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**Upcoming Events**

**Today:**

*SWCID Job Fair*  
*SWCID Campus*  
 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

*Chuck Wagon Dinner*  
*Moss Creek Ranch*  
 6 p.m.

*School Board Meeting*  
 5:15 p.m.  
*BSHS Board Room*

**Saturday:**

*Honoring Putt Choate*  
*Coahoma Board room*  
 10 a.m.

*Trail Work Day*  
*State Park*  
 10 a.m.

*Symphony Guild*  
*Fundraiser/Luncheon*  
 11:30 - 1:30 p.m.

*Trinity Baptist Church*  
*Scholarships will be*  
*presented during the*  
*event.*

*Pints for Polio - 7 p.m.*  
*at Courtyard*  
*Tickets still on sale*

## County officials opposition to property tax rollback bills provokes public comment



**Howard County Judge Kathryn Wiseman and Big Spring mayoral candidate Shannon Thomason discuss the merits of House Bill 2 and Senate Bill 2 following Wednesday's Commissioners' court meeting.**

**By ROGER CLINE**  
 Staff Writer

Two local citizens spoke in favor of Senate Bill 2 and House Bill 2, legislation being considered by the Texas Legislature which would require a rollback election in response to any property tax increase larger than 2.5 percent; currently citizens may petition for a rollback election if the governing body raises property tax more than 8 percent. County Judge Kathryn Wiseman recently penned an open letter to Howard County residents in opposition to the bills.

Those speaking at the meeting were Kimberly York, recent candidate for Howard County Republican Party chairperson; and Shannon Thomason, current candidate for mayor of Big Spring.

"I'm real concerned about the fact that this county commission is not supporting SB2 and HB2," said York. "As taxpayers, we are way overburdened. The other thing is that, you need to be accountable to the taxpayers. We are your bosses, and with our assessments skyrocketing the way they have, you are already getting extra money. My taxes in the last five years - I mean, my appraisal - has gone up 300

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**Monday:**

*Open House*  
 4:30 p.m.  
*Elections Office*  
*Those needing to*  
*register to vote are*  
*encouraged to attend.*

## Elections Office hosting Open House

*New equipment demos, register to vote and more*

**By AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor

Voting in Howard County is taking on a new look.

In order to ease voter fears or concerns, the Howard County Elections Office is hosting an Open House on March 25 from 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Howard County Courthouse.

"It is important for people to be comfortable with the process and know what is expected when they arrive, on voting day," Jodi Duck, Howard County Elections Administrator, said.

a paper ballot, allow the voter to review the ballot and then place it in the scanner to be counted," Duck said. "By educating the public on the new system prior to an election, we can reduce the amount of assistance they would need when casting their official ballot, making voting day easier and faster."

She continued, "The voters will be voting for local candidates who will make decisions on policies and funds that affect the community directly. This election is a great way to see your voice

in action. In order to have our voices heard, we must first get out and vote and that has never been easier with the services we are now able to offer."

To register to vote, see the new voting equipment or to ask questions about what can be found on the upcoming May 4 election, call the Elections Office.

*Amanda Duforat is the managing editor at the Big Spring Herald. To contact her email editor@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.*

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## Spring renovation project topic at Petroleum Museum



**A panel of delegates traveled to the Petroleum Museum on Tuesday for a presentation showcasing a video created by Tumbleweed Smith, about the Spring renovation project. The panel included Tumbleweed Smith, Aubrey Weaver, Kelly Cook with KDC Associates, Bruce Schooler and Debbie Wegman. The panel also discussed the history of the Spring, during the Brown Bag Luncheon.**

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## Obituaries

### Randall Thayne Amonett



Randall Thayne Amonett slipped the surly bonds of earth on March 15, 2019, after a short illness. Born April 22, 1954, in Vernon, Texas, he grew up in Crowell and Wellington. Upon completion of a Bachelor of Arts at Texas Tech University in 1976, he earned a Doctor of Dental Science degree through the University of Texas Health Sciences Center at San Antonio. After

three years in private practice, he moved to Big Spring, Texas, to work as Staff Dentist at the West Texas VA Medical Center. By the time he retired in 2014 with 30 years of service, he had attained the post of Chief of the Dental Service. Upon retirement, he and his wife, Donna, moved to their current residence in San Antonio.

Randy was preceded in death by his parents, Derward Thayne Amonett and Dorothy Maxine John-

son Amonett. His wife, Donna, and three sons, all of San Antonio, survive him, James Ashley Amonett and wife, Rocio; Andrew Aston and wife, Janis; and Aaron Aston and wife, Shayla; as well as his sister, Robin Greene and husband, Joe, of Cedar Park, Texas. He delighted in his grandchildren, Mackenzie, Emily, and Juliett Amonett; Brandon, Nathan, Britney, Courtney, and Lindsey Aston; Ashley Vera and husband Ivan; Kayla Gongora, all of San Antonio; Courtney Ramirez of Stephenville; and Christopher Aston of Parris Island, South Carolina; along with two great-granddaughters and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Services will be at Oak Hills Presbyterian Church in San Antonio, Texas. The family suggests contributions in his memory be made to the Randall T. Amonett, DDS Endowed Scholarship at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center at San Antonio, 7703 Floyd Curl Drive, MC 7835, San Antonio, Texas, 78229, or <https://makelivesbetter.uthscsa.edu/donate>. You may sign the guestbook at [www.missionparks.com](http://www.missionparks.com).

*Paid Obituary*

### Gayle (Mumsy) Bledsoe



Gayle (Mumsy) Bledsoe, 83, of Big Spring, Texas, died peacefully on March 17, 2019, at Park View Nursing Center. She was born June 30, 1935, in Spur, Texas, the daughter of J.C. (Chap) and Callie Mae Reese.

Gayle is survived by her former husband and friend Wade Bledsoe; one brother Collin Reese from Abilene; and three daughters,

Galynn Gamble and husband Terry, Jan Brady and husband Michael, Linda Hollingsworth and a daughter-in love Priscilla Enriquez. She is also survived by eight grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren; two nieces; and one nephew.

A memorial service will be held at Myers & Smith Funeral Home on Sunday, March 24, 2019 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Parkview Nursing and Rehab Activities Fund, 3200 Parkway, Big Spring, Texas 79720

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at [www.myersand-smith.com](http://www.myersand-smith.com).

## Police Blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **RICARDO MIGUEL CARLOS**, 26, of 1613 Harding St., was arrested on outstanding warrants.
- **JESUSITA MICHELE ZAPATA**, 42, of 701 Canary, was arrested on a warrant from another agency.
- **BENJAMIN NEAL-LEE HERBERT**, 32, of 1610 E. 15h St., was arrested on warrants for disregarding stop sign and expired registration.
- **REBECCA LYNN COMSTOCK**, 35, of 1408 Runnels St.,

was arrested on charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and theft of property (\$750-\$2,500).

- **LISA ANNE PETROWSKI**, 58, of 2803 Apache, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.
- **MANUEL REY CHAVARRIA**, 36, of 2535 Gunter Circle, was arrested on outstanding warrants.
- **GABRIEL GARZA**, 24, of 6107 N. Service Rd., was arrested on a charge of criminal trespass.
- **FOUND PROPERTY** was reported in the 2300 block of Wasson Rd.

• **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1200 block of Blackmon Ave., and in the 1500 block of Scurry St.

- **STOLEN VEHICLE** was reported in the 800 block of W. I-20.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 200 block of W. FM 700, and in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.
- **ACCIDENT MINOR** was reported in the 1000 block of N. Lamesa Hwy., and at FM 700 and Virginia.
- **INTOXICATED SUBJECT** was reported in the 2800 block of Navajo Dr.

## Sheriff

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

- Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 87 inmates at the time of this report.
- **RICARDO MIGUEL CARLOS**, 28, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for driving while license invalid, and violating promise to appear
  - **MANUEL RAY CHAVARRIA**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for parent contributing to non-attendance, and violating promise to appear.
  - **REBECCA LYNN COMSTOCK**, 36, was arrested by BSPD on charges of unauthorized use of a vehicle and theft of property (\$750-\$2,500).
  - **GABRIEL GARZA**, 24, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespass.
  - **BENJAMIN NEAL-LEE HERBERT**, 32, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for running a stop sign and displaying expired registration.
  - **LISA ANNE PETROWSKI**, 58, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
  - **JESUSITA MICHELLE ZAPATA**, 42, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for parent contributing to non-attendance.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2700 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Sycamore. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2100 block of Grace. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **PUBLIC SERVICE** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2700 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Support Groups

### 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. at 501

Birdwell Lane. For more information, email [francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org](mailto:francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.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.

## Take Note

• A fund has been set up to assist Debby Salazar-ValVerde with funeral expenses. If you would like to contribute, please stop by State National Bank and speak with Jeff Ward. Checks are to be made payable to "Patsy Rodriguez ITF Debbye ValVerde".

• 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.

• Keep Big Spring Beautiful meets at noon the first Monday of every month. We meet at Howard College in the Cactus Room. Our vision is that every Big Spring citizen will take individual responsibility for making Big Spring the most beautiful city in Texas. Visitors are always welcome. For more information call Tammy at 432-935-0057.

• Wildflower Ministries will have their next Foster Informational Meeting on Monday, March 11, 2019. This group meets at Trinity Baptist Church, 1701 E. FM 700. Have you ever considered fostering? Do you have questions? Wait no longer. Your opportunity is here. Come meet foster parents and a licensing professional to learn about fostering in Howard County. Please enter through the Northwest door in the back of the building.

• 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 April 1 and 2 at the old Lakeview High School, 1107 NW 7th St., at 5:30 p.m.

• The Academy, an optional program available to all Coahoma ISD students in the first through fifth grade, is now accepting applications for current students grades first through fifth for the 2019- 2020 academic year.

The program is designed to develop academic skills while emphasizing student responsibility, leadership, and self-confidence. It is structured to create an environment that allows flexible scheduling, hands-on learning, incorporation of music and movement into academic lessons while holding students to high expectations of responsibility.

Applicants and their parents must undergo an interview and complete an orientation prior to the start of the program.

Forms can be filled out in the Coahoma Elementary School office, 400 Ramsey, Street, Coahoma. Applications must be submitted no later than 3 p.m. Friday, Mar. 29, 2019.

Students who are already in the program will not have to re-apply.

• The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you.

• 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.

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# Weather



**Today:** Increasing clouds, with a high near 70. Southeast wind around 5 mph.

**Tonight:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 51. Southeast wind around 10 mph.

**Friday:** Scattered showers and thunderstorms after 8am. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 70. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph increasing to 15 to 20 mph in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 50%. New rainfall amounts of less than a tenth of an inch, except higher amounts possible in thunderstorms.

**Friday Night:** Showers and thunderstorms likely, mainly after 8pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 53. Southeast wind 10 to 15 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60%.

**Saturday:** Showers and thunderstorms likely before 8am. Mostly sunny, with a high near 79. Southwest wind around 10 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60%.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 52.

**Sunday:** Sunny, with a high near 78.

**Sunday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 50.

**Monday:** Sunny, with a high near 71.

**Monday Night:** Clear, with a low around 44.

**Tuesday:** Sunny, with a high near 66.

**Tuesday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 49.

**Wednesday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 72.

Weather courtesy National Weather Service via [forecast.weather.gov](http://forecast.weather.gov)

# COUNTY

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percent. That's a lot, a huge percentage, when they say it's only supposed to be what, around six percent a year? That's way over. So those are my concerns."

Thomason addressed Wiseman's open letter in his remarks.

"I have a response to the open letter from Howard County Judge Kathryn Wiseman she sent out Monday," he said. "Judge Wiseman and commissioners, as a citizen of Big Spring and Howard County, I speak in opposition to your stance regarding the bills currently under consideration by the Texas Legislature in the current session. I feel your statements regarding House Bill 2 and Senate Bill 2 do not represent the will of the citizens of Howard County. HB2 and SB2 quite simply puts the question of increased taxation back in local control; however, that local control isn't a type favored by most local politicians. It puts the control of tax increases directly in the hands of the citizens, where I think it belongs."

Thomason highlighted enormous increases in valuation by the Howard County Appraisal District, the group that sets the county's property values according to state law, and which is not under the direction of the County Commission.

"What to your thinking is so wrong about the citizens having a direct say over the tax increases? After all, isn't it our money?" Thomason asked. "I can assure you everyone expects you to be good stewards of our money, and for the most part, you are. I'm glad that, in your letter, an elected official finally recognizes that appraised property values in Howard County are high. You state the Texas Comptroller's Office maintains a six-percent increase in value annually. So explain to the citizens why some of their properties have been increased in taxable value as much as 100 percent, 300 percent, or, in one case I know of first-hand, over 1,000 percent. In that case, an unimproved lot jumped from a tax value of \$1,500 to \$19,000. The valuation of that particular piece of property was subsequently lowered to \$1,200 by a state-appointed mediator last year, and was increased back to the ridiculous amount of \$19,000 this year by the Howard County Central Appraisal District, again with no improvements to the lot. Stories like this abound in Howard County."

Thomason cited the example of Stafford, a city in Fort Bend County, Texas, which levies no property tax, and urged commissioners to "...try to get creative in pursuing other streams of revenue for the county."

Wiseman made a brief response to the remarks delivered by York and Thomason.

"We are not supposed to get in a debate on this since it is not on the agenda," she said. "I do want to note there is a difference between cities and counties. Cities are allowed to collect tax...I'm talking about sales tax...counties are not. The other thing is, we have no control over the Howard County Appraisal District or Appraisal Board. I just wanted to make that clear."

Following the meeting, Commissioner Craig Bailey commented on the issue, also noting that while

Howard County cannot, as a county, levy a sales tax, Stafford does levy a sales tax.

"Counties only derive their revenue from property taxes, and what the state would have you believe is that all the taxes that are being raised are discretionary. Some 80 percent of a county's budget is unfunded mandates from the state."

During the regular portion of the meeting, Howard County Road Commissioner Brian Klinksiek presented a bleak outlook in his Road Damage Report.

"This is the first really hard, extensive look at damage since we completed the roadway grant, because, generally for budgeting purposes I'm looking about three years ahead, and I've extended this about six years ahead."

Klinksiek's report shows the county's investment in road repairs aren't keeping pace with the damage.

"I've come to a combined total of about \$10 million in efforts that we've put in to updating our roadway system since I showed a \$22 million road damage report in 2014. Logically you'd think we'd be down around \$12 million now, and the truth is it's gone the other way, and this Road Damage Report is up around \$52 million," Klinksiek said. "Basically it stems from this - I mean, I want to note the commitment of Howard County...I want to note the dedication of my staff in trying to fix things...plus the grant - but we have a continuing increase in traffic. Just drive around a little bit and you will see it and feel it. We also have had a significant amount of pipeline work going on, which means we have companies routinely moving 200,000-pound trenchers across my poor little old broken-back roads, and we just can't keep up. I'm outnumbered. I'm extensively outnumbered."

Commissioners also:

- Adopted a resolution asking the state legislature to extend the designation of Interstate 27 through Howard County;
- Approved a resolution to adopt new voting equipment and procedures;
- Approved guidelines for tax abatement incentives;
- Tabled payment of invoices from Harris Corporation, the company providing the joint Howard County/City of Big Spring radio system, pending delivery of radios which have not yet been received;
- Approved the annual financial report by Roberts and McGee CPA firm;
- Approved the ACA Reporting and Tracking Services agreement.

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Captain Francisco Pedro "Pete" Rodriguez, 68, died Saturday. Funeral mass will be at 10 a.m. this morning at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Charles C. "Matt" Matthews, (TSGT, Retired) 84, died Friday. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. today at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Gayle (Mumsy) Bledsoe, 83, died Sunday. A memorial service will be held at Myers & Smith Funeral Home on Sunday, March 24, 2019 at 2 p.m.

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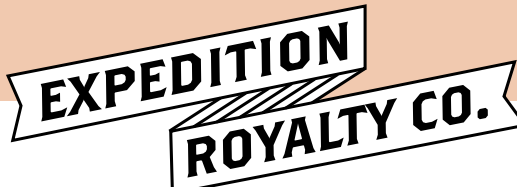
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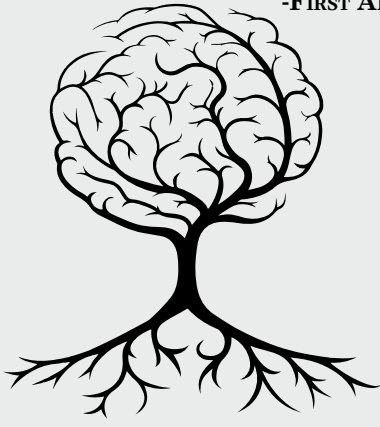
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“Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for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

-FIRST AMENDMENT



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## DAILY PRAYER

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### Cindy's Bookshelf

# The child noone forgot

**T**he *Child* by Fiona Barton is a riveting mystery that shows what happens when little white lies become scars that define us.



CINDY PINCH

When the body of a newborn is found in the rubble of an old house, questions are raised. Who did the baby belong to? How did it end up buried and forgotten beneath an old house? Kate Waters, a journalist who will not rest until she uncovers the truth about the baby, investigates the neighborhood surrounding the site.

As she investigates, she learns secrets from the past of old residents. Before long she isn't sure what she can and cannot tell as the secrets grow deeper and darker than ever before.

Kate is tired of the monotonous routine that her investigative journalism career has taken. She longs for the thrill of chasing down leads and doing more than rewriting the "same old rubbish with a few frills."

But, then she hears the news of the 'Building Site Baby,' and she realizes she has to find answers. As she begins her investigation, she uncovers connections to a horrendous crime

that occurred decades earlier: a newborn baby was stolen from a local hospital shortly after being born.

The parents and police were unable to find any information about what really happened, but Kate begins to wonder if the two incidents are somehow more connected than what anyone thought previously.

Angela gave birth to a baby girl and while sleeping off her medication and exhaustion from labor, her baby was stolen out from under her.

She has spent decades mourning the loss of the child she did not get the chance to raise. When the news of the Building Site Baby headlines every major network and publication, the grief of her loss mixes with hope that she might finally gain closure. Especially when she agrees to an interview with Kate Waters.

"The problem is that a secret takes on a life of its own over time. I used to believe if I didn't think about what happened, it would shrivel and die. But it didn't." (*The Child, Fiona Barton*).

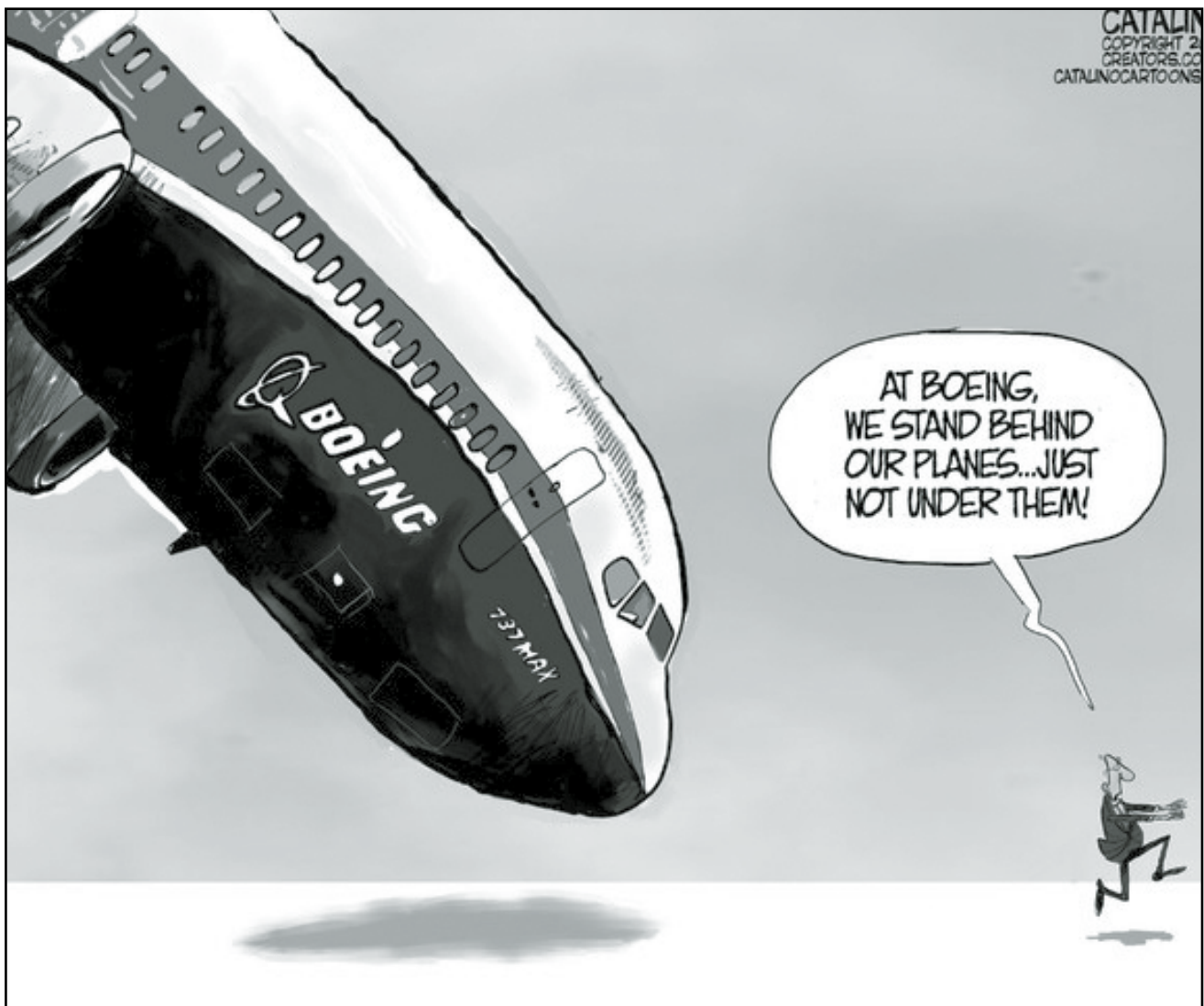
For Emma, life with her mother was never easy. For one, they could never agree on men. Or at

least, the men that Jude brought home. Emma left home as soon as she could and rarely sees her mother. When she hears news about the Building Site Baby, Emma drops into a dark depression that brings up awful memories of her childhood and teenage years.

As the investigation continues and the plot thickens, Kate begins to wonder if Emma's mother knows more than she has let on. *The Child* by Fiona Barton is an excellent mystery that will keep you riveted from start to finish. You won't be able to put the book down until you figure out who the Building Site Baby is. Just when you think you know the answer, a twist in the plot will change your mind. I recommend this book for anyone who loves mysteries.

Fiona Barton is the New York Times bestselling author of *The Widow*. She trains and works with journalists all over the world. Before publishing her novels, she worked as a senior writer at the Daily Mail and as a news editor at the Daily Telegraph. Fiona was a chief reporter at the Mail on Sunday - where she won Reporter of the Year at the British Press Awards.

She was born in Cambridge, England and she currently lives in southwest France. For more information on Fiona, as well as a complete listing of her novels, visit [fionabartonauthor.com](http://fionabartonauthor.com).



# My best friend ...

**W**hen taking care

of your own health I think the first thing everyone should do is think about what they would do with a prized possession.

What do you do with the dream house you saved all your life to build or buy? What do you do with the souped up car or truck you always wanted? How would you treat your best friend?

Well, let me tell you, anyone would take care of their most prized possession, and that my friends is how we should treat our own body and mind to keep it healthy both physically and mentally.

Cleaning: The first thing you would do for your house, your car or anything you placed value on would be to make sure it was spotless. We need to transfer that type of care over to our bodies and make sure that we maintain proper hygiene by bathing or cleaning ourselves.

Proper hygiene can prevent



JOSEPH CHAVEZ

the spread of disease like the flu and even RSV, which many of us contract in the fall and winter - throughout the year actually.

Fuel: The next thing you would do to maintain your prized possession would be to put in the best fuel possible.

Everyone needs to eat right, proper nutrition is how we maintain the right fuel level.

Yes, you do know how to eat right. (Even though many of us think we do not, we do.)

We have been taught proper nutrition since kindergarten, but we tend to forget or follow what we know, due to busy schedules and convenience.

For those who want to brush up on the knowledge, there are countless books about nutrition and there is always Facebook, Pinterest and even Google. (*Social media saves the day.*)

Cooling system: You would make sure your dream house is well heated in the winter and cooled in the summer - that is what we should do with our bodies and minds.

Treating yourself like you

would be a best friend, the love of your life, or your dream car or home requires strength. You have to stay focused and keep yourself strong and build endurance.

To keep yourself strong you must work for it, which means exercise.

I read a saying somewhere and now I always say it; if you cannot run, you walk, and if you cannot walk you lift.

When you exercise, start off slow or if you lift start off with light weight - don't worry about being at the top of the class, just join the class.

Even the best of athletes had to start from the beginning and that is always with one, so start your Day 1.

Be positive with yourself and do not put yourself down. Remember, everything worth doing takes hard work, and when we fall we must get back up to live the best life and try, try again, and that is success.

It does not matter who you are or what you do. It is your decision to take care of yourself, your body and mind like you are your own prized possession, your dream home, your dream car, your best friend.



# BSHS One Act Play competing at District



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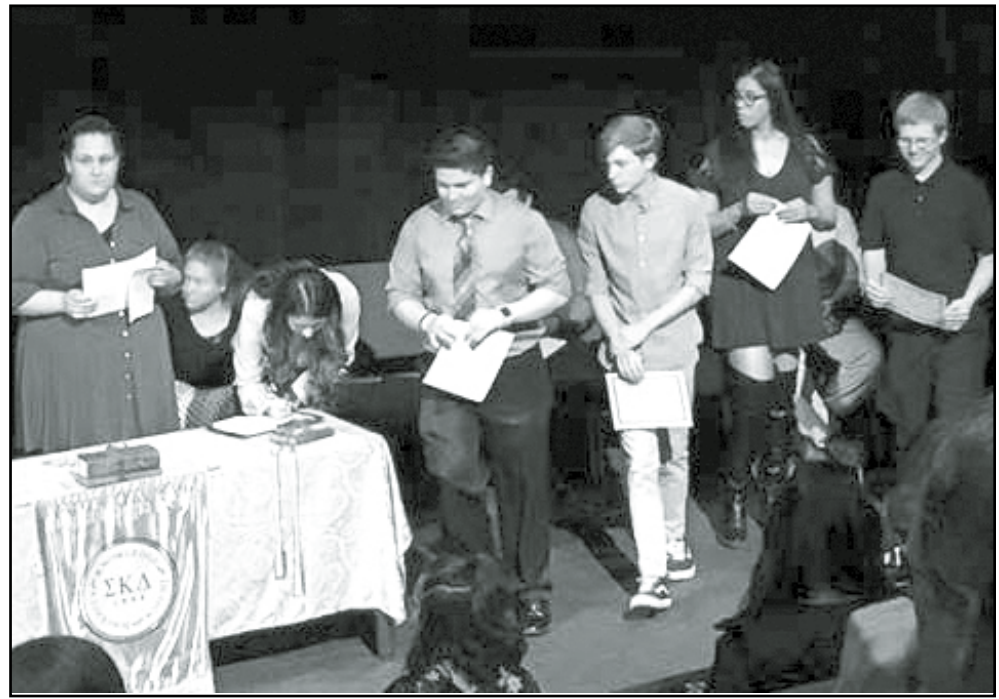
Pictured above: The Big Spring High School One Act Play will be competing at the District Meet today. The group will be performing Anna in the Tropics. Cast includes: Malachi Allen, Sebastian Cervantez, Deon Williams, Theran Sealy, Kaelob Stewart, Evelyn Diosdado, Jordan Cervantez, Belicia Hernandez. The Crew is: Makynsa Norman, Brent Bills, Cheyenne Griffith, Savannah Grigg, and Jon Barreras. Alternates include: Chasity Patton, Zach Rios, Orlando Martinez Jr.

Courtesy photos

Pictured right and below: Howard College inducted new members to Sigma Kappa Delta and Phi Theta Kappa, on Wednesday, at a joint induction ceremony.

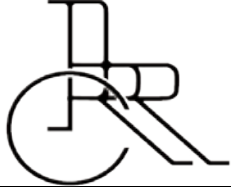
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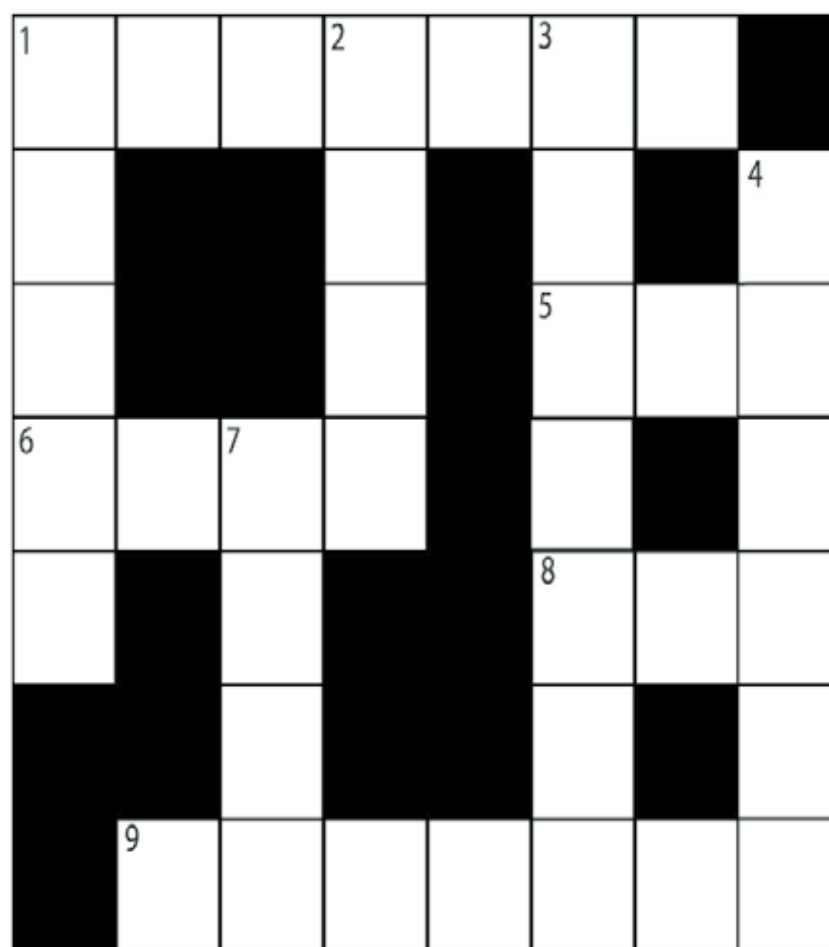
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## Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

- Musical pieces
- Small child
- Way out
- Stiff bristle on many grasses
- Virtuoso solo

### DOWN

- Pitches in music
- Rhythmical sound
- Teach again
- A verse
- Thought or suggestion

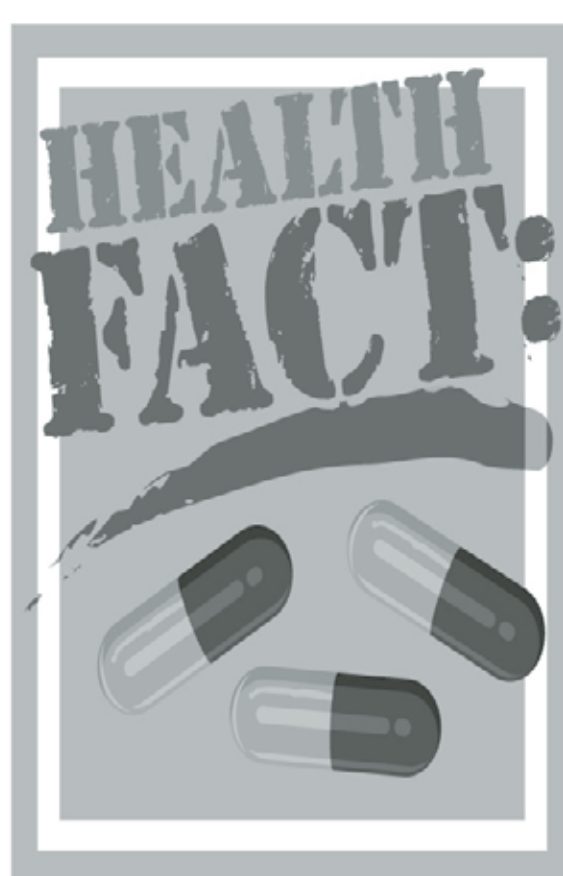
Answers:  
Across  
1. Numbers 5. Tot 6. Exit 8. Awn 9. Cadenza  
Down  
1. Notes 2. Beat 3. Retain 4. Stanza 7. Idea

## THIS DAY IN...



## HISTORY

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LISTENING TO MUSIC CAN DECREASE LEVELS OF CORTISOL IN THE BODY, WHICH CAN HELP REDUCE WHAT?

ANSWER: STRESS

## New Word

### TEMPO

speed at which music should be played

## How they SAY that in...

**ENGLISH:** Instrument

**SPANISH:** Instrumento

**ITALIAN:** Strumento

**FRENCH:** Instrument

**GERMAN:** Instrument

## Did you know?

JOHN C. KOSS, A MILWAUKEE JAZZ MUSICIAN, INVENTED THE FIRST STEREO HEADPHONES IN 1958. HE DID THIS SO LISTENERS COULD ENJOY LISTENING TO LPS AT HOME.



## GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: VIOLIN



# THE LASSO

*BSHS's weekly update*

## Spring has sprung at more than the high school

By COLONEL ALLEN "M" MORRIS  
Communications Director @ Big Spring High

It's a Potpourri of things this week as the race is on for the finish line: Graduation May 24th. A few of the upcoming events are: Prom is just around the corner, scheduling for new classes is happening for the underclassmen, spring sports are happening, the groundwork is being laid for the next school year, the Seniors are selecting the superlatives, band is gearing up for its spring concert as is theatre's One Act Play and the cross-examine debate team is currently at state competition.

Prom will be April 6, at the high school. First, there will be a Photo Party at Hotel Settles, and then the students will dance the night away under the stars.

The counseling staff is gearing up with class options and scheduling for the coming school year. The Career Tech department at the high school is making commercials and posting them to the high school's news YouTube channel. Over the coming days, more videos will be added to help the students make more informed decisions about their futures. You can see these commercials by going to the high school's web-page and clicking on the Announcements button. To see the welding promo go to <https://youtu.be/pq33GYdsJ0g>

The spring sports and events are overwhelming, but you can keep up with what's going on by visiting the athletic web-page that is listed on the school district's website.

The yearbook staff is getting ready for the senior class to select the Superlatives. There is no truth to the rumor that one will be "The most likely to execute the most clever senior prank." The categories are the traditional ones with a few news ones thrown in. Yearbooks are on sale at a 20 percent discount compliments of Balfour at [www.Balfour.com](http://www.Balfour.com).

The yearbooks will include photos from graduation so there will be a late summer or fall delivery.

The Communications Department is currently planning for a Movies Under The Stars night by showing movies on the football field. Those details are being worked out, and it is hopeful the locally produced Carnage Radio will be one of the films featured. Spectators will be encouraged to bring blankets, lawn chairs, coolers and picnic baskets.

The students who are ramping up for Girls State and Boys State are meeting with local elected officials to better learn how the political process works. The students are Andrew Roberts and Kimberly Chapel. The details of this adventure will be covered in greater detail another day.

The robotic events within the school district are happening and again, these details will be covered soon in a feature article.

The Candidate Forum that is being hosted by the leadership students at the high school had to be postponed due to a the fact that the filing date for the city was extended until tomorrow, March 25. The new Candidate Forum date will be announced soon. Each candidate in the city and school races will be invited to come to the high school and answer question about his or her positions. This will be broadcast several ways and available to be seen on YouTube after the Forum.

Efforts are afoot to create a Comic Book club at the high school with the desire to create student-produced podcasts for YouTube similar to the Movies on the Radio Show that were hosted by KBYG. The Comic Book Club plans to work with younger students to help them tell their stories and find their voices by making their own comic books.

These are just a few of the events and activities helping BSHS students learn, grow and mature as BSHS is a Happening Place!



Col. Allen "M." Morris

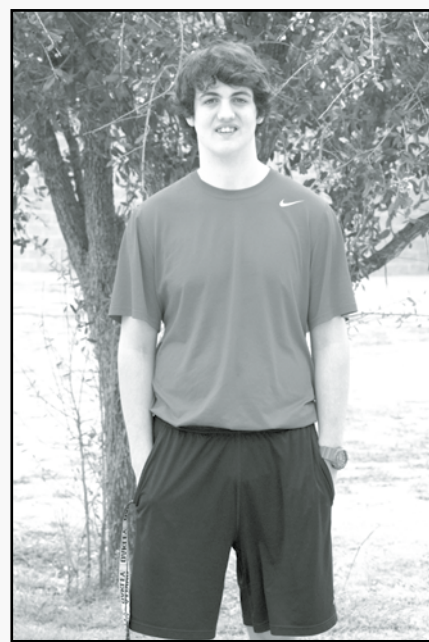
## Academic Star Student of the Week *Jaxon Mueller, Coahoma High School*

Jaxon Muller, a senior at Coahoma High School, is the Outstanding Academic Student of the Week.

"I want to thank everyone who has helped put me where I am today and pushed me to excel in all aspects of my life," Jaxon said. "Everything I have been able to achieve and plan to achieve in the future is not because of me, but because of God. I continue to thank him for blessing me with friends and family who have wanted me to succeed in my life and in my faith."

Jaxon is one of the leaders of the outstanding Coahoma High School Band drum corp. Most of his extra time is dedicated to the band program, and he has received a number of awards. He was named the band's outstanding sophomore, outstanding junior, outstanding percussionist, and received a dedication award.

Academics are also a strong part of his life. He has been on both the A and A-B honor rolls from the time he was a freshman in high school. He was named the outstanding Pre-Calculus student for the 2017-2018 school year.



Following graduation, Jaxon will head to Angelo State University this fall to pursue a degree in business

"I plan to continue being in band as an extracurricular activity," he said. "Being that this is my last summer, of course, I am going to have a lot of fun making it worthwhile. I still am not entirely sure on a career I want pursue, but I'm sure I will find something I love doing within my time at ASU."

Jaxon is the son of Ben and Sheena Muller.

### Congratulations, Jaxon!

## Forsan Weekly Update:



### Monday:

Talent Show Auditions

7:00 Board Meeting

8:00 - One-Act Play - Public performance in the auditorium

### Tuesday:

Talent Show Auditions

JV Tennis @ Snyder

JV Baseball @ Coahoma (4:30)

Softball vs Seagraves (5:00)

### Wednesday:

Higher Education Day - Support your local college or University

Talent Show Auditions

JH Spring pictures

Boys & Girls golf @ Bentwood CC

### Thursday:

Sophomore Class Meeting @ 10:30

V Tennis @ Snyder

HS Track @ Christoval (3:30)

### Friday:

Math Data Dig (Region 18 on Campus) @ 8:00

JH Track @ Stanton

Baseball vs Monahans (6:00)

### Saturday:

UIL One-Act Play Competition

Softball vs Westbrook (Doubleheader @ 10:30)

# The Buffalo Bulletin

## Coaches' impact on students

By KATIE AVERETTE  
Forsan High School Class of 2020

Coaches can be some of the best leaders for students. Coaches impact students everyday, positively and negatively. One of the most impactful things for a coach to do is to reach above the standard and workout with their athletes. Working out with their students allows for the athletes to be encouraged to work harder, and earns more respect for the coach, allowing the athletes to experience true leadership.

Athletes never want to let their coach down, even outside of competition. Many students work hard when competing, but want to work hard during practices as well. When the coach is working out with the student instead of just barking orders at them, they may feel encouraged to work harder. Students may find one particular exercise impossible, but having their coach working as hard as they are is really motivating.

On top of encouraging students more, it also makes the students respect the coach more. Athletes learn to respect their coaches because they are the boss, but also because they will help them become the best athlete they are able to be. When a student sees that the coach is willing to work by their side, they see how much their coach wants them to succeed. Working out with the student

not only encourages them, but it makes the athlete see that the coach isn't willing to give up on them; therefore, the student gains more respect for their coach.

Coaches are teachers and motivators but most of all they are leaders. When a leader works alongside their followers it creates a sense of mutual respect. Coaches are in charge of the athletes, but when a coach works out with their athlete they show that aren't above the work that they make their athlete put in. Coaches are to inspire athletes with their actions and not just their words. By doing this, the coaches are helping their athletes become leaders.

A downfall that the athlete may face is not being able to encourage themselves. If a coach is always the one encouraging their student, the student will not learn how to encourage themselves. Athletes are expected to encourage and better themselves without someone having to tell them; having a coach working out with them can cause them to be reliant on other people to help them.

Coaches have a big impact on their athletes, even when they may not be able to see it. Even more so when a coach works out with their team. It shows them true leadership, amazing encouragement, and creates a different, better type of respect for the coach. Coaches should hop on the track or lift a few weights with their team every once and a while.



Katie Averette



# Coahoma's Cutter Atkins makes hole-in-one at Coahoma Invitational golf tournament

### Special to the Herald

Cutter Atkins had a pretty good day at the Coahoma High School Golf Invitational held on Monday at the Comanche Trail Golf Course. In fact, he had amazing golf on the links.

The Coahoma students hit a hole-in-one on the 141 yard, par 3 15th hole using an 8 iron. Overall, Atkins carded a round of 93 which was enough to earn third place in the medalist standings and with his outstanding performance, he helped lead his team to a second place finish.

His fellow CHS teammates also performed well. Ky Kemper shot 96 and finished fourth in the individual medal standings while A.J. Gutierrez, Alex Gonzales, and Aaron Turnbough finished in a round of 102, 117, and 117 respectively.

For the Coahoma girls team, Julia Cox led the way finishing at 109 and tied for third in the medalist standings. Providence

Dickson was just 10 shots behind Cox and carded a round of 119.

Hartlie Smithie and Brianna Coskey also played well. Smithie and Coskey shot 120 and 140 respectively. The CHS girls team ended second in the team standings.

Coahoma High School Invitations  
Comanche Trail Park Golf Course  
Monday, March 18, 2019

Individual standings (Coahoma only)

Boys  
Cutter Atkins - 93  
Ky Kemper - 96  
A.J. Gutierrez - 102  
Alex Gonzales - 117  
Aaron Turnbough - 117

Girls (Coahoma only)

Julia Cox - 109  
Providence Dickson - 119  
Hartlie Smithie - 120

Brianna Coskey - 140

Medalist Standings - Boys

1 - Issac Brann, Anson, 88  
2 - Christian Sanchez-Davila, Loraine, 89  
3 - Cutter Atkins, Coahoma, 93  
4 - Ky Kemper, Coahoma, 96  
5 - Tyler Rivera, Westbrook - 97

Medalist Standings - Girls

1 - Kylee Nash, Anson, 99  
2 - Samantha Simmons, Anson, 105  
3 - Alexandria Mitchell, Anson, 109  
3 - Julia Cox, Coahoma, 109  
5. Brooke Teichman, Anson, 117

Team Standings - Boys

1 - Westbrook No 1 - 403  
2 - Coahoma - 408  
3 - Westbrook No 2 - 487

Team Standings - Girls

1 - Anson - 430  
2 - Coahoma - 488



Courtesy photo/CISD media

Coahoma High School golfer Cutter Atkins hit a hole-in-one on the 141 yard, par 3 15th hole using an 8 iron, during the CHS Invitational tournament held at Comanche Trail Park on Monday. Cutter finished third in the medalist standings.



Courtesy photo/CISD media

Pictured are the Coahoma High School boys team who earned second place at the CHS Invitational tournament held at Comanche Trail Park on Monday. Pictured are Ky Kemper, Alex Gonzales, Cutter Atkins, Coach Kim Nichols, Aaron Turnbough, and A.J. Gutierrez.



Courtesy photo/CISD media

Pictured are the Coahoma High School girls team who earned second place at the CHS Invitational tournament held at Comanche Trail Park on Monday. Pictured are Brianna Coskey, Julia Cox, Coach Kim Nichols, Hartlie Smithie, and Providence Dickson.

## Bulldogettes drop district game to Anson

### Special to the Herald

COAHOMA — The Bulldogettes dropped a district game against Anson 8-5 on Tuesday evening.

The two teams remained scoreless for the first two innings of play then Anson earned three runs in the third. The Bulldogettes answered back their next time at bat when Madison Rodgers hit a two RBI homer to right field.

The Lady Tigers padded their score with three runs in the third inning and two more in the sixth, but the Bulldogettes began to turn around the game at their next at-bat.

After getting on base, both Rogers and Lexi Montelongo took full advantage of errors by the Lady Tigers to steal home. Up next, Jaydan Mann belted a single to left field to get on first base and quickly stole second. The Coahoma High School senior was brought home by Macee Grant who singled on a ground ball.

However, Anson cut the rally short

by catching a runner at third base for the last out and kept the Bulldogettes off base in the bottom of the seventh inning for the win.

Rodgers went 2-for-4 at the plate with a double, two runs, a home run, and two RBIs. Montelongo earned a run and stole two bases. Cassie Grant had a double.

Next: Coahoma is at Colorado City on Friday. Game time is 5 p.m.

ANSON 8, COAHOMA 5

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W — Landry Overby , L — Cassie Grant. 2B — AHS — Trista McIntire, Malenna Lozano, CHS — C. Grant, Madison Rodgers. HR — AHS — Overby; CHS — Rodgers. SB — AHS — Hanna Jones, CHS — Lexi Montelongo 2, Jaydan Mann, Rodgers.

Pitches-Strikes: C. Grant 76-53; MaKynlee Overton 61-36.



Courtesy photo/Lyndel Moody

Bulldogette Madison Rodgers, No. 2, is greeted by her team after hitting an home run Tuesday, during the Coahoma Bulldogette/Anson Lady Tiger softball game held in Coahoma.

## Coahoma loses big to Anson 16-1

### Special to the Herald

COAHOMA — A late game offensive drive by the Anson Tigers cost the Coahoma Bulldogs a district match Tuesday. Coahoma lost 16-1.

Chris Castillo was solid on the mound for the Bulldogs. He surrendered only two hits and one run while striking out two batters over four innings.

Anson got on the scoreboard first with a run in the first inning but the game was tied in the fourth thanks to a solo homer by Coahoma's Isaac Murillo off a fly ball to center field on a 2-2 count. Earlier in the match, Murillo made some spectacular stops in the infield to keep Anson off the bases.

Anson came back in the last three

innings to score 15 runs to secure the victory.

Murillo went 1-for-3 at bat with one run, a home run, and one RBI. Zack Schneider and Castillo both had hits.

Next: Coahoma at Colorado City, 7 p.m. Friday.

ANSON 16, COAHOMA 1

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W — Brann, L — Avry Burgans. 2B — AHS — Fladeger 2, Hagler 2, Hagler. 3B — AHS — Brann. HR — CHS — Isaac Murillo. SB — AHS — Hagler 2, Garcia, CHS — Zack Schneider.

Pitches-Strikes: Castillo 54-31, Burgans 102-51, Schneider 26-16



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Chris Castillo prepares to throw the pitch to an Anson Tiger during the Coahoma Bulldog/Anson Tiger varsity baseball game held Tuesday, March 19, in Coahoma.



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the side yard setback as five feet (5') for Single Family Dwelling (SF-2). The applicant is requesting a five-foot (5') encroachment into the required side yard setback, resulting in a side yard setback of zero feet (0'), for a side yard carport.

April Martinez, 3226 Drexel, Lt 24, Bk 26, College Park is requesting a variance to the City of Big Spring Zoning Ordinance, Article 4, Section 4-1, Appendix (C) and Article 4, Section 4-6, Appendix (A) and (E) which regulates the front yard setback as twenty-five feet (25') for Single Family Dwelling (SF-2). The applicant is requesting a four-foot (4') encroachment into the required front yard setback, resulting in a front yard setback of twenty-one feet (21'), for a front yard carport.

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**Dear Annie:** I read your response to "Loving Mother," whose children bought her gift cards to clothing stores rather than generic, credit card-type gift cards. Though I agree that honesty is the best policy, perhaps her children were actually trying to give her a subtle hint that she needs new clothing. My mother started to lose weight as she got older but insisted that her clothing was still adequate, even though it was hanging off of her. Not to mention the fact that after many years, clothing simply wears out. Perhaps her children were just trying to be kind and not point out that her attire is old or worn. After reading so many other letters you receive from parents who are ignored, I hope "Loving Mother" takes the opportunity to open a real conversation

## Annie's Mailbox

with her children. -- Loving Daughter

**Dear Loving Daughter:** Thank you for sharing your story with us and promoting open and honest conversations with family members.

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The owner might also talk to the vet to make

## Dear Annie: I read the letter from "Dad of a Dieting Doggo" and would like to share my experience. I thought my rescue dog was lazy because she lagged behind on walks and had no energy. A friend suggested thyroid testing. It turns out that my dog had such an underactive thyroid that it barely registered on the test. After a few days on the thyroid medication, she had plenty of energy and was enjoying her walks. The dad of the overweight dog might consider having his pup tested. -- Concerned Dog Lover

sure the dog is on the best food. There are some prescription diets that can help dogs lose weight more aggressively. Additionally, cutting down on the food given per meal and adding low-sodium green beans or other healthful vegetables for a dog can help dogs sense fullness with a lot fewer calories. Finally, the serving size on the dog food's label is a recommendation, not a requirement. A dog may not need as much food as the bag recommends. The owner needs to learn more about the dog as they are together and play around with portion size to figure out what would be best long term when the dog gets to an ideal weight.

It can be done, but the owner needs to expect gradual weight loss, as that is way healthier than having a dog drop weight quickly.

Love reading your advice! -- An Experienced Dog Lover

## Dear Dog Lovers:

Thank you both for these great letters regarding the sweet overweight dog.

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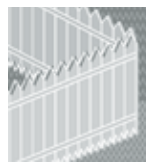
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Tomorrow's Horoscope

Venus and Mars Strive

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** So many people push feelings to the bottom of the drawer in hopes that they'll disappear, but of course, it doesn't work that way. Feelings have to be felt in order to be processed.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** You're not afraid to jump into the action today and take responsibility for getting a few things done. You're building emotional muscle tone and increasing your capability. The more you do, the easier it is for you to do more.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** You could go on quietly putting up with someone's less-than-optimum behavior, but should you? With one small correction, you could make it stop. Consider the consequences carefully, as this could be worth the risk.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** When your self-control plummets (for reasons mysterious to you), you might consider going the opposite direction. Maybe you were be-

ing too strict. What about doing nothing? Surely, that has merits as well.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** You'll branch out, explore, express yourself in a number of mediums, work with a variety of people. This you're allowed to do, as everyone is -- though few will be as adventurous as you.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** The way you express yourself is very specific to you. Certain common words just don't suit you; there are manners and exchanges that just don't feel natural to you. You're unique, and people are loving that about you today.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** Sometimes it does feel like you're not entirely responsible for your works, as though you're inhabited by a mysterious self and just as surprised as anyone by what you come up with.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** There's much that needs to be accomplished, so the tone gets a little more serious than perhaps it needs to be,

and someone like you has just the attitude needed to lighten things up.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** While it isn't possible to see the situation exactly as others do, attempts at this will bring a much-needed new angle. (You might be surprised by how rare it is that anyone even tries to find a different perspective!)

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** You're feeling not quite your age, or rather, you're identifying with people of different generations. and this brings a bit of welcome excitement and disarray to your day.

By HOLIDAY MATHIS



**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** People will be speculating about what can and cannot be done, and today, they will be mostly wrong

about this. So instead of fretting over possibilities and impossibilities, jump in and start building.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** You don't have to know how a thing is made to use it well. In fact, you'll use a certain tool differently than its creator intended, and in this way, you're pushing the technology forward.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (March 21).** You see the world a certain way, and it will fit nicely into your framework. Your positive

**ASTROLOGICAL QUESTION:** "I'm a Pisces guy (March 4), and I've been long-time friends with a Leo girl (July 27). We've been dating for a few months, and now she wants me to be her boyfriend. I like her, but part of me wants to keep her at arm's length for some reason. I want to remain friends even if we don't take our relationship any further."

Trust your Pisces intuition. Your moon is in Leo, and you've got fire signs in your chart that make you very compatible with this girl. But she needs a lot of attention and time from a boyfriend, and you need to develop in other areas of your life before you'd be willing to give her the level of interest she requires. It's going to be hard to go

back to being friends now that you've crossed that line. (When Leo women get their feelings hurt or their ego bruised, it's not pretty.) But if you reach a comfortable point in your romantic relationship, you can at least keep things from going further. She will get bored of staying in the same place for too long and break up with you. That's one way I see you can remain friends.

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** Though she is well-known for her work in romantic comedies such as "Election" and "Legally Blonde," versatile Aries Reese Witherspoon is equally convincing in other sorts of roles, which lately have crossed into the realm of activism and design. Natal sun, moon and Mars in Aries indicate a fiery, passionate intensity of spirit. Witherspoon's Mercury and Saturn are in artistic Pisces.

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Level: Intermediate

Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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ANSWER:

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

A matter of self-confidence

South dealer.  
East-West vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ A Q J 7  
♥ Q 6  
♦ 10 8 3  
♣ 10 7 6 2

**WEST**  
♠ 10 9 6 3  
♥ 9 3  
♦ K J 7 6 4 2  
♣ 5

**EAST**  
♠ 8 4 2  
♥ 5  
♦ A Q 9 5  
♣ A J 9 8 3

**SOUTH**  
♠ K 5  
♥ A K J 10 8 7 4 2  
♦ —  
♣ K Q 4

The bidding:  
South West North East  
2♣\* Pass 2♠ Pass  
3♥ Pass 4♥ Pass  
6♥

\* strong, artificial  
Opening lead — five of clubs.

This deal occurred in a high-stakes, high-level rubber-bridge game. It graphically demonstrates why a player must have the courage of his convictions.

West led the club five against six hearts, East playing the ace and South the queen. Then, despite the temptation to try to cash the ace of diamonds

at trick two — which would have handed declarer the slam — East returned a club, and West ruffed to sink the contract.

How come East was so smart, you may ask. The answer, when you get right down to it, is fairly simple. East realized that West might have led the club five from a holding of 5-4 doubleton, but he also realized that the five could be a singleton and that declarer's play of the queen at trick one might be a falsecard.

Beyond that, however, there was an even more persuasive reason to return a club instead of the ace of diamonds. East correctly judged that South could not have a diamond loser and bid the way he did. (Remember, this was a high-level game.)

It would not have made any sense for declarer to leap from four hearts to six with a hand such as ♠ Kxx ♥ AKJ10xxx ♦ K ♣ KQ. With this hand, or another one like it, South surely would have used Blackwood to find out how many aces his partner had before bidding slam.

It's true that East had to have a lot of faith in his own reasoning to refrain from playing the diamond ace at trick two, but that's what any good player has to have plenty of.

Tomorrow: Test your play.  
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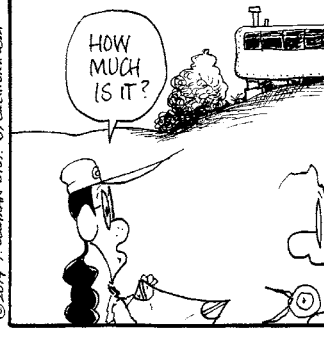


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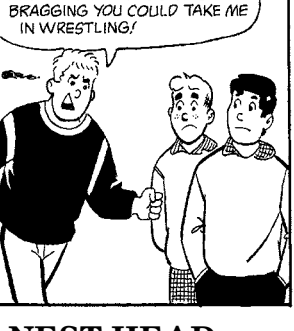
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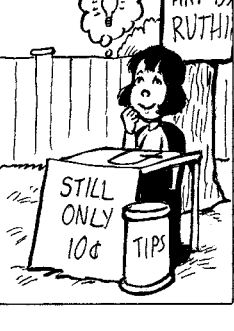
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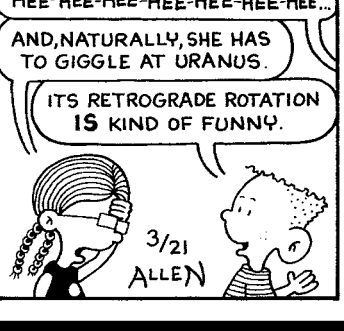
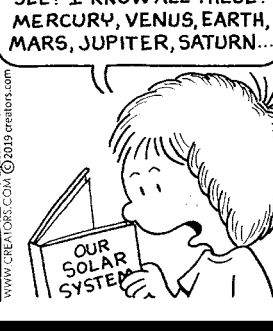
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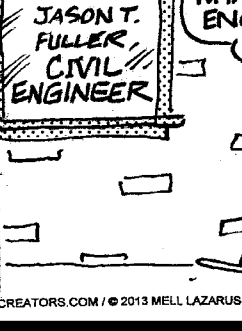
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## This Date In History

**Today in History**  
By The Associated Press un- defined

**Today in History**  
Today is Thursday, March 21, the 80th day of 2019. There are 285 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
On March 21, 2006, the social media website Twitter was established with the sending of the first "tweet" by co-founder Jack Dorsey, who wrote: "just setting up my twttr."

On this date:  
In 1556, Thomas Cranmer, the former Archbishop of Canterbury, was burned at the stake for heresy.  
In 1685, composer Johann Sebastian Bach was born in Eisenach, Germany.  
In 1788, fire broke out in New Orleans on Good Friday, destroying 856 out of more than 1,100 structures; one death was reported.  
In 1918, during World War I, Germany launched its Spring Offensive on the Western Front, hoping to break through the Allied lines before American reinforcements could arrive. (Although successful at first, the Spring Offensive ultimately failed.)  
In 1925, Tennessee Gov. Austin Peay (pee) signed the Butler Act, which prohibited the teaching of the Theory of Evolution in public schools. (Tennessee repealed the law in 1967.)  
In 1935, Persia officially changed its name to Iran.  
In 1945, during World War II, Allied bombers began four days of raids over Germany.  
In 1963, the Alcatraz federal prison island in San Francisco Bay was emptied of its last inmates and closed at the order of Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.  
In 1976, champion skier Vladimir "Spider" Sabich was shot and killed by his girlfriend, actress-singer Claudine Longet, in the home they had shared in Aspen, Colorado; Longet, who maintained the shooting was an accident, served 30 days in jail for negligent homicide.  
In 1981, Michael Donald, a black teenager in Mobile, Alabama, was abducted, tortured and killed by members of the Ku Klux Klan. (A lawsuit brought by Donald's mother, Beulah Mae Donald, later resulted in a landmark judgment that bankrupted one Klan organization.)  
In 1990, Namibia became an independent nation as the former colony marked the end of 75 years of South African rule.  
In 2007, former Vice Presi-

dent Al Gore made an emotional return to Congress as he pleaded with House and Senate committees to fight global warming; skeptical Republicans questioned the science behind his climate-change documentary, "An Inconvenient Truth."  
Ten years ago: In Oakland, Calif., parolee Lovelle Mixon shot and killed two motorcycle officers, then killed two SWAT team members while holed up in an apartment before he was killed by law enforcement. A busload of activists representing working- and middle-class families paid visits to the lavish Connecticut homes of American International Group executives to protest the tens of millions of dollars in bonuses awarded by the struggling insurance company after it had received a massive federal bailout. Iran's Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khomeini (hah-meh-neh-EE') dismissed overtures from President Barack Obama, saying Tehran did not see any change in U.S. policy under its new administration.  
Five years ago: A federal judge ruled that Michigan's ban on gay marriage was unconstitutional, striking down a law widely embraced by voters a decade earlier. (More than 300 same-sex couples in four Michigan counties wed the next day before an appeals court suspended the decision; two Detroit-area nurses are asking the U.S. Supreme Court to overturn the marriage ban.) Character actor James Rebhorn, 65, died in South Orange, New Jersey.  
One year ago: As a SWAT team moved in on his SUV, Mark Conditt, the suspect in the deadly bombings that had terrorized Austin, Texas for three weeks, used one of his own devices to take his own life. Facebook CEO Mark Zuckerberg apologized for a "major breach of trust;" the apology came after it was revealed that the data mining firm Cambridge Analytica, whose clients included the Trump campaign, may have used data improperly obtained from Facebook users to try to sway elections. The fourth nor'easter in three weeks dumped more than a foot of snow on some parts of

the East Coast.  
Today's Birthdays: Actress Kathleen Widdoes is 80. Songwriter Chip Taylor ("Wild Thing") is 79. Folk-pop singer-musician Keith Potger (The Seekers) is 78. Actress Marie-Christine Barault is 75. Singer-musician Rose Stone (Sly and the Family Stone) is 74. Actor Timothy Dalton is 73. Singer Ray Dorset (Mungo Jerry) is 73. Sing-

er Eddie Money is 70. Rock singer-musician Roger Hodgson (Supertramp) is 69. Rock musician Conrad Lozano (Los Lobos) is 68. Rhythm-and-blues singer Russell Thompkins Jr. is 68. Comedy writer-performer Brad Hall is 61. Actress Sabrina LeBeauf is 61. Actor Gary Oldman is 61. Actress Kassie Depaiva is 58. Actor Matthew Broderick is 57. Comedian-actress Rosie

O'Donnell is 57. Actress Cynthia Geary is 54. Rock musician Jonas "Joker" Berggren (Ace of Base) is 52. Rock MC Maxim (Prodigy) is 52. Rock musician Andrew Copeland (Sister Hazel) is 51. Hip-hop DJ Premier (Gang Starr) is 50. Actress Laura Allen is 45. Rapper-TV personality Kevin Federline is 41. Actress Sonequa Martin-Green (TV: "The Walking Dead") is 34.

Actor Scott Eastwood is 33. Actress Jasmin Savoy Brown is 25. Actor Forrest Wheeler is 15.  
Thought for Today: "Never lose your temper with the press or the public is a major rule of political life." — Dame Christabel Pankhurst, English suffragist (1880-1958).

## Newsday Crossword

**DOUBLE-REVERSE** by Carolyn Stewart  
Edited by Stanley Newman  
www.stanxwords.com

- ACROSS**
- 1 Stockpile
  - 6 Do serious damage to
  - 10 Cooled with cubes
  - 14 Weaver of seats
  - 15 Palm tree berry
  - 16 Expressed, as a farewell
  - 17 Respectable
  - 19 Strong impulse
  - 20 Foamy beverage
  - 21 UK reference set
  - 22 Found fault with
  - 24 Leave slack-jawed
  - 26 Not unreasonable
  - 27 Examining briefly
  - 32 Common sense, for instance
  - 36 Music occupational ending
  - 37 Grow faint gradually
  - 38 Linseed oil source
  - 39 They may be twisty in dramas
  - 41 King David Club carrier
  - 42 Act volcanic
  - 43 Dorm supervisors: Abbr.
  - 44 Antagonist
  - 45 Not noticing
  - 49 Lloyd Webber score
  - 50 Slacks specification
  - 55 Preparation instruction
  - 58 Likewise not
  - 59 Timber wolf
  - 60 Trivial fusses
  - 61 Leaving one's seat

- DOWN**
- 1 Activity using tanks
  - 2 Flexible rulers
  - 3 Day one
  - 4 Stylish again
  - 5 Significant stretch
  - 6 Improvised
  - 7 Sour-tasting
  - 8 Actor McKellen
  - 9 Grapes of Wrath characters
  - 10 Aspirin alternative
  - 11 Nitpick
  - 12 Move sideways
  - 13 Proof of ownership
  - 18 Emphatic denial
  - 23 Insurance giant on the NYSE
  - 25 Maximum: Abbr.
  - 26 Symbol of strength
  - 28 Mall hall stall
  - 29 Low-lying land
  - 30 Wax-coated cheese
  - 31 Hinge (on)
  - 32 Disco-era hairstyle
  - 33 Eastern European
  - 34 Guru
  - 35 One working out
  - 39 Takes exception to
  - 40 Neighbor of Vietnam
  - 44 Fried rice morsel
  - 46 Track unit
  - 47 Twisty, as some
  - 39 Across
  - 48 Single-minded expert
  - 51 \_\_\_ nerve ("funny bone" part)
  - 52 Sound reasoning
  - 53 Poor treatment
  - 54 Cordoned (off)
  - 55 Exclamation of frustration
  - 56 Make crisper, as compositions
  - 57 Sonata closing
  - 58 Flatbread of India
  - 62 Lord's Prayer possessive
  - 63 Roth plan

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Answer to previous puzzle

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## Big Spring Junior High cheerleaders announced



Courtesy photo

Congratulations to these BSI Sixth grade girls who made the Jr. High Cheerleading squad: Emily Staar, Trinity Munoz, Gabby Vasquez, Nevaeh Morris, and Jaycee Smith.

## Sports Briefs

### Boys State Powerlifting Meet

Big Spring Steer Boys will be competing on March 23 at Taylor County Expo Center, in Abilene. Weigh in is set from 6:30 a.m. to 8 a.m. Opening ceremonies will include scholarship winners and bars will be loaded at 8:45 a.m. Admission is \$5 for ages 5 and up. Two boys will be representing Big Spring HS at the state meet. Good luck to Joshua Lopez and Jared Paredes.

### Location Change

JV baseball boys will be playing at home instead of away on Saturday against Sweetwater at noon.

### Tennis Schedule

JV teams will be playing at Snyder on March 26 and the Varsity will be playing in Abilene on March 29.

### Track

There will be a high school track meet this coming weekend, Friday and Saturday in San Angelo. The schedule can be found on the Big Spring Steer Athletics Facebook page.

## Harden scores 57 but Grizzlies top Rockets 126-125 in OT

By CLAY BAILEY

Associated Press

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — James Harden did everything he could to bring the Houston Rockets back from a big deficit in the fourth quarter. He got them to overtime, but his 57 points weren't enough.

All because of a last-second free throw.

Mike Conley scored 35 points and Jonas Valanciunas had a career-best 33, including the game-winning free throw with less than a second left as the Memphis Grizzlies outlasted the Houston Rockets 126-125 on Wednesday night.

"We put ourselves in a hole and tried to pick it up, but it was too late," Harden said. "We were down (17), so I had to do something."

Harden led a 17-2 Houston rally in the fourth — scoring 15 points during that stretch — to pull the

Rockets to 106-104. He hit three free throws with 4 seconds remaining to send the game to overtime tied at 115.

Harden scored all 10 points for Houston in overtime and the teams were still tied at 125 when Clint Capela fouled Valanciunas with 0.1 seconds left. Valanciunas, who also had 15 rebounds, made the first of two free throws. The clock ran out after he missed the second foul shot.

Chris Paul had 18 points and seven assists for Houston, which had won three straight. Capela added 14 points and 10 rebounds. The loss was only Houston's second in the last 14 games.

"It was one of those games. Every once in a while it crops up," Rockets coach Mike D'Antoni said. "You've got to go on. It's too bad, but we just kind of threw that away."

Memphis dominated the game through 3½ quarters until the Harden-led comeback. Conley made all six of his shots, including a quartet of 3-pointers, in the first quarter. Valanciunas made all nine of his shots in the first half.

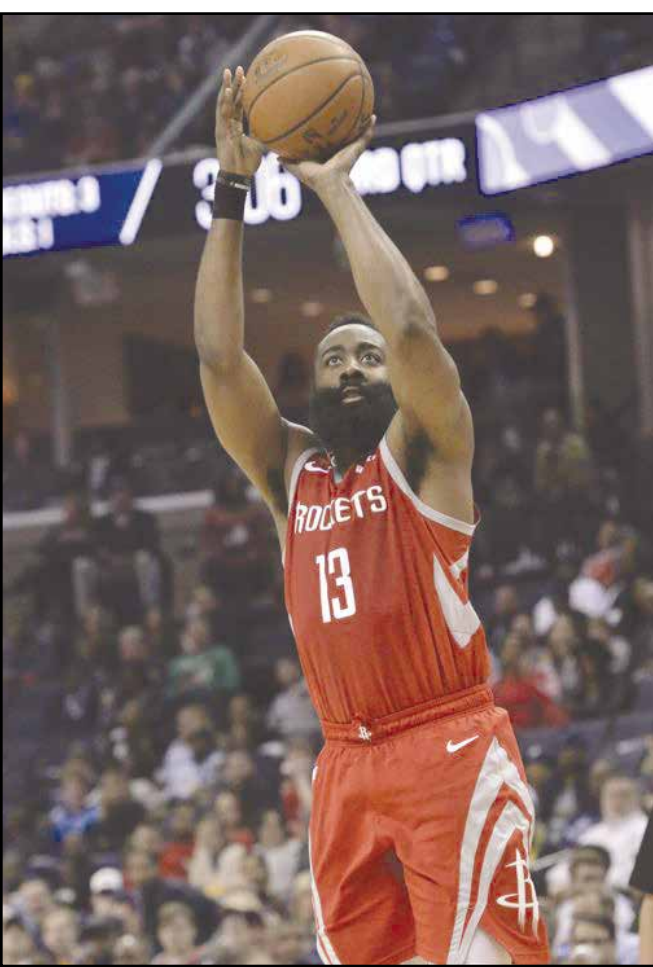
But despite the double-digit lead into the fourth, the Grizzlies had to weather Harden's 28 points after the third quarter.

"It got crazy there for a little bit," Conley said. "That was a fun game. It's the kind of game you want to be a part of — big plays, big opportunities for everybody. The way it ended was wild."

"I'm just happy we got away with a win."

TIP-INS

Rockets: Harden's 57 points were just short of his career-best 61 against the Knicks on Jan. 23. Eric Gordon (rest) was given the night off, and Kenneth Faried sat out with left knee soreness. ... Harden's streak of five straight double-doubles ended. ... Houston made 21 3-pointers, the most by a Memphis opponent this season and second-most in Grizzlies franchise history (23 by the Pistons on April 8, 2018).



AP photo

Houston Rockets guard James Harden shoots during the second half of the team's NBA basketball game against the Memphis Grizzlies on Wednesday, March 20, 2019, in Memphis, Tenn.

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