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Upcoming Events

Sept. 20

Homecoming Pep Rally
 3 p.m.
 Big Spring HS

Homecoming Parade
 4:30 p.m.

Big Spring Homecoming Game vs. Pecos Eagles
 Memorial Stadium
 7:30 p.m.

Sept. 20-22

Howard County Fair
 Gates open at 5 p.m.
 Friday; 10 a.m. Saturday;
 Noon Sunday.

Sept. 23

Bowl Making for Empty Bowls
 Hall Center for the Arts at Howard College
 5:30 p.m.

Sept. 28

Bikes Across Big Spring
 2 p.m. Registration
 4 p.m. Bike run begins

Crossroads Young Marines Barbecue Brisket Burrito Fundraiser
 9 a.m.
 Wal-Mart

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Bustamante named Howard County Fair Queen

10 compete for title, scholarships, in Tuesday evening contest



HERALD photos/Roger Cline

In the photo at left, Chloe Bustamante, right, wears the Howard County Fair tiara after being named queen Tuesday evening, as first runner-up Samantha Zapata looks on. Above left, Ashley Crisp was voted the contest's "Miss Congeniality" by her fellow contestants. Above right, country singer David Adam Byrnes provided musical entertainment during the pageant, and will perform at the fair tonight, opening for BlackHawk.

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

After the casual and formalwear were modeled, the talents were displayed, and answers given to some tough questions, judges at the Howard County Fair Contest Tuesday evening at Howard College's Hall Center for the Arts – Sandra Hodnett, Nick Ornelas, Christian Fair

and Gloria Pierce – had a tough decision to make. The audience waited nervously for their decision, but at the end of the evening, Howard College student Chloe Bustamante was wearing the tiara.

Bustamante, 18, is a freshman at Howard studying science, and is trying to

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County approves 2019-2020 budget, property tax rate

By ROGER CLINE
 Staff Writer

Howard County Commissioners voted to adopt the county's 2019-2020 budget and property tax rate at their meeting Wednesday afternoon.

The tax rate adopted by the county was 30.3165 cents per \$100 valuation. The rate is projected to bring in 6.69 percent more revenue than the county collected in 2018-2019.

In other business, the

commissioners voted to decrease the speed limit on a portion of County Road 34 from 65 miles per hour to 50 miles per hour, after holding a second public hearing on the issue. No county residents spoke on the issue at either hearing.

County Road Engineer Brian Klinksiek said the speed limit reduction was due to the road being damaged, and ongoing repairs.

"By law, all of the speed limits on any paved road, if there's no other marking, in Howard County is 65 miles an hour," Klinksiek told commissioners at the meeting. "County Road 34 is one of those. It is one that sustained heavy damage from flooding. We have continued, even through yesterday, attempting to make temporary repairs of that

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Water valve replacements continue

Special to the Herald

Beginning today, City crews will perform a valve replacement on North San Antonio Street. The following areas could possibly experience low pressure and/or total water interruption during the valve replacement:

- North 10th Street to the Big Spring State Hospital
 - 1700 West I-20 to Highway 350
- The valve replacement will begin at 10:00 PM and continue overnight. Repairs are expected to be completed by Friday, Sept. 20.

We apologize for any inconvenience and the City of Big Spring asks for your patience while this project is completed. Please direct any questions or concerns to the office of Shane Bowles, Public Works Director, at 432-264-2501.

Kindred Coffee Hour keeping tabs on health

By AMANDA DUFORAT
 Managing Editor

A cup of coffee and a little bit of information isn't a bad way to kick off your Friday morning. Kindred Coffee Hour - held every Friday morning from 9:30 until 10:30 - is going strong and has secured an educational and informative line up for the next couple of months.

"Our speakers provide information on upcoming events, healthcare information, community involvement, and so much more," Nicole Doose, LVN, Clinical Home Health Specialist, said. "Coffee Hour is a way Kindred at Home has found to reach out to our community, provide an opportunity for fellowship, an avenue to find out what's going on in the community and offer them some healthcare checks, on a routine basis."

Recent coffee hour topics have included, Hayley Herrera and Manny Negron, from the CVB providing information on upcoming events, and Raul Marquez speaking on National Hispanic Month.



Courtesy photo

Nora Martinez, SMMC EVS Manager, speaks about EVS Week during a recent Kindred Coffee Hour. Each week there is a featured speaker as well as an opportunity to check your blood pressure and enjoy free pastries.

Throughout the month of September different health

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Obituaries

Michael Schell Madry



Michael Schell Madry, age 57, of Big Spring, Texas, passed away Tuesday, Sept. 17, 2019, at Parkview Skilled Care and Rehabilitation.

The family receive friends Friday, Sept. 20, 2019, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. at Myers and Smith Funeral Home, 301 E. 24th St., Big Spring, Texas. Memorial service will begin at 2:30 with Michael Seay, pastor of Midway Baptist Church, officiating.

Mike was born March 21, 1962, to Charles Madry and Beverly McMahon. He is survived by his son, Forrest Seth Madry of Lubbock; Michelle Schiavo of Sicklerville, New Jersey; father and step-mother, Charles and Carole Madry of Big Spring; step-father, Clyde McMahon of Big Spring; and his

brother, Brad Madry and his family of Weatherford, Texas. He is also survived by his two nieces, Wendy Clark, and her family of Big Spring, Texas, and Samantha Allison Grace of San Angelo, Texas; as well as several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Mike is preceded in death by his mother, Beverly Ann McMahon; his brother, Steven Frederick Madry; his step-brother, Ricky Hope; grandparents Jack and Nell Franklin, and Margaret Whitefield and B.S. "Nubbin" Madry.

Mike had a love for family and always enjoyed golfing and hunting with his dad and brothers. He enjoyed traveling, and he loved visiting Mexico and would stay there for long periods of time. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com.

Paid Obituary

Juanita Morales Vega



Juanita Morales Vega, 60, of Big Spring, died Thursday, Sept. 5, 2019, in Midland. She will lie in state Thursday, Sept. 19, 2019, from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Mount Olive Memorial Park with Doug Shelley, pastor of East Side Baptist Church, officiating.

Juanita is survived by one daughter,

Jessica Ramirez (Elias) of Big Spring; two sons, Cosme Ramirez III of Big Spring, and Gabriel Vega of Houston; four granddaughters; four brothers, Adam Morales, Jr., Joe Lara, Raymond Arriaga, and Thomas Rojas; and three sisters, Nora Gutierrez, Maria Juarez and Linda Lara.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jesuita Montanez Morales, and Adam Morales; and two brothers, Fernando Arriaga, and Ernest Morales.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com.

Police Blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **MIGUEL ENRIQUE JUAREZ**, 31, of 306 Denton, was arrested on charges of evading arrest or detention with vehicle with previous conviction.
- **ANTHONY MICHAEL MUNOZ**, 20, of 1501 S. Johnson St., was arrested on a charge of theft of property-shoplifting (less than \$100).
- **CARLOS DAVID GONZALEZ**, 18, of 4114 Parkway, was arrested on a charge of theft of firearm.
- **ISAAC DANIEL CHAVARRIA**, 33, of 1510 S. Nolan St., was arrested on warrants for driving with invalid license, assault family violence threat or offensive touch, and bail jumping and failure to appear.

• **JOHN VICTOR THOMAS**, 38, of 112 Park St., Redgranite, Wisconsin, was arrested on an outstanding warrant from another agency.
- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 400 block of Ave. B in Forsan, and the 6900 block of S. Service Rd.
- **STOLEN VEHICLE** was reported in the 400 block of W. Leatherwood and the 3000 block

of Webb Lane.

- **THEFT** was reported at 1584 and CR 54, in the 2400 block of S. Monticello St., and the 2500 block of S. Gregg St.
- **IDENTITY THEFT** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.
- **ACCIDENT MINOR** was reported in the 600 block of E. FM 700.
- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1900 block of S. Runnels St.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 300 block of E. 13th St.

Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 94 inmates at the time of this report.

- **ISAAC DANIEL CHAVARRIA**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for bail jumping and failure to appear, assault family violence, and driving with invalid license.

• **CARLOS DAVID GONZALEZ**, 18, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of firearm.

- **MIGUEL ENRIQUE JUAREZ**, 31, was arrested by BSPD on charges of evading arrest with vehicle or watercraft with previous conviction, and unauthorized use of a vehicle.
- **ANTHONY MICHAEL MUNOZ**, 20, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft (less than \$100).

• **KEVIN WAYNE PAYTON**, 22, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for assault causing bodily injury to family member.

- **JOHN VICTOR THOMAS**, 32, was arrested by HCSO on a warrant for sexual assault.
- **APRIL NICOLE TURNER**, 25, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for theft of service (\$100 to \$750).

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **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 2500 block of Gunter Circle. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Birdwell Lane. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of N. Hwy 87.

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- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of N. Hwy 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of W. 7th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2600 block of Ent. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 200 block of Colorado.

One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **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 3700 block of Wasson Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MOTOR HOME/CAMPER/RV FIRE** was reported in the 8900 block of N. Service Rd. Fire was contained.

Take Note

American Legion Post 506 will be selling brisket and sausage plates with all the fixings on Saturday, Sept. 21 for \$10. Serving from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.; delivery available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Located at 3203 W. Hwy 80, and everyone is welcome. For more information, call 263-2084.

A fund has been set up in order to assist Brent Fowlkes with medical expenses. Brent is the husband of Ashley Martin Fowlkes, CEO of Big Spring Education Employees Federal Credit Union. If you would like more information or would like to make a donation, please stop by the credit union located at

1110 Benton, or call 432-263-8393. Please see the tellers to make a donation. Thank you to everyone for your kindness and support during this difficult time.

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, 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); there is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held three times per year on Thursday evenings, 6 to 8 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC FaceBook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

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.

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.
- Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.
- Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

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QUEEN

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decide between a career as a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, or an American Sign Language translator. Her apparel for the contest was provided by The Wardrobe, and she was sponsored by The Photo Booth.

During the talent portion of the contest, Bustamante performed a dance to the Sara Bareilles hit "Gravity."

During the first question-and-answer segment of the competition, event organizer Tisha Ward asked Bustamante, "Chloe, if you could be anyone besides yourself, who would you be?"

"I don't think I would like to be anyone else, because I have had trials and tribulations that have made me who I am," Bustamante replied. "But if I had to choose, I would choose Jennifer Aniston, because she's 50 years old and she's still got it!"

On her way to her coronation, Bustamante was chosen from among the top five runners-up, including Ashley Crisp, Neely Key, Destiny Solis, Samantha Zapata. Zapata was named first runner-up, while Crisp was chosen by her fellow contestants as "Miss Congeniality" for the event, described as the contestant who was the most outgoing and supportive of her co-contestants during the pageant.

Other contestants included Erica Burke, Sarah Deleon, Savannah Ebbersole, Sierra Saenz and Brianna Solis.

Each of the top five contestants was asked a second question. Ward asked

Bustamante: "If you could start a club for kids at your school or in your community, what would it be, and why?"

Chloe suggested a club for kids to learn life skills such as managing a bank account or doing tax returns.

Bustamante will receive prizes including an \$800 scholarship to Howard College, a \$200 scholarship donated by the Howard County Fair Board, a free spray tan donated by Lula Blue Boutique, a \$50 gift card to Krazy Kow boutique, two items at The Wardrobe at 40 percent off, and a meet-and-greet with country music star Casey Donahew at the fair.

As first runner-up, Zapata will receive a \$400 Howard College scholarship, a \$100 scholarship donated by the Fair Board, and a meet-and-greet with Donahew.

Crisp, Miss Congeniality, will receive a \$50 gift card to Big Spring's Queens of the Dude Ranch boutique, donated by the Pirkle-Weir insurance Agency.

Krazy Kow and The Wardrobe provided the contestants' clothing for the event. Country singer David Adam Byrnes – who will open for the country band BlackHawk tonight at the fair – performed during the pageant as the audience and contestants waited for the results.

Ward said the contest was a success.

"The girls have been amazing," she said. "They have been brave, and they have been kind to one another. I know that their parents and their families are very proud of them."

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COFFEE

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care professionals will be speaking on services offered in the community, providing education on signs and symptoms to look for regarding certain common diseases, and upcoming festivities and community events.

"One of the main focuses we are about to have is going to be our partnership with Scenic Mountain Medical Center for the Sepsis Symposium scheduled for Sept. 13," Doose said. "We are also excited to hear from the SMMC Rehab – Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapy – department, along with several others."

Marcy Place will be joining forces to bring attention to those battling dementia, with the Dementia Tour and balance screening opportunity on Sept.

10 from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

"For those who haven't been able to join us for Coffee Hour before, we encourage you to give it a try. Stop by and join us one Friday morning, even if you can't stay for the whole hour. This is a great way to get your blood pressure checked, enjoy a small breakfast and fellowship. Once you join us, you will want to come back and that's the point. We want to do what we can to ensure you stay healthy, but make sure you have an opportunity to stay involved in all the great things taking place in Big Spring."

To find out more information or to be placed on the list as a speaker for Kindred Coffee Hour, call Doose at 432-213-7101.

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Upcoming Coffee Hour Topics:

Sept. 20 – Katie Wells
Rehab at SMMC

Sept. 27 – SMMC OT/PT

Oct. 4 – Domestic Violence Awareness
Linda Calvio

Oct. 11 – Mental Health Awareness
Raymond George

Oct. 18 – Breast Cancer Awareness
Ginger Chapman

Oct. 25 – Respiratory
Lisa Parks

COUNTY

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damage, and we have to continue to make those. Because of those repairs, I'm concerned that it is safe only at 50 miles per hour, so 50 miles per hour is the speed limit I'm asking to have it set at."

Commissioners also:

- Voted to approve the annual County Clerk and District Clerk's archive plan for the Technology Fund.

- Tabled a proposed contract with AT&T Cyber Security Risk Assessment pending advice from the state on whether the contract is mandatory.

- Approved a contract with Martin County for housing of Howard County Jail inmates.

- Granted a request to assign Howard County lease to OXY (Oil and Gas).

- Retained the services of Allison, Bass and Magee LLP for the 2020 Census.

- Nominated Scott Emerson as the county's representative on the Howard County Appraisal District board.

The nomination will be voted on at the commissioner's next meeting.

- Approved Commissioners' Court meeting dates and times for fiscal year 2019-2020. Commissioners will meet second and fourth Mondays at 3:30 p.m.

- Approved setting county-observed holidays for 2020.

- Approved a contract with Trane for preventative maintenance services for the boiler and chiller in the County Courthouse and County Library.

- Approved invoices, purchase requests, budget amendments and County Auditor Jackie Olson's monthly report;

- Approved personnel considerations and County Treasurer Sharon Adams' monthly report;

- Approved County Clerk Brent Zitterkopf's monthly report.

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Take Note

- DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like:
 - Will I survive?
 - How to get out of debt.
 - How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship?
 - How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children.
 - Is reconciliation possible?

There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

- Senior and/or mature adults are invited to come to a dance every first and third Friday each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center, located at 100 Whipkey Drive. Come two-step the evening away, or just mingle with old friends and make new friends.

Dances are from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live entertainment. No alcohol or smoking permitted. Cost is \$5 per person.

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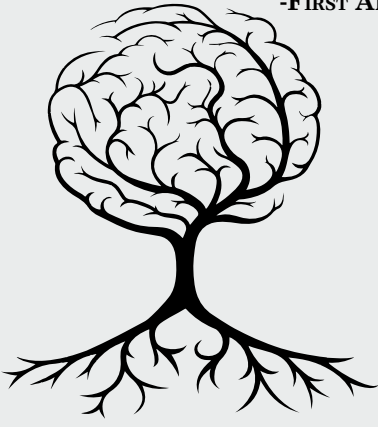
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DAILY PRAYER

Dear Lord, may our heart beat in unison with Your desire.
Amen

Home Country

When Bob Garcia removed that old mossyhorn mount from its place over the fireplace, we were a bit confused.

That huge buck had been his pride and joy for more than 30 years. But Bob put it back in his office, behind the kitchen. The spot of honor over the fireplace now belongs to a young forked-horn buck, the one he took last year on the other side of the hayfield.

It's the kind of buck you expect to get for your first buck, and not really the kind you honor like that after a lifetime spent hunting in the autumn woods. When he was asked, Bob just

said it was a special buck, and he smiled.

But you know there's always more to a story than that.

On that special day a year earlier ... Bob heard the deer before he saw him, and he got ready. He looked to the sound of the deer and checked what was on the other side of the animal. A large dirt bank.



SLIM RANGLES

Good. That's safe enough. Can't have that old .45-70 slug sailing around the country.

Bob felt the breeze coming right to his face, slightly chilling his nose, and carrying with it the promise of a crisp fall later on. These days still held some late summer heat.

The wind was right, and he wore dull clothing, he had a clear shot with a safe backdrop. There was nothing to do now but wait.

Then the little forked-horn buck stepped out. It would never replace the huge buck Bob took

years back, but it was a good eating deer and the situation was right, so he aimed carefully and shot.

The sound of the massive cartridge going off started the snake at Bob's feet rattling.

Bob jumped back out of danger and finished the snake. Another step forward ... just one more step and life would've changed forever.

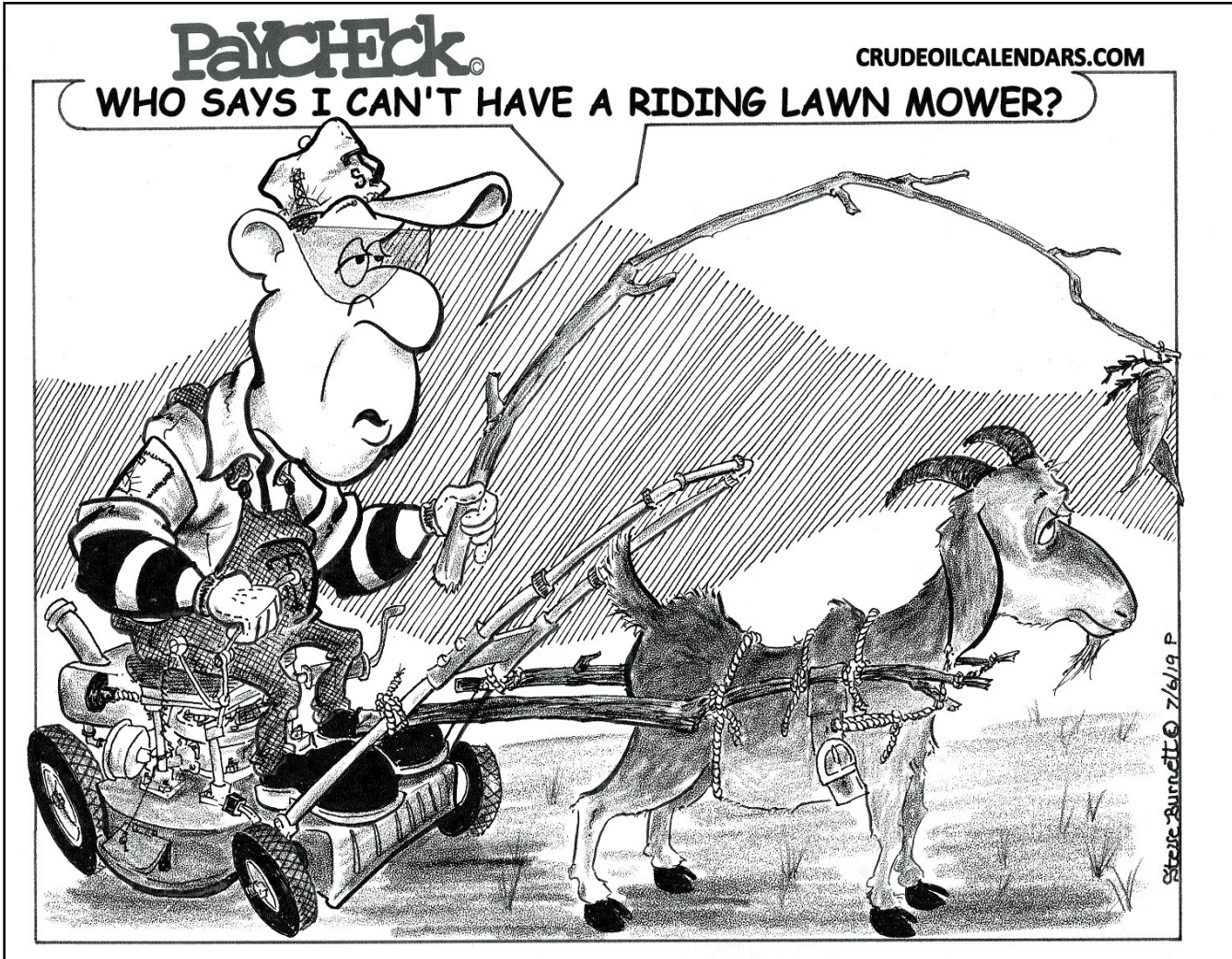
The taxidermist was surprised when Bob told him he wanted a really nice mount of what was, to all other eyes, a fairly routine meat deer.

But he promised to give the mount the full treatment.

It hangs over the fireplace now.

When other outdoorsmen ask him about that deer, Bob just says it is a special buck, and he smiles.

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The Postscript: No coffee

Peter was up before anyone else—as he often is.

My husband, Peter, gets up early in order to have enough time to brood before busybodies like me expect him to engage in cheerful conversation. But this morning we were staying at my parents' cabin and there was a glitch in the plans. The coffee jar was empty.

Obviously, a person can't brood without coffee. Peter quietly opened one cupboard after another.

No coffee. My parents are great planners so there was no chance they were out of coffee, but where they might be keeping it—that was another issue.

Peter stealthily crept around the kitchen opening one cupboard after another until finally, far in the back of an upper cupboard, Peter found a bag of coffee. "Bingo!" Peter said (silently, of course.)

Peter put coffee in the coffee-maker, pressed the "start" button and only then did he take a good look at the bag.

"DECAF" it read. "Oh no!" Peter thought. The coffee was already brewing, my parents would be up any moment.

There are a number of things a person might have said at this moment.

Peter stashed the coffee bag back in the upper cupboard and didn't say a word when Mom and Dad got up. (I was still in bed, so I am still telling you this story based on Peter's sketchy details and 50+ years knowledge of my family.)

"Oh! We're out of coffee!" my mom would have thought or said and refilled the jar (probably from the bag she keeps in the freezer, a place Peter would not have thought to check.) Peter and I were traveling that day so, after Mom refills the jar, she decides we would probably like some coffee for our trip and fills a thermos with the coffee Peter has made, then starts another for them to drink.

This is a crucial point. Peter, my mother, and father all have a couple cups of the new coffee and, at some point I get up. Peter and I head out the door with our luggage and the thermos for the day's drive. It is at this point that I have my first cup of coffee. Then I have a second.

"Boy," I comment to Peter, "I'm really sleepy today." I have a third cup of coffee. At midmorning I start to develop a headache. I take an ibuprofen. "I wonder if I'm coming down with something."

I mention to Peter. I have another cup of coffee.

We finally arrive at our destination.

"I don't know what's the matter with me. I'm just so sluggish and I've got this headache I can't shake—and it's not for lack of coffee," I tell Peter, "I drank most of that thermos!"

There are a number of things a person might have said at this moment. Peter said, "Maybe you should take a nap!" So, I did.

Later that evening, I got up. I heard Peter, alone in the kitchen, laughing.

"Did you like the coffee?" he asked.

"What coffee?"

"The coffee you had this morning."

"It was fine."

"It was decaf."

"The whole thermos was DECAF?!"

"Uh huh."

"You let me drink the whole thing and never said a word?"

"I forgot."

"When I said I had a headache?"

"I forgot."

"When I said I couldn't understand why I was so tired since I'd drunk AN ENTIRE POT OF COFFEE?!"

"I forgot."

I looked at Peter, incredulous.

There are a number of things a person might have said at this moment. I decided not to say anything at all.

Till next time,
Carrie

Carrie Classon's memoir, "Blue Yarn," was released earlier this year. Learn more at CarrieClasson.com

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Water rescues begin as Imelda soaks east Texas

HOUSTON (AP) — Rain from Tropical Depression Imelda deluged parts of Texas and Louisiana on Thursday, prompting hundreds of water rescues, a hospital evacuation and road closures in areas east of Houston that were hit hard by Hurricane Harvey two years ago.

Forecasters warned that Imelda could bring up to 35 inches (90 centimeters) of rain this week in some areas of Texas through Friday. The storm system also brought the risk of severe weather and prompted tornado warnings Thursday morning in the areas hit hardest by the flooding.

No reports of deaths or injuries related to the storm were immediately reported Thursday.

In Winnie, a town of about 3,200 people located 60 miles (95 kilometers) east of Houston, a hospital was evacuated and water is inundating several homes and businesses. The Chambers County Sheriff's Office said Winnie is "being devastated by rising water" and water rescues are ongoing.

The worst of the flooding is east of Houston, and some local officials said the rainfall Thursday is causing flooding worse than what happened during Hurricane Harvey.

In Beaumont, a city of just under 120,000 people that's located about 30 miles (48.28 kilometers) from the Gulf of Mexico, authorities said all service roads are impassable and two local hospitals are inaccessible, the Beaumont Enterprise reported. The Beaumont Police Department said on Twitter that 911 has received requests for more than 250 high water rescues and 270 evacuations.

"It's bad. Homes that did not flood in Harvey are flooding now," Jefferson County Judge Jeff Branick said. During Harvey, Beaumont's only pump station was swamped by floodwaters, leaving residents without water service for more than a week.

The National Weather Service issued a flash flood emergency for several counties, saying "life-threatening amounts of rainfall" have

fallen and more is expected in the area Thursday. Imelda's center was located about 110 miles (180 kilometers) north of Houston early Thursday and was moving north-northwest at 5 mph (7 kph), according to the National Hurricane Center.

Heavy rainfall occurred Wednesday in many areas and spawned several weak tornadoes in the Baytown area, about 25 miles (40 kilometers) east of Houston, damaging trees, barns and sheds and causing minor damage to some homes and vehicles.

Coastal counties, including Brazoria, Matagorda and Galveston, were hit hard by rainfall through Wednesday. Sargent, a town of about 2,700 residents in Matagorda County, had received nearly 20 inches (50 centimeters) of rain since Tuesday.

Karen Romero, who lives with her husband in Sargent, said Wednesday this was the most rain she has had in her neighborhood in her nine years living there.

"The rain (Tuesday) night was just massive sheets of rain and lightning storms," said Romero, 57.

She said her home, located along a creek, was not in danger of flooding as it sits on stilts, like many others nearby.

In the Houston area, the rainfall flooded some roadways Wednesday, stranding drivers, and caused several creeks and bayous to rise to high levels.

The National Hurricane Center said Imelda weakened to a tropical depression after making landfall Tuesday near Freeport, Texas, with maximum sustained winds of 40 mph (64 kph).

The weather service said Imelda is the first named storm to impact the Houston area since Hurricane Harvey dumped nearly 50 inches (130 centimeters) of rain on parts of the flood-prone city in August 2017, flooding more than 150,000 homes in the Houston area and causing an estimated \$125 billion in damage in Texas.

State News Briefs

Woman charged with making threat before youth game shooting

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Authorities have arrested the mother of a suspect they say opened fire at a North Texas youth football game.

Fort Worth police say 39-year-old Chanita Nichole Holly called her son from Saturday's game involving 8-year-old players, and that he later arrived and started shooting.

Police say a woman was struck in the leg and a girl was grazed in the back.

Holly was charged with making a terroristic threat after her arrest Monday night during a traffic stop.

Witnesses told police they heard an angry woman shouting that they were going to "spray" the crowd.

No injuries in Houston-area chemical plant transformer fire

TEXAS CITY, Texas (AP) — Authorities say no one has been hurt in a transformer fire at a Houston-area chemical plant.

The Galveston County Daily News reports officials are seeking the cause of Tuesday's late-morning fire at an Ashland plant in Texas City, 35 miles (55 kilometers) southeast of Houston. Ashland spokeswoman Joy Brock said Wednesday that the transformer was a backup and offline when the fire broke out.

Texas City Emergency Manager Tom Munoz says the fire was quickly contained and about 4,000 gallons (15,140 liters) of mineral oil was allowed to burn off.

Brock says the chemical plant idled routine operations amid the incident but was restarting Wednesday. No supply interruptions were expected.

Girl found dead in 2016 in Texas may be from Arizona

MADISONVILLE, Texas (AP) — The National Center for Missing & Exploited Children says a girl whose remains were found three years ago in a suitcase along a Texas pasture was likely from Southeast Arizona or Mexico.

The group on Wednesday cited pollen analysis in efforts to identify remains discovered Sept. 17, 2016, by a man mowing grass near Madisonville, 85 miles (136.79 kilometers) northwest of Houston.

Genealogy research indicates the girl had Native American lineage. The suitcase contained a medical apparatus commonly used with a feeding tube.

Texas A&M-Commerce Brings Quail Back to Texas

California Valley Quail can survive where bobwhite's have perished; Experts see return of \$1 billion quail hunting industry

COLLEGE STATION, Texas — Texans usually don't like when Californians move here, but these newcomers are quite a bit different.

Research by a Texas A&M University-Commerce scientist has shown that a species of American quail — the California Valley Quail — will prosper in just about every part of Texas. These hearty birds are expected to attract new hunters and subsequently help steer struggling communities out of tough financial situations.

Dr. Kelly Reyna, professor of wildlife and conservation science at Texas A&M-Commerce, said his research shows that bobwhite quail in Texas have declined by 80 percent in the past 50 years. Bobwhite quail do not fare well in the face of expanding residential areas and increased agriculture. But California Valley Quail are more resilient, and they could replenish Texas' dwindling population of quail.

Texas A&M University System Chancellor John Sharp said Dr. Reyna's research could be the foundation of a renewed quail hunting industry in Texas and the beginning of a steady stream of new money for state and county governments.

"Before I was chancellor, I was the comptroller of Texas, and I know the financial benefits of a robust hunting industry," Chancellor Sharp said. "Kelly's research may just be the key to bringing back one of my favorite childhood pastimes, while also growing state conservation dollars."

Dr. Reyna's research offers real hope for some parts of the state, especially areas where quail hunting once flourished.

Ted Lyon, a conservationist and a former state senator from East Texas, said bird hunting used to support many Texas communities, and it can again.

"If we could get that back, it would be an economic boon for East Texas, as well as parts of North Texas. It would be great for the state's economy," Sen. Lyon said. "This is probably the most innovative program going on in quail research in the United States."

Wild California Valley Quail that have been introduced in other places have brought with them enormous economic benefits. In Idaho, they helped generate \$135 million in economic activity per year.

In a state the size of Texas, Sen Lyon added, California Valley Quail could bring \$1 billion a year to state coffers.

As part of the research at Texas A&M-Commerce, Dr. Reyna and his research team successfully transferred 250 wild California Valley Quail last spring from Idaho to Texas. They fitted many of the birds with radio trackers and located them weekly for monitoring.

Dr. Reyna's research further shows that bobwhite quail are highly susceptible to heat and lack of water. He found that just four days of high heat will significantly reduce the hatching success of bobwhite quail. Increased agriculture and new development also aggravate the problem by reducing the amount of covered areas and habitat, he added.

But the California Valley Quail are much more adaptable than their bobwhite cousins, Dr. Reyna said. Their native range runs from Mexico to the northern United States, and they have a proven ability to survive in a va-

riety of habitats and climates. They also can live in a wide assortment of landscapes from agricultural land to suburban neighborhoods.

California Valley Quail already have been successfully introduced all over the world in areas such as New Zealand, Argentina, Hawaii and British Columbia.

Dr. Reyna said he expects the same positive results in Texas.

"What's really been encouraging about this process is the high survival rate," Dr. Reyna said from a ranch northeast of Dallas. "We've seen that they've done really well out here."

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Record \$308 Million in unclaimed property returned in Fiscal 2019

(AUSTIN) — The Texas Comptroller's office approved and paid a record \$308.4 million in unclaimed property claims during the past fiscal year, Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced today.

This is the first time the Comptroller's office has returned more than \$300 million in unclaimed property in a fiscal year, breaking the previous record of \$281 million returned in fiscal 2017.

"Since I took office, I have been committed to returning more unclaimed property to the rightful owners across our great state," Hegar said. "The hard-working team in our Unclaimed Property division has made this record-breaking year possible. They have helped implement new technologies to make claiming money easier than ever before, and they strive every day to improve customer service and build a more efficient claims process. I want to thank them for their commitment and dedication to the people of Texas."

The Comptroller's office has returned more than \$3 billion in unclaimed property to rightful owners since Texas' unclaimed property program began in 1962. The state is currently holding more than \$5 billion in cash and other valuables through the program.

The \$308 million in unclaimed property returned in fiscal 2019 includes forgotten utility deposits or other refunds, insurance proceeds, payroll checks, cashier's checks, dividends, mineral royalties, dormant bank accounts and abandoned safe-deposit box contents. Businesses generally turn property over to the unclaimed property program after it has been considered dormant for one to five years.

There is no statute of limitations for unclaimed property the state holds, which means there's no time limit for owners to file a claim — they can do so at any time.

For more information about the unclaimed property program, or to search for unclaimed property and begin the claims process, visit the Comptroller's unclaimed property website, ClaimItTexas.org, or call 800-321-2274 (CASH).

H-E-B donates truckloads of cereal to celebrate Hunger Action Month

H-E-B raised \$672,000 as part of Help End Hunger in-store donation campaign

(SAN ANTONIO) — In honor of National Hunger Action Month, H-E-B, through its Food Bank Assistance Program, will donate truckloads of cereal to 18 food banks across Texas. Throughout September, each food bank is expected to receive two dozen pallets of Hill Country Fare Corn Flakes. Altogether, more than 124,000 boxes of cereal will be delivered to the food banks this month.

Also part of its hunger initiative, H-E-B announced that this year it raised \$672,000 as part of its annual Help End Hunger campaign, which will provide about 3 million meals for Texas food banks. For more than 25 years, H-E-B's Help End Hunger in-store donation campaign has been a component of the company's Food Bank Assistance Program, which gives customers the opportunity to help their local food bank in the fight against hunger.

"At H-E-B, we are deeply committed to supporting our communities and helping families with the resources they need to avoid hunger," said Winell Herron, H-E-B Group Vice President of Public Affairs, Diversity and Environmental Affairs. "With these gifts, we are proud to support these dedicated organizations that work to combat hunger across Texas throughout the year."

The H-E-B Food Bank Assistance Program works all year to raise awareness and battle hunger in Texas and Mexico. Last year, the

program donated 32 million pounds of food to families in need, which come to approximately 25 million meals. And since 1982, the year the program was founded, H-E-B has donated more than 1 billion pounds of food to 5,500 non-profit organizations.

In 2017, about 15 million U.S. households and 1.4 million Texas households faced with the threat of hunger, a recent report from the United States Department of Agriculture shows. In Texas, one in four children were at risk of facing hunger. Texas is among states with greater food insecurity than the national average.

"We all know the importance of starting the day off with a good breakfast, but if you lack the resources it can be hard to put the right ingredients on the table," Eric S. Cooper, President & CEO of the San Antonio Food Bank. "H-E-B is making sure that thousands of kids across Texas have a morning meal that will fuel their bodies for maximum learning and growing. Thank you, H-E-B, for setting the table for families who lack the resources during their season of struggle."

The following locations in West Texas will receive cereal deliveries:

- West Texas Food Bank – (Odessa)
- Concho Valley Food Bank – (San Angelo)
- Food Bank of West Central Texas – (Abilene)
- South Plains Food Bank (Lubbock)

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The Education Page

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Postcard from Big Spring High



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Student Poll Workers left to right Maddie Miller, Averi Tredaway, Brianna Solis, and Anna Erwin are just a few who helped with the Homecoming elections at Big Spring High.

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

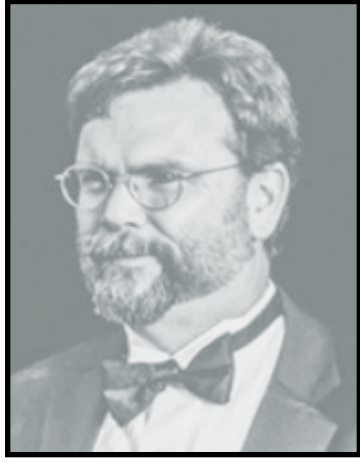
It's homecoming week at Big Spring High, and it has been one full of activities and traditions. Tonight will be the Bonfire at the Anderson Campus, which is on the west side of town at West 16th St. and Airbase Road. The fire will start around 8 p.m.

The Homecoming Court was narrowed from nominations to just five for King and five for Queen. The narrowing process, as well as the final vote, was supported by Howard County Elections Official Jodi Duck. The students used the new electronic equipment that the county now uses. Voter turnout more than doubled for the last few elections. According to Duck, "All classes are equally represented. That is, voter turnout is about the same for each grade level."

The final court members from which the King and Queen will be an-

nounced at half-time tomorrow evening at the Homecoming game are: Representing Basketball - Abel Clark Magana, Representing Choir - Nathan Morales, Representing Cross Country - Dusty Chaves, Representing Football - CJ Harris, Representing National Honor Society - Cory Cotton, Representing Basketball - Baylor Trevino, Representing Volleyball - Amber Martinez, Representing Cheer - Sophie Dominguez, Representing National Honor Society - Jayden Torres, and Representing Student Council - Kynleigh Joy.

A homecoming edition of the printed football program will be available for \$5. Different student groups will be selling the programs, and 100 percent of the purchase price goes to support each group. Additionally, the program has \$35 worth of discounts from both Sonics and discounts at Bella Nails and Spa. Purchase a program, support the students, and get free and discounted stuff.



Col. Allen "M" Morris

The Buffalo Bulletin

P.E. - It does a body good



Courtesy photos

Coach Brown's sixth graders perform calisthenics in Physical Education class at Forsan Junior High.

Special to the Herald
The goal of the Forsan 6th grade physical education program is to improve the preadolescent student's understanding of the connections between physical activity and lifetime wellness. Movement is critical to proper growth and development at this age, and physical education will assist students in developing a healthy

body and self image. Social and emotional development is enhanced as students begin to use motor skills in team building situations. Physical education prepares children for an active and healthy life while improving self discipline and reducing stress. Coach Brown's 6th Grade PE begins each Day with Calisthenics. The sixth graders are hard at work doing sit ups.

Academic Star Student of the Week

Jonathon Gabehart, Forsan High School Class of 2020

This week's Academic Star Student is Jonathan Gabehart. Jonathan is in his senior year at Forsan High School and is the son of Greg and Luci Gabehart.

Jonathon is a talented athlete who participates in many sports, such as football, basketball, track, and tennis. Jonathon is a born leader, and his natural leadership abilities can be seen both on and off the field. He is in the National Honor Society, is Student Council President, and was recently elected Senior Class President.

When asked about Jonathon, Coach Jason Phillips said, "Jonathon is a great student and leader in our school. The work ethic and strong character he exhibits are great examples for our other students."

Jonathon is a member of FBC's youth group, and when asked what quote he lives by, Jonathon responded, "God gives His toughest battles to His strongest warriors."

After high school, Jonathon has plans to attend Texas Tech University. His goal is to get into Tech's law program. Forsan High School is proud to have Jonathon Gabehart as this week's Academic Star Student.



Congratulations, Jonathon!

THE BULLDOG REPORT

Bulldog reunion



Courtesy photo

Members of the Coahoma Big Red Band entertain the crowd attending the All School Reunion held on Saturday.

Special to the Herald

Coahoma ISD alumni returned home last Saturday to swap stories of their youth and to catch up on each other's lives during the All School Reunion held on the district campus.

Around 160 people attended the event. Coahoma High School band students and cheerleaders also lent a hand to the festivities by performing for the large crowd.

On Friday, the high school wrapped up homecoming activities with the crowning of the Football Hero and Sweetheart, who were Zack Schneider and Ashley Crip, and the 2019 Homecoming Queen, who was Austyn Montgomery, during the varsity football game against Wink.

Calendar of Events

- Sept. 19**
 - Rock Your School - School wide event, "Coahoma City Limits"
 - JH Bulldogs vs Slaton, Home, 5 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.
 - JV Bulldogs at Slaton, Away, 6 p.m.
- Sept. 20**
 - Pep Rally, 2:30 p.m., Memes/Vines theme
 - Competition gym
 - Varsity Bulldogs vs Slaton, Senior Night, Home, 7:30 p.m.
- Sept. 21**
 - JH Bulldogettes at Clyde, Away
- Sept. 23**
 - JH Bulldogettes vs Forsan, Home
- Sept. 24**
 - JV/Varsity Bulldogettes at San Angelo Lake View, 5 p.m. & 6 p.m.
- Sept. 26**
 - JH Bulldogs at Iraan, Away, 5 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.
 - JV Bulldogs vs Monahans, Home, 6 p.m.
- Sept. 27**
 - Pep Rally, 2:30 p.m., Decades theme
 - Competition gym
 - Varsity Bulldogs at Iraan, Away, 7:30 p.m.
- Sept. 28**
 - JV/Varsity Bulldogettes at Jim Ned, Away, 10 a.m./11 a.m./12 p.m., 1st district match
 - Cross Country at Lubbock Invitational, HS only

Watermelons under pressure



Courtesy photos

Mrs. Welch's third-grade class recently did a science experiment using rubber bands to gradually build up force on watermelons until they exploded. According to Mrs. Welch, the hands-on science activity was highly successful!

"The students enjoyed learning about push and pull forces using hands-on experiments," she said. Great job, Little Buff Scientists!

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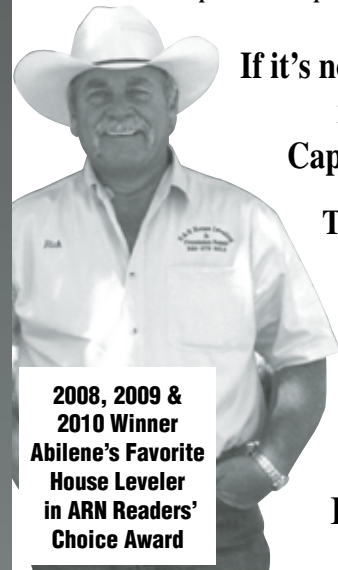
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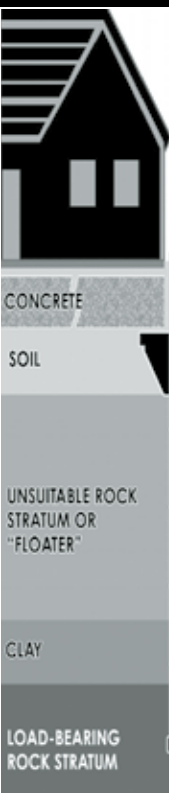
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Tomorrow's Horoscope

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS



Mars, Pluto and Other
People's Feelings

ARIES (March 21-April 19). When deeply focused work is at stake, distraction is costly. You've gotten so used to putting up with interruptions that you've come to think of them as normal. How can you protect yourself and get the peace you so deserve?

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Today, life is like an ice cream store with an abundance of flavors. You appreciate this because you've also had those days when both choices were unappealing -- rock and hard place.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Beautiful ideas demand their sacrifice. Ideals are not usually easily won or accidentally stumbled into. The difficulty in attaining a thing is intrinsically linked to its appeal.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Oddly enough, putting too much thought into a thing can make it less effective. The slapdash version will contain the most honest information whether you're on the giving or receiving end of it.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). There is no such thing as

mass appeal. The appeal is to one person many times over. Don't aim your message to all. Aim it from the most specific part of you toward something very particular in another person.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Though a mood that's totally impervious to influence would be an impossibility, you shouldn't base your happiness on whether another person happens to be pleased with you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Some people need longer to process events, especially the difficult ones. You know that just because people don't react the way you would doesn't mean they don't have similar feelings about the situation.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). When people state their intentions, you offer encouragement and support. If the action doesn't come to pass and this becomes a pattern, you're still supportive, but it's appropriate to have a different set of responses.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It may seem like a fight is necessary, and yet that's not really the case. You could also just skip it. If not, prepare for tomorrow, when today's arguments will seem petty and insignificant.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Some interpret news hopefully, and others defensively or cynically. Optimism and pessimism are just different interpretations, neither being better or more correct, though optimistic

people are usually happier.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You'll be busy with many areas of life at once, but you'll also have a sense of spiritual alignment that makes this easier than it sounds. Congruent beliefs and behaviors will turn dreams into tangible results.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). To learn quickly, practice repetition. Consider using flashcards and reminders -- not your idea of fun, but it will help you assimilate knowledge quickly and move to the next level, which you're going to love.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Sept. 19). People will surprise and delight you this year and credit your guidance for their success. Practices like visualization, meditation, prayer, spiritual breathing and movement will be linked to bursts of productivity and success. You'll commit to a deal in November and reap rewards beyond financial for years to come. Leo and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 30, 1, 11 and 45.

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Annie's Mailbox

Behavior Changes
Causing Neighborhood
Conflict

Dear Annie: I am a single senior woman. I am very close to a neighbor family. I love them, and they tell me they love me as if I were their family. The older stepfather lives with them. He and I are close in age. We have been great friends. Neither one of us is interested in a romantic relationship with each other or anyone else.

But over the past year he has become mean, judgmental and jealous of my relationship with his family. He gets angry for no reason and says offensive things to all of us. We have tried talking to him about the problem. We suggested talking to his doctor and have offered our help on finding out what is causing this

change in behavior. No one wants to be around him, so he now has no friends. Recently, he accused me of wanting to break up the marriage of the family he lives with -- his stepchildren. I am old enough to be the couple's mother and love them as my children. He said really nasty, horrible things to me about this. My husband died many years before I met this family, but he told me I treated my husband badly. He didn't even live in the same state when my husband was alive. Later, he sent me a text saying he knew what he accused me of was not true. The text also denied he said anything wrong and implied that I was making things up. He has never apologized, and he tries to act like nothing ever happened. He has threatened

to kill other neighbors for walking on the street. He has threatened his 9-year-old granddaughter. He says he hates everyone. I no longer will be around him. The problem is that the family is upset that I will no longer go to their home. They understand why but are sad that I am not in their lives as often. They love to have parties, but I won't attend any more. I miss our times together terribly. We now spend time out or at my home. The stepdad refuses to get help and blames everyone else for the problem. The family is walking on eggshells around him. Making him move out is not an option. We just don't know what to do any more. His family is so hurt by his behavior and the stress it causes. It breaks my heart. -- Sad

Neighbor
Dear Sad Neighbor: This sudden change in personality sounds like dementia, the beginning of dementia or any number of other possible medical problems. I would suggest asking the family to talk to their doctor about this change in personality, and ask if the doctor would be willing to make a house call to meet with the stepfather. At the same time, if you start to understand why he is acting the way he is, you will start to be able to be around him more and regain your friendship with your neighbor's family. Don't let one bad apple ruin the bunch.
Send your questions for Annie Lane to dearannie@creators.com.
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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker
Thrust and counterthrust

North dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
NORTH
♠ 10 4
♥ Q 8 5
♦ 10 9
♣ A K Q 10 8 2
WEST
♠ 8 6 5
♥ K 6 3
♦ J 8 6 4 3
♣ 9 4
EAST
♠ A 9 7 3 2
♥ A J 7 4
♦ K 7 2
♣ 5
SOUTH
♠ K Q J
♥ 10 9 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ J 7 6 3

key inferences. He knows from West's fourth-best lead of the four of diamonds that West cannot have more than five diamonds. He also knows that South has the queen or jack of diamonds because if South had only A-x-x, he would not take the ace until the third round of the suit. East likewise realizes that if declarer has all the missing high cards, there is no chance whatever of stopping the contract. He therefore credits West with some key card (or cards) — such as the king of hearts or king-jack of spades — and waits to see what South does next. So, when declarer leads a club to the ace at trick two and returns the ten of spades from dummy, indicating some strength in that suit, East is left with only one hope. Accordingly, he rises with the ace and returns a low heart. West wins and continues a heart, and South goes down one, thanks to East's alert defense. Of course, if East is asleep at the switch and ducks the first spade, South scampers home with nine tricks. This type of thinking, where a defender makes the necessary assumptions based on the bidding and the early play and takes the appropriate action, is a vital aspect of defense. There is no room for laziness in this area of the game.

The bidding:
North East South West
1♣ Dble Redble 1♦
Pass Pass 2NT Pass
3NT
Opening lead — four of diamonds.
Most players agree that good defensive play is more difficult to attain than good declarer play. Defenders usually have to work much harder to get what they're entitled to than the declarer does. Consider this deal where East must do some sound thinking to find the winning defense against three notrump. West leads a diamond, and South wins East's king with the ace. East can already draw several

Tomorrow: Bidding quiz.
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5	1	7	4	8	4	6	2	3
1	8	4	9	8	6	2	9	7
7	8	2	8	4	7	6	9	1
6	9	9	1	2	7	7	4	8
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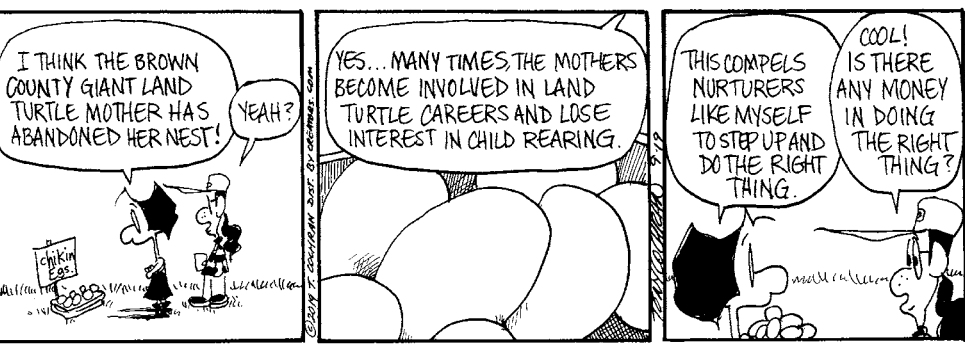
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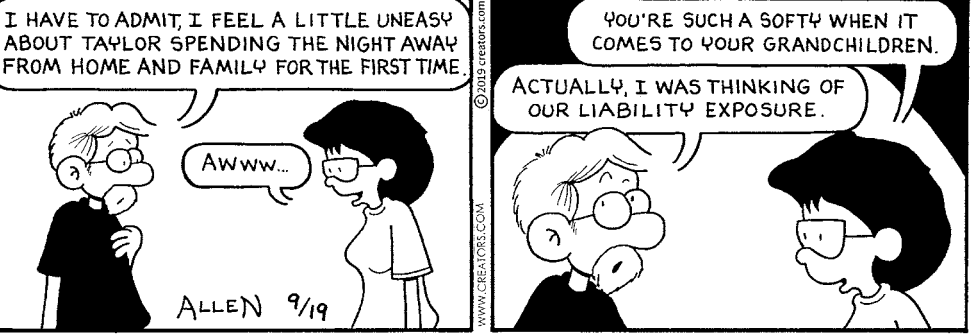
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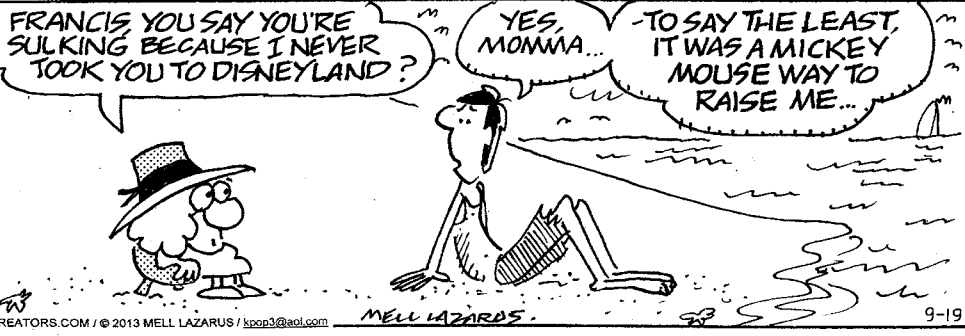
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This Date In History

Today in History
Today is Thursday, Sept. 19, the 262nd day of 2019. There are 103 days left in the year.
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On this date:
In 1777, the first Battle of Saratoga was fought during the Revolutionary War; although British forces succeeded in driving out the American troops, the Americans prevailed in a second battle the following month.
In 1796, the President George Washington's farewell address was published. In it, America's first chief executive advised, "Observe good faith and justice toward all nations. Cultivate peace and harmony with all."
In 1881, the 20th president of the United States, James A. Garfield, died 2 1/2 months after being shot by Charles Guiteau; Chester Alan Arthur became president.
In 1934, Bruno Hauptmann was arrested in New York and charged with the kidnap-murder of 20-month-old Charles A. Lindbergh Jr.
In 1970, the "Mary Tyler Moore" show debuted on CBS-TV.
In 1982, the smiley emoticon was invented by Carnegie Mellon University professor Scott E. Fahlman, who suggested punctuating humorously intended computer messages with a colon followed by a hyphen and a parenthesis as a horizontal "smiley face." :-)
In 1985, the Mexico City area was struck by a devastating earthquake that killed at least 9,500 people.
In 1986, federal health officials announced that the experimental drug AZT would be made available to thousands of AIDS patients.
In 1995, The New York Times and The Washington Post published the manifesto of a kabbalist bomber Ted Kaczynski (Nazi-Zihn'-skee), which proved instrumental in identifying and capturing him.
In 1996, IBM announced it would extend health benefits to the partners of its gay employees.
In 2001, The Pentagon ordered dozens of advanced aircraft to

the Persian Gulf region as the hour of military retaliation for deadly terrorist attacks on Sept. 11 drew closer.
In 2004, Hu Jintao (hoo jintow) became the undisputed leader of China with the departure of former President Jiang Zemin (jahng zuh-MEEN') from his top military post.
Ten years ago: Russia said it would scrap a plan to deploy missiles near Poland after Washington dumped a planned missile shield in Eastern Europe. Art Ferrante, 88, half of the piano duo Ferrante and Teicher, died in Longboat Key, Florida. (Lou Teicher had died in 2008 at age 83.)
Five years ago: President Barack Obama signed legislation authorizing the military to arm and train moderate Syrian rebels fighting Islamic State militants in the Middle East. Shortly after President Obama and his daughters left the White House by helicopter, a man with a knife jumped the fence and made it into the presidential residence before being tackled. (Omar Gonzalez, an Army veteran with mental health issues, was later sentenced to 17 months in prison.) Chinese e-commerce giant Alibaba debuted as a publicly traded company and swiftly climbed nearly 40 percent in a mammoth IPO.
One year ago: President Donald Trump visited North and South Carolina to survey the wreckage left by Hurricane Florence. Wanda Barzee, who had helped her then-husband kidnap Utah teen Elizabeth Smart 15 years earlier, was released from prison; Smart had said she was shocked and disappointed by the news that Barzee would be freed.
Today's Birthdays: Author Roger Angell is 99. Host James Lipton (TV: "Inside the Actors Studio") is 93. Actress Rosemary Harris is 92. Actor David McCallum is 86. Singer-songwriter Paul Williams is 79. Singer Bill Medley is 79. Singer Sylvia Tyson (Ian and Sylvia) is 79. R&B singer Freda Payne is 77. Retired professional golfer Jane Blalock is 74. Singer David Bromberg is 74. Actor Randolph Mantooth is 74. Rock

singer-musician Lol Creme (10cc) is 72. Former NFL running back Larry Brown is 72. Actor Jeremy Irons is 71. Actress Twiggy Lawson is 70. TV personality Joan Lunden is 69. Singer-producer Daniel Lanois (lan-WAH') is 68. Actor Scott Colomby is 67. Musician-producer Nile Rodgers is 67. Singer-actor Rex Smith is 64. Rock singer Lita Ford is 61. Actor Kevin Hooks is 61.

Actress Carolyn McCormick is 60. Celebrity chef Mario Batali is 59. Actress-comedian Cheri Oteri is 57. Country singer Jeff Bates is 56. Country singer Trisha Yearwood is 55. News anchor Soledad O'Brien is 53. Rhythm-and-blues singer Esperanza Griffn (Society of Soul) is 50. Celebrity chef Michael Symon is 50. Actor Victor Williams is 49. Actress Sanaa Lathan (suh-

NAH' LAY'-thun) is 48. Actress Stephanie J. Block is 47. Rock singer A. Jay Popoff (Lit) is 46. "Tonight Show" host Jimmy Fallon is 45. TV personality Carter Oosterhouse is 43. Actress-TV host Alison Sweeney is 43. Rock musician Ryan Dusick is 42. Folk-rock singers-musicians Sara and Tegan (TEE'-gan) Quin are 39. Actor Columbus Short is 37. Rapper Eamon is 36. Christian

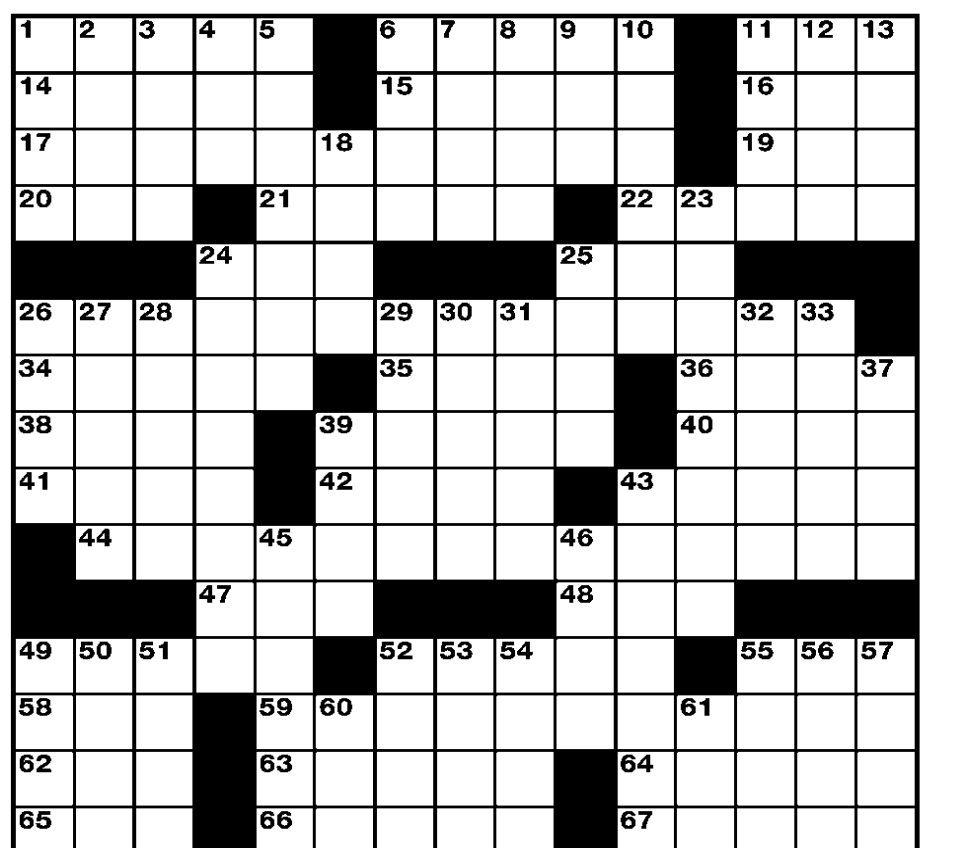
rock musician JD Frazier is 36. Actor Kevin Zegers is 35. Actress Danielle Panabaker is 32. Actress Katrina Bowden is 31.
Thought for Today: "Do not let yourself be tainted with a barren skepticism." — Louis Pasteur, French scientist (1822-1895).

Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS
1 Grammy-winning president
6 Early game console seller
11 Decide (to)
14 Coffee shop order
15 Principle
16 Continue to be
17 Flower the skunk and Thumper, e.g.
19 Evil spell
20 Ordinary: Abbr.
21 Health care underwriter
22 Go off
24 George W. Bush's degree
25 Progressive spokesperson
26 Planet of the Apes franchise activity
34 Wipe away
35 Gig for a sleuth
36 Skitter
38 Catch in the act
39 Right Guard rival
40 Need to slow down
41 Threat conclusion
42 Patch up
43 Welles of films
44 Dens, honeycombs, etc.
47 Novelist Brown
48 Org. for Nadal or Federer
49 32-piece game
52 55 Down competitor
55 Director DuVernay
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59 Carrot farmer's goal

BEASTLY SOUNDS by Mark McClain Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com

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11 Birthplace of 1 Across
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23 Theme of some comedies
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25 Toon caveman
26 Bit of DNA
27 Dental care brand
28 Bring up
29 Field units
30 Advises caution
31 Whispered stage line
32 Mrs. Gorbachev
33 Harry Potter series owl
37 Till section
39 "How true!"
43 Elegant footstool
45 Allergic reactions
46 Cite
49 Song line starter
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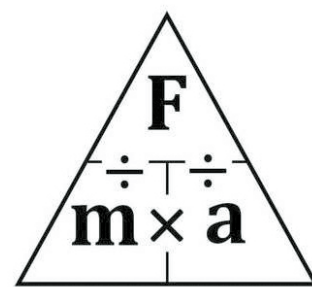
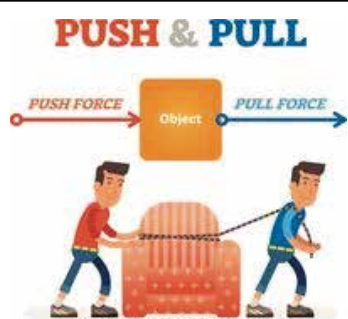
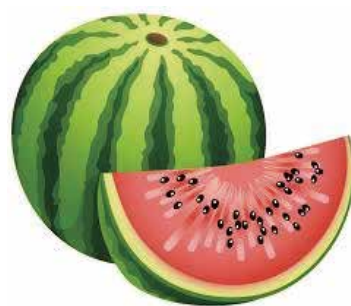


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SCIENCE

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Here are some more pictures of Mrs. Welch's third-grade class's science experiment using rubber bands to apply force to watermelons.:



Time for college-bound seniors to fill out the FAFSA

Special to the Herald

High school seniors planning to attend college or technical school next fall should fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, also called the FAFSA, as soon as possible beginning Oct. 1, according to KHEAA.

The information on the FAFSA determines if students qualify for federal grants and student loans. It is also required to apply for state grants and scholarships. In addition, many colleges use the

information to award their own grants and scholarships.

The FAFSA asks for information about income, assets and expenses. A formula set by Congress determines eligibility for federal and state aid. If the student is considered a dependent under federal guidelines, both the student and parents must provide financial information. Nearly all students going directly to college from high school are considered dependent. Some student aid programs have limited money

and provide funds on a first-come, first-served basis, so it is important to submit the FAFSA as soon as possible.

Even if they don't think they'll qualify for financial aid, students should submit the FAFSA. They may be surprised because student aid rules change all the time.

KHEAA is a public, non-profit agency established in 1966 to improve students' access to college. It provides information about financial aid and financial literacy at no cost to students and parents.

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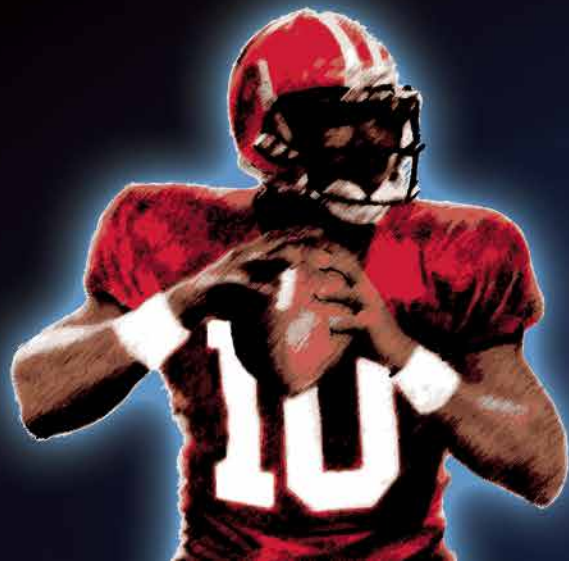
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4. Do not throw candy from float, you may walk beside your float if you wish to throw candy.
5. You will receive your float number and instructions about 1 week prior to parade.
6. If your float number isn't Clearly Visible on the driver side, your float will not be judged.





FRIDAY NIGHT UNDER THE LIGHTS

High School Football In Howard County

Steer pride is high for Homecoming Week *Big Spring Steers ready to battle Pecos*

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

Steer Pride is in full force this week as Steer Nation gets ready for Homecoming. The Steers will be looking for a win as they take on Pecos at Memorial Stadium. The coaches, football players, students and faculty have been showing off their school spirit with different spirit days – from Superhero Day, to Crazy Day and more to come.

Friday will be a day filled with school spirit at Big Spring High, and the community is invited to take part. The Homecoming Pep Rally starts at 3 p.m., the Homecoming Parade at 4:30 p.m. around the high school, and kick off is set at 7:30 p.m. for the

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Courtesy photo/KBest Media

The Big Spring Steers brought home a win over Monahans last week. They will be facing off against Pecos for the Homecoming Game.



Bulldogs ready to take on Slaton Tigers



Courtesy photo

Coahoma Bulldogs took on Wink Wildcats last week and came out with a victory. This week they are gearing up to face what is expected to possibly be the toughest match up of the preseason, according to Joslin.

Special to the Herald

Coahoma Bulldogs Head Football Coach Chris Joslin fully expects Friday's match against the Slaton Tigers to be a major test for his football team.

"This is a real good football team," Joslin said. "It's going to be a highly contested game. It's probably going to come down to the fourth quarter. We need a game like that leading into district. The Tiger players are going to be real athletic."

In fact, Joslin said he expects Slaton to be the toughest team Coahoma will face this preseason.

"They are real good," he said. "We went to Slaton last year and played them tough over there. They went to the second round last year in 3A Division I playoffs, which is one division up from us. So they will have quite a few kids who are very athletic."

What Joslin does expect of his team is to start the game ready to play, which is what he saw in last week's game against Wink.

"We did come out ready to play," he said. "What we have been preaching to the kids is to be ready to play at the start and not wait until

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Buffaloes and Wolves head to the field

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

Last week it was the battle of the Buffaloes; this week, Forsan Buffaloes are traveling down the road to take on the Colorado City Wolves.

Forsan Coach Jason Phillips and the coaching staff have been preparing the team for what is expected to be a tough match up.

"Colorado City is always a tough opponent. They are a well coached group with some great athletes," Coach Phillips said. "This will be a good test for us."

With the Buffaloes starting the season off with back-to-back losses, last week's win came as a welcome breath of fresh air. The Buffaloes had

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HERALD photo/Erica Morse

Forsan lines up against the Buffaloes of Stanton, ready to take home the win. Forsan was victorious, winning the game 22-19.



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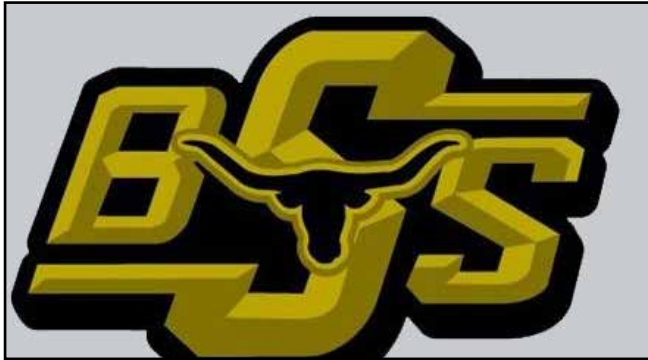
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STEERS

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Friday Night Game.

Last week, the Steers were able to fight back from a hard first half and defeated the Monahans Lobos, bringing home a 21-13 win – the first win of the season for the Big Spring Steers.

The team showed their fight in a strong second half while on the road. This week, the team is back to defend their home turf and will be looking

to bring a win to add to the Homecoming celebrations.

As you head into the Steers Homecoming

game this Friday, there will also be an opportunity to support the Greater Big Spring Rotary at their tailgate fundraiser, that will be located right outside Memorial Stadium.

The Big Spring Herald wants to share in the Homecoming festivities. Send in your photos from Homecoming – dress up days, game photos, halftime photos and more – and watch the Big Spring Herald next week to see them featured.



HERALD file photo

Gabriel Baeza is shown handing off the ball to Orlando Sanchez as the Steers move the ball down the field during a previous game this season. The Steers brought home their first win of the season last week against Monahans.

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the second half. So far we've done that. We need to just get off to a fast start. We scored the first time we've had the ball in every ball game, and we've held everybody the first time they've had the ball. So that's the way we want to start every game if we can.

"Last year I felt like we had what I call a 'feel-



ing out process,'" he continued. "We would feel out the other teams before we started playing, and we are trying to get away from that and instead play our game from the get go."

This week's game will also be a test for the new 3-4 defense Coahoma added to its playbook this season.

"It's been very good for us," Joslin said. "Our

first team defense has only given up one score all year. This week is going to be a big test because this team is very fast. We have to tackle well, but our kids are ready to play. Coach (Mitchell) Woodard has done a fine job of getting them ready."

The Coahoma Bulldogs (3-0) will host the Slaton Tigers (2-1) at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Bill

Easterling Memorial Stadium. Pregame ceremonies begin at 6:45 p.m. when Coahoma ISD will honor all seniors involved with football, band, and cheerleading.

"We encourage everyone to come out and pay respect to our seniors for the hard work and dedication they have given to the program over the last four years," Joslin said.



Courtesy photo

Zack Schneider, No. 11, steps over a couple of Wink Wildcat defenders on his way to the end zone during the varsity football game on Friday night. The Coahoma Bulldogs earned a big win against Wink 55-22.

BUFFS

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to fight for the win, but were able to recover from being down 13-0 at one point. The heart of the team started beating and pushed forward. By working together and pushing forward – leaving the previous losses behind them – the Forsan Buffaloes were able to claim the victory over Stanton and head into this week's game with a newfound confidence.

"Our guys did a great job battling back ... they showed a lot of heart," Coach Phillips said. "This week's game is one that will be filled with fast-paced action and keep the crowd's attention."

He continued, "We are expecting to have a great tempo on the offense side and fast defenders flying to the football in defense mode."



The Buffaloes will be coming home and have homefield advantage when they fight the Wolves this Friday. Kickoff is set for 7:30 p.m. with high-intensity football from beginning to end.

"I am super proud of the guys last Friday. We had an exciting game where several kids made some big plays," Coach Phillips said.

Win or lose, the Buffaloes will do it as a team. They will leave it all on the field and start preparing for Homecoming as they will take on Reagan County. For those wanting to start planning for Spirit Week, the days will be as follows:

- Monday, Sept. 23 - Pajamas Day
- Tuesday, Sept. 24 - Tacky Tourisist
- Wednesday, Sept. 25 - VSCO/Frat
- Thur., Sept. 26 - Twin Day
- Fri., Sept 27 - Black and White

Do you enjoy sports? Would you like to share your perspective of the local games? We are looking for Sports Stringers. Call 432-263-7331 to find out more information.



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The Forsan Buffaloes are coming off of the first win of the season and looking to fight hard for another win against Colorado City Wolves, this Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Forsan.

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9. Packers
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9. Broncos
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3. Colorado City
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5. Grady
6. Sterling City
7. Garden City
8. New Deal
9. Packers
10. Cowboys

Official Game Rules:

Find this week's games between the merchant's ads on this page. Choose the teams you think will win, and fill in the official entry form on this page with your team choices. Clip the entry form out of the page and drop it in the Pigskin box at one of the listed merchants.

Do not drop your entry form at the Big Spring Herald office.

*The entry with the most correct picks will win \$50!

You must be 18 to enter. *No photo copies accepted.*

*In the event of a tie, the tie breaker will determine the winner.

For the tie breaker, the entry with the correct team will win.

If both entries have guessed the same team, the second tie breaker will be the one closest to the total points.

*Decisions of the judges are final.

*Employees and family of the Big Spring Herald are ineligible.

*All entries must be received at one of the participating merchants by 1pm Friday of the week played.

*Winners will be announced on the next week's Pigskin Contest Page.

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

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West Texas Score Board

District 2-6A	Record	PF	PA
Amarillo Tascosa	2-1-0	101	57
Midland Lee	3-0-0	152	49
Wolfforth Frenship	2-1-0	129	91
Odessa	1-2-0	77	113
Midland	1-2-0	80	132
Odessa Permian	0-3-0	49	132

Last Week:
Lubbock Coronado 44, Odessa 27; Wolfforth Frenship 61, Lubbock-Cooper 53; Southlake Carroll 48, Odessa Permian 7; Midland Lee 72, El Paso Montwood 7; Amarillo Tascosa 49, Amarillo Palo Duro 7; El Paso Franklin 55, Midland 21.

District 2-5A	Record	PF	PA
Abilene Cooper	3-0-0	85	48
Lubbock Monterey	2-1-0	131	99
Amarillo	1-2-0	60	102
Amarillo Caprock	0-3-0	63	123
Amarillo Palo Duro	1-2-0	46	127
Lubbock	0-3-0	57	125
Lubbock Coronado	1-2-0	95	98

Last Week:
Lubbock Coronado 44, Odessa 27; Wichita Falls Rider 38, Amarillo 24; Plainview 35, Lubbock 27; Lubbock Estacado 35, Amarillo Caprock 14; Amarillo Tascosa 49, Amarillo Palo Duro 7; Abilene Cooper 23, Abilene 14; Clovis (NM) 60, Lubbock Monterey 27.

District 3-5A Div. 2	Record	PF	PA
Canyon Randall	1-2-0	56	68
Lubbock-Cooper	2-1-0	133	102
Wichita Falls Rider	2-1-0	118	93
Abilene Wylie	0-3-0	45	132
Plainview	1-2-0	76	92
Wichita Falls	0-3-0	52	77

Last Week:
Wolfforth Frenship 61, Lubbock-Cooper 53; Dumas 7, Wichita Falls 0; Wichita Falls Rider 38, Amarillo 24; Stephenville 34, Abilene Wylie 0; Plainview 35, Lubbock 27; Herford 30, Canyon Randall 14.

District 2-4A	Record	PF	PA
San Angelo Lake View	3-0-0	97	56
Seminole	3-0-0	106	49
Andrews	2-1-0	108	70
Big Spring	1-2-0	54	103

Last Week:
San Angelo Lake View 32, Snyder 19; Seminole 27, Pecos 21; Big Spring 21, Monahans 13; Andrews 44, Levelland 19.

District 1-4A Div. 2	Record	PF	PA
Fort Stockton	3-0-0	55	20
Midland Greenwood	3-0-0	77	20
Lamesa	0-3-0	30	88
Monahans	0-3-0	18	71
Pecos	1-2-0	38	73
Snyder	0-3-0	30	104
Sweetwater	1-2-0	55	76

Last Week:
San Angelo Lake View 32, Snyder 19; Midland Greenwood 49, Shallowater 14; Seminole 27, Pecos 21; Big Spring 21, Monahans 13; Canyon 55, Lamesa 6; Wichita Falls Hirschi 70, Sweetwater 41; Fort Stockton 38, El Paso Riverside 7.

District 1-3A Div. 2	Record	PF	PA
Alpine	1-2-0	73	76
Anthony	2-1-0	77	82
Crane	3-0-0	174	33
Reagan County	0-3-0	19	104

Last Week:
Ozona 36, Big Lake Reagan County 0; Crane 51, McCamey 27; Denver City 27, Alpine 12; Anthony 39, Tomillo 6.

District 2-3A	Record	PF	PA
Abernathy	3-0-0	126	27
Coahoma	3-0-0	133	31
Idalou	2-1-0	87	65
Stanton	2-1-0	44	39
Colorado City	0-3-0	17	110
Lubbock Roosevelt	0-3-0	32	119

Last Week:
Coahoma 55, Wink 22; Abernathy 51, Wellington 6; Stanton 22, Forsan 19; Post 63, Lubbock Roosevelt 6; Idalou 38, Littlefield 21; Ballinger 49, Colorado City Colorado 14.

District 3-2A	Record	PF	PA
Hawley	2-1-0	101	53
Stamford	2-1-0	84	65
Winters	2-1-0	74	62
Forsan	0-3-0	19	92
Ozona	2-1-0	114	33

Last Week:
Bangs 42, Winters 27; Stanton 22, Forsan 19; Anson 44, Stamford 24; Ozona 36, Big Lake Reagan County 0; Hamlin 44, Hawley 26.

District 1-2A Div. 2	Record	PF	PA
McCamey	1-2-0	70	111
Iraan	0-3-0	26	193
Van Horn	1-2-0	60	94
Wink	1-2-0	53	92

Last Week:
Coahoma 55, Wink 22; Chrisstoval 43, Van Horn 14; Crane 51, McCamey 27; Menard 48, Iraan 20.

UIL Six Man District 6-1A	Record	PF	PA
Borden County	3-0-0	207	100
Klondike	2-1-0	138	88
O'Donnell	2-1-0	134	50
Grady	2-1-0	135	105
Sands	0-3-0	45	175

Last Week:
Lamesa Klondike 66, Wilson 18; Lenorah Grady 73, Silvertown 44; Ropesville Ropes 44, O'Donnell 32; Gail Borden 90, Knox City 44; Whiteface 64, Ackerly Sands 26.

Players of the Week



Gabriel Baeza



DaQuorian Gordon



Colin Daniels

Linebacker Colin Daniels set the tone for the Bulldogs' defense early in Friday's game with a big hit during Wink's first kickoff return. With a solid Bulldog defensive tackle team this year, opponents are forced to run the ball on the outside and Daniels is doing a great job for Coahoma to make big tackles to stop those offensive drives in their tracks. These achievements made him this week's Defensive Player of the Week.



Sean Striegler

Bulldogs starting wide receiver and defensive back Sean Striegler had an outstanding game against Wink on Friday. The Coahoma High School junior caught two big touch-down passes and ran into the end zone for a third after intercepting the ball. According to Head Football Coach Chris Joslin, Striegler puts in long hours at practice running his routes and it's paid off for the Bulldogs. These achievements earn him the title of Offensive Player of the Week.



Paul Evans

Paul Evans, Forsan Junior, is a wide receiver and showed up big time during the recent game against Stanton. He played with heart and supported his teammates in their efforts that brought home a win, this past week. His team work, determination and athleticism earned him recognition as the Buff's Offensive Player of the week.



Cayden Morgan

Sophomore Cayden Morgan made another positive impact to the game, as Forsan battled against Stanton, and brought home a win. The week before, he gave Post's offense a tough fight with 14 tackles and 7 assists. Cayden Morgan's unstoppable determination earned him this week's Buff's Defensive Player for the second week in a row.

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