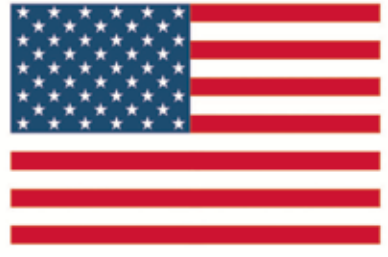


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**Upcoming Event**  
**Monday**  
**Martin Luther King Jr. Day**  
**MLK March**  
 6 p.m.  
 Meet at corner of Gregg St. and MLK Blvd.  
 City and County offices closed. Emergency services will operate as usual.  
**Jan. 25**  
 Silver Wings Ball  
 Tickets now available  
 Open Art Studio fundraiser  
 BSHS Art Room  
 Sheriff Debate  
 BSHS at 10 a.m.  
 More details to come

**Feb. 1**  
 Big Spring's Got Talent  
 Applications being accepted.  
**Feb. 7**  
 Chamber Extravaganza  
 Howard Co. Fairgrounds  
**Feb. 8**  
 Big Spring Symphony  
 presents:  
 Beethoven is 250

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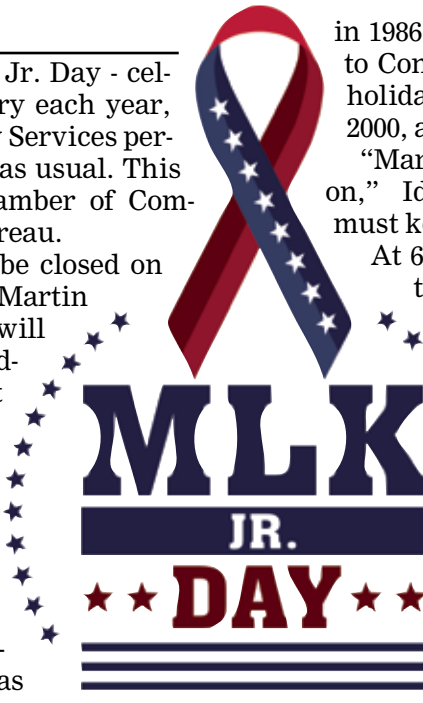


## Martin Luther King Jr. day closings and activities

### Annual MLK March will take place at 6 p.m. Monday

**Staff Report**

In observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day - celebrated on the third Monday in January each year, all city offices will be closed. Emergency Services personnel - police, fire, EMS - will operate as usual. This closure includes Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce and Convention and Visitor's Bureau.  
 All Howard County Offices will also be closed on Monday, Jan. 20 in observance for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. County offices will reopen on Tuesday, Jan. 21. Sheriff's Administrative Offices will be closed, but Law Enforcement Services will operate as normal.  
 Area schools - Forsan, Coahoma and Big Spring - will have the day off as well. Students will return to classes on Tuesday, Jan. 21.  
 Martin Luther King Jr. is known for being a civil rights hero who was assassinated on April 4, 1968 in Memphis. It was



in 1986, nearly 20 years after it was originally introduced to Congress by the King Center, that it became a federal holiday. The holiday became nationally recognized in 2000, according to a USA Today report.  
 "Martin Luther King Jr. Day is not a day off, it's a day on," Ida Hambrick, MLK march coordinator, said. "We must keep on to keep the dream on."  
 At 6 p.m. at the corner of Gregg Street and Martin Luther King Blvd. the annual MLK March will begin and travel down MLK Blvd. The community is encouraged to attend and take part. The march will take place no matter what the weather may be. Currently, the forecast is calling for mostly cloudy with a high near 50 during the day and at night temperatures are expected to get down to 34, according to the National Weather Service.  
 Community members are encouraged to come out and join with us as we march  
 See **MLK**, Page 3A

## Highly active flu season brings focus on prevention

### Hand washing, sanitizer, flu vaccine encouraged

**By AMANDA DUFORAT**

Managing Editor



**Dr. Daisy Benigno**  
 I.M. Provider

Sneezing, coughing, body aches, high temperature, and more may sound like the introduction to a television commercial, but it's not. The list are just a few of the signs and symptoms that have been associated with the flu this year. According to the CDC (Centers for Disease Control) flu season typically kicks off in October, peaks around February and can extend until late May.  
 "Statistics show this season alone, influenza activity has been elevated for the last eight weeks (end of November)," Dr. Daisy Benigno, Internal Medicine provider with Steward Medical Group, said. "The flu can be a serious illness and needs to be treated as such. A flu shot is your best protection."  
 The CDC estimates so far this season there have been at least 9.7 million flu illnesses, 87,000 hospitalizations and 4,800 deaths from flu, as of last week.

According to Dr. Benigno, the flu season in the Southern hemisphere is the indication of what is to come in the Northern hemisphere, which is the United States.  
 "The Southern hemisphere winter flu season was a very difficult one the past year," she said. "Even though flu season is unpredictable, already early in 2019 the U.S. CDC began to see influenzas as early as August, thus supporting their predictions."  
 While September is considered early in flu season, California say a four-year-old pediatric patient die from the flu, which served as a hard reminder of how serious - sometimes fatal - the flu can be. Locally, there have been a lot of sick patients pass through the provider's offices. Of those patients, there are some who have tested positive for Influenza A and B.  
 "A person should see their provider on the first signs of the flu," Dr. Benigno said. "The flu shot is very beneficial; we are not through with influenza season

and it can still be very beneficial and should be received."  
 Flu symptoms include fever, cough, chills, sweats, muscle and or body aches, vomiting or severe stomach cramps, diarrhea or just feeling bad. Dr. Benigno mentioned that while there are common signs and symptoms of the flu, every person is different and some patients can test positive without severe symptoms.  
 "When you visit your provider, he or she will decide if you will benefit from Tamiflu," she said. "You may also be dealing with other issues and your provider can check everything to help you recover as quickly as possible."  
 During flu season especially, prevention is important. Continuous hand washing and the use of hand sanitizer is important. Other preventive measures include avoiding crowded areas and other areas where you can be easily exposed, disinfect common surfaces and your phone, and try to keep your hands away from your face, and don't shake hands during flu season.  
 See **FLU**, Page 3A

## AARP Tax Aide available beginning in February

**By ANNA GUTIERREZ**

Staff Writer

AARP is once again getting prepared to help the residents of Big Spring and Howard County with their income taxes. All preparers are currently in training so they can begin offering services on Monday, Feb. 3, 2020.  
 "We help mainly senior citizens, but we can also help low-income families," says Ray Alexander, local coordinator. "On Monday, Feb. 3, our AARP IRS contract goes into effect, and we'll offer services every Monday through the first Monday in April."  
 If you need help with your taxes, you can stop by the Senior Citizens Center, located at 100 Whipkey Dr., from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. No appointment is necessary.  
 Alexander states that in order to prepare your taxes, you must provide the following:

- Any tax forms (W-2, 1099, royalties, etc)
  - Social Security card is required. Taxes cannot be prepared without a social security card.
  - Picture ID
- He also says that all preparers pass certification, and all taxes are double-checked by reviewers, who have also been certified, for accuracy prior to filing. There are no income requirements in order to receive these services being offered.  
 "We will e-file for you, and you can choose whether to get a check sent to you, or direct deposit," states Alexander. "Just bring all your banking information if you want direct deposit."  
 Continues Alexander, "We estimate that we save the people of this area approximately \$200 to \$250

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## Hagen named as new City Attorney

**By Erica Morse**

Herald Contributing Writer

The Big Spring City Council voted this week to approve the hiring of a new City Attorney to replace Marianne Banks, who resigned in December. Bank's last day will be Jan. 31.  
 "We are sorry to see Ms. Banks go, but we're excited to have Judge Hagen join us and look forward to him becoming a proud resident of Big Spring," Mayor Shannon Thomason said. "Judge Hagen comes to us highly recommended, and we look forward to him joining us on City staff."  
 Judge Andrew Hagen is a native of Fargo, North Dakota. He is a 1996 graduate of Earlham College in Richmond, Indiana, and a 2002 graduate of Rutgers Law School in Camden, New Jersey. He made his way to Uvalde, Texas in the late 2000's, when he began working for the City's Information Technology (IT)

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## Obituaries

### George Ray Colvin



George Ray Colvin, age 83, of Big Spring, formally of Turkey, Texas, died Tuesday, Jan. 14, 2020, after a short illness. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 18, 2020, at Dreamland Cemetery in Turkey. Visitation will take place from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Friday, Jan. 17, 2020, at Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Quitaque. Arrangements are under the personal care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

George was born in Turkey, Texas on July 31, 1936. He retired from Big Spring State Hospital as business manager, and moved back to Turkey, Texas. He was married to Veta L. Colvin who preceded him in death on April 23, 2013.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Veta L. Col-

vin; his mom, Emily Ella Pauline Geissler; his dad, George Ray Colvin; a sister, Etwoil Hamilton; and a daughter, Tasha Colvin.

George is survived by his son, James Colvin of Big Spring; his daughters, Shawna Smith and husband, David of Big Spring, Suzie Ham and her husband, Tony of Montevallo, Alabama, and Linda Meyer and her husband, Steve of Austin, Texas; two sisters, Rae Logan of Kerrville, Texas, and Judy Morrison and her husband, Murry Wayne of Lubbock, Texas; twelve grandchildren, Travis Colvin, Kenna Colvin, Katelin Colvin, Brody Smith, Heather Diffie, Rusty Ham, Molliemae Ham, Suzanna Wells, Destiny Whitley, Ryan Whitley, Jennifer Anderson and John Thomas Barr; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Online condolences may be made at [www.moore-rose.com](http://www.moore-rose.com).

*Paid Obituary*

### Kim Dianne Dorsey



Kim Dianne Dorsey, 54, passed away Thursday, Jan. 9, 2020.

She was born Aug. 21, 1965, in St. Louis, Missouri, to Allen Dorsey and Anne Kaufman.

She attended Penn State and received a Master's Degree in English and Spanish. She was a professor at Howard College in Big Spring.

The family will receive friends

from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Monday, Jan. 20, 2020, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch funeral home.

She is survived by two sisters, Bridgette Thomas (Stephen) and Alana Yancie (Monroe) of St. Louis, Missouri; two brothers, Allen Dorsey Jr. (Deborah) and Eddie Dorsey; a nephew, Brett McDonald; her two dogs, Queen Bean Jr. and Boo Boo; the faculty at Howard College; and her friends.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com).

*Paid Obituary*

### Andrea Mae Howard



Andrea Mae Howard, 77, of Big Spring, died Wednesday, Jan. 15, 2020. Graveside services will be 2 p.m., Monday, Jan. 20, 2020, at Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com).

### Lucille Mundell Nichols



Lucille Mundell Nichols passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 15, 2020. The family will receive friends on Monday, January 20, 2020, from 6-8 p.m. at Nalley Pickle and Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring, Texas. Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2020, at Mt. Olive Chapel and Cemetery.

She is survived by her daughters, Sandra Hodnett of Big Spring and Tammy Dyer of Austin; sons, David Nichols and wife, Leah of Bandera, and Chad Nichols and wife, Jackie of Big Spring.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences may be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com).

## Support Groups

### 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.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features experts; small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. 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. The next session being Sept. 3, 2019. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information.

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 77 inmates at the time of this report.

• **FLORENTINO SILVA BARAZA**, 49, was arrested by BSPD on warrants for theft of property

(\$30,000 to \$150,000), theft of property (\$2,500 to \$30,000), and theft of property (\$750 to \$2,500).

• **BRANDY RENEE GREGORY**, 39, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for assault causing bodily injury to a family member.

• **ROBERT ADAM MATA**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on charges

of burglary of a building, and criminal mischief \$750 to \$2,500).

• **ANDREW JOHN ROSENBERG**, 48, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **ISRAEL SAIZ**, 22, was arrested by HCSO on a warrant for theft of property (\$750 to \$2,500).

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1200 block of Hilltop Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to

Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported at FM 700 and Virginia. No transport was required.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported at mile marker 196 of I-20. No transport was required.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of I-20. One person was transported to Scenic

Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3300 block of Hwy 80. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 500 block of W. 17th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Take Note

• American Legion Post 506 will be having a fish fry, Saturday, Jan. 18 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Plates are \$10 each. Delivery available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Location is 3203 W. Hwy 80. Everyone is welcome! For more information, call 263-2084.

• Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Service will be held at Baker's Chapel AME Church, on Monday, Jan. 20, 2020, at 12 p.m. The church is located at 911 N. Lancaster. National Theme King Center King's 2020 Vision, "The Beloved Community-The Fierce Urgency of Now." There will be guest speakers and grab 'n' go lunch, at no charge. For more information, contact Mrs. Willia Leford at 268-8233.

• The Big Spring Amateur Radio Club will be hosting a Ham Radio Training Course for Technician Class Certification. The class will meet Monday and Thursday nights from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The dates are: Monday, Jan. 20, Thursday, Jan. 23, Monday, Jan. 27, and Thursday, Jan. 30. Upon completion of the classes, a testing date will be scheduled to accommodate those in the class. For more information, email Henry Hunter at [hhunter@poka.com](mailto:hhunter@poka.com), or Pepper Sullivan at [wpsull911@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wpsull911@sbcglobal.net).

• VFW Post 2013 meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. New members are being sought. The Post is located at 500 Driver Rd. Qualified vet-

erans, those who have served in a foreign war, who are interested in joining the VFW are encouraged to attend a meeting to find out more information.

• Food2Kids will again be providing sack lunches to children in the Big Spring area who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It takes just a couple of hours of your time, and the work is very rewarding. The next sacking event of this 2019-2020 school year will be Monday, Feb. 3 and Tuesday Feb. 4, and they will continue throughout the year on the first Monday and Tuesday of the month. To volunteer, just show up at Lakeview High School located at 1107 N.W. 7th St., at 5:30 p.m. You can follow their Facebook page for additional information <https://www.facebook.com/food2kids/>.

• O'Neal-Kunkle, Chapter #47 of the Disabled American Vets (D.A.V.), meets the third Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at 2204 Runnels Street. For more information, please contact Norman Witcher at 432-413-6663.

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down MLK Blvd. We have to stand as a community," she said. "If we can be an example for those around us and continue to serve as a catalyst then we can make a change ... we can be the change."

Since Martin Luther King Jr. Day is recognized as a national holiday, no mail will be de-

livered on Monday and several banks around town will be closed. Normal business hours will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 21.

Reminder, the following buildings in Howard County will close their offices at 4 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 24 for routine pest control services:

- County Courthouse
- 118th District Courthouse

• County Annex Building  
The offices will resume regular business hours on Monday, Jan. 27. Sheriff's Administrative Offices will be closed, but Law Enforcement Services will operate as normal.

To contact the Big Spring Herald, email [editor@bigspringherald.com](mailto:editor@bigspringherald.com) or call 432-263-7331.

**Weather**



**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 52. Northeast wind 10 to 15 mph.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 29. East wind around 5 mph.

**Sunday:** Mostly cloudy, with a high near 49. East wind around 5 mph.

**Sunday Night:** A 20 percent chance of rain. Cloudy, with a low around 34.

**Monday:** Mostly cloudy, with a high near 50.

**Monday Night:** Cloudy, with a low around 34.

**Tuesday:** A slight chance of rain. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 52.

**Tuesday Night:** A slight chance of rain. Partly cloudy, with a low around 38.

**Wednesday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 62.

**Wednesday Night:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 41.

**Thursday:** Partly sunny, with a high near 63.

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

**CITY**

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Department.

In 2011, he was appointed the

Municipal Court Judge for the City of Uvalde, Texas.

"When I think of Big Spring, I see a city that has a lot of things going for it," Judge Hagen said. "It has a lot of potential, I see a

great future ahead, and look forward to doing the best job I can for the citizens of Big Spring."

Judge Hagen will begin his new position as City Attorney on Feb. 3.

**TAX**

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per tax return. That's about the going rate to prepare taxes. So if we prepare 200 tax returns, we save approximately \$40,000 to \$50,000 to area residents."

The following dates are when AARP will be set up at the Senior Citizen Center:

Feb. 3, Feb. 10, Feb. 17, Feb. 24, March 2, March 9, March 16, March 23, March 30, and April 6.

For more information, please feel free to stop by the Senior Citizen Center, or call Alexander at 432-212-3533.

Contact Staff Writer Anna Gutierrez at 432-263-7331 ext. 232, or by email at [citydesk@bigspringherald.com](mailto:citydesk@bigspringherald.com)

**FLU**

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"Wash, wash, wash your hands," Dr. Benigno said. "If you are coughing, use the elbow cough technique; this protects your hands from spreading germs. During sick season, it's advised to not shake hands as another measure of protection. Carrying sanitizer with you is beneficial as well."

While proactive measures are helpful in limiting the spread of flu, the first line of defense is the flu shot. Those aged six months and above are advised to get the flu vaccine.

"Infants, autoimmune suppressed and elderly need extra protection to stay well or fight off the virus if they do get sick," she said. "Most children are affected

by the flu for less than a week, where adults can linger longer. However, it's important to be careful because children can dehydrate very easily and quickly from fever or vomiting."

She continued, "Healthy adults can get over the flu a lot quicker and easier than the elderly or seriously ill patients. This is one of the reasons why it is sometimes very wise to see your provider when you think you may have the flu; you never know when it can quickly turn into something that could be more serious."

The flu vaccine in injection form is a non-activated influenza vaccine. The spray is a live attenuated influenza vaccine; they are weakened and won't actually give the patient the flu. The mist, according to Dr. Benigno, is not intended for everyone. Children

under the age of two and adults over 50 are not recommended to receive the mist vaccine. Those who care for someone who has a compromised immune system and of course those with a compromised immune system.

"Those with asthma, diabetes and chronic heart disease are some of the few conditions we look for when considering which vaccine to take," she said. "Let me state that again, these patients should most definitely receive a flu vaccine injection that is the nonactivated version, but as always if you have questions please talk with your provider."

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**Take Note**

• 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.

• Home Hospice is looking for volunteers (18+) and junior volunteers (9-16 years old). Applications can be picked up at the Home Hospice office, located at 111 E. Seventh Street, Suite A between 8

a.m and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Adult volunteers will need to complete a training and must be able to pass a background check. Volunteer duties will include home visits; junior volunteers will be helping with office work, community events and holiday activities.

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CrownQuest Operating, LLC P.O. Box 53310 Midland, TX 79710-0000 Ann Ritchie, Agent (432) 684-6381	#2 Silverback "33", drill, El: NA, API #42-173-38298 Frysak Farms (Devonian) Field 6 miles southeast of Spraberry A-407, Section 33, Block 36, T-3-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 12,000 feet Latitude 031.514119, Longitude -101.443509. Datum:	Murchison Oil and Gas, LLC Legacy Tower One 7250 Dallas Pkwy, Suite 1400 Plano, TX 75024-0000 survey Cindy Cottrell, Reg. Coordinator (972) 931-0700, Ext. 113	#3HA J.W. Hardin Unit "31-42", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40521 7.12 miles southeast of Vealmoor A-200, Section 43, Block 31, T-3-N, T&P RR Co.
NAD 27	949' FSL, 722' FWL of 160.7-acre lease 1700' FNL, 1920' FEL of the survey SWR 36 (H2S)		Total Depth: 7420 feet Latitude 032.504346, Longitude -101.449555. Datum: NAD 27 267' FNL, 1976' FWL of 622.99-acre lease 267' FNL, 1976' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception
CrownQuest Operating, LLC P.O. Box 53310 Midland, TX 79710-0000 Ann Ritchie, Agent (432) 684-6381	#2 Colt "28", drill, El: NA, API #42-173-38297 Frysak Farms (Devonian) Field 6 miles southeast of Spraberry A-1079, Section 28, Block 36, T-3-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 12,000 feet Latitude 031.521825, Longitude -101.444622. Datum:	Murchison Oil and Gas, LLC Legacy Tower One 7250 Dallas Parkway, Suite 1400 Plano, TX 75024-0000 survey Cindy Cottrell, Reg. Coordinator (972) 931-0700, Ext. 113	#4HA J.W. Hardin Unit "31-42", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40522 7.12 miles southeast of Vealmoor A-200, Section 43, Block 31, T-3-N, T&P RR Co.
NAD 83	485' FNL, 717' FWL of 164.1-acre lease 2166' FSL, 1980' FEL of the survey		Total Depth: 7420 feet Latitude 032.504360, Longitude -101.449492. Datum: NAD 27 266' FNL, 1996' FWL of 629.99-acre lease 266' FNL, 1996' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception
XTO Energy, Inc. 6401 Holiday Road, Suite 5 Midland, TX 79707-2156 Jessica Bonilla, Regulatory Analyst (432) 620-6704	#1381NH Blalock "1301", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38230 14.70 miles northwest of Garden City A-931, Section 48, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,000 feet X=1567743.06, Y=832501.43. Datum: NAD 27 379' FWL, 1041' FSL of 965.1-acre lease 379' FWL, 1041' FSL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	New Oil Completions: Glasscock County	#201WB SEM West "14-23 A", API #42-173-37930 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2673' GR 1.80 miles northwest of St. Lawrence A-365, Section 11, Block 35, T-5-S, T&P RR Co.
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#1 Herzog, drill, field transfer, API #42-173-32306 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, El: NA 18.50 miles northwest of Garden City A-1010, Section 24, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,325 feet X=1563119.1, Y=856419.8. Datum: NAD 27 1384' FNL, 810' FEL of 160-acre lease 1384' FNL, 1808' FWL of the survey	Diamondback E&P, LLC 500 W. Texas Ave., Suite 1200 Midland, TX 79701-4203 (432) 245-6033 survey	400' FSL, 686' FWL of the survey Latitude 031.7132244, Longitude -101.5629525. Total Depth: 8356 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: RCBL Daily Potential: 875 Bbbls 40.8 gravity oil w/ 2,058
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#1H Houston- Herzog "W12A", drill, field transfer, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38292 19.80 miles northwest of Garden City A-1007, Section 12, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,118 feet X=1560741.0, Y=864064.4. Datum: NAD 27 772' FNL, 1237' FEL of 1,383.3-acre lease 1260' FSL, 1380' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  Yates 1972' BWPD Seven Rivers 2150' Queen 2362' Grayburg 2888' 960 sx. San Andres 3443' Glorieta 4112' Clear Fork 4907' Spraberry 6357' Wichita/Albany 7455' Dean 7790' Wolfcamp 7971'	Gas Lift. GOR: 857 Spud: 11-10-18. Completed: 4-07-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7755 feet w/ 730 sx.; MS tool @ 4197 feet w/
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#2H Houston- Herzog "W12B", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38293 19.80 miles northwest of Garden City A-1007, Section 12, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,118 feet X=1560770.1, Y=864071.6. Datum: NAD 27 772' FNL, 1207' FEL of 1,383.3-acre lease 1260' FSL, 1410' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Hunt Oil Company 1900 N. Akard Street Dallas, TX 75201-2300 (432) 684-0601	5-1/2" @ 19,040 feet w/ 2,280 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 8299 fet Perfs: 8647-18,944
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#3H Houston- Herzog "W12C", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38294 19.80 miles northwest of Garden City A-1007, Section 12, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,118 feet X=1560799.2, Y=864078.9. Datum: NAD 27 772' FNL, 1177' FEL of 1,383.3-acre lease 1260' FSL, 1440' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  (MWD) Santa Rosa 875' Rustler 1499' Yates 2259' Seven Rivers 2513' Queen 3210' Grayburg 3797' San Andres 3912' Glorieta 4886' Clear Fork 6267' Spraberry 6857' Wichita/Albany 7400' Lower Spraberry 7414' Lower Spraberry Shale 7792' Dean 8252' Wolfcamp 8509' Howard County	#105HA Calverley-Lane "50", API #42-173-38099 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2708' GR 16.50 miles southwest of Garden City A-1084, Section 32, Block 36, T&P RR Co. survey 2268' FEL, 2323' FNL of the survey Latitude 031.7435534, Longitude -101.7234162 Total Depth: 8486 feet. PBTD: NA. logs: Gamma Ray
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#4H Houston- Herzog "W12D", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38295 19.80 miles northwest of Garden City A-1007, Section 12, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,118 feet X=1560828.3, Y=864086.2. Datum: NAD 27 772' FNL, 1147' FEL of 1,383.3-acre lease 1260' FSL, 1470' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  SM Energy Company 6301 Holiday Hill Road Midland, TX 79707-0000 (432) 848-4855 survey	Daily Potential: 930 Bbbls 41.9 gravity oil w/ 1,272 BWPD Gas Lift. GOR: 915 Spud: 3-15-19. Completed: 9-21-19. Pay: NA 9-5/8" @ 7875 feet w/ 840 sx.; MS tool @ 5097 feet w/ 879 sx. 5-1/2" @ 16,526 feet w/ 2,048 sx.; 2/7/8" @ 8341 feet Perfs: 8791-16,407
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#5H Houston- Herzog "W12E", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38296 19.80 miles northwest of Garden City A-1007, Section 12, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 10,118 feet X=1560857.4, Y=864093.4. Datum: NAD 27 772' FNL, 1117' FEL of 1,383.3-acre lease 1260' FSL, 1500' FWL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  (MWD) Yates 1810' BWPD Seven Rivers 1907' San Andres 3010' Glorieta 3532' 605 sx. Clear Fork 3760' Spraberry 5633' Leonard 5428' Endeavor Energy Resources, L.P. 110 N. Marientfeld St., Suite 200 Midland, TX 79701-0000 (432) 262-4179 survey	#1945WA McMurphy, API #42-227-39821 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2627' GR 14.40 miles northeast of Big Spring A-1154, Section 14, Block 31, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#101HB Horn-Books "10", drill horizontal, API #42-173-38079 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, El: NA 9.30 miles southwest of Garden City A-980, Section 16, Block 35, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 8400 feet X=1597917.46, Y=779708.92. Datum: NAD 27 382' FWL, 318' FSL of 644.46-acre lease 382' FWL, 318' FSL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  Yates 1947' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3325' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4765' Spraberry 6618' Dean 7933' Wolfcamp 8096'	492' FSEL, 2609' FSWL of the survey Latitude 032.4575296, Longitude -101.3995701 Total Depth: 7112 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#101HA Horn-Books "10", drill horizontal, API #42-173-38078 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, El: NA 9.33 miles southwest of Garden City A-980, Section 16, Block 35, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 8150 feet X=1597888.39, Y=779701.65. Datum: NAD 27 352' FWL, 318' FSL of 644.46-acre lease 352' FWL, 318' FSL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  (MWD) BWPD Yates 2070' Seven Rivers 2185' San Andres 3415' Glorieta 4400' Clear Fork 5950' Spraberry 6685' Leonard 7711' Dean 7975' Wolfcamp 8174'	Daily Potential: 1,140 Bbbls 41.0 gravity oil w/ 2,224
Pioneer Natural Resources USA, Inc. P.O. Box 3178 Midland, TX 79702-0000 Kiki Bradford, Regulatory Specialist (972) 444-9001	#2WA Hanson West "A", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-173-38091 7.02 miles west of Garden City A-1043, Section 2, Block 35, T-4-S, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9050 feet Latitude 031.511117, Longitude -101.360608. Datum:	Endeavor Energy Resources, L.P. 110 N. Marientfeld St., Suite 200 Midland, TX 79701-0000 (432) 262-4179 survey	#233 Black Pearl "11-14" Unit "1", API #42-22-39882 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2633' GR 16 miles northwest of Big Spring A-397, Section 11, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Hunt Oil Company 1900 N. Akard Street Dallas, TX 75201-2300 Emily DiCarlo, Regulatory Tech (214) 978-8197	#201HL Horn-Books "10", drill horizontal, API #42-173-38077 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, El: NA 9.33 miles southwest of Garden City A-980, Section 16, Block 35, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 7800 feet X=1597859.31, Y=779694.3. Datum: NAD 27 322' FWL, 319' FSL of 644.46-acre lease 322' FWL, 319' FSL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Contractor not listed  Yates 1947' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3325' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4765' Spraberry 6618' Dean 7933' Wolfcamp 8096'	2374' FSL, 1425' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4181411, Longitude -101.6689032 Total Depth: 8210 feet. PBTD: 8210 feet. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 1,546 Bbbls 42.0 gravity oil w/ 1,019 BWPD Pumping. GOR: 575
Hunt Oil Company 1900 N. Akard Street Dallas, TX 75201-2300 Emily DiCarlo, Regulatory Tech (214) 978-8197	#6SH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40182 15.53 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446964, Longitude -101.605265. Datum:	Callon Petroleum Operating Co. 2000 W. Sam Houston Pkwy South Suite 2000 Houston, TX 77042-0000 (281) 589-5200	#3AH Wright Unit "41-32", API #42-227-39937 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: NA 19.30 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1252, Section 32, Block 33, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. survey 184' FNL, 250' FWL of the survey Latitude 0 32.4896092, Longitude -101.6509533 Total Depth: 8282 feet. PBTD: NA. Logs: Gamma Ray
Hunt Oil Company 1900 N. Akard Street Dallas, TX 75201-2300 Emily DiCarlo, Regulatory Tech (214) 978-8197	#6AH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40183 15.53 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446947, Longitude -101.605342. Datum:	Contractor not listed  (MWD) BWPD Yates 2070' Seven Rivers 2185' San Andres 3415' Glorieta 4400' Clear Fork 5950' Spraberry 6685' Leonard 7711' Dean 7975' Wolfcamp 8174'	Daily Potential: 965 Bbbls 37.0 gravity oil w/ 2,116
Diamondback E&P, LLC 500 W. Texas Ave., Suite 1200 Midland, TX 79701-4203 Ashley Brown, Regulatory Analyst (432) 245-6033	#7SH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-39823 15.37 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446463, Longitude -101.602848. Datum:	Contractor not listed  Yates 1946' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3333' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4796' Spraberry 6657' Dean 7945' Wolfcamp 8106'	#241 Black Pearl "11-14" Unit "1", API #42-227-39883 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2633' GR 16 miles northwest of Big Spring A-397, Section 11, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
NAD 27	447' FEL, 328' FNL of 560-acre lease 2282' FNL, 328' FNL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	Endeavor Energy Resources, L.P. 110 N. Marientfeld St., Suite 200 Midland, TX 79701-0000 (432) 262-4179 survey	2374' FSL, 1450' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4181231, Longitude -101.6689812 Total Depth: 8416 feet. PBTD: 8416 feet. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 1,069 Bbbls 42.0 gravity oil w/ 967 BWPD Pumping. GOR: 599
Howard County	#6SH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40182 15.53 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446964, Longitude -101.605265. Datum:	Contractor not listed  Yates 1946' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3333' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4796' Spraberry 6657' Dean 7945' Wolfcamp 8106'	#142 Black Pearl "11-14" Unit "1", API #42-227-39884 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2633' GR 16 miles northwest of Big Spring A-397, Section 11, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	#6AH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40183 15.53 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446947, Longitude -101.605342. Datum:	Contractor not listed  Yates 1946' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3333' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4796' Spraberry 6657' Dean 7945' Wolfcamp 8106'	2374' FSL, 1475' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4181051, Longitude -101.6690592 Total Depth: 7892 feet. PBTD: 7892 feet. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 1,007 Bbbls 42.0 gravity oil w/ 2,891 BWPD Pumping. GOR: 615
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	#7SH Monstro Unit "04-16", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-39823 15.37 miles northwest of Big Spring A-1086, Section 4, Block 33, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.446463, Longitude -101.602848. Datum:	Endeavor Energy Resources, L.P. 110 N. Marientfeld St., Suite 200 Midland, TX 79701-0000 (432) 262-4179 survey	#243 Black Pearl "11-14" Unit "1", API #42-227-39885 Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, new well, El: 2633' GR 16 miles northwest of Big Spring A-397, Section 11, Block 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co.
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	#2MH Muse-Newton Unit "31-42", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40218 17.90 miles northwest of Big Spring A-290, Section 31, Block 32, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.500468, Longitude -101.558111. Datum:	Contractor not listed  Yates 1946' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3333' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4796' Spraberry 6857' Dean 7945' Wolfcamp 8106'	2374' FSL, 1500' FEL of the survey Latitude 032.4180871, Longitude -101.6691372 Total Depth: 8204 feet. PBTD: 8204 feet. Logs: Gamma Ray (MWD) Daily Potential: 1,466 Bbbls 42.0 gravity oil w/ 976 BWPD Pumping. GOR: 601
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	#1MH Williams Unit "A 24-13", drill horizontal, El: NA Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, API #42-227-40243 0.83 miles west of Vealmoor A-1563, Section 24, Block 33, T-3-N, T&P RR Co. survey Total Depth: 9000 feet Latitude 032.519307, Longitude -101.584305. Datum:	Contractor not listed  Yates 1946' Seven Rivers 2134' San Andres 3333' Glorieta 3904' Clear Fork 4796' Spraberry 6857' Dean 7945' Wolfcamp 8106'	9-5/8" @ 7580 feet w/ 981 sx.; MS tool @ 4169 feet w/ 932 sx. 5-1/2" @ 15,985 feet w/ 3,065 sx.; 2-7/8" @ 7581 feet Perfs: 9093-15,739
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	447' FEL, 328' FNL of 560-acre lease 2282' FNL, 328' FNL of the survey Rule 37 Exception	There are no New Gas Completions this week.	Perfs: 8697-15,885
Surge Operating, LLC 7850 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West Suite 300 Houston, TX 77064-0000 Gayle Foord, Regulatory Analyst (832) 333-2332 NAD 27	47' FNL, 1316' FEL of 803.11-acre lease 2545' FSL, 1316' FEL of the survey	There are no Dry Holes this week.	Perfs: 8598-15,618

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### Lady Buffs topple Ozona in district rivalry



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Pictured above left: Starting point guard Rylee Evans makes her way around an awaiting screen in Friday night's win in Ozona. Pictured above right: Kaeli Woodall attempts a free throw in the 48-31 win.

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sportswriter

OZONA — It was an old-fashioned district rivalry game between the visiting Forsan Buffs (13-12) and the hometown Ozona Lady Lions (9-13). Through three quarters both teams were neck-and-neck but the Lady Buffs were able to finish strong and celebrate the two-hour drive home with a 48-31 win.

The game started out slow for both teams on Friday night. In the first quarter, both teams combined for nine points and seemed to be rushing things offensively.

"Some of them, when it's open, want to will the shot in instead of relaxing, getting your feet set and hit the shot," Lady Buffs coach Lloyd Vedder said. "Especially when they're trapping, you're going to get an open look."

The Lady Lions' head coach could be seen holding both hands to his head in disbelief following several offensive possessions that ended with his team taking bad shots or making inaccurate passes.

The Lady Buffs had a change of pace from their usual offensive attack by only knocking down one shot from beyond the arc in the first half. In a low-scoring affair, Ozona's defense was doing a good job putting the double-team pressure on the Forsan ball-handler. This defensive philosophy enforced by the Lady Lions led to 11 first-half turnovers by the Lady Buffs.

Ozona was being led almost single-handedly throughout the first half by junior guard/forward Shelbie Galindo. In a game her team was trailing 18-13 at halftime, Galindo had collected all but four of her team's points. Galindo carried her team for the entire four quarters and finished the district matchup

with 16 points. Following her quick start, the Forsan defense began to settle down and get back to their original game-plan.

"The plan all along was to make everyone use their left hand," Vedder said.

The second half was more kind to the Lady Buffs' from three-point land. Forsan was held to only six points in the third quarter with all of them coming off of two shots from deep. Three-point specialist Rylee Evans knocked down three in the contest and led her team in scoring with 19 points.

Forsan decided to turn up the heat on the Ozona defense heading into the fourth quarter holding onto a 26-23 lead. Evans and Kaeli Woodall became two unstoppable forces on offense and were able to close the game out strongly for the Lady Buffs. After scoring 26 points through the first three quarters, the Lady Buffs were able to manage to score 22 in the final quarter alone.

"I like the way we closed out," Vedder said. "They we're trying to trap so much and we just ran one of our offenses really high so that we could get somebody in behind them."

On the road where the atmosphere is known to get rowdy, the Lady Buffs kept their composure and were able to pick up a valuable district win.

UP NEXT: The Lady Buffs will travel to take on the Christoval Lady Cougars next Tuesday night in another district matchup against the first-place team. That game will begin at 6:30 P.M.

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### Forsan wins 62-52 in big comeback win over Ozona on the road



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Pictured above left: Buffaloes coach Cory Richardson speaks to his team during a timeout. Pictured above right: Ernesto Rivera makes his way around an Ozona defender.

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OZONA — The Forsan Buffaloes stepped into a hostile atmosphere on Friday night when they traveled to take on the Ozona Lions. The Lions jumped out to a dominating lead in the first half by knocking down three-pointer after three-pointer but the Buffaloes rallied for an impressive 62-52 come-from-behind victory.

The first half was littered with turnovers by both teams as Forsan and Ozona played with a reckless style of offense. Ozona's offense wasn't unconscious from three-point land with a handful of Lions' knocking down a shot from deep through the first two quarters.

"They hit eight or nine threes in the first half, six of them in the first quarter, and we just told them to keep doing what we're doing and they're not going to be able to do that (in the second half)," Buffaloes coach Cory Richardson said.

Although the Buffaloes turned the ball over too many times for comfort in the first half, they also grabbed double-digit steals and forced the Lions into some bad possessions. Buffaloes' forward Zane Riffe was a force on the boards by grabbing eight rebounds in the first half and finished the game with an eye-opening 14 boards.

"He went 1-for-16 last game but I told him that if

he stays that aggressive, we're better," Richardson said.

After that poor shooting night, Riffe felt like he had something to prove. "I feel like I had a huge chip on my shoulder for our first district game," Riffe said. "And I think I played really well on defense."

Outside of the first made shot of the game by Forsan, a score from beyond the arc by Jonathon Gabe-hart, the Buffs' were unable to get anything going from the floor. Eight of their 21 first-half points came via the charity stripe and kept them in the game.

Richardson knew some changes needed to be made to the gameplan heading into the second half trailing by a score of 32-21. After some poor perimeter defense throughout the first 16 minutes of regulation, Forsan was able to come out in the second half firing on all cylinders both offensively and defensively.

After managing only 21 points in the entire first half, the Buffaloes scored 23 points in the third quarter alone. The Buffaloes trailed by 11 points at the start of the third quarter. By the time the fourth quarter rolled around, Forsan was holding a five-point lead and had swung all momentum in their favor.

Forsan would keep their newfound confidence into the final quarter and were able to put the Lions

away through great team defense. Ozona scored only 20 points in the second half and were much less efficient from beyond the arc after a red hot start from the perimeter.

"They're a well-coached team and they stayed after us," Richardson said. "They we're tired but they played through it. I thought we did great closing out. We knew to keep our lead and that shows experience."

Richardson and his squad were more than thrilled about the out-of-town victory over a district rival and celebrated accordingly. With the schedule growing tougher, Forsan won an important matchup to keep them in the race for first place in the district. The Buffaloes will be back to work quickly with another road rivalry game at Christoval coming up next week.

If the Buffaloes play how they did throughout the second half on Friday night, they should have no problem extending their winning streak to two games.

UP NEXT: The Buffaloes will travel to take on the Christoval Cougars next Tuesday night in another district matchup. The game will begin at 8:00 P.M.

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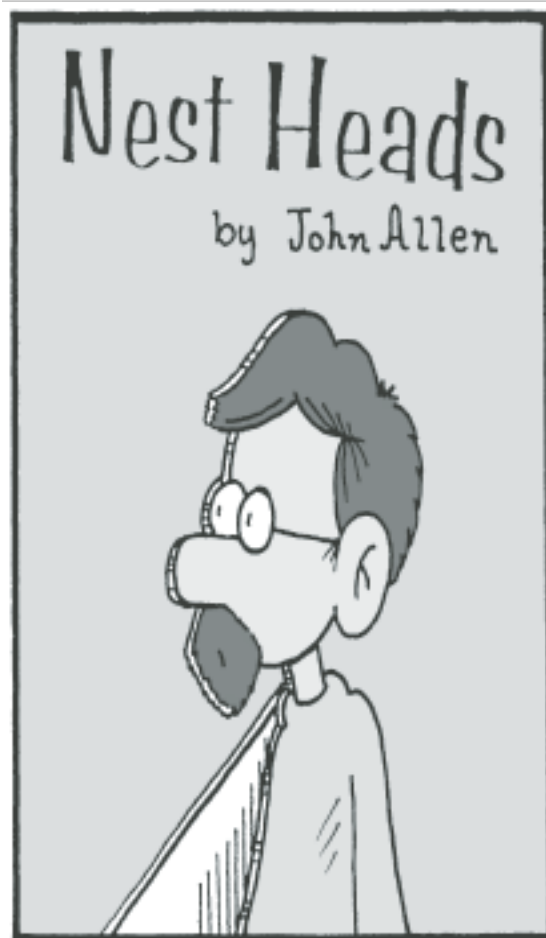
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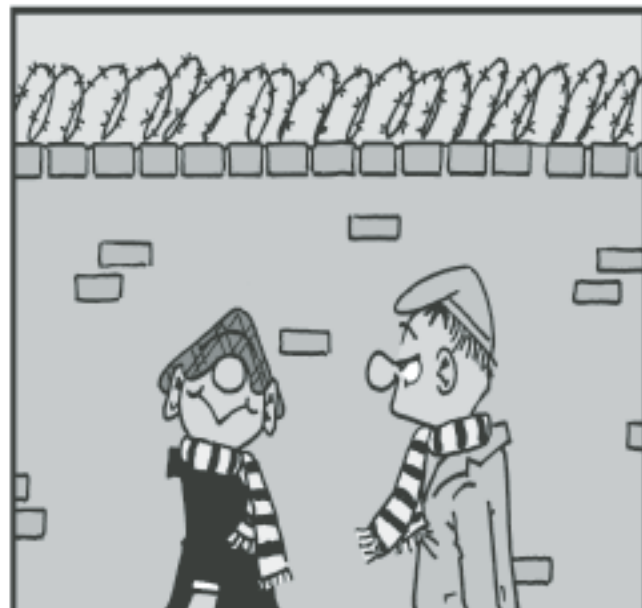
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# Doncic, Hardaway lead Mavericks over Trail Blazers, 120-112

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Luka Doncic's pursuit of Jason Kidd's triple-double record in Dallas will have to wait. This night was about the 20-year-old sensation's 3-point shooting.

Doncic drained a career-best eight 3s on his way to 35 points, Tim Hardaway Jr. added 29 and the Mavericks beat Portland 120-112 on Friday night to avoid getting swept at home by the Trail Blazers.

Doncic had eight rebounds and seven assists in the young Slovenian's first chance to tie Kidd's Dallas career record of 21 triple-doubles.

As long as the next one comes before Feb. 28, Doncic will have at least three times as many triple-doubles before age 21 as the next person on the list — Magic Johnson with seven.

"It's crazy," owner Mark Cuban said before the game. "To give J-Kidd some credit, the game's a lot faster now, there's a lot more points being scored. So it's all relative. What he's accomplished is just phenomenal."

The 3 that topped Doncic's previous career best of seven was a punctuating 27-footer for an 11-point lead in the final minute.

"We were locked in at the end of the game," said Doncic, who was 8 of 12 from 3 to help the Mavericks finish 20 of 47 from beyond the arc compared to 9 of 30 for Portland, which was coming off an impressive win in Houston.

Damian Lillard scored 34 points and Carmelo Anthony had 22 for the Blazers, who lost guard CJ McCollum to a sprained left ankle in the first half. Hassan Whiteside had 21 points and 18 rebounds.

The Mavericks were without Doncic's European sidekick, Kristaps Porzingis, for the 10th consecutive game because of right knee soreness. The

7-foot-3 Latvian was ruled out early in the day after being a late scratch Wednesday in Sacramento.

The Mavs kept Portland at a safe distance in the closing minutes after losing 121-119 in Dallas in October when the Blazers got a key reversal on a challenge of a foul call against Lillard in the final seconds.

The Blazers won another challenge to reverse a foul call on Whiteside while trailing by six late in the fourth quarter, but it was right before Portland missed five straight shots in the final three minutes.

"Every time we play Dallas, we end up having one of these games," coach Terry Stotts said. "Very competitive, teams get leads and some other team comes back. Doncic is a great player and when he's making his 3s, even better."

Lillard had just two points on 1-of-6 shooting in the fourth quarter — after playing half the game without McCollum when he was questionable himself before the game because of an illness.

"Obviously, I think any time you are under the weather, a little bit sick, it's going to have an effect on you on the floor," said Lillard, who was 13 of 25 from the field and added 10 assists. "But I didn't go into the game thinking like, 'Oh, I'm sick.' It was never an option for me to lean on that."

Before Doncic's definitive 3, Hardaway hit one with the Blazers within five with 4 minutes remaining after they had trailed by 17 late in the third quarter. He was 9 of 16 from the field and 5 of 8 from long range.

"Hardaway was great all night, great on both sides of the ball," coach Rick Carlisle said. "Aggressive, dialed in, high level of focus and concentration. The shot-making was brilliant."

TIP-INS

Trail Blazers: F Mario Hezonja returned after missing two games with a back contusion. He scored seven points in 19 minutes. ... G Gary Trent Jr. was ruled out by illness in the second half.

Mavericks: Doncic was called for a flagrant foul on what appeared to be an inadvertent elbow to the face of Whiteside when Doncic was driving in the third quarter. Doncic wasn't pleased with the decision on the review, but Whiteside missed both free throws. ... Doncic got fouled on made 3-pointers twice in the first half, missing the free throw the first time before making the second one for the four-point play.

ANOTHER INJURY

The Blazers will anxiously await word of how long McCollum will be sidelined. They've played all season with center Jusuf Nurkic, who averaged a double-double last season. Another key big man, Zach Collins, has been out since getting injured in the first game against Dallas — the third of the season.

"Usually the second day's the worst, so see how it feels tomorrow," said McCollum, who was injured on a drive when his foot landed on Dallas forward Maxi Kleber's foot. "Get some treatment tonight, try to compress it and see how it feels."

CLUTCH CURRY

Seth Curry scored 16 points, including the only two field goals for Dallas in a six-minute stretch of the fourth quarter. The buckets came half a minute apart, both answering baskets that pulled Portland within five points. The Blazers never got closer.

UP NEXT

Trail Blazers: At Oklahoma City on Saturday to finish a back-to-back and a three-game trip.

Mavericks: A three-day break without having to travel before hosting the Clippers on Tuesday.

# Shiffrin fights fatigue in quest for 4th straight overall

By PAT GRAHAM

AP Sports Writer

Mikaela Shiffrin has yet to win a race in 2020 and actually recently recorded a rare "did not finish" in an event.

The two-time Olympic gold medalist knows what some might be thinking: What is going on?

Her response: Nothing that a little rest wouldn't fix. Only, there's no time.

The American ski racer's quest for a fourth straight overall World Cup title seems tighter than usual at the midseason point.

Shiffrin currently leads rival Petra Vlhova of Slovakia by 273 points, which is sizable but could be eclipsed in as little as a three-race span.

Shiffrin does find it amusing that something may be considered "off" with her skiing. She's been on the podium in 10 of her 14 races this season — and four times as the winner.

"People are like, 'Oh, no, what's wrong?'" Shiffrin said Thursday. "I'm like, 'Is this what you consider an off year for me?' It's kind of hilarious, actually. It's really funny to think that this would be what most people would consider a bad season or poor re-

sults. I've been on most podiums and won multiple races. It's sort of like, 'OK, I'll take that.'"

Shiffrin was so dominant in 2018-19 when she won 17 races and beat Vlhova by 849 points for the overall title.

"People said everything looked so easy," said Shiffrin, who's the rare all-discipline racer. "It's not easy."

Storied seasons prove difficult to duplicate.

"To me, it looks like Petra's gaining more and more confidence with her skiing," said Shiffrin.

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## A light blanket of snow falls over Howard County

Photo submitted by Lucy Thornton Rickman from Ackerly

The photo above captured the sun hitting the snow in the early morning hours on Jan. 11, in Ackerly.

Photo submitted by Shiloh Salazar

Pictured below: The snow may have melted off quickly, but not before a few kids were able to get out and enjoy it. The photo above shows the daughter of Shiloh Salazar enjoying a few moments in the snow.

### Herald Staff Report

Winter in West Texas is normally non-existent and for the most part, we have been lucky this year to not have to deal with freezing temperatures or icy roads. While we didn't get a white Christmas, Howard County residents were able to wake up on Jan. 11 to a light blanket of snow. With temperatures warming up throughout the day, the snow that did fall disappeared quickly, but a few residents captured the snow on top of trees, in their backyards and created some beautiful photographs. There were even a few who were able to build a miniature snowman. Our readers and Facebook followers decided to share some of those photos with us. Here are a few of those photos. To see all of the submitted photos visit the Big Spring Herald Facebook page.



Photo submitted by Rachael Grantham

Pictured above left: There may not have been a large amount of snow that fell on the ground, but it was enough to create a couple little snowmen.

Photo submitted by Brandy Hoelscher

Pictured above right, before clearing off the snow from the car, Brandy Hoelscher and her family built a tiny snowman.



Photo submitted by Debby Hudgins

Pictured left: While there are those ready to be in warmer weather and cooking on the grill, the snow hindered that for a bit.



Photo submitted by Marietjie Koorts

Pictured above, a beautiful winter wonderland was captured in a photograph submitted by Marietjie Koorts.

Photo submitted by Miranda Hernandez

Pictured left: A cactus in West Texas surrounded by freshly fallen snow is a rare occurrence. Thanks to Big Spring resident Miranda Hernandez for sharing her photo with us.



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# Howard County Lunch Menus

## Big Spring ISD

Lunch Menus, except those listed below, were unavailable at time of print.

### Big Spring High School

Monday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY  
Tuesday: Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Spaghetti and meat sauce  
Wednesday: Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Salisbury steak with mashed potatoes and a roll  
Thursday: Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Chicken fried steak with mashed potatoes, gravy and a roll  
Friday: Lunch: Line 2 Daily Special: Pizza cheese sticks with dipping sauce

Line 1 Made to Order: Hamburgers, sub-style sandwiches, chicken sandwiches, assorted fruits, assorted vegetables, assorted snacks, assorted milk, assorted drinks



Line 2: Pepperoni pizza, cheese pizza, specialty pizza, assorted fruits, assorted vegetables, assorted snacks, assorted milk, assorted drinks  
Line 3 Made to Order: Nachos, burritos, tacos, assorted fruits, assorted vegetables, assorted snacks, assorted milk, assorted drinks

## Coahoma ISD

Monday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY  
Tuesday: Breakfast: Sunrise sandwich or cheesy toast, 100% fruit juice, fruit, milk Lunch: Tex-Mex stack or chicken fajitas or fajita salad, rice, beans, carrots, salsa, hot cinnamon apples, sherbet cup, milk  
Wednesday: Breakfast: Chicken 'n' biscuit or breakfast pizza, fruit, 100% fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken alfredo or pizza pocket or chef salad, breadsticks, Tuscan veggies, garden salad, marinara sauce, peaches, cookie, milk  
Thursday: Breakfast: Oatmeal with cinnamon toast or breakfast bread with yogurt, fruit, 100%

fruit juice, milk Lunch: Ranchero wrap or country pot pie, corn, fresh veggie cup, snowball salad,



milk  
Friday: Breakfast: Breakfast burrito with hash browns, fruit, 100% fruit juice, milk Lunch: Bulldog chicken bowl or breaded pork chop, mashed potatoes, green beans, gravy, roll, apple slices, milk

## Forsan ISD

Monday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY  
Tuesday: Breakfast: Chicken biscuit or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Steak fingers with roll, chicken 'n' waffles, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, tots, baby carrots, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk  
Wednesday: Breakfast: French toast with sausage patty or cereal, Mandarin oranges, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza or sunbutter and jelly sandwich, fresh veggie cup, garden salad, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk  
Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast pizza or cereal, strawberry cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Buffalo bowl with roll or popcorn chicken with roll, Asian bowl, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, corn, baby car-



rots, fruity gelatin, fresh fruit, milk  
Friday: Breakfast: Dutch waffle with sausage or cereal, applesauce cup, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken sandwich, Monte Cristo sandwich, sunbutter and jelly sandwich, French fries, baby car-

rots, green beans, strawberries, fresh fruit, milk

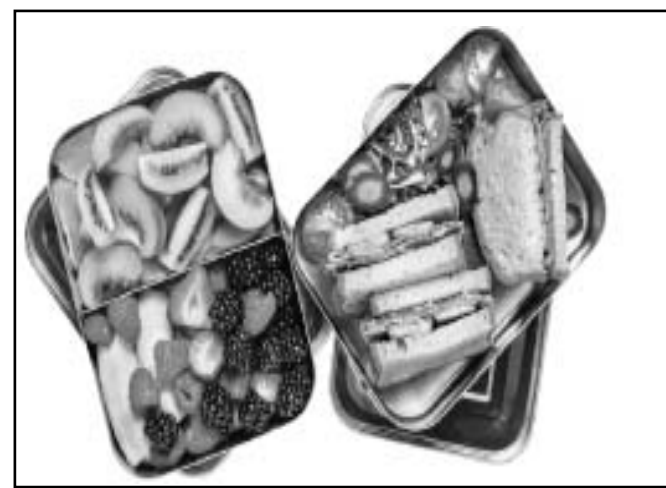
## Sands CISD

Monday: Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, hash browns, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Hamburger, broccoli, sweet potato fries, diced pears, milk variety  
Tuesday: Breakfast: Pancakes, bacon, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, okra, roll, gravy, strawberries, milk variety  
Wednesday: Breakfast: Chicken 'n' biscuit, breakfast parfait, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: BBQ on a bun, coleslaw, savory green beans, fruit cup, milk variety  
Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast studel, cheese stick, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Meat and cheese chalupa, refried beans, zesty cucumbers,



salsa, grapes, milk variety  
Friday: Breakfast: Breakfast bread, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk Lunch: Pizza choice, garden salad, baby carrots, orange smiles, cookie, milk variety

## Senior Center



Monday: Turkey and cheese sandwich with lettuce and tomato, macaroni salad, baked chips, fruit cup, milk  
Tuesday: Beef stew with potatoes and vegetables, peaches and cream, cornbread, milk  
Wednesday: Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, salad with fat free dressing, chips and salsa, banana, milk  
Thursday: Lasagne, Capri vegetables, lettuce and tomato with dressing, muffin, garlic bread, milk  
Friday: Chopped BBQ on a bun, baked beans, baked chips, cookies, milk

# Texas Farm Products celebrates 90 years

### Nathan Wicker

"That little boy is going to run our company someday," Texas Farm Products Nutrition founder M.S. Wright Sr. said as he held his newly-born grandson, M.S. "Bud" Wright III, outside of the delivery room. Sixty-six years later, on Jan. 15, Bud Wright stood in front of a packed conference room as the CEO to celebrate the company's 90-year anniversary. "It's really quite the occasion to be 90 years old," Wright said during the celebration. "As I think about other things to be grateful for, I think of M.S. Wright who had the vision to build this company, and was willing to take the risk." M.S. Wright Sr. worked for a fertilizer company in the northeastern United States before making his way to Texas—what he considered the land of opportunity—in an attempt to start a business to work with his four sons. Wright eventually made his way to Nacogdoches County on Jan. 1, 1930. At the time, the county used more fertilizer than anywhere in Texas. The city had a main line of the Union Pacific Railroad between Houston and St. Louis and didn't have a fertilizer company. With \$10,000 in his pocket and a series of meetings with local banks and investors, business began and incorporated on Jan. 15, 1930. Wright knew that the sale of fertilizer could not sustain his company, so, in 1931, he decided to prepare and sell feed for the mules and horses used for transportation and farm work, cattle, hogs and other animals. Bud Wright said his grandfather would be proud of what the company he started has become.

"One of the greatest things I think, is when my two sons and son-in-law come back and had a desire to perpetuate the business," Wright said. "Prior to that, I didn't know what would happen. I'm 66 years old. That provided clarity as it related to the future of the business." Today, the company still serves the livestock feed business and began a pet food business in 1978. The company has two brands, the livestock feed and pet food line are the Lone Star Feed and a premium brand known as Star Pro Pet food. Currently, the company has around 260 employees and credits them, as well as past employees, for the success throughout the 90 years. Wright wants the business to grow and says he is optimistic for the future. He serves on the board of directors of the Pet Food Institute. Last Friday, the president of the institute invited Wright to represent the industry at the White House on Wednesday as President Donald Trump signed a trade deal with with China. However, due to the anniversary, Wight turned it down to celebrate the achievement with family, friends and coworkers. As the celebration commenced, Beau Wright, Bud's grandson ran around sporting a Lone Star Feed shirt that had been passed down from Wright's since the 1980s. Bud picked up the toddler, and said "this may be the next CEO."

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# Identifying resource concerns

By **Judy Tereletsky**  
Howard SWCD District Clerk

Each year the Natural Resource Conservation Services (NRCS) and Howard Soil and Water Conservation District (HSWCD) hold a Local Work Group meeting to receive public comment, identify and prioritize resource concerns facing the farmers and ranchers of Howard County. This year's meeting will be held January 27<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm at the USDA Center. Our natural resources of air, water, plants, animals and soil are impacted by climate and people. What the agriculture community does to conserve these vital resources is an on-going project.

Every time we are visited by our dust storms or especially the haboob that arrived last year, the need to prevent soil erosion and protect our air quality comes to mind. Windbreak trees help to control wind erosion. Air quality is greatly affected by our care of the soil. Soil quality is vital for plant growth which provides food and cover for wildlife, filters water, and of course grows the crops that we rely on to survive. There are a great many conservation practices uses to protect our natural resources. Modern farmers and ranchers plant cover crops, practice contour farming, and control brush to name a few.

Controlling invasive brush species is a constant battle that ranchers face every year. Two common invasive species, mesquite and prickly pear, reproduce and spread readily in the same environment. Ranchers are most often faced with trying to control both species. Because prickly pear is a low growing plant that can be easily hidden by the mesquite canopy and tall growing grasses, getting a good kill can be challenging. Understanding how it grows, the best chemical application method, and the optimum timing can increase good results.

Prickly pear can be a beneficial plant. It creates



**Local work group attendees listen to resources concerns for Howard County. This year's meeting will be at 4 p.m. on Jan. 27.**

Courtesy photo

protective cover from predators for quail. White tail deer will also eat the fruit produced. When the plants start to take up over 10% canopy they can start causing a problem. Prickly pear creates competition for resources between it and the desired forage species for cattle. Treating prickly pear will increase forage production and the amount of grazable acres.

Prickly pear is most commonly spread by the detachment of pads. Each individual pad can re-root creating a prickly pear plant of its own during any time of the year. High winds, hard rains, animal disturbance, and mechanical treatment of mesquite are the most common ways pads can be spread. As mentioned above, the fruit produced by the plant are often eaten by animals. The seeds are spread by the droppings of white tail deer and other browsers.

Treating prickly pear with a chemical herbicide is the recommended method used to control the species. Corteva, a branch of Dow Agrisciences, has two chemicals that are most commonly used. Tordon 22K and Surmount can both be used in aerial application and for individual plant treatment. Both chemicals will not harm grasses and will suppress growth of weeds after the application.

It typically takes about two years for Surmount to completely kill the plant and three for Tordon. Corteva recently released a new chemical in 2019, MezaVue. It is more consistent, faster working, and

has better long-term control. The key to getting a good kill of prickly pear is timing of the application, correct application rates, and making sure the chemical gets good contact with the plant. For aerial application, a good time of year to treat is typically in late fall or early spring. Mesquite leaves are typically not present which allows more of the chemical to get to the plant and these months typically bring rain. Getting some rainfall after application is

needed to make sure the chemical is taken down into the roots. Some other beneficial practices that can aid in a good kill would be to graze tall forage before application or apply a prescribed burn to ensure obstruction by grass species will not be an issue.

The Mesquite tree is one of the most invasive tree species in Texas and is known for its extremely hard wood and the thorns which arm its branches. Although it provides food and cover for wildlife it is not a rancher's favorite tree. It fixes nitrogen in the soil, but is invasive, difficult to control, competes with desirable grasses, and the thorns can injure livestock. Besides chemical control, the mesquite tree can be mechanically grubbed with an excavator or bulldozer.

There are many other practices associated with the resource concerns in protecting our natural resources. Windbreak trees, grass seeding, brush management, effective livestock watering practices, fencing, and efficient irrigation methods are practices used to protect our natural resources. The Local Work Group is an important means to gather information on resource concerns of our local landowners.

Once again it is scheduled at 4pm on January 27<sup>th</sup> at the USDA Offices located at 302 W HWY Interstate 20. For more information please feel free to contact NRCS at 432-267-1871 extension 3.

## Who's Who



Courtesy photo

Pictured above are Spelling Bee Participants: **Jonah Villareal**, Runner Up: **David Villagrana** (middle) **Maximilian DeLeon**, **Rayne Kelley**, and **Jacob Johnson** (not pictured).

## Baylor University announced Dean's List Honor Roll

Special to the Herald

WACO, Texas (January 14, 2020) - More than 4,400 Baylor University students were named to the Dean's Academic Honor Roll for the 2019 fall semester.

Students honored on the Dean's List are Baylor undergraduates with a minimum grade-point average of 3.7, while enrolled in a minimum of 12 semester hours. Baylor University is a private Christian university and a nationally ranked research institution.

The University provides a vibrant campus community for more than 17,000 students by blending interdisciplinary research with an international reputation for educational excellence and a faculty commitment to teaching and scholarship. Chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas, Baylor is the oldest continually operating University in Texas. Located in Waco, Baylor welcomes students from all 50 states and more than 80 countries to study a broad range of degrees among its 12 nationally recognized academic divisions.

Makayla Chambers, College of Arts and Sciences of Fort Davis, Texas was one of the graduates.

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## Reader's Corner

### Light hearted living

Here I am, I'm Kate!

I wanted to introduce myself so that you will know something about this crazy lady who has started to write this weekly article for your entertainment.

I am a Christian; divorced and remarried mother of five kids and three dogs, wife, full-time employee and a type one diabetic.

I want everyone to succeed and do well. I love helping people and enjoy reading, which leads to trying new recipes, new ways of organizing, cooking, meal prepping etc.

Do not think that I have all my ducks in a row, I don't.

I do however have a crazy life that I love, and despite my best attempts at having a boring life, I simply do too much. I do place a disclaimer, I am not a professional writer and do not claim to be the end all be all say so in health choices, but I do have opportunities of learning to share with others.

The last few months I have had a strong pull to share my life's debacles; things I try (most of it I read or saw online) some of it works, and some do not. I will share my journey with you, in a fun lighthearted way.

One thing I truly want to stress is that I have learned no matter what happens, most of the time "it is going to be okay." I want to share a sense of community and a "you aren't the only one" connection with you, the readers.

This week I want to take time to introduce myself, and encourage every-

one to try something new. Something you have been thinking about maybe, smile at a stranger, do a random act of kindness, get healthier, exercise more, get organized, or find a budget you can live with. Pick one new thing and go for it!

I believe that each of us can make the world a better place through small acts. One last thought, I grew up watching my parents and grandparents read the paper and I enjoy reading the paper too. I read a lot online too, but most of all, I miss the real, live, hold it in your hand to swat at flies with it rolled up newspaper that sits on the kitchen counter 'till you finish the crossword.

It is my pleasure to have this opportunity, until next week-

Kate.

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### Chamber of Commerce happenings



Courtesy photo

**Pictured above: The Chamber Ambassadors gathered together for a Thank You Presentation at the Heritage Museum. Each Tuesday throughout the year, Chamber members are presented with a banner in show of appreciation for their support of the Chamber and the Big Spring community.**



Courtesy photo

**Pictured above: Boot Barn employees, Chamber board members and ambassadors joined together on Thursday to celebrate the opening of the store with a ribbon cutting. Boot Barn is located at 2602 S. Gregg, next to Dickey's BBQ. During the event, Double L BBQ was on hand serving up barbecue sliders and other refreshments.**

### University of Houston - Clear Lake to perform Western Chicken Turtle surveys with Comptroller's office

Special to the Herald

(AUSTIN) — The Texas Comptroller's Natural Resources program has contracted with the University of Houston - Clear Lake (UHCL) to conduct range-wide surveys in East Texas for the western chicken turtle. The partnership will inform an upcoming Endangered Species Act (ESA) listing decision for the species and develop information that local resource managers can use to sustain economic development while conserving natural resources.

The historic range of the western chicken turtle includes wetlands across East Texas, a region that supports numerous industries important to the Texas economy. Biologists believe the species may be affected by habitat loss and vehicular traffic. Despite the listing decision planned for 2024, the current status of the species and its habitat are not well understood.

"This project will address important data gaps and continue the efforts of the Natural Resources program to identify science-based solutions for conservation challenges," Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar said. "It's crucial to gather accurate

science to inform ESA decisions that could affect economic growth."

UHCL will study the western chicken turtle across its historic range in Texas, determining the most successful methods for surveying its population and studying the characteristics of its habitat. Data gathered from the study will provide valuable insight into the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's evaluation of the species, as well as the development of effective conservation and monitoring strategies.

The Comptroller's office works to encourage stakeholder involvement in species conservation and the development of science-based solutions that balance economic activity with environmental protection. Since 2009, the Comptroller's office has administered state legislative appropriations to Texas public universities to conduct scientific research on imperiled, threatened and endangered species.

For project announcements, including research updates and public meetings, visit the Comptroller's Natural Resources Program website.

### Texas A&M AgriLife honors Herrin with service award

COLLEGE STATION, Texas — Texas A&M AgriLife presented Jordan Herrin, Texas A&M Forest Service District Forester, with the 2019 Vice Chancellor's Award in Excellence for Public Service. Throughout his nine years of service to Texas A&M Forest Service, Herrin has masterfully navigated challenges and responsibilities beyond his job description, establishing himself as a leader in the agency.

"Jordan makes great contributions and is one of the best we have to offer. He is very deserving and worthy to receive the 2019 Vice Chancellor's Award in Excellence — Public Service in Forestry," said Joel Hambricht, Texas A&M Forest Service Regional Forester.

Herrin leads rural and urban forestry programs that equip Texas landowners with the knowledge and tools they need to make informed forest management decisions. He leads conservation education initiatives, manages state lands and continuously pursues opportunities to improve the effectiveness of the state agency, often by implementing new technologies.

Herrin has been on many fire assignments both in and out-of-state and recently became qualified as a National Wildfire Coordinating Group Task Force Leader and Incident Commander Type 4. In



Jordan Herrin

2018, he served as a member of the Southern Area Red Team as a Geographic Information System Specialist.

Herrin recently transferred from the Texas A&M Forest Service Huntsville District to the Hudson District, a location considered a main hub within the agency. He retains a leadership role both in the Huntsville and Livingston Districts, balancing his time between all three locations to ensure all goals are met.

Herrin regularly uses his technical forestry skills as one of the agency's primary auditors for timber cruising on state lands. The audits help the agency maintain a high degree of confidence in the stewardship of these lands and ensure that the state gets fair valuations on its managed timber.

"His professionalism and knowledge are equally respected as other foresters routinely contact Jordy to discuss the timber cruising specs to comprehend the agency's high standards," said Jacob Donellan, Texas A&M Forest Service Regional Forester.

Herrin graduated from Texas A&M University in May 2010 with a Bachelor of Science in Forestry and started his career with Texas A&M Forest Service in 2011. He is currently serving as the 2019 Chair of the Texas Society of American Foresters, and he

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### Building Permits

#### Howard County Justice of the Peace Outstanding IBC Warrants:

- Jasmine Ahrnkeil, 1301 Princeton, Big Spring
- Sherri Monique Aldridge, 1507 E. Sixth St., Big Spring
- Anthony Anderson, 3401 Camellia Dr. #707, Temple
- Steve Antoine, 1425 E. 6th St., Big Spring
- Katie Cole L. Baker, P.O. Box 3372, Big Spring
- Letitia Baucham, 1202 Stanford, Big Spring
- Linda Beck, 1713 Worley Rd., Banner Elk, N.C.
- Joshua Bell, 1962 Tuscola, Snyder
- John Bochnicka, 538 Westover Rd. #260
- Chad Wayne Brown, 3901 Ave. O, P.O. Box 391, Snyder
- Douglas "Doug" Lee Brown, 205 W. 14th St. P.O. Box 275, Monahans
- James Bullard, 202 Fourth St., Palestine
- Melinda Burns, 2218 Carlton Way, San Angelo
- Wayne Richard Buyce, 4042 Morningside Way, Canyon Lake
- Gloria Cerna, P.O. Box 55, Lamesa
- Matilda Cortez, 302 N St. Teresa
- Roy E. DeBlanc, 1066 Cutrer Rd., Osyka, Miss.
- Laura W. Dennis, 1511 Scurry, Big Spring
- Humberto Diaz Jr., 3417 N. Midland Dr, Midland
- Nelba DeLosRios Diaz, 10600 McMillian Dr., Austin
- Krista A. Dickson, 6917 Todd, Sachse
- Jimmy Dodson, 405 31st St., Snyder
- Ben Doherty, 5019 McKinney St. No. 105, Dallas
- Angela Doty, 1401 E. Rundberg, Austin
- Clayton W. Durbin, 6508 Centerpoint, Big Spring
- Tina Marie Ellis, 4002 Austin Ave., Snyder
- Selena Bethani Enriquez-King, 100 E Parker, Midland
- Joanna Esparza, 501 S.Tackitt Seymour, Texas
- Carol W. Evans, 809 E 33rd, Plainview, Texas
- Chris M. Fagan, 3508 W. Eighth St., Amarillo
- Kristen Falcon, 2606 Fairchild Dr., Big Spring
- Leza Faulkner, 1102 South Water, Burnet
- Mumduh Felemban, 9338 Perrin Beitel Apt. 701, San Antonio
- Alexander Fernandez, 404 Cypress, Colorado City
- Juana Fierro, 406 N. W. 5th St., Big Spring
- Tracy D. Flores, 2401 Russell Ave., Abilene
- Ellen French, P.O. Box 942, Poteau, Okla.
- Sharlamarr Frink, 3723 Monclair, Odessa
- Johnnie Fuller, 3801 23rd St., Snyder
- Juan E. Garcia, 3355 River Road North Keizer, Ok
- Mary Jo Garner, 11802 Silver Barring Cove, San Antonio
- William Gene Garner, 704 Rosemont, Big Spring
- Rosa M. George, 509 W. Second St., Stanton, Texas
- Perry Gholar, 1510 Nolan, Big Spring
- Elizabeth Gomez, 509 Raleigh St., Plainview
- Guillermo Gomez, 2107 Morrison, Big Spring
- Jennifer Gonzales, 2616 Hunter Dr., Big Spring
- James E. Gonzalez, 604 Neff St., Sweetwater
- Jeremy Goodman, 3471 Green Meadow #24, San Angelo
- Kay Grant, 4405 N. Garfield #1005, Midland
- Isaiah Green, 4801 State St., Abilene
- John Grima, 914 E. Sixth St., Big Spring
- Thomas E. Gross, 4100 S. Highway 87 #37, Big Spring
- Lynn Guerrero, 203 W. Ave #3, Clayton, N.M.
- Melissa Gutierrez, 3310 SF Austin, No. 58, Brownwood
- Sandra Ann Gutierrez, 1501 N. Fourth Place, 1312 S. Ave. L, Lamesa
- Mike Haddix, 401 Humble St. Apt. E, Midland
- Dylan Hammons, 4401 E. 11th Place, Big Spring
- William J. Harman, HC 76, Box 147K-1, Big Spring
- Nicholas D. Hasenbalg, 207 W. Williams St. #9, Breckridge
- Ann Hashem, 120 Airbase Rd. 15-5, Big Spring
- Christine Henderson, 420 N. El Paso
- Juanita Hernandez, 1502 Bluebird, Big Spring
- Matias Hernandez Jr., 620 E 4th St., San Angelo
- Scott Herrera, H.C 76, Box 97B Ash Rd., Big Spring
- Billy Dean Hill, 7117 Alissa, Rowlett
- Johnny R. Hill, 704 San Antonio, Big Spring
- Kaleb Hill, 910 Baylor, Big Spring
- Shatiya Lasha Jenkins, 4590 N Texas #198 Odessa
- Jim Bob Jennings, 4446 Ridgecrest Amarillo 9001 Indiana Apt D, Lubbock
- Stephanie Ford Johnson, P.O. Box 483, Coahoma
- David Kelley, P.O. Box 724, Salado
- Joni D. Kelly, 3050 Co. Rd 139, Colorado
- Renola S. Kelly, 4503 LA Salle Circle, Colorado City
- Cynthia Lee Kent, Moved to Newport News, Virginia
- Kayle R. Lane, P.O. Box 83965, Waco
- Rafael Lemus, 1804 Mittel, Big Spring
- Jesse Paul Lopez, 101 Scurry St., Big Spring
- Ruben Lopez Jr., 107 Milburn St., Snyder, Texas
- Clifford G. Lowe, 501 Circle, Big Spring
- Patricia D. Lyons, 7502 Interstate 27 number A, Lubbock
- Aaron Christopher Mack, 2134 Bonham Ave., Odessa
- Bruce Edward Mallard, P.O. Box 3265 504 Westover, Big Spring
- Barbara A. Marshall, P.O. Box 1065, Deming, New Mexico
- James Martinez, P.O. Box 269, Ft. Davis
- Rene N. Martinez, 8618 Serene Ridge, Big Spring, Texas
- Victoria Josephine Martinez, 323 S. Main St., Loraine
- Karen McCalister, 5925 Raton Ln. number 154, Ft. Worth
- O'Neal McClain, 911 17th St., Snyder
- Diana McCool, 504 Donley, Big Spring
- Ethel Laverne McVae, 4202 Parkway Rd., Big Spring, Texas
- Heriberto Palafox Mora, 1311 Mobile St., Big Spring
- Felicia Ornelas, 538 Westover Rd.
- Dana Kay Peach, 1806 N 13th, Lamesa
- Nicole Preston, 1605 E 11th place, Big Spring
- Jacquelin Dannon Ramey, 1404 E 6th St. Big Spring

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**RECORDS**

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Gilbert P. Ramirez, 1614 Settles, Big Spring  
Byron Roberts, 2206 Alabama St Big Spring  
Michael Robinson, 801 Anne St., Big Spring  
Juan Romero, 2504 March CR, Big Spring  
Veronica Romero, 103 Becker Rd., Big Spring  
Yuri Lozano Rubio, 421 Cedar, P.O. Box 173, Colorado City  
Polly Ann Rusk, 4201 W Hwy 80, Big Spring  
Elizabeth Salazar, 1808 Hearn, Big Spring, Texas  
Shane Skaggs, 1 Courtney Place, Apt. 301, Big Spring  
Derrick Dewayne Smith, 703 West 16th, San Angelo, Texas  
Leon Torres, 1500 Lincoln, Big Spring  
Michael Ray Watson, 1503 Tucson Rd., Big Spring  
Tamara Ruth Whitt, 1909 Morrison, 2526 Fairchild, Big Spring  
Jamie Wiggins, 1905 Wasson Rd., Apt. #28, Big Spring

**Marriage Licenses**

Gerald Wayne Roever, 58, and Sherrill Diane Phehl, 58, both of Big Spring  
Zain Aaron Treadway, 21, and Abbie Kay Daniels, 20, both of Big Spring

**District Court Filings**

Plaintiff: Stephen Adams  
Defendant: Betty Adams  
Type of Case: Divorce-no children  
Date: Jan. 9, 2020

Plaintiff: Summer Raabe  
Defendant: Christopher Raabe  
Type of Case: Divorce-children  
Date: Jan. 9, 2020

Plaintiff: Wells Fargo Bank, NA  
Defendant: Micaela Martinez  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 9, 2020

Plaintiff: Amanda Rodgers  
Defendant: Brandon Rodgers  
Type of Case: Divorce-children  
Date: Jan. 10, 2020

Plaintiff: Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC  
Defendant: Michael Gummow  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 10, 2020

Plaintiff: Conn Appliances, DBA Conn's  
Defendant: Jason S. Cantu  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 13, 2020

Plaintiff: Margaret Jackson  
Defendant: Kody Jackson  
Type of Case: Divorce-no children  
Date: Jan. 13, 2020

Plaintiff: Victoria Gross  
Defendant: Lance Gross  
Type of Case: Divorce-children  
Date: Jan. 13, 2020

Plaintiff: Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC  
Defendant: Alicia Garcia  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Plaintiff: Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC  
Defendant: Kelli K. Stolle  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Plaintiff: Yasmeen Gonzales  
Defendant: Janice Gonzales  
Type of Case: Divorce-no children  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Plaintiff: TD Auto Finance, LLC f/k/a Chrysler Financial  
Defendant: Michael Maxwell  
Type of Case: Contract-Consumer/Commercial/Debt  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Plaintiff: Sylvia Trevino  
Defendant: Donald Koerber  
Type of Case: Protective Order-no divorce  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Plaintiff: Tabatha Cunningham  
Defendant: Gerald Cunningham  
Type of Case: Divorce-children  
Date: Jan. 15, 2020

**County Court Rulings**

(Note: The State of Texas is listed as the prosecutor in all County Court Rulings.)  
Defendant: Jesus Carrasco  
Offense: Possession of a controlled substance penalty group 3 (less than 28 grams)  
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$270 court costs, time served  
Date: Jan. 9, 2020

Defendant: Lucan Lopez  
Offense: Possession of a controlled substance penalty group 3 (less than 28 grams)  
Sentence: \$100 fine, \$270 court costs, 20 days in jail  
Date: Jan. 10, 2020

Defendant: Odus Rogers  
Offense: Driving while intoxicated-second offense  
Sentence: \$250 fine, \$270 court costs, 365 days in jail, 90 days license suspension, probated 6 months  
Date: Jan. 10, 2020

**Warranty Deeds**

Grantor: Brian D. East and Barbara J. East  
Grantee: Harold Hoelscher and Ann Hoelscher  
Property: 5.061 acres (Tract 11), out of NE/4 of Section 6, Blk 31, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Jan. 14, 2020

Grantor: Annie L. Ward  
Grantee: Patricia Mitchell  
Property: NE corner of a 5 acre tract, and the NW corner of this tract, Section 43, Blk. 30, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Jan. 6, 2020

Grantor: Anastasio DeHoyos  
Grantee: Abraham Medrano and Olga Medrano  
Property: 1.57 acre tract out of SW/4 of Section 24, Blk. 33, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Jan. 8, 2020

Grantor: Antonio DeHoyos  
Grantee: Abraham Medrano and Olga Medrano  
Property: Lots 1, 2 and 3, Blk. 12, South Haven Addition  
Date: Jan. 8, 2020

Grantor: Patricia Sue Nabors, Independent Executrix of the Estate of Paul S. Nabors  
Grantee: Patricia Sue Nabors  
Property: Tract 1: Lot 2, Blk. 6, Worth Peeler Addition; Tract 2: 0.370 acre tract out of East part Lot 4, Blk. 6, Worth Peeler Addition; Tract 3: Road easement in the West part of Lot 4, Blk. 6, Worth Peeler Addition  
Date: Dec. 18, 2019

Grantor: Diana Arsiaga  
Grantee: ARBOH Group, LLC  
Property: 0.19 acre tract out of Section 44, Blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Jan. 10, 2020

Grantor: Joey Martinez  
Grantee: Isabel Hilario  
Property: S/50' of NW/4 of Blk. 27, College Heights Addition  
Date: Jan. 13, 2020

Grantor: Watson Mattie Construction, Inc.  
Grantee: Watson Development Corp.  
Property: 16.099 acre tract out of SE/4 of Section 32, Blk. 33, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 9, 2019

Grantor: The William Earl Read Family Trust  
Grantee: City of Coahoma  
Property: Tract One: 0.50 acre tract out of NE/4 of Section 47, Blk. 31, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey; Tract Two: 20' wide easement out of 0.394 acre tract out of NE/4 of Section 47, Blk. 31, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 20, 2019

Grantor: Lunsford and Linda May  
Grantee: Rebecca Suzanne Smith  
Property: 2.0 acre tract out of NW/4 of the SE/4 of Section 5, Blk. 32, T-1-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 20, 2019

Grantor: Big Spring Monticello Homes, LLC, a Texas Limited Liability Corporation  
Grantee: Domingo Rios  
Property: Tract 1: Lot 25, Blk. 14, Monticello Addition; Tract 2: Lot 27, Blk. 14, Monticello Addition  
Date: Dec. 19, 2010

Grantor: Jesse R. Gonzales  
Grantee: Tony Castillo  
Property: Lot 10, Blk. 6, Hall Addition  
Date: Dec. 18, 2019

Grantor: Debra Casey, as Independent Administrator of the Estate of Marvin Monroe Casey, aka Marvin Casey, dba Casey's Campers  
Grantee: Christopher Mason  
Property: Lots 1, 2 and 3 and Lots 10, 11, and 12, Blk. 12, Brown Addition  
Date: Dec. 19, 2019

Grantor: Virginia Archer and James P. Archer and Barbara Huff  
Grantee: Michelle Denise Johnson and Jeanine Johnson  
Property: Lot 2, Blk. 2, Muir Heights Addition  
Date: Dec. 18, 2019

Grantor: Maria Serrano Garcia  
Grantee: Maria Serrano Garcia and Falvio Serrano Garcia  
Property: Lot 32, Blk. 6, Douglass Addition  
Date: Dec. 11, 2019

Grantor: Kelly Joe Gaskins, Trustee of the JM Gaskins Survivor Trust, Kelly Joe Gaskins, Successor Trustee of the LMG Fam TR Trust and Kelly Joe Gaskins, Trustee of the Kelly Joe Gaskins Family Trust, and Kayla Gaskins McDonnell, Trustee of Kayla Jean McDonnell Family Trust  
Grantee: Van Martin Gaskins, Trustee of the Van Martin Gaskins Family Trust  
Property: 117.25 acres out of SW/4 of Section 14, Blk. 34, T-2-N, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 6, 2019

Grantor: Randy D. Pittman, Independent Executor of the Estate of Dearl Dean Pittman, aka Dearl D. Pittman, deceased  
Grantee: Raymond Dale Pittman  
Property: Lot 6, Blk. 3, Suburban Heights Addition  
Date: Dec. 16, 2019

Grantor: Chris Evans  
Grantee: Kenneth Eubanks and Patricia Eubanks  
Property: 161.642 acre tract out of N/2 of Section 48, Blk 33, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 17, 2019

**Warranty Deeds with Vendors' Liens**

Grantor: Dustin Aaron Gutierrez and Jasmin Gutierrez  
Grantee: Rene Medina Jr.  
Property: Lot 15, Blk. 2, College Park Estates  
Date: Jan. 15, 2020

Grantor: Edward D. Cole and Vicki Cole  
Grantee: ACC Properties, LLC, a Texas limited liability corporation  
Property: Tract One: 1.03 acre tract of the E/2 of Blk. 17, Brennand Addition; Tract Two: 0.197 acre trace lying between Blks. 17 and 18, Brennand Addition  
Date: Dec. 31, 2019

Grantor: Jessica Leigh Oliva a/k/a Jessica L. Oliva  
Grantee: Kathy Fletcher  
Property: Lot 8, Blk. 3, Highland Park Addition  
Date: Dec. 20, 2019

Grantor: Shawna Parrish  
Grantee: Betsy Lynn Toman  
Property: Lot 1, and the W/10' of Lot 2, Blk. 3, LaLoma Addition  
Date: Dec. 20, 2019

Grantor: Christopher Mason and Tommy Martinez  
Grantee: GI&RO Transportation LLC  
Property: Lots 1, 2 and 3 and Lots 10, 11 and 12, Blk. 12, Brown Addition  
Date: Dec. 19, 2010

Grantor: Michael Wayne Blissard  
Grantee: Boyce Kemper and Laura Kemper  
Property: 2.307 acre tract out of NW/4 of Section 21, Blk. 32, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey  
Date: Dec. 18, 2019

**US industrial production fell 0.3% in December**

By **JOSH BOAK AP**

Economics Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. industrial production fell 0.3% in December, as unseasonably warm weather reduced demand for heating from utilities.

The Federal Reserve said Friday that total industrial production — which includes the manufacturing, mining and utilities sectors — slumped 1% over the past year. Factory output has tumbled 1.3% from a year ago, driving much of the overall decline as manufacturers grappled with trade disputes and slower global growth in 2019.

Still, factory output improved 0.2% in December as the metal, wood product, computer and food and beverage sectors improved. Output at auto plants fell 4.6% in December after a November surge following the end of the General Motors strike.

Mining output increased 1.3% last month because of gains in extracting oil and natural gas.

After an unseasonably cold November, temperatures in December nationwide were 36.5 degrees Fahrenheit, or 3.8 degrees above the 20th Century average, according to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. The government agency estimated that energy demand during December was 56 % below average.

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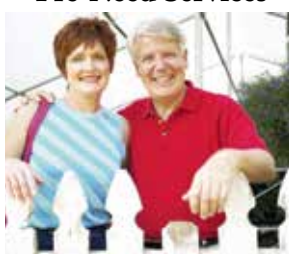
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**Help Wanted**

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  - GIS Specialist
- Public Works Secretary
- Animal Control Officer
- Building Official
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**Help Wanted**

We are looking for an ambitious, creative, self-starter, to fill a staff writer role at the Big Spring Herald. Do you have a heart to share others stories and the desire to be involved in your community? We want to hear from you!

**Responsibilities and Duties:** This individual would provide news coverage, build pages, and update social media accounts/website.

**Qualifications and Skills:** Indesign and Photoshop are a plus, but will train the right person. We are looking for a creative, outgoing individual familiar with social media. Must be a self-starter, and be able to meet deadlines.

Individual will be responsible for several areas of coverage, from feature stories to hard news. Must have a flexible schedule.

Contact Amanda Duforat 432-263-7331 Ext. 230 or email [editor@bigspringherald.com](mailto:editor@bigspringherald.com) for questions or to submit your resume.

Job Type: Full Time

**We are looking for an outgoing, ambitious individual to fill a role at the Big Spring Herald!**

Are you eager to increase your income? Do you like to socialize and meet new people? We want to hear from you!

**Responsibilities and Duties:** This individual will be responsible for contacting businesses and selling newspaper advertising.

**Qualifications and Skills:** Knowledge of Microsoft programs is preferred, but will train the right person. Organization, creativity and strong people skills is a plus. Must have reliable transportation and a valid driver's license.

Bring resume to **Big Spring Herald** at **710 Scurry** or email [publisher@bigspringherald.com](mailto:publisher@bigspringherald.com)

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**Public Notice**

**Updated Property Tax Information Now Available for Texas Taxpayers**

**Big Spring** –New and updated property tax information has just been Compiled by Howard County Appraisal District and is available now to assist taxpayers. This property tax information is current and covers a wide range of topics, such as taxpayer remedies, exemptions and appraisals, and has information for select groups, such as disabled veterans and persons age 65 or older.

“Whether you are a homeowner, business owner, disabled veteran or taxpayer, it’s important you know your rights concerning the property tax laws.” Lisa Reyna, Chief Appraiser of the Howard County Appraisal District, “You can contact us about any property value issues with full confidence that we will provide you the most complete, accurate and up-to-date available information to assist you.”

This includes information about the following programs.

**•Property Tax Exemptions for Disabled Veterans** – The law provides partial exemptions for any property owned by disabled veterans or surviving spouses and surviving children of deceased disabled veterans. Another partial exemption is for homesteads donated to disabled veterans by charitable organizations at no cost or not more than 50 percent of the good faith estimate of the homestead’s market value to the disabled veterans and their surviving spouses. The exemption amount is determined according to percentage of service-connected disability. The law also provides a 100 percent homestead exemption for 100 percent disabled veterans and their surviving spouses and surviving spouses of U.S. armed service members killed in action.

**•Property Tax Exemptions** – Non-profit organizations that meet statutory requirements may seek property tax exemptions and must apply to their county appraisal district by a specific date. Businesses that receive tax abatements granted by taxing units; store certain goods in transit in warehouses that are moved within 175 days; construct, install or acquire pollution control property; own and operate energy storage systems; convert landfill-generated gas; or store offshore drilling equipment while not in use may also be eligible for statutory exemptions.

**•Rendering Taxable Property** – If a business owns tangible personal property that is used to produce income, the

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business must file a rendition with it’s local county appraisal district by a specified date. Personal property includes inventory and equipment used by a business. Owners do not have to render exempt property such as church property or agriculture producer’s equipment used for farming.

**•Appraisal Notices** – Normally, taxpayers receive a notice of appraised value from the appropriate local county appraisal district. The city, county, school districts and other local taxing units will use the appraisal district’s value to set property taxes for the coming year.

**•Property Taxpayer Remedies** – This Comptroller publication explains in detail how to protest a property appraisal, what issues the county appraisal review board (ARB) can consider and what to expect during a protest hearing. The publication also discusses the options of taking a taxpayer’s case to district court, the State Office of Administrative Hearings or binding arbitration if the taxpayer is dissatisfied with the outcome of the ARB hearing.

**•Homestead Exemptions** – A homestead is generally defined as the home and land used as the owner’s principal residence on Jan. 1 of the tax year. A homestead exemption reduces the appraised value of the home and, as a result, lowers property taxes. Applications are submitted to the appropriate local county appraisal district.

**•Productivity Appraisal** – Property owners who use land for agricultural purposes or wildlife management can be granted property tax relief on their land. They may apply to their local county appraisal district for an agricultural appraisal which may result in a lower appraisal of the land based on production, versus market value.

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DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case  
No. 0324630  
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan  
10, 2020 Status/Permit No.  
859643

NOTICE OF PROTEST  
DEADLINE: 5:00 PM,  
Jan 31, 2020  
Address: Railroad Commis-  
sion of Texas  
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit  
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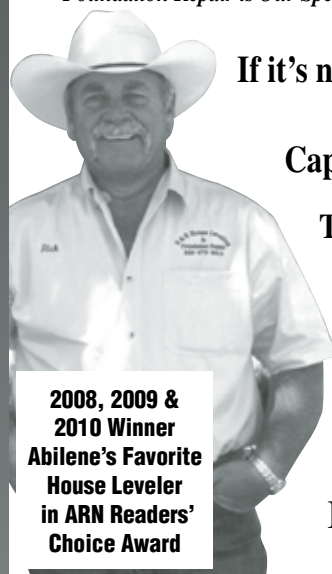
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
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LEUM OPERATING CO,  
[RRC Operator No. 124828]  
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Commission Statewide Rule  
37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code  
section 3.37). Applicant  
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LEASE LINE requirement for  
the AMENDED NEW DRILL  
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33 T3N, T&P RR CO / BEN-  
NETT, T B Survey, A-1245,  
SPRABERRY (TREND  
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Lease/Unit Name : DUNKIN UNIT A1  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 8AH  
Lease/Unit Acres : 1131.99  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0

Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 644.0  
Lease Lines : 300.0 F North L, 330.0 F East L  
Survey Lines : 300.0 F North L, 2501.0 F West L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 300.0 F NORTH L  
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Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 29 Block: 33 T3N  
Abstract: 348  
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#10421 Jan. 12 & 19, 2020

RAILROAD COMMISSION  
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DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case  
No. 0324656  
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan  
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859645  
NOTICE OF PROTEST  
DEADLINE: 5:00 PM,  
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Lease/Unit Name : DUNKIN UNIT A2  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 15SH  
Lease/Unit Acres : 571.91  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 330.0

Lease Lines : 270.0 F North L, 329.0 F East L  
Survey Lines : 270.0 F North L, 2502.0 F West L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
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Penetration Point Location  
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No. 0324673  
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859646  
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DEADLINE: 5:00 PM,  
Jan 31, 2020



By Steve Becker

Usually doesn't mean always

South dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.  
NORTH  
♠ K J 8  
♥ 9 7 2  
♦ A 9 5 4 3  
♣ A 5  
WEST EAST  
♠ 5 3 ♠ 9 2  
♥ A Q 6 4 ♥ J 10 8  
♦ 10 6 ♦ Q J 7  
♣ K Q J 9 6 ♣ 10 8 4 3 2  
SOUTH  
♠ A Q 10 7 6 4  
♥ K 5 3  
♦ K 8 2  
♣ 7  
The bidding:  
1♠ West North East  
2♣ 2♦ Pass  
2♠ Pass 4♣  
Opening lead — king of clubs.

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best chance was to try to establish dummy's diamonds, but this had to be done without allowing East to gain the lead.

South therefore cashed the A-K of trump, ending in dummy, and led a low diamond. He was planning to insert the eight and lose the trick to West, but when East played the jack, that plan had to be abandoned.

Instead, declarer took the jack with the king and played the ace and another diamond, hoping West would have to win the trick. Unfortunately, East won with the queen and returned the heart jack, and the contract went down the drain.

The winning play is not easy to see because it occurs so seldom. Declarer's undoing came at trick one, when he should have allowed West's king of clubs to hold the trick!

West can then do no better than lead another club, on which South discards his diamond loser. After drawing two rounds of trump, declarer cashes the K-A of diamonds and ruffs a diamond. Dummy is then reentered with a trump, and two heart losers are discarded on the 9-5 of diamonds to finish with an overtrick.

In adopting this approach, South deliberately exchanges an unavoidable diamond loser for a nonexistent club loser, but in the process ensures that East will not gain the lead while the diamonds are being developed.

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7			1				6	8
						1	9	7
	4							5
				5				
2			9					6
		9		8	7		1	
1			7		2		3	
			3	4			7	2

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1	4	6	8	6	5	2	7	3
3	1	2	7	8	9	6	5	4
9	5	7	4	1	6	8	3	2
4	8	6	3	5	2	7	1	9
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ANSWER:

**Legals**  
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ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit  
P. O. Box 12967  
Austin, Texas 78711-2967  
Fax: (512) 463-6780  
Email:  
SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

**Legals**  
If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Ryan Emery, at (281)5895200.  
#10423 Jan. 12 & 19, 2020

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COLLEEN BARTON, DISTRICT 312 SCURRY BIG SPRING, TX 79720  
REINA CISNEROS ATTORNEY AT LAW P O BOX 1030 BIG SPRING TX 79721  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
NOTICE OF DEFENDANT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after this citation was issued, a default judgment may be taken against you."

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To: Bill Davidson and Nettie Davidson,  
Defendant, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday February 3, 2020, before the Honorable 118th District Court of Howard County, at 312 Scurry Street in said County in Big Spring, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 17th day of December, 2019, cause number **54055** in the entitled cause styled:

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Lease/Unit Name : HORTON UNIT  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 1AH  
Lease/Unit Acres : 527.47  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Lease Lines : 340.0 F North L, 616.0 F West L  
Survey Lines : 340.0 F North L, 2004.0 F East L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 340.0 F NORTH L  
616.0 F WEST L  
Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 30 Block: 33 T3N  
Abstract: 1234  
Survey: T&P RR CO/ALLEN, C T  
Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
330.0 F WEST L  
Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
2505.0 F EAST L

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Lease/Unit Name : HORTON UNIT  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 22MS  
Lease/Unit Acres : 527.47  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Lease Lines : 280.0 F North L, 618.0 F West L  
Survey Lines : 280.0 F North L, 2002.0 F East L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 280.0 F NORTH L  
618.0 F WEST L  
Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 30 Block: 33 T3N  
Abstract: 1234  
Survey: T&P RR CO/ALLEN, C T  
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**THE JANE MATEJ MUDD IRREVOCABLE TRUST vs. BILL DAVIDSON**  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Real Property - Other as is more fully shown by the Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
Issued and given under my hand seal of said court at office on this the 18th day of December, 2019.

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Lease/Unit Name : HORTON UNIT  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 22MS  
Lease/Unit Acres : 527.47  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Lease Lines : 280.0 F North L, 618.0 F West L  
Survey Lines : 280.0 F North L, 2002.0 F East L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 280.0 F NORTH L  
618.0 F WEST L  
Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 30 Block: 33 T3N  
Abstract: 1234  
Survey: T&P RR CO/ALLEN, C T  
Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
330.0 F WEST L  
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2505.0 F EAST L

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Lease/Unit Name : HORTON UNIT  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 9SH  
Lease/Unit Acres : 527.47  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Lease Lines : 310.0 F North L, 617.0 F West L  
Survey Lines : 310.0 F North L, 2003.0 F East L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
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617.0 F WEST L  
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Lease/Unit Name : OPEN UNIT A4  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 4AH  
Lease/Unit Acres : 565.21  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 1.0  
Lease Lines : 323.0 F North L, 321.0 F East L  
Survey Lines : 2367.0 F South L, 1638.0 F East L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 323.0 F NORTH L  
321.0 F EAST L  
Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 27 Block: 33 T1N  
Abstract: 315  
Survey: T&P RR CO  
Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
862.0 F WEST L  
Survey Lines: 1898.0 F NORTH L  
1794.0 F EAST L

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)  
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Lease/Unit Name : DUNKIN UNIT A2  
Lease/Unit Well No. : 21H  
Lease/Unit Acres : 571.91  
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0  
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 330.0  
Lease Lines : 330.0 F North L, 331.0 F East L  
Survey Lines : 330.0 F North L, 2500.0 F West L  
Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal  
Lateral: TH1  
Penetration Point Location  
Lease Lines: 330.0 F NORTH L  
331.0 F EAST L  
Terminus Location  
BH County: HOWARD  
Section: 29 Block: 33 T3N  
Abstract: 348  
Survey: T&P RR CO  
Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
675.0 F EAST L  
Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L  
1968.0 F WEST L

**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION**  
DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0324448  
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan 8, 2020 Status/Permit No. 858439  
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Jan 29, 2020  
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas  
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit  
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Austin, Texas 78711-2967  
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DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan 10, 2020 Status/Permit No. 858441  
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Jan 31, 2020  
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NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Jan 31, 2020  
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DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0324530  
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Jan 10, 2020 Status/Permit No. 859778  
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Jan 31, 2020  
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ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit  
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Austin, Texas 78711-2967

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# Check this out, at the library this week

The library will be closed on Monday, Jan. 20 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day; we will reopen Tuesday, Jan. 21 at 10 a.m. We are getting ready to host a job fair in February and to prepare we are having a Resume Workshop on Wednesday, Jan. 22, in the computer lab from 2 p.m.- 4 p.m. This is an opportunity to learn to create your resume or polish your existing resume. Come learn to navigate some of the online tools to help you in your job search.

We will have Babytime on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m., Brown Bag history on Tuesday at 12 p.m., Storytime on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m., Code Club session 1 at 10:30 a.m. and Code Club session 2 at 5:30 p.m. Come by the library and check out any of these events.



Sandra Verdin

This week's reviews include mystery and fiction.

One beautiful September weekend, three sixty-six-year-old men convene on Martha's Vineyard in "Chances Are..." (F RUS R) by Richard Russo.

Bonded together what feels like a lifetime ago, circa the sixties, at a Connecticut college, they're still the closest of friends despite being a considerable distance apart. In fact they could not have been more different even as freshman, much less more than forty years later: Lincoln's a commercial real estate broker in Las Vegas, Teddy a tiny-press publisher in Syracuse, Mickey a musician nearing his legal limit in nearby Cape Cod. While each man holds a few secrets of his own, they have in common not only their school days and the rockin', volcanic sixties but also a monumental mystery that none of them has ever stopped puzzling over since a Memorial Day weekend on the Vineyard in 1971. Now, forty-four years later, as this new weekend unfolds, their lives are displayed in their entirety while the distant past confounds the present.

In 1966, Baltimore is a city of secrets that everyone seems to know, everyone, that is, except Madeline "Maddie" Schwartz in "Lady in the Lake" (M LIP L) by Laura Lippman.

Last year, she was a happy, pampered housewife. This year, she's bolted from her marriage of almost twenty years, determined to make good on her youthful ambitions to live a passionate, meaningful life. Maddie wants to leave her mark on a swiftly changing world. Drawing on her own secrets,

she helps Baltimore police find a murdered girl, assistance that leads to a job at the city's afternoon newspaper, the Star.

Working at the newspaper offers Maddie the opportunity to make her name as she pursues the story of a missing black woman whose body was discovered in the fountain of a city park lake. Cleo Sherwood was a young black woman and no one seems to know why she was killed. As Maddie searches the truth about Cleo's life and death, Cleo's ghost, privy to Maddie's poking and prying, wants to be left alone.

Maddie's investigation brings her into contact with people who used to be on the periphery of her life, a jewelry store clerk, a waitress, a patrol cop, a hardened female reporter, and a lonely man in a movie theater. But for all her ambition and drive, Maddie may fail to see the people right in front of her, and her inability to look beyond her own needs could lead to tragedy and turmoil for all sorts of people, including the man who shares her bed, a black police officer who cares for Maddie more than she knows.

In "The Nickel Boys" (F WHI C) by Colson Whitehead, the Civil Rights movement begins to reach the black enclave of Frenchtown in segregated Tallahassee. Elwood Curtis takes the words of Dr. Martin Luther King to heart: He is "as good as anyone."

Abandoned by his parents, but kept on the straight and narrow by his grandmother, Elwood is a high school senior about to start classes at a local college. But for a black boy in the Jim Crow South of the early 1960s, one innocent mistake is enough to destroy the future. Elwood is sentenced to a juvenile reformatory called the Nickel Academy, whose mission statement says it provides "physical, intellectual and moral training" so that the delinquent boys in their charge can become "honorable and honest men." In reality, the Nickel Academy is a grotesque chamber of horrors where the sadistic staff beats and abuses the students, corrupt officials steal food and supplies, and any boy who resists is likely to disappear "out back." Stunned to find himself in such a vicious environment, Elwood tries to hold onto Dr. King's ringing assertion "Throw us in jail and we will still love you."

His friend Turner thinks Elwood is worse than naive, that the world is crooked, and that the only way to survive is to scheme and avoid trouble. The tension between Elwood's ideals and Turner's skepticism leads to a decision with repercussions that will echo down the decades. Formed in the crucible of the evils Jim Crow wrought, the boys' fates will be determined by what they endured at the Nickel Academy. Based on the real story of a reform school in Florida that operated for one hundred and eleven years and warped the lives of thousands of children, "The Nickel Boys" is a devastating, driven narrative that showcases a great American novelist.

An impossible-to-put-down domestic thriller about secrets and revenge, "The Woman Inside" (F SCO E) by E. G Scott, is told from the perspectives of a husband and wife who are the most perfect, and the most dangerous, match for each other.

Rebecca knows that she is not built for marriage. She doubts whether love is even possible for someone like her. That is, at least, until she met Paul, a successful, charismatic, married man with damage from a dark past that mirrors her own. They are each other's perfect and perhaps only match. But twenty years later, Paul and Rebecca are hardly living happily ever after.

Everything from their dog to their picket fence mocks the bliss they had imagined, and every day they balance more precariously on a growing mountain of lies: Paul is cheating on Rebecca, and Rebecca is finding it ever harder to resist her access to limitless prescription pills.

But when Paul's mistress begins stalking them both, when women start disappearing, and when Rebecca uncovers Paul's elaborate plan to build a new life without her, they are thrown into a furious tailspin. As Paul's absences grow longer and his texts get vaguer, Rebecca spirals out of control. Paul is to blame for their unhappiness, and he will not get away with it. So Rebecca devises a plot of her own, and this one could end absolutely everything. What follows is a stylish game of cat and mouse, a shocking tale of unfaithfulness and unreliability that has you racing until the final twist and keeps you up wondering how well you really know the one you love.

"Not everybody can be famous but everybody can be great because greatness is determined by service... You only need a heart full of grace and a soul generated by love." - Martin Luther King Jr.

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## We Salute!

There are those in the community - local business, individuals, or civic organizations - who have gone above and beyond. There have been those moments that have made a positive impact on the community and we want to recognize those moments, contributions and people:

• All school board members in Forsan, Coahoma, Big Spring and surrounding areas. Thank you for your dedication and investment into the youth in each of our communities. This month is School Board Appreciation Month.

• Congratulations to JH students at Forsan who will participate in the All-Region band clinic/concert on Jan. 24-25. The following students will be attending: Morgan Miller, Neveah Hernandez, Emma Buske, Avery Williams, Brylon Freich, Lybertee Rodriquez, Caylee Meyers, and emily Rice.

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