Howard County including those who have passed," he said.

Volunteers will play an important role in the project, from planning to full implementation and construction.

"We know that the families who have lost a loved one who was in the service will understand, but we are asking for everyone's help," Sanchez said. "We want veteran families, but we also want those without a military connection to join our efforts. These brave men and women gave the ultimate sacrifice, and being able to build a way to honor them is something everyone can be involved in."

For those wanting to get involved, call 432-202-8127 or email manny Sanchez311@gmail.com.

COUNCIL

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project to bring Comanche Trail Amphitheater up to code with regards to the Americans with Disabilities Act; and a bid to advertise for construction of the city and county's planned new landfill at Big Sandy Draw. According to the meeting's agenda, the final item, construction of the landfill, is estimated to cost a total of \$7,932,000, split over three fiscal years.

A rough timeline for the project listed in the meeting's agenda lists a pre-bid meeting on March 6, bids to open on March 20, presentation of a recommended bid to the city council on April 9, contracts signed by May 1, and construction to start June 1.

Bids awards to be considered during the meeting include contracts on a new sewer truck, the planned splash pad project at the Russ McEwen Family Aquatic Center, and 10 new vehicles for the Police Department.

According to the agenda, the recommendation from city staff is to award the bid for the sewer truck to Heil of Texas in the amount of \$365,065 with a \$20,000 trade-in allowance for a total of \$345,065. The bid from Heil was the low bid among those which met specifications; another bid from Texas Underground Inc. for \$359,730.12 reportedly did not meet specs, while a third from Kinloch Equipment was for \$410,201.16 with a \$25,000 trade in, for a total of \$385,201.16.

The recommended bid on the splash pad project was submitted by SplashPads USA Inc. in the amount of \$224,000 for a "complete turn-key installation."

In a letter from engineer Kirt Harle of Jacob and Martin, the engineering firm the city uses to evaluate engineering projects, Harle explains some of the provisions of the contract.

"It is...my understanding in discussing this project with the City that staff may choose to modify some of the features included in the quotation," Harle said in the letter. "However, any modifica-

tions to the features will not result in the exceedance of the attached quotation of \$224,000."

Some of the features listed in the proposal include a water loop, flower showers, water cannons, a tower with the city logo, a 40-inch mushroom, a 40-inch umbrella, and blaster poles.

The recommendation for the bid on the 10 police vehicles is to Freedom Chevrolet, and then the bid for upfitting the vehicles - the process of converting them to police cruisers - to Cap Fleet. Freedom bid \$30,600 per unit for a total of \$306,000; while Cap bid \$17,735.76 per unit for the upfitting, for a total of \$177,357.60. Both were the low bids on the project.

In new business, Barney Dodd and architect Kelly Cook will give updates on the Comanche Trail Park Amphitheater Restoration Project. Dodd will talk about the progress of fundraising for the project, while Cook will address plans and cost of the improvements.

In other business, the council will:

- Discuss the process for requests for qualifications for engineering services.
- Consider approval of engineering services for the design and construction of roads at the McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark, and revisit a tabled item considering awarding the bid for the services to Freese and Nichols Inc.
- Consider a resolution authorizing support for the application for tax credits for the development of affordable senior rental housing by Big Spring 2019 Ltd. to be named "Heritage Heights at Big Spring" and located at 120 Airbase Road.
- Consider re-establishing the seven-member Parks Commission charged with review and recommendation of uses of park land and sports facilities.
- Consider re-establishing the seven-member Traffic Commission.
- Discuss and consider

revising rental fees for ballfields and league fees.

- Consider contracting an outside firm to do all the leasing at the Airpark.
- Consider granting authorization to apply for a criminal justice grant to replace cameras in the Police Department's Criminal Investigations Division and interview rooms.
- Consider revision of the naming rights agreement with SM Energy.
- Consider agreements with Jacob and Martin LLC for professional services for the 2019 Distribution Line Improvements Project and for the 30-inch Sewer Line Replacement project.
- Consider approval of the quarterly investment report.

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Big Spring wins boys team championship and girls team bronze in Kermit Powerlifting meet



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Steer and Lady Steer powerlifting teams pose with their medals and team plaques this past Saturday after performing well at the Kermit powerlifting meet. The boys' team won the team championship and the girls brought home a 3rd place team finish as well. Special to the Herald

BOYS

- Cruz Martinez was 1st in the 123 lb. class
- Mattox Evans was 3rd in the 123 lb. class
- Joshua Lopez was 1st in the 132 lb. class
- Shawn Mendoza was 2nd in the 132 lb. class
- Ethan Cortez was 2nd in the 2nd in the 181 lb. class
- Isaiah Rodriguez was 2nd in the 220 lb. class
- Aleyas Bland was 4th in the 242 lb. class
- Andrew Roberts was 2nd in the 275 lb. class
- Daniel Roberts was 5th in the 275 lb. class
- Devin Boisvert was 3rd in the Super-heavyweight class

GIRLS

- Ashlin Calvio was 1st in the 97 lb. class
- Cylei Burton was 3rd in the 105 lb. class
- Tera Navarro was 6th in the 132 lb. class
- Alani Torres was 3rd in the 165 lb. class
- Xilanae Walker was 5th in the 165 lb. class
- Abewi Delgado was 7th in the 165 lb. class
- Kialyn Roberts was 4th in the 181 lb. class
- Megan Goad was 8th in the 181 lb. class
- Hallie Hyatt was 1st in the 220 lb. class
- Jhaniah Johnson was 2nd in the 220 lb. class

"Coach Roberts and I are very proud of our lifters! Most of our lifters had personal bests at the meet!" said head powerlifting coach Chris McWilliams.

Bulldogettes split doubleheader with Hawley



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HAWLEY — The Coahoma Bulldogettes went 1-1 in their doubleheader scrimmage against the Hawley Lady Bearcats. Saturday's scrimmage marked the second time the Coahoma softball players tested their skills against another team this season, but it was the first game to include returning varsity members Cassie Grant, Caitlyn Corley, and Macee Green.

All three girls and freshman teammate Madison Rogers were finishing their last week of the basketball season when the Bulldogettes hosted the Andrews Lady Mustangs in a scrimmage Saturday, Feb. 2.

1st Scrimmage

Bulldogettes hold off late rally
The Bulldogettes stopped a sixth-inning rally by the Lady Bearcats to win the first game 9-4.

After pitching a no-run, five-inning game, Coahoma pitcher Kenleigh Janeway faced a bases loaded situation with no outs in the bottom of the sixth inning. Then a Hawley Bearcat hit a fly ball on a 2-2 pitch count to second baseman Kaylor Green who caught the ball for the out.

However, Hawley did get four runs before the last out, which was a grounder to third baseman Lexi Montelongo, but the comeback fell short thanks to the performance of the Coahoma offensive lineup that batted in nine runs during the six-and-half inning game.

Macee Grant led the Bulldogettes at the plate earning three RBIs from three hits at three at-bats. Montelongo earned the first RBI of the game after belting a double off a fly ball to left field to bring Madison Rogers across home plate. Montelongo went three for three at the plate and had three runs, one RBI and two triples. Rounding out the top batters was Cassie Grant who was three for two at bat with one RBI in the fourth.

The the Bulldogettes swift feet stole seven bases in the game. M. Grant and Caitlyn Corley had two each.

Kenleigh Janeway - W, Allie - L; 2B — Coahoma, Montelongo, Caitlyn Corley; Hawley, Feery; 3B — Coahoma, Montelongo 2; SB — Coahoma, M. Grant 2, Corley 2, C Grant, Alex Bailey, Kaylor Green; Hawley, Carla, Deli.

Box Score	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E
COAHOMA	2	0	0	3	0	4	0	9	16	3
HAWLEY	0	0	0	0	0	4	X	4	6	0

2nd Game

Coahoma loses to Hawley, 6-7
Madison Rogers hit her first home run as a Bulldogette on 2-1 pitch for three RBIs in the second inning against the Hawley Lady Bearcats Satur-



day.

Hawley came back for a four-run fourth inning to win the scrimmage 6-7. At the top of the second, the game was tied 3-3 when Vada Cortez walked up to the plate. After five pitches, Cortez headed to first base on a walk. Up next, Maci Green doubled off a bunt. With two batters in scoring position, Rogers homered to run to up the score 6-3.

Rogers went two for two at the plate to lead the Bulldogettes in hits. At her first at-bat, she doubled off a fly ball in the first inning. Lexi Montelongo and Caitlyn Corley both had one RBI each.

Kaylor Green was on the mound for the Bulldogettes. She allowed five hits and six runs with two strikeouts over three and half innings. Cassie Grant came in as relief in fourth. She had two hits and one run over the half inning.

Next: Coahoma hosts Lamesa. Game time is 6 p.m.
Kaylor Green - L, Inez - W; 2B — Coahoma, Corley, Green, Rogers; Hawley, Gerry, Hella; HR — Coahoma, Rogers; SB — Coahoma, Corley, Cassie Grant, Rogers; Hawley, Gerry 2, Carla, Hella, Inez.

Box Score	1	2	3	4	R	H	E
COAHOMA	3	0	3	0	6	7	2
HAWLEY	0	3	0	4	7	7	1

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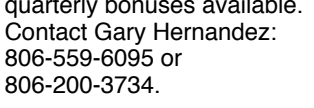
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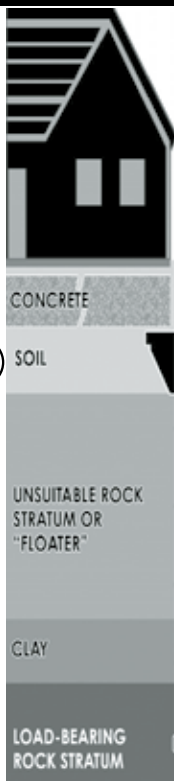
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garding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Shelly Carrigan, at (361)888-7708, x6015. #10101 Feb. 11, 18, 25 & March 4, 2019 RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0317782 DATE OF IS-SUANCE: Feb 6, 2019 Status/Permit No. 847808 NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Mar 13, 2019 Address: Railroad Commission of Texas ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit P. O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967 Fax: (512) 463-6780 Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SABALO OPERATING, LLC, [RRC Operator No. 741939] has made application for a spacing excep-

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tion permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance requirement because the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit for the AMENDED NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 13, Bk. 32 T2N, T&P RR CO Survey, A-269, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Field, HOWARD County, being 8.75 miles SE direction from VEALMOOR, Texas. PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted WITHOUT A HEARING if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons in-

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Mercury Takes On the Shadow

ARIES (March 21-April 19). It's better to let off steam little by little than to let it build and eventually blow up at an inopportune time. The perfect partner in letting loose will come along tonight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Your life is full of gifts and blessings, so many that if someone off the street were to just step into your life, that person wouldn't be sure where to start the gratitude list. But you know where to start it. So go there, and be happy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It will be a scenario you feel familiar with but on guard about. You'll prepare to say no, but inexplicably, when the

moment comes, all won't go as planned. Consider inviting a friend into this with you.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Whereas most people are not quite so effective as they think they are, you have the opposite dynamic going on today. You don't know your own strength. Hint: It's about five times more effective than you expect.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). When it's not working, the answer can be to try harder and do more. This isn't always the answer. Sometimes the answer is to stop or to go at it a different way. But right now, what's needed is repetition of effort. Prove your stamina.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Greatness isn't something that exists in a few rare souls. It's in

there inside all. The problem for many is that they just don't believe in their own kernel of greatness. You'll remedy this for someone today. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). This is not a time for leaping. Steps forward will be more than enough. There's someone you want to know better. Allow things to build slowly and steadily. Small risks

escalate the action. This is not a time for leaping. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Validation can be addictive. Knowing this, when you hear the

praise, keep your head. Recognize it for what it is, a sticky bit of honey that can trap you if you land and rest too long there. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It's time to narrow your focus and home in on one goal. Can

you pull this off with less? Can you involve fewer people? By getting small, you will accomplish big.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Sometimes it's right to take "no" for an answer, and other times, such as this one, you have such a strong feeling that your offering will really help all involved that it's worth it to move past "no" with a counter-offer.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). People will not sanction the cost of what they don't understand. Your options are to make them understand or flesh it out yourself at whatever cost it takes and let them catch up later.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You've an instinct to disclose that's running counter to your instinct toward charm.

Consider the wisdom of the French writer Voltaire when he said that the secret to being boring is to say everything.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Feb. 11). You're not going for the trophy; you're just going ever forward in the same direction, and the trophy is one of the inevitable takeaways. More importantly, your experience grows so vast that you'll be asked to teach and lead. Also featured: an option to move and relationship ease that helps you focus on a dream project. Leo and Libra adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 8, 10, 3, 33 and 17.

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

By HOLIDAY MATHIS



Annie's Mailbox

Are Shared Interests Necessary?

Dear Annie: I've been seeing this woman for about a month. She is beautiful and smart and thinks I'm funny, which is a plus. It's been getting more serious. But recently, when we were trying to decide which movie to see, some new info came to light. It turns out she hates superhero movies and comic books. This is a total turnoff to me, to the point that I now think this relationship may be doomed. I just see it as sort of a litmus test for personal compatibility. Should I end things now before I get deeper, or am I being petty? -- Marvel Mega-Fan

now be doomed, but only because you've decided it may be, not because she doesn't like Spider-Man.

Dear Annie: I must address the letter from the Vietnam veteran who will not call for help. First, he should not give up. The Veterans Crisis Line (https://www.veteranscrisisline.net) is 800-273-8255. In 2016, 58.1 percent of veteran suicides were among veterans 55 or older. Depending on where the veteran lives, his county may have a veterans service office he could visit or contact. He more than likely has a Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans and American Legion organization near him that could provide more resources. These groups serve veterans of all eras, and he could find people with whom he can relate. And bring the buddies! Please offer these options to him. -- Wife of a Vietnam Veteran

Dear Wife of a Vietnam Veteran: Thank you so much for this wealth of information.

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Contract Bridge Famous Hand

By Steve Becker. When the Swedish pair of Peter Bengtsson and Fredrik Norberg told the North-South hands, respectively, they received three responses as shown. Both players acted on the principle that when the bulk of a partnership's length and strength is in the majors, the best potential game is in rubber. And to a certain extent, they were right, as the combined hands contained 17 tricks in clubs and diamonds. But after West led a low heart, the defense pined for a trick and corner. The defense proceeded to collect six heart tricks followed by six spade tricks -- down one! One would certainly think that this result could not be equal, but amazingly enough, the North-South pair at the other table, Le Helms and Gert Helgemo of Norway, produced the identical auction and so seemed headed for the same fate. That is until East, Peter Fredrik Norberg, done all the bidding, acting for the end of a game of sol. Helgemo decided to make Fredrik's assessment and retreated to four clubs passed all around. The defenders that would lead the hearts and two spades to create a trick and a plus 500 points could not come close to matching the plus 600 as revealed by East West at the first table, and the Norway pair came away with an 8 IMP gain. Tomorrow: The play doesn't end.

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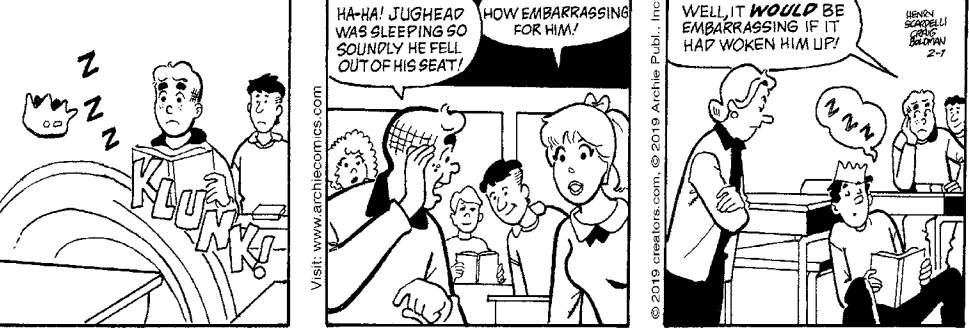
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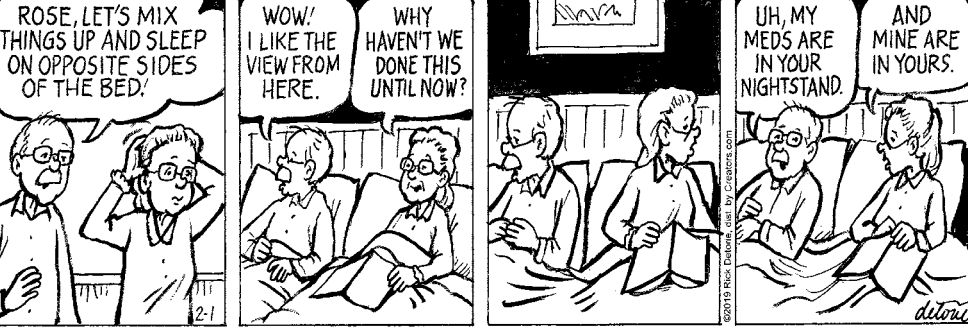
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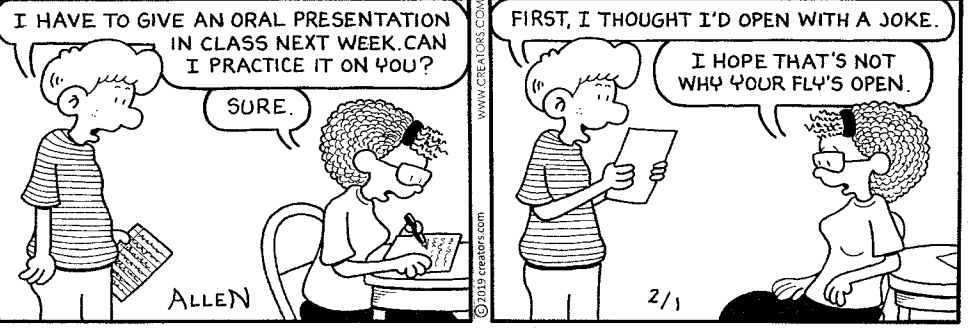
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This Date In History

Today in History
Today is Monday, Feb. 11, the 42nd day of 2019. There are 323 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight in History:
On Feb. 11, 1990, South African black activist Nelson Mandela was freed after 27 years in captivity.
On this date:
In 1531, the Church of England grudgingly accepted King Henry VIII as its supreme head.
In 1929, the Lateran Treaty was signed, with Italy recognizing the independence and sovereignty of Vatican City.
In 1937, a six-week-old sit-down strike against General Motors ended, with the company agreeing to recognize the United Automobile Workers Union.
In 1945, President Franklin D. Roosevelt, British Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Soviet leader Josef Stalin signed the Yalta Agreement, in which Stalin agreed to declare war against Imperial Japan following Nazi Germany's capitulation.
In 1963, American author and poet Sylvia Plath was found dead in her London flat, a suicide; she was 30.
In 1968, New York City's fourth and current Madison Square Garden, located on Manhattan's West Side at the site of what used to be the Pennsylvania Station building, opened with a "Salute to the USO" hosted by Bob Hope and Bing Crosby. (The same evening, the New York Rangers played their final game at the third Garden, tying the Detroit Red Wings 3-3.)
In 1979, followers of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini (hoh-MAY'-nee) seized power in Iran.
In 1986, Soviet dissident Natan Sharansky was released by the Soviet Union

after nine years of captivity as part of an East-West prisoner exchange.
In 2006, Vice President Dick Cheney accidentally shot and wounded Harry Whittington, a companion during a weekend quail-hunting trip in Texas.
In 2008, the Pentagon charged Khalid Sheikh Mohammed (HAH'-leed shayk moh-HAH'-med) and five other detainees at Guantanamo Bay with murder and war crimes in connection with the Sept. 11 attacks.
In 2012, pop singer Whitney Houston, 48, was found dead in a hotel room bathtub in Beverly Hills, California.
In 2013, with a few words in Latin, Pope Benedict XVI did what no pope had done in more than half a millennium: announced his resignation. The bombshell came during a routine morning meeting of Vatican cardinals. (The 85-year-old pontiff was succeeded by Pope Francis.)
Ten years ago: The nation's top bankers went before the House Financial Services Committee, pledging to build public trust with greater lending and fewer perks. All-Star short-stop Miguel Tejada pleaded guilty to lying to Congress about steroids in baseball. (He was sentenced to a year's probation.) Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., who first went to Congress in 1955, became the longest-serving member of the U.S. House of Representatives. President Robert Mugabe (moo-GAH'-bay) swore in longtime rival Morgan Tsvangirai (SVAHNG'-ur-eye) as

Zimbabwe's prime minister.
Five years ago: President Barack Obama, during a joint White House news conference with French President Francois Hollande, vowed to come down like "a ton of bricks" on businesses that violated
Iranian sanctions while nuclear negotiations were under way, and conceded "enormous frustration" with stalled Syrian peace talks. At the Sochi Games, Carina Vogt of Germany won women's ski jumping's first-ever Olympic gold medal.
One year ago: A Russian

passenger plane crashed into a snowy field six minutes after taking off from Moscow, killing all 65 passengers and six crew members; investigators would blame human error, saying the pilots had received flawed air speed readings after failing to turn on a

heating unit for the measurement equipment. Amid swirling winds, 17-year-old snowboarder Red Gerard won the United States' first gold medal of the 2018 Winter Olympics in South Korea, capturing the men's slopestyle event.

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Newsday Crossword

AT THE WEDDING by Brad Wilber
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ACROSS

- Tax return experts: Abbr.
- Optimistic
- Untidy room
- Lends a hand
- Initial poker payment
- Egg-shaped
- Three-legged stand
- Hammer target
- Spreadsheet numbers
- Wedding's young tosser of petals
- Spruce up, as prose
- Person who is looking
- Small valleys
- "Red" shellfish serving
- Red vegetable
- Does nothing
- Church wedding's official
- Cow sounds
- Fry lightly
- Plant with a soothing gel
- Wedding's keyboard player
- ___ says (kids' game)
- Abbey resident
- Patches attached with steam
- Jobs for detectives
- Snooty one
- Without a warranty
- Wedding's pillow carrier
- Beverage stored in cellars
- A Great Lake

DOWN

- "Gourmet" cook
- Ring, as church bells
- In addition
- Gush like a volcano
- Officer in a forest
- Walking ___ (very happy)
- Mix with a spoon
- Shout
- Locomotive on toy tracks
- Avert or elude
- Wedding gown fabric
- Venetian-blind pieces
- Rains in icy pellets
- Sandwich bread
- "That's amazing!"
- Car rented for weddings
- Aroma
- Online diary
- Burger bun tidbit
- Make a wager
- Adam's spouse
- Monotonous routine
- Ticklish red Muppet
- Midday
- Caves for bears
- Do wrong
- Pose a question
- Phone listings: Abbr.
- "Amen!"
- Consume, as food
- Steal from
- Made crow sounds
- "All kidding ___ . . ."
- Scorch slightly
- Sarcastic, as remarks
- Country singer McEntire
- Part of the eye
- Operatic solo
- Long-tailed rodents
- When planes are expected: Abbr.
- Tenant's payment

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Doncic, Mavericks erase deficit in 102-101 win over Blazers

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Sports Writer
DALLAS — Luka Doncic was summoned back to the court for a very brief speech to a group of about 100 Slovenians who made the 24-hour trek to see their countryman, the teenage rookie sensation for the Dallas Mavericks.

The bigger thrill for the visitors came a little earlier when Doncic helped engineer a fourth-quarter comeback against the playoff-contending Portland Trail Blazers.

Doncic scored 13 of his 28 points in the fourth, Tim Hardaway Jr. finished with 24 and the Mavericks erased a 15-point deficit in the final 10 minutes for a 102-101 victory Sunday.

"I don't normally play him the whole quarter, but when we began to make the push early in the fourth it was just one those times where he was going to have to finish for us to have a chance," said coach Rick Carlisle, whose team matched its biggest comeback of the season.

Damian Lillard scored 21 of his 30 points in the last half of the third quarter to help the Blazers build a lead that grew to 96-81 early in the fourth before the Mavericks rallied to hand Portland its first loss in 34 games when leading after three quarters this season.

Lillard made eight straight shots and in one stretch scored 16 straight Portland points in the third, but the All-Star guard missed his last four attempts as the Blazers went 10:10 without a field goal in a nine-point fourth quarter.

The last miss from Lillard was a driving layup in the final seconds after Doncic had missed at the other end, and Dallas' Maxi Kleber hunched over with the rebound and hung on long enough for time to expire.

"Some missed opportunities, some turnovers, some poor decisions, and you have got to give Dallas a lot of credit," said Portland coach Terry Stotts, whose team entered the game with a 33-0 record when leading after three quarters this season. "They play with a lot of energy."

There is plenty of debate over whether the Mavericks still want to make the playoffs after trading the other four starters around Doncic in a pair of deals that were clearly about the future over the present.

Three of the starters went to New York, and the Mavericks have decided not to play the centerpiece of that deal. They instead plan to let 2018 All-Star Kristaps Porzingis continue his recovery from a knee injury sustained about a year ago with the Knicks.

Hardaway was the second-biggest part of the deal for Dallas, and had his best showing in his third game. With the intensity of the rally building, he won a scramble for a loose ball and weaved through defenders for an emphatic left-handed dunk to get Dallas within one.

Doncic gave the Mavericks their first lead since early in the second quarter with a finger-roll layup, then the 19-year-old put them ahead for good with a 3-point play on a driving

layout for a 102-99 lead with 1:28 remaining.

After CJ McCollum made a shot, the teams exchanged misses before Lillard's last-second attempt in the third loss in the past 10 games for Portland.

"I just think it's a message because they're a team that's below .500 right now," Lillard said. "They just had a trade.

They got all new guys and things like that, and it's a game that we should be able to win."

Justuf Nurkic had 18 points on 9-of-11 shooting and 10 rebounds before fouling out when Hardaway got the Mavericks to 97-all on free throws. They had been even at 67 in the third before Lillard took over and gave the Blazers a

comfortable lead.

Dwight Powell had 13 points and eight rebounds, including an alley-oop dunk from Doncic that kicked the comeback into another gear while getting Dallas within six. Doncic had nine rebounds and six assists.

Dorian Finney-Smith started the game-ending 21-5 run by tipping in

his own miss and finished with 11 points and six boards.

TIP-INS
Blazers: McCollum was just 6 of 17 from the field and finished with 14 points, ending his career-best streak of three straight games with at least 30 points. ... The Blazers had a double-digit lead in the first half as well after going on a

20-1 run.

Mavericks: C Salah Mejri was re-signed three days after being waived as part of the trade that sent Harrison Barnes to Sacramento. ... Hardaway reached 5,000 career points with two buckets in the first quarter. His next two baskets were 3-pointers to give him 700 for his career.

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