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National Pharmaceutical Take Back, April 25 at Spring Town Plaza



Pictured above is boxes of collected disposed unused pharmaceutical conitems at the 2019 Pharmaceutical Take Back trolled substances, dangerous event, which was also held at Spring Town drugs and other medications Plaza. The next take back will take place April to law enforcement officers for

By AMANDA DUFORAT Managing Editor

The Big Spring Police Department Narcotics Division in collaboration with the Drug Enforcement Administration will be hosting National Pharmaceutical Take Back Initiative at Spring Town Plaza on April 25. Officers will be on site from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. for those needing to dispose of pharmaceutical properly.

"This provides a unified opportunity for the public to sur-HERALD file photo render expired, unwanted or destruction," Big Spring Police

Chief Chad Williams said. During the Take Back Initia-

tive no intra-venous solutions, injectables and syringes will be accepted due to the potential hazards posed by blood-borne pathogens. All items that are dropped off during the take back are done so anonymously and protections are taken to protect the identity of individuals disposing of medications, according to Chief Williams.

"Participants may dispose of medication in its original container or by removing the medication from its container and disposing it directly into the disposal box," Williams said. "Liquid products, such

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BSI students recognized in HSWCD poster contest

Special to the Herald

Recently the Howard Soil and Water Conservation District held a poster contest, which was open to area school aged students. The winners of the poster contest have been announced, and Big Spring Intermediate students were named amongst those awards. The following students received recognition for their submissions in the contest:

Honorable Mention: Rodrigo Gonzales Honorable Mention: Abby Hilario 2nd Place: Zach Barker

1st Place: Abimael Gonzales 3rd Place: Ramiro Arroyo

As the 1st Place submission, Abimael Gonzales has been invited to attend the HSWCD banquet March 23. During the banquet, Gonzales will be able to present his artwork for all those attending to view.

The students were supported and encouraged by the BSI art teacher, Mr. Twining.



Buske recognized as February Student of the Month by the Big Spring Rotary Club

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

Recognizing the ability to lead in those students who are going above and beyond in their respective schools is one of the main focuses of The Big Spring Rotary Club through the Student of the Month Recognition program. Each month a different student is recognized from the area school districts - Forsan, Big Spring and Coahoma - for their academic and extracurricular achievements.

The most recent recipient of the Student of the Month award was Forsan High School student Ryan Buske.

"Ryan Buske is a phenomenal young man who excels inside and out of the classroom. He is a senior this year at Forsan High School and is currently ranked 4th in his class," Dana Rodriguez, Youth Chairman of the Big Spring Rotary Club, said." Ryan has been very active all four years of high school excelling in football, basketball, discus, and the award win-

ning Forsan Buffalo Marching Band. According to information provided by Buske's teachers and counselor, he is also a member of the National Honor Society and an active member of the Forsan High School Student Council. He has been the Vice President for his class all

four years of high school. "Ryan is a stellar member of the Forsan High School UIL



The Big Spring Rotary honored our Forsan Student of the Month at today's noon meeting. Pictured here is the honoree, Ryan Buske (center), his parents Pete and Mandy Buske (left side) and his grandparents Pete and Martha Hernandez (right side), and Dana Rodriguez, Rotary Member. Buske is a senior at FHS.

> and competes academically in Current Events and Social Studies. Ryan is described by his friends as loyal, by his teachers as humble, by his coaches as selfless, by his administrators as driven yet kind, and his teammates as honorable and considerate," she said. "Ryan is a bright young man

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cussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting 6:30

until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting 8 p.m. until

Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul

Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-

in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group

• Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Sup-

port Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The

purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer

support to service members, veterans and fami-

lies, especially those suffering from post-traumat-

ic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury

(TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other

traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets ev-

ery Thursday at 6 p.m. at 501 Birdwell Lane. For

more information, email francisco.garza@wtc-

GriefShare is a biblical support group that

focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features

nationally respected grief experts and real-life

stories, followed by small group discussion about

the topics presented (with workbook support);

there is no charge for attendance. 13-week semi-

nars are held three times per year on Thursday

evenings, 6 to 8 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in

Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC

Facebook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon

at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates

· Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-

based addictions program helping people find

freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m.

Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring.

AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1

Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meet-

ing, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/

speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birth-

day night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday

of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7

Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from

· Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees It, 615

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

Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1

 A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring

p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

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THURSDAY

9 p.m.

Obituaries

Cleo Donsella Little Shive



Cleo Donsella Little Shive of Abilene, formerly of Coahoma, died Sunday, March 1, 2020, at Chisholm Place Assisted Living in Abilene, Texas. She was surrounded by family, friends, and her two beloved cats.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 7, 2020, at the Coahoma Cemetery with Reverend Tom Koger officiating. The family will receive friends

from 6:00 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, 2020, at Nalley Pickle Welch Funeral Home in Big Spring, Texas. Cleo was born Nov. 6, 1931, to Susie (Zada) Weav-

er Little and William Henry Little in Coleman, Texas. She married Rex A. Shive Aug. 8, 1948, in Coahoma, Texas. They were married 58 years prior to his death. She was a wife, Mom, and homemaker. Cleo was a member of the Coahoma Presbyterian Church for many years, becoming an Elder of the Church and received the honor of Lifetime Membership in the Presbyterian Women of the Church.

She had many other interests in life including reading, sewing, crafting, and painting. Cleo also loved her town and living in the country on the family

She and Rex had three children, Rob Shive who preceded her in death, Sharon Shive VanDen-Houten of Abilene, Texas, and Janene Shive Gryder of San Angelo, Texas; three grandchildren, Lisa Vasile of Seattle, WA, Kimberly Godines of Abilene, Texas and Amy Gryder of San Angelo, Texas; and four great grandchildren.

She was greatly loved by her family and she loved her family so much. We will miss her and her sense of humor, wisdom and strength which enriched all of our lives.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, two sisters and two brothers.

Pallbearers will be Walter VanDenHouten, Johnny Godines, Jaedon Godines, Joe Best, John Best, Michael Brooks and Tommy Scott.

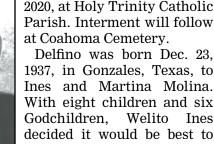
Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.

Paid Obituary

Delfino Molina

away Saturday, Feb. 29, 2020. His Rosary service will be 7 p.m., Thursday, March 5, 2020, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral Mass will be 11 a.m., Friday, March 6,

Delfino Molina, 82, formerly of Coahoma, passed



move the family to Coahoma, Texas. Even with only a Sixth Grade education, he accomplished much in his life. At the age of 18, he thought it was a good idea to join the Air Force. He

In 1960, he married Gloria Molina and they began their family, living among many relatives in Coahoma. They moved to Dallas in 1967. They eventually parted ways and remained friends, until her passing in 2012.

was honorably discharged after seven months.

He worked many years for the Dallas Housing Authority, and eventually retired from Petrofina Pipeline. He remained living in Coahoma with his

mother, Martina Molina.

He shared the last fifteen years of his life with his "Cora" Connie Devilla. They enjoyed playing bingo, cards, and traveling to visit family. Swimming and keeping active in his yard were his passion. He was blessed with the ability to play accordion and piano by ear, which is what he's doing now in

He was an ever present father and the most memorable grandfather. He would say often, that he would fall asleep praying for each of his family members. He was a Hell of a Man, and leaves a bit of his spirit amongst all of us.

He is survived by Petra Rubio of Denver, CO, Pasquala Aragon of Los Cruces, NM, Quirino Molina of Denver City, Texas, Mary Martinez of Big Spring, Texas, Consuelo Morales of Coahoma, Texas; his children, Luis Molina of Big Spring, Texas, Ines and Ronda Molina of Scurry, Texas, Adela Molina of Dallas, Texas, Emilio Molina of Temple, Texas, Senaida and Emilio Martinez of Mesquite, Texas and Fidel Lopez of Dallas, Texas; 18 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and one greatgreat-granddaughter.

Arrangements are under the directions of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences may be made at <u>www.npwelch.</u>

Paid Obituary

Luis Luera

Luis Luera, 58, of Big Spring died Sunday, March 1, 2020. Services will be held at a later date.

Luis was born Aug. 1, 1961. He was a retired farmer and a Catholic.

Luis is survived by two brothers: David Luera

and Juan Luera, both of Big Spring; three sisters: Maribel Luera of Big Spring San Juanita Luera of Baltimore, Maryland and Marcelina Sanchez, of Big Spring; and several nieces and nephews.

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

Police Report

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following ac-

• ACCIDENT MINOR was reported in the 800 block of W. I-20, and on 4th and Goliad, and on FM 700 and Hwy 80

• BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported on Courtney Place,

• BURGLARY OF A HABITA- 1800 block of E. FM 700. **TION** was reported in the 1600 block of Sunset Ave., and in the

1300 block of Colby Ave. DISTURBANCE was reported

in the 1400 block of S. Runnels St., and the 3500 block of E. I-20.

2500 block of Albrook Dr., and the block of S. Nolan St.

- ACCIDENT MAJOR was reported in the 2100 block of S. Gregg St.
- ASSAULT was reported in the 1900 block of N. Hwy 87.

• THEFT was reported in the ABUSE was reported in the 1400

Sheriff, EMS Reports

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 83 inmates at the time of this report.

• ZACHARY CALEB PIERCE, 33, was arrested by HCSO on a warrants for two counts of burglary of a building.

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 200 block of N. E. 3rd St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• TRAFFIC ACCIDENT was reported on FM 700

and W. Hwy 80. No transportation was needed.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 200 block of Refinery Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- TRAFFIC ACCIDENT was reported in the 2100 block of S. Gregg St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. No transportation was needed.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 200 block of E. 3rd St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

THAN JUST A GYM The YMCA of Big Spring SPRING into FITNESS

• Scenic Volunteers will be having their annual jewelry sale April 7 and 8, 2020, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the Medical Plaza, right next door to the hospital. Funds will be put back into SMMC and community support proj-

Kindred at Home will be hosting

a blood drive on Tuesday, March 31, 2020, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Vitalant Bloodmobile will be on site. See Nicole Doose to sign up. The Sponsor Code is Big Spring Kindred. Eat a good meal, drink plenty of water, and bring a picture ID if you are planning on donating.





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Today: Sunny, with a high near 71. West wind 5 to 10 mph becoming north in the afternoon. **Tonight:** Mostly clear, with a low around 40. Northeast wind 5 to 10 mph.

Friday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 69. East wind 5 to 15 mph becoming southeast in the afternoon.

Friday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 44.

Saturday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 65.

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 50.

Sunday: A chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 67.

Sunday Night: A chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 53.

Monday: Sunny, with a high near 75.

Monday Night: Partly cloudy, with a low around 48.

Tuesday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 75.

with a servant's heart."

according to his purpose."

tions.

he will go on to do great things in his life.

forecast.weather.gov)

His teachers and parents also described him as a young man

who always works hard at whatever he is doing. His favorite Bi-

ble verse is Romans 8:28... "And we know that in all things God

works for the good of those who love him, who have been called

Forsan High School is proud to call Ryan a buffalo and knows

According to Rodriguez, Rotary Club's guiding principles in-

clude the Four-way Test (Truth, Fairness, Goodwill, and Friend-

ship). Other principles involve Rotary's commitment to Service

above Self, which is channeled through Five Avenues of Service:

Club, Vocational, Community, International, and New Genera-

BSISD announces early Friday release schedule

Special to the Herald

Spring Break is right around the corner and students are counting down the days. In anticipation of the upcoming break, Big Spring Independent School District has issued the release schedule for the District.

As per the 2019-2020 Big Spring ISD calendar, Friday, March 6 is an early release date. In an effort to minimize traffic congestion and better allocate

district transportation resources, our Friday dis-

missal schedule will be staggered as follows:

Time Campus(es)

11:30 Kentwood

12:00 Marcy, Moss, Anderson Accelerated, DAEP 12:10 Washington

12:20 Goliad

12:30 BSI, BSJHS, BSHS

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your campus administration.

Odessa Police reminding motorists about "Move over/Slow Down" Special to the Herald tional lane and continue at the

Last year, the Odessa Police Department issued several dozen citations for "Passing Emergency Vehicle-Vacate Lane/ Lower Speed". There have also been several instances involving OPD officers being nearly struck by passing motorists while conducting traffic stops or working crashes. The goal of the Odessa Police Department is to protect emergency responders and citizens on the roadway.

Move Over/Slow Down Reminders:

1) Motorists must drive 20 mph below the posted speed limit when passing an emergency vehicle in the closest lane or move over an additional lane and continue at the posted speed. 2) If the posted speed limit is be-

low 25 mph, the driver must slow down to 5 mph when passing an

emergency vehicle in the closest lane or move over an addiposted speed.

3) This law applies to all police vehicles, fire trucks, ambulances, TXDOT vehicles, and tow

4) Failing to move over or slow down while passing an emergency vehicle can result in a fine of up to \$160.

To see more about this campaign, visit https://www.odessapd.com/Home/Components/ News/News/10103/820

Take Note

- AARP Driver Safety Course will be taking place on Thursday, March 12, 2020, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The course if \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members. Class takes place at the Big Spring Senior Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. Why take the AARP Smart Driver Course? Because driving has changed since you first got your license and doing so could save you money. Please call 267-1628 for more information.
- Mitchell County Hospital will be having a Book and Gift Sale on Tuesday, March 3 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m, and Wednesday, March 4 from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Great products at great prices! Mitchell County Hospital is located at 997 W. Interstate 20, Stanton,
- AARP Foundation Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation help to anyone, and if you're 50 and older, and can't afford a tax preparation service, AARP Tax-Aide was made especially for you. They understand that retirement or other life changes may mean your taxes are a little more complicated now. With the help of our team of IRS-certified volunteers, we make it easy for you. AARP Tax-Aide Service will be available at the Big Spring Senior Center every Monday, beginning on Feb. 3, 2020, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. There's no fee
- and no sales pitch for other services, and AARP membership is not required. Additional information can be found on the AARP web site https:// www.aarp.org/money/taxes/info-2004/about_aarp_ taxaide.html
- DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible? There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.
- Food2Kids will again be providing sack lunches to children in the Big Spring area who do not receive adequate food over the weekends.

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as cough syrup, should remain sealed in their original container.

We strongly encourage everyone who has expired medicine or medicine you no longer need or use, to utilize this opportunity and dispose of your medicine safely."

Spring Town Plaza is located at 1801 E. FM 700.

For more information regarding this program please contact Big Spring Police Department Narcotics Sergeant Steve Henry (432) 264-2595.

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Cindy Salazar-Gonzalez, 45, died Saturday. Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive

Luis Luera, 58, died Sunday. Services will be at a later date.

Memorial Park.

Hilton Witt, 80, died Monday. Graveside services will be at 2:00 PM Thursday at Coahoma Cemetery.

we are strongly focusing on -the youth of today," she said. "We feel that by recognizing outstanding students in the community, we are encouraging strong leadership and building posi-

tive representatives of their schools. In addition to academic

achievement, selected students also displayed characteristics of good citizenship and school/com-

munity involvement." To find out more about the Rotary Club of Big Spring ask a member of the club or stop by during a Tuesday meeting for more information. The club meets every Tuesday on the Howard College campus at Noon.

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San Antonio: CDC planned to drop cruise passengers at mall

By TAMMY WEBBER Associated Press

Federal health officials planned to drop off some cruise ship passengers at a shopping mall after their release from a two-week quarantine at a Texas air base, one of several reasons the city of San Antonio declared a public health emergency over the new coronavirus, a city spokeswoman said Tuesday.

The city filed a lawsuit Monday to halt the plan after a woman was mistakenly released from quarantine at a health care facility over the weekend despite testing positive. She had visited the North Star Mall — the same one where the some of those released from Lackland Air Force Base were to be dropped off — before the mistake was discovered, prompting the mall to shut down for deep cleaning.

Laura Mayes, spokeswoman for the city of San Antonio, said that knowing about the plan from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention was "part of why the city wanted to pause it, to minimize the threat to the community."

"We wanted to make sure things were orderly and done with as limited exposure as possible to the public," Mayes said. City officials also wanted more patient testing to assure nobody who was released tested positive.

A CDC spokesman reached after hours Tuesday did not comment on the plan involving the mall and would not say where the patient was released over the weekend. She said local, state and federal agencies helped coordinate the Lackland departures.

"Many factors were taken into consideration when determining how best to

return the evacuees to their communities as safely as possible," CDC spokeswoman Carol Williams said in an email.

Lindsay Kahn, a spokeswoman for Brookfield Properties, which manages North Star Mall, said Wednesday that the company was not informed about any plan to drop off passengers and had no information about the person who

was released over the weekend. Mayes said 122 passengers were released Tuesday, while seven remained in quarantine. Many passengers were bused to San Antonio International Air port, where they were escorted to ticket counters and through security. Others who live in Texas were escorted to car rental counters.

Passenger Terri Feil of Houston said a CDC official told them in a conference call Sunday that the mall, about 17 miles (27 kilometers) from the base, was chosen to avoid the media.

Feil said only people who were not going to the airport were to be dropped of at the mall. The Feils showed The Associated Press a text message they said was from the CDC indicating they were to be dropped off at the entrance by The Cheesecake Factory.

"My husband was asking, 'Who made this decision?'" said Feil, adding that the couple's son was driving from Houston to pick them up.

Feil and her husband, David Feil, were among at least four passengers re leased late Monday after CDC officials said they were free to go. Their sor picked them up at a Lackland gate around midnight.

"We were jumping up and down for joy," said Terri Feil. "We were not going to give one person a chance to change their mind."

She said being isolated from family and other passengers since February "was like a nightmare you just kept waking up to each and every day."

San Antonio Mayor Ron Nirenberg, who had earlier said that only passen gers who were symptom-free for the entire 14-day quarantine period would be released Tuesday, issued a statement saying he was "comfortable that the plan... will minimize the risk of exposure," and that passengers would not stay in local hotels and would go directly to the airport.

The patient who was released over the weekend visited the mall and the air port before she was brought back into isolation once the positive test was dis covered, city officials said. There have not been any known cases of the illness being transmitted in the community, Nirenberg said.

Brothers charged with forcing Texas teen into prostitution

CHICAGO (AP) — Two brothers are accused in Illinois of forcing a Texas teenager into prostitution and holding her against her will when she expressed a desire to return home, Cook County prosecutors announced Tuesday.

Eric Johnson, 29, is charged with aggravated criminal sexual assault and aggravated battery. His brother, Jarvis Alexander, 25, is charged with promoting prostitution and several misdemeanor charges for his alleged participation in the scheme to sell the 17-year-old girl for sex.

The girl met Johnson online in February and he bought her a bus ticket to Memphis, Tennessee where he was living. Johnson had the girl perform sex acts for money, and brought the girl to Chicago, moving the girl into his brother's apartment. Alexander took to girl

to meet men for sex after placing ads on escort websites.

The brothers were arrested Friday when the auto they and the girl were riding in was stopped by police when they noticed Alexander wasn't wearing a seat belt. A search of the auto turned up \$3,000 in cash and an unspecified amount of marijuana. It was when the three were taken to a police station that officers learned the girl had been forced into prostitution.

"What we have here is one woman's story," Johnson's assistant public defender said in court Tuesday.

Johnson was ordered held in lieu of \$500,000 bail. Alexander is being held in lieu of \$250,000 bond. Both brothers had addresses in Austin, according to court records.

Republican agitator makes runoff for Texas schools seat AUSTIN, Texas (AP) over its debates on ispeach, convict and

AUSTIN, Texas (AP)

— A Republican agitator who has called President Donald Trump a child rapist and posts risque images of women on social media advanced to a runoff in Tuesday's primary for a seat on the influential Texas State Board of Education.

Robert Morrow has long been a thorn for Texas Republicans. He'll face either Lani Popp, a San Antonio area public school speech pathologist, or Inga Cotton, who heads a nonprofit that supports families choosing charter schools, in the May runoff for the central Texas district.

The 15-member board helps set policy and curriculum for the state's public school system. The board has several times drawn national attention sues ranging from the teaching of evolution and creationism and the history of slavery.

Morrow embarrassed the GOP in 2016 when he was elected chairman of the party in Travis County, home of the state Capitol where Republicans have dominated Texas politics for two decades. He was forced to give up that position a few months later when he filed to run for president

"We will vigorously oppose him in the runoff and work to educate Republican voters about his vulgar, slanderous and reprehensible comments over the years," said Matt Mackowiak, chairman of the Travis County Republican Party.

s drawn Morrow's top camattention paign issue is to "impeach, convict and remove Donald Trump" and throw him in prison. As election returns came in Tuesday night, Morrow tweeted, "Woo hoo! Lyndon Johnson murdered JFK. Trump is a child rapist!"

In a voter guide prepared by the League of Women Voters, Morrow said he would eliminate a major source of public school funding, that high school students should elective offered classes on the safe use of assault rifles and senior girls should have classes on pole dancing and twerking.

Morrow is seeking to represent a a district that stretches from Austin to San Antonio. Incumbent Republican Ken Mercer did not seek re-election.

Texas regulator approves new area code for Dallas-area zone AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A fourth area code has been approved for the Dallas

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A fourth area code has been approved for the Dallas area, the Public Utility Commission of Texas announced Tuesday.

In a statement, the PUC said it had approved the addition of 945 as an overlay because of a looming shortage of telephone number possibilities for the 214, 469 and 972 area codes. Those codes are used by Dallas County and parts of Collin, Denton, Fannin, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman and Tarrant counties.

The new code is to be implemented over the next nine months, and telephone numbers containing the 945 area code will be assigned once the numbers available for the other three codes are exhausted early next year. According to the PUC statement, the addition of the code should be simplified since callers within the region already are required to dial 10 digits.

The 214 code area is one of the original codes implemented in the 1947 North American Numbering Plan. The 972 code area was carved from the zone in 1996, but it in 1999 it was combined with 214 and 469 was added as an overlay.



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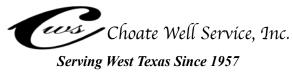
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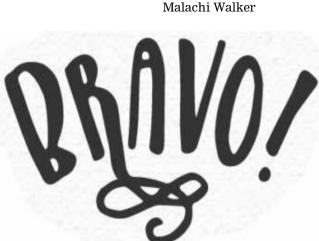
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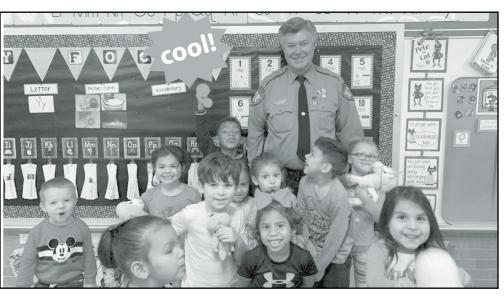
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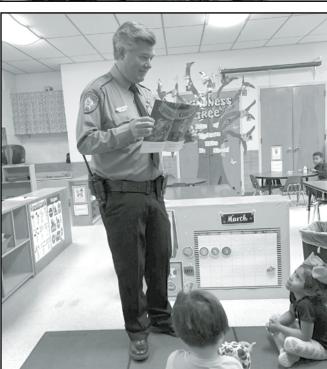
Read-to-Me moment at Kentwood Pre-K











Sheriff Stan Parker visited with Kentwood Pre-K students this past week. During his visit, he spent time reading to a few of the classes as part of the Read-to-Me program the school district supports. The students enjoyed hearing stories and getting a quick photo op with Sheriff Parker.

Congressman Arrington amongst those issuing statement on Coronavirus in United States

Special to the Herald

WASHINGTON – Congressman Jodey Arrington (TX-19) released the following statement after recent reports of Coronavirus throughout the United States:

"The President and his Administration have been aggressively implementing an effective containment strategy in-

Congressman Jodey Arrington

cluding travel restrictions, quarantine protocol, and emergency preparedness coordination with state and local governments as well as the private sector," said Arrington. "We have seen additional steps taken to expedite the development of a vaccine and related therapies and an increase in the national stockpile of personal protective equipment. While things can change, the current risk of exposure for Americans is low. The Administration must plan for the worst case-scenario, however, there is no need to panic or over-

He continued, "Maintaining the safety of Americans is the most important

job of the federal government and I look forward to working with the President and his team to quickly and effectively contain and mitigate this threat. I encourage my constituents to take reasonable and necessary precautions and avail themselves of the resources listed below. Please reach out to my office if we can be of further assistance."

with people who are sick.

• Avoid touching your ex-

- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Stay home when you are sick.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe.
- Follow CDC's recommendations for using a facemask.
- CDC does not recommend that people who are well wear a facemask to protect themselves from respiratory diseases, including COVID-19.
- Facemasks should be used by people who show symptoms of COVID-19 to help prevent the spread of the disease to others. The use of facemasks is also crucial for health workers and people who are taking care of someone in close settings (at home or in a health care facility).
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.

If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol. Always wash hands with soap and water if hands are visibly dirty.

• Call your healthcare professional if you develop symptoms, and have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or if you have recently traveled from an area with widespread or ongoing community spread of COVID-19.

Additional information is available from the CDC Coronavirus Disease 2019 website.

Accent mark in official Santa Fe seal in wrong spot

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — An accent mark of the official seal of the capital city of the nation's most Hispanic state is in the wrong spot.

The misplaced accent mark at the top of the city of Santa Fe, New Mexico's website was recently spotted by a reporter who uses an accent in his name, the Santa Fe New Mexican reports.

On the website, the seal uses the official's name of the city: La Villa Real de la Santa Fé de San Francisco de Asís, or Santa Fe for short.

But the seal on the city's website puts the accent mark over the first "s" in Asís instead of over the "i." Even Mayor Alan Webber, who

Even Mayor Alan Webber, who is originally from St. Louis and moved to Santa Fe from the East Coast, knows the accent mark over the "s" is no bueno.

"It is always over a vowel; it is never over a consonant," Webber said. "Yes, I learned that from my Spanish teacher."

Protecting yourself:

There is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease 2019 (CO-VID-19). The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus. However, as a reminder, CDC always recommends everyday preventive actions to help prevent the spread of respiratory diseases, including:

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The Education Page

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Freshman Morgan Griffith, E-Sports varsity team member, challenges J-Step (game name)from California. Morgan challenged J-Step in an online game called Smash Ultimate and defeated by a small margin. Morgan's record is now 5-2 and is looking forward to his next opponent. BSHS's E-Sports team competes with other E-Sport teams all over the United States. Coach Amber Griffith recently took her team to Wayland Baptist challenging collegiate players and touring their facilities.

The Buffalo Bulletin







<u>By COACH SUNNI</u> STRICKLAND

In Biology we are studying the immune system and how it works. This unit worked out perfectly with the media's attention on the Coronavirus. We have learned about transmission, symptoms, and treatment of bacterial, fungal, and viral infections.

Students have also been studying the steps a virus takes to invade a

host, what viruses complete the Lytic cycle and what ones go through the Lysogenic cycle. We have had student-lead discussions about how to prevent diseases and if vaccinations should be optional.

At the end of this unit, we completed a poster project depicting the main information regarding diseases caused by bacteria, virus, fungi, and protist.



Courtesy photo

This is the first year for Sands to have a BBQ team, and they competed at Big Lake on Feb. 29. The team did well, and are looking forward to their next competition in Lubbock on March 20. The team is: Landon Kelley, Cody Staggs, Kaylee French, Alysa Martinez, Kyle Barnes, Bryce Hamlin, and Ivan Mena (back).

THE BULLDUG REPUR







Pictured above top: Coahoma ISD pre-kindergarten through second grade AR hoodie recipients. Pictured directly above: Coahoma ISD third through fifth grade AR hoodie recipients. To earn an AR hoodie, Coahoma ISD pre-kindergarten students are required to read 100 books with someone. Kindergarten students must read 150 books with someone. First through fifth graders must earn points starting with 35 in first grade up to 100 points in fifth grade. Pictured left: Coahoma Elementary Student Korbin Ditto was named the Howard County Sheriff's Star Student for March. Korbin is pictured receiving his certificate from Sheriff Stan Parker.

Lille Buffs









Ms. Welch's Third Grade classes have been learning about recycling, reducing and reusing. We want to make the world a cleaner place. The class is using paper to stuff water bottle and make them into bricks. They will use the "bricks" to create items that can be used in the classroom.

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Coahoma & Forsan All-District Selections





Courtesy Phote

Pictured above left: All-District First Team selection Caitlyn Corley takes the ball up the court. Pictured above right: District 7-2A Offensive MVP ane Riffe puts up a shot over a Roscoe defender.

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sportswriter

Over the past couple of days, the All-District selections have been made for some local basketball teams. It is a huge accomplishment to be named to one of these lists after a long season on the hardwood.

Forsan

The Forsan Buffs and Lady Buffs were both eliminated in the bi-district first round of the playoffs this season. But both teams were filled with great players that were recognized by other coaches throughout the district.

Zane Riffe, a senior forward and the Buffaloes leading scorer, was named the 7-2A Offensive Most Valuable Player. After coming back from an early-season injury that had him sidelined, Riffe was an offensive machine during the district portion of the schedule. Riffe used his tall frame to drive to the basket and he could pull up and shoot from outside.

"He scores when we've needed him to, but he also always rebounds and plays defense," Buffaloes coach Cory Richardson said earlier in the season.

Cayden Morgan was named an All-District first team selection while his teammates Jonathon Gabehart and Paul Evans were named to the second team. All three of those players were vital to the Buffs' success this past season

Honorable mentions for the Buffaloes were Ryan Buske, Mason Hillger, Jace Richardson, and Sawyer Stallings. The Buffaloes had a deep roster with a handful of younger players returning to the lineup next season.

All of the above mentioned players and the pairing of Micah Arzate and Ernesto Rivers were all also named to the Academic All-District team.

The Lady Buffs point guard Rylee Evans was named All-District first team and was an offensive power from the perimeter all-season long.

Aubrie Smith was named to the second team and her teammates Katelin Col-

vin and Taryn Spivey were named Honorable Mentions.

Kaeli Woodall was named Co-Newcomer of the Year for the district. Her pro-

gression throughout the season was obvious and she is sure to come back as a force next season as well.

Coahoma

There were a pair of Bulldogs named to the All-District First Team in Gaige Hill and Zack Schneider. That duo were the leaders of the Bulldogs offense and both had great seasons on both sides of the ball. In addition to those two players, sophomore Braydon Smith was named to the All-District Second Team. Smith still has two years left and could soon become the leading force on the Bulldogs roster.

The Bulldogettes also had two players named to the All-District First Team. Team captain and Sul Ross-commit Caitlyn Corley and junior forward MaKynlee Overton were both named to the team after both had tremendous seasons. Corley and Overton were the leading scorers for the Bulldogettes and also showed great hustle and effort on defense.

Julia Cox was the lone Bulldogette to be named to the All-District Second Team and she will be returning next year to lead the team alongside Overton. All of the above-mentioned Bulldogettes also made the All-District Academic Team. They were joined by teammates Macee Grant. Abbie Lopez, and Madi-

Big Spring has 22 powerlifters heading to Regional Qualifiers

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sportswriter

Big Spring has some serious contenders this season in powerlifting. Jocelyn Gonzales and Jhaniah Johnson are both currently ranked second and third in their weight class currently and could make some noise at the Regional Qualifiers.

Andrew Roberts and Cruz Martinez are both ranked in the Top Five of their own weight classes and are leading the Steers.

With this amount of powerlifters heading onto the regional qualifiers, Big Spring has a great chance of proving that they are one of the best overall powerlifting teams in West Texas and possibly the entire state.

2020 BIG SPRING POWERLIFTING REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

GIRLS

1) ASHLIN CALVIO	-	97
2) OLIVIA BANCROFT	-	105
3) AMOZANEAQ GREEN	-	132
4) APRIL CALDWELL	-	148
5) ALANI TORRES	-	165
6) XILANAE WALKER	-	181

7) KAYEN JOHNSON	-	181
8) JOCELYN GONZALES	-	220
9) JHANIAH JOHNSON	-	220
10) STEPHANIE YOUNG	-	220
11) EVELYN SANCHEZ	-	259

*GIRLS REGIONALS @ MONAHANS ON SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH

*SCHOOL RECORD FOR # OF REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

BOYS

1) MATTOX EVANS	-	114
2) CRUZ MARTINEZ	-	123
3) KENNY RICHARDSON	-	132
4) LEROY JOHNSON	-	132
5) CONNOR ANDRAE	-	132
6) SHAWN MENDOZA	-	148
7) JOSH LOPEZ -		148
8) ROGELIO CERVANTES	S	- 181
9) ISAIAH RODRIGUEZ	-	220
10) ANDREW ROBERTS	-	275
11) DANIEL ROBERTS	_	SHW

*BOYS REGIONALS @ SUNDOWN ON FRIDAY, MARCH 13TH

*TIES SCHOOL RECORD FOR # OF REG QUALIFIERS

Both teams will return some valuable players next season and will be look-

son Rodgers as players who had a 90-or-above average in their classes.

ing to advance farther in the playoffs after early exits this season.

Shawn Moran is the sportswriter at the Big Spring Herald. To contact him, e-mail sports@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.

Ranking	Team	Points	Overall	Prev
1	Florida	766	11-0	10
2	UCLA	692	11-0	8
3	Georgia	687	11-1	4
4	Texas Tech	668	11-1	3
5	Vanderbilt	644	10-3	1
6	Louisville	579	8-3	2
7	NC State	572	11-0	18
8	Ole Miss	533	10-1	23
9	Miami	491	8-3	7
10	Arkansas	381	7-3	5
11	Tennessee	362	12-0	NR
12	Duke	322	9-2	20
13	Arizona State	320	8-4	13
14	Florida State	309	8-3	14
15	UCF	293	11-2	NR
16	Oklahoma	273	9-3	NR
17	Auburn	271	10-3	9
18	TCU	238	10-1	NR
19	Mississippi State	205	7-4	6
20	Michigan	200	6-4	11
21	Long Beach State	190	8-3	NR
22	Texas	158	10-2	NR
22	LSU	158	7-5	12
			100	
24	Texas A&M	154	10-3	21

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES:

Pepperdine (93), Clemson (71), Dallas Baptist (41), Tulane (38), Georgia Tech (30), East Carolina (29), Oklahoma State (25), North Carolina (21), Mercer (20), New Mexico State (17), Baylor (17), UC Santa Barbara (11), Virginia (8), Navy (8), Stanford (7), Southern Miss (7), Santa Clara (6), San Diego (5), Penn State (5), Cal State Northridge (5), Wake Forest (4), Coastal Carolina (4), VCU (3), UNC Wilmington (3), Samford (3), Pittsburgh (3), Hawaii (2), Old Dominion (1), New Mexico (1), Indiana

DROPPED OUT:

Stanford (15), North Carolina (16), Oklahoma State (17), East Carolina (19), Georgia Tech (22), Wake Forest (24), Oregon State (25)

NCAA Softball Top 25 (USA Today Coaches' Poll)

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2	Washington	766	19-2	2								
3	Texas	738	20-3	3								
4	Arizona	675	17-3	7								
5	LSU	649	16-3	4								
6	Oklahoma	638	15-4	5								
7	Florida	589	17-4	6								
8	Louisiana	576	14-5	T-10								
9	Alabama	493	12-7	8								
10	Kentucky	484	17-3	12								
11	Oregon	461	17-2	T-10								
12	Florida State	433	10-6	9								
13	Georgia	398	20-4	14								
14	Oklahoma State	390	13-5	15								
15	South Carolina	303	14-4	16								
16	Michigan	287	12-6	13								
17	Arizona State	281	16-6	17								
18	Minnesota	220	12-7	18								
19	Virginia Tech	198	16-4	19								
20	Arkansas	184	16-4	22								
21	Baylor	170	17-4	23								
22	UCF	139	16-2	NR								
23	Missouri	111	15-6	21								
24	Mississippi State	78	18-3	NR								
25	Fresno State	74	16-4	NR								

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES:

North Texas (47), Utah (43), Tennessee (41), James Madison (27), Stanford (27), San Jose State (21), Texas Tech (19), Oregon State (12), Clemson (10), Houston (9), Notre Dame (5), Duke (3), Loyola Marymount (3), Villanova (2), Wisconsin (2), Tulsa (1)

DROPPED OUT:

Tennessee (20), James Madison (24), Texas Tech (25)

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Trying Therapy and Feeling Blocked

been seeing a therapist and I find myself unsure what to say. My wife first encouraged me to speak with a buried anger. One of in therapy has been that I have difficulty sharing my thoughts and emotions, and difficult. I've realized

work through thoughts in my head and find it difficult to articulate what I'm thinking to my therapist. She believes that I never learned to express my anger, so I suppress it and move on. I can understand this, and yet I can't seem to change. You frequently en-

courage your readers to seek professional help. How does one maximize the value of this help when they can't seem to open up? -- Unable to Open Up

Dear Unable to Open Up: Therapy is a process to better understand ourselves: what built us and how we can learn to improve our lives. Just by seeing a therapist, you must be interested in improving yourself, and that is commendable. Based on the realization you've had about yourself and how you

that you've been making progress. Recognize these little steps, celebrate them and focus on building off of them. Each session, try discussing a thought or action that you from the last week and how it made you feel. These insights into your thoughts will help a therapist better understand you and will likely lead to insightful conversations. Like a Lego set, each brick adds to the finished product.

sponding to "Confused" who is frustrated with her mother's constant plea to call when she arrives home. I could have written that letter. When I was leaving my mother's house, she would ask me several times to call her to let her know I arrived home safely. I know it annoyed my husband, but I called nonetheless, even when it

wasn't convenient. I could hear the relief in her voice when she picked up the phone. It was a brief exchange with reassurances that all was well, so I guess I got something out of it as well. As annoying as it can be sometimes, there is comfort in knowing that there is someone out there who cares that deeply for you. My mother is gone now, and I miss that sweet request. -- Missing My Mom

Dear Missing Mom: I am so sorry for your loss. Thank you for offering a beautiful perspective.

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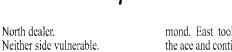
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NORTH

The bidding: North East South West 1 **Y** 3 💠 Pass 3 NT Opening lead — seven of diamonds.

It is true that a defender does not have the great advantage — enjoyed by the declarer — of knowing the exact extent of his side's assets. But this disadvantage can very often be overcome by proper play. Once the opening lead is made and dummy appears, the defenders should usually be able to find the best defense.

three notrump and West led a diaput a quick end to the proceedings.

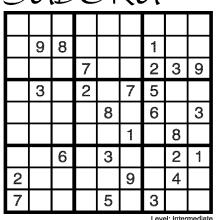
mond. East took the diamond with the ace and continued with the queen, planning to eventually score four diamond tricks and the ace of hearts to sink the contract. Declarer then proceeded to reel off the next 10 tricks and wound up making four

However, East should have defeated the contract and would have done so quite easily had he not acted so impulsively by returning the queen of diamonds at trick two.

A moment of thought would have told East that he was handing South the contract by returning a diamond. He could see that declarer would score six club tricks, a diamond and at least two spade tricks (with the aid of a finesse, if necessary), so a diamond continuation was sure to prove

Instead, East should have shifted to the ace of hearts at trick two, hoping to find his partner with the requisite length and strength in the suit necessary to defeat the contract. In the actual case, the heart shift would have put South down one. West would signal with the seven on the ace, and East would then continue **Take this case** where South was in with the queen and another heart to

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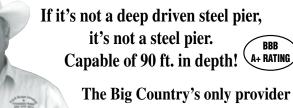
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TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Appearances matter and will make a bigger than usual difference in the outcome of the day's events. You will arrange everything in a way to bring yourself respect, not attention.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). That moment when you realize you're not telling your story to the right audience is a decision point. Do you double down on the moment and keep talking? Do you change the story? Do you bail? Fate hangs in the balance.

CANCER (June **22-July 22).** Not only is no one perfect, no one needs to be or should be. Perfection completes itself and is. therefore, a closed system that cannot thrive. Enjoy flaws. Flaws are life.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You can't remember everything. Update your systems. Write yourself some notes. Otherwise, you'll take up valuable brain space on matters that don't deserve the position.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). When people are overly hard on each other it is usually because they see something in the other person that reminds them of a part of themselves they don't prefer.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). It has happened that wishes came true and yet happiness didn't commence. Don't forget that the internal weather system counts more than the external one. And that is a weather

system you have some

By Holiday Mathis to renewed confidence, fresh concepts of beauty and the ability to experiment aesthetically. This could have to do with the home you live in, or the clothing or car you get around in. Relationships are represented as well, in so far as how they enhance your self-image. Libra and Scorpio adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 31, 33, 14, 38 and 6.

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SCORPIO (Oct.

24-Nov. 21). In some versions of forgiveness, forgiveness doesn't wipe the slate clean. Forgiveness is merely an agreement to move forward knowing that the final judgment has not yet been rendered.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).

If life is poetry, then attention is the commodity we exchange in hopes of understanding it. Today will be like a complicated poem that needs a very close read.

CAPRICORN (Dec.

22-Jan. 19). If you get the sneaking suspicion that you're underperforming or somehow not captivating your audience, don't automatically assume the problem is you. It takes an interesting person to know one. Seek a better match.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You will explore the history of a situation to better understand the current complexities. This will give context, but it will not give you solutions. The best answer hasn't been invented yet. You could change that.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Figure out the steps and tricks that will help you easily slip into the right attitude, mindset and energy level to perform steady, consistent work. This is how remarkable things will get accomplished.

TODAY'S BIRTH-DAY (March 5). You'll have a transformation of appearance relating

VENUS IN

TAURUS: Yesterday, Venus, the love goddess of the zodiac, slipped into the realm of Taurus, one of her comfortable and luxurious homes. In the weeks to come, there's an opportunity for a heightened level of sensual awareness. The strange thing about the senses is that they are so vividly enhanced by simple strategies of

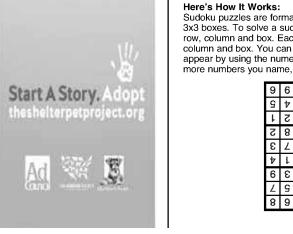
appropriating attention.

To see more vividly, we only need to command ourselves to look. To taste with greater specificity, we only need to ask our own tongues for the favor. If we were to approach everything we did with this level of attention, it would take up too much energy to live our normal lives. So there is no shame in automatic living. Truly, our brains have a system built for efficiency. If we've already had an experience, our brains go slack on the awareness sensors, setting them only to go off when something is wonderfully superior or terribly wrong.

There is a balance to be struck with this Venus position. If we want life to come in with more colors, it will. With only the slightest request, senses pop alive. And if it's all a little much, there's a setting for that, too. Just know you have options and trust yourself.

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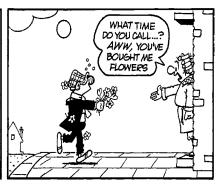
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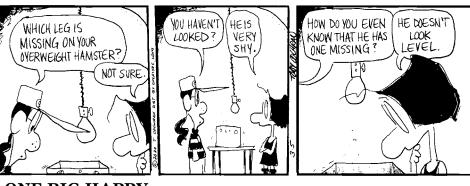
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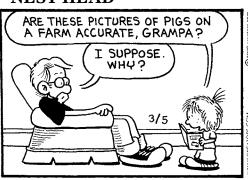


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This Date In History

Today in History

Today is Thursday, March 5, the 65th day of 2020. There are 301 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On March 5, 1770, the Boston Massacre took place as British soldiers who'd been taunted by a crowd of colonists opened fire, killing five people. On this date:

In 1766, Antonio de Ulloa arrived in New Orleans to assume his duties as the first siana Territory, where he encountered resistance from the French residents.

In 1868, the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson began in the U.S. Senate, with Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase presiding. Johnson, the first U.S. president to be impeached, was accused of "high crimes and misdemeanors" stemming from his attempt to fire Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton; the trial ended on May 26 with Johnson's acquit-

In 1933, in German parliamentary elections, the Nazi Party won 44 percent of the vote; the Nazis joined with a conservative nationalist party to gain a slender majority in the Reichstag.

In 1946, Winston Churchill delivered his "Iron Curtain" speech at Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri, in which he said: "From Stettin in the Baltic, to Trieste in the Adriatic, an 'iron curtain' has descended across the continent, allowing police governments to rule Eastern Europe."

In 1953, Soviet dictator Josef Stalin died after three decades in power. Composer Sergei Prokofiev (pro-KAH'-fee-ehv) died in Moscow at age 61.

In 1963, country music performers Patsy Cline, Cowboy Copas and Hawkshaw Hawkins died in the crash of their plane, a Piper Comanche, near Camden, Tennessee, along with pilot Randy Hughes (Cline's manager).

In 1982, comedian John Belushi was found dead of a drug overdose in a rented bungalow in Hollywood; he was 33.

In 1983, Country Music Television (CMT) made its debut with the video "It's Four in the Morning," performed by Faron Young.

In 1998, NASA scientists said enough water was frozen in the loose soil of the moon to support a lunar base and perhaps, one day, a human colony. In 2002, President George W. Bush slapped punishing tariffs

eral types of imported steel in an effort to aid the ailing U.S. industry.

to the United States and Britain, the foreign ministers of France, Germany and Russia said they would block any attempt to get U.N. approval for war against Iraq.

In 2013, Fox announced its 24-hour sports cable network called Fox Sports 1, which launched Aug. 17, 2013.

Ten years ago: Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, visiting Guatemala, told reporters that demand for narcotics in the United States was fueling drug violence in Central America as she acknowledged a measure of U.S. responsibility for what she called "a terrible criminal scourge." New York Democratic Rep. Eric Massa, facing a harassment complaint by a male staffer, said he was stepping down from his seat with "a profound sense of failure." Andree Peel, 105, a member of the World War II Resistance,

died in Bristol, England.

Five years ago: The U.S. Ambassador to South Korea, Mark Lippert, was slashed in the face and arm by an assailant in Seoul (sohl). Actor Harrison Ford crash-landed his vintage plane on a golf course in Los Angeles after reporting engine failure shortly after takeoff. Convicted murderer Jodi Arias was spared the death penalty as a jury in Phoenix voted 11-1 in favor of execution — not enough to send Arias to death row for the slaying of her lover, Travis Alexander. Islamic State militants continued their campaign targeting cultural heritage sites in territories they controlled in northern Iraq, bulldozing the historic city of Nimrud. Cardinal Edward Egan, 82, the former Archbishop of New York, One year ago: The Santa Anita

race course in southern California canceled racing indefinitely to re-examine its dirt surface after the deaths of 21 horses in the preceding two months; the track would remain closed for racing for nearly a month. Forbes magazine proclaimed 21-year-old

Answer to previous puzzle

of eight to 30 percent on sev-Kylie Jenner to be the youngest-ever self-made billionaire. Michael Bloomberg, the billionaire former New York In 2003, In a blunt warning City mayor, announced that he would not join the crowded field of Democrats running for president in 2020. (Bloomberg would reverse course and formally announce his presidential bid in November.)

> Today's Birthdays: Actor Paul Sand is 88. Actor James

B. Sikking is 86. Actor Dean Stockwell is 84. Actor Fred Williamson is 82. Actress Samantha Eggar is 81. Actor Michael Warren is 74. Actor Eddie Hodges is 73. Singer Eddy Grant is 72. Rock musician Alan Clark (Dire Straits) is 68. Actress-comedian Marsha Warfield is 66. Magician Penn Jillette is 65. Actress Adriana Barraza is 64. Actress Talia Balsam is 61. Rock singers

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Charlie and Craig Reid (The Proclaimers) are 58. Pro Football Hall of Famer Michael Irvin is 54. Actor Paul Blackthorne is 51. Rock musician John Frusciante (froo-SHAN'tee) is 50. Singer Rome is 50. Actor Kevin Connolly is 46. Actress Eva Mendes is 46. Actress Jill Ritchie is 46. Actress Jolene Blalock is 45. Model Niki Taylor is 45. Actress Kimberly McCullough is 42.

Actress Karolina Wydra is 39. Singer-songwriter Amanda Shires is 38. Actress Dominique McElligott is 34. Actor Sterling Knight is 31. Actor Jake Lloyd is 31. Actor Micah Fowler is 22.

Thought for Today: "Tomorrow is a thief of pleasure." -Sir Rex Harrison, British actor (1908-1990).

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MLB wants to ban in-game video, union would allow

By MARK DIDTLER

Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Major League Baseball has proposed banning player access to video during games, according to New York Yankees pitcher Zack Britton, but the union wants to allow it with protections that would prevent catchers' signs from being visible.

Players' association head Tony Clark met with the Yankees for three hours Wednesday and discussed negotiations for new video rules in the wake of the Houston Astros' sign-stealing scandal.

"Right now, MLB's proposal would be like a blackout. There would be no ac-

cess," Britton said. "That's a pretty extreme stance because of one team, that everyone else is punished. So, hopefully, we can find some common ground, but definitely before opening day. Guys would like to understand what we're going to be allowed to use and what we're not going to be allowed to use before opening day."

Houston violated rules by using a camera in the outfield to steal catchers' signs during its run to the 2017 World Series title and again in 2018. The team was fined \$5 million, manager AJ Hinch and general manager Jeff Luhnow were suspended for one season and the team was stripped of draft picks. Hinch and Luhnow were fired by the team, but no players were disciplined.

MLB also is investigating whether Boston broke rules.

Under the union's proposal, hitters would still be allowed to review video of their at-bats during games and pitchers would be allowed to look over their mound performance.

"The view that the players have is one that is concerned about where the game is and where it's going. So everything that we've slid across the table in regards to proposals on technology has been a reflection of that," Clark said. 'And that we've slid across includes access to technology, certain technology

during the course of the game. There's systems that allow for access to your at-bats, and or your time on the mound. Having access to those videos even with certain criteria in place to protect the integrity of those videos is what has been in the proposals."

Clark said there are a number of ways to implement it, including in-house monitoring. The clips would not show catcher's signs.

"The video person would be entrusted with cutting those clips, and you would look to have a standard of oversight thereafter," Clark said. "The conversions we've had included that, as well as the individual clips sent to a central place that allows for review, as well."

Clark said the union is open to setting rules for player discipline for future technology rules violations. Players will not be punished for violations in the Boston and Houston investigations, baseball Commissioner Rob Manfred has said.

"We'd be willing to have that conversion, and that's what happening as we speak," Clark said.

Some players were angry Astros players were not penalized.

"The stance of the guys pretty much in here is more frustration with MLE and the commissioner's office on the handling that," Britton said. "The frustra tion lies with some of the issues with the teams filing complaints three or four years ago and nothing being done. At the same time as a team, we're more focused now on moving forward and try and win a World Series this year, which I think is the right mindset to have."

The union and MLB also have discussing security issues involving Houston players and their families.

"All of those things are things that we address routinely," Clark said. "As of a result of where we are now, rarely do we address them or look to address them at spring training. More often it's the regular season, but that's what we're doing."

Doncic breaks Mavs' triple-double record, beats Williamson "I think my game is progressing," Williamson spot. The Pelicans are now five games behind cur-

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DALLAS (AP) — Just five days after his 21st birthday, Luka Doncic continued to etch his name in the Dallas Mavericks' record book.

And in his first matchup against fellow young star Zion Williamson, Doncic got the last word -The second-year star scored 30 points and broke

Jason Kidd's franchise record for career tripledoubles with his 22nd, helping the Mavericks hold off the New Orleans Pelicans 127-123 in overtime Wednesday night.

The nationally televised matchup between Doncic and Williamson lived up to the hype. Doncic had 17 rebounds and 10 assists, and his 3 with 1:10 to play in overtime snapped a 118-118 tie and gave the Mavericks the lead for good.

And he did it with a nagging thumb injury that required X-rays after the game.

"It hurts, but you've got to get through it," Doncic said. "You're probably going to get hit every game, almost every game, so you've just got to fight through it."

Kristaps Porzingis had 34 points and 12 rebounds for Dallas, and his dunk off a feed from Doncic gave Dallas a 123-119 lead - and gave Doncic his triple-

Williamson scored 21 points in 35 minutes while playing back-to-back games for the first time in his young NBA career. He has scored double figures in all 17 games he's played in and has 20 points or more in his last 13.

said. "Still getting my legs under me, just learning the game. The NBA, these are the best players in the world. They're smart. They have high IQs for the game. They have scouting reports, so I think it's just bringing something new to the table every

Brandon Ingram led New Orleans with 27 points, but fouled out in overtime. Lonzo Ball added 25, including shooting 7 of 9 on 3-pointers.

The Pelicans' Nicolo Melli sent the game to overtime with a tying 3 with 7.4 seconds left after missing his first six 3s of the game.

The Mavericks led by as many as 11 in the first half, but New Orleans kept it close. Dallas led by two at the end of each of the first three quarters.

Williamson gave New Orleans its first lead at 75-73 when he drew contact with Maxi Kleber, who fell to the ground without a call, giving the Pelicans rookie a clear path for a dunk.

Pelicans: G J.J. Redick remains out with a left

Mavericks: Dallas swept the season series, 4-0, but Williamson missed all three among the 44 games he sat out after arthroscopic knee surgery. ... Coach Rick Carlisle said starting forward and defensive specialist Dorian Finney-Smith suffered a hip flexor injury in the first half that limited him to less than 10 minutes.

RUNNING UPHILL

New Orleans missed a crucial chance to move up in the standings as they try to capture a playoff rent eighth-seed Memphis in the Western Confer

"We can't look ahead to other games," Ingram said. "We just look at what's in front of us and figure out the best gameplan and scheme that we have and try to go execute.'

CLOSERS WANTED

Dallas was just 5-15 in games decided by five points or less before Wednesday, and the Mavericks survived a see-saw fourth quarter in which neither team led by more than three points. Winning more games like this will require both their young stars to become effective finishers.

"(Luka) is running the show with KP," Dallas coach Rick Carlisle said. "That's how we play it. This is where that group has to continue to grow.'

Porzingis said he and Doncic relish the challenge "We both, I think, are very similar," Porzingis said. "We have high expectations of ourselves. We

are the harshest critic, in a way, for ourselves.'

BLOCK PARTY

The Mavericks set a franchise record with 11 blocks in the first half, three of those at Williamson's expense. After Kleber swatted away one of his shots, Williamson crashed to the floor and got up

Dallas' previous high was 10 blocks in a half against Philadelphia on Jan. 29, 2005.

Pelicans: Host Miami on Friday night. Mavericks: Host Memphis on Friday night.

would be somewhere between \$84 and

\$88.2 million," deputy commissioner

Bill Daly said. "That depends on the

results of our negotiations with the

players' association with respect to

what inflator, if any, we apply to the

Daly said the NHL and the NHL

Players' Association have re-engaged

in talks over the last couple of weeks.

said. "It would be too early for me to

say if we're making progress or not

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"The process has restarted," Daly

numbers in the formula."

making progress."

NHL keeping close eye on virus, limiting employee travel ers we expect the cap for next year

By TIM REYNOLDS

AP Sports Writer

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — The NHL is not allowing its employees to make work-related trips outside of North America in response to the global fears over the coronavirus, and if any of those employees go on their own to a country where the virus has been found they will be quarantined before being able to return to work.

NHL Commissioner Gary Bettman said Wednesday the league has told its 31 teams they were free to adopt a similar policy, though he stopped short of saying it would be a mandate as concerns of the virus continue to grow.

"We barred all travel outside of North America for business purposes," Bettman said on the final day of general managers' meetings. "People at a personal level or people in their households are still free to do what they want to do. If you go to a place that's on the list of countries that have an issue or while you're there the country comes on the list, then when you come back we want you quarantined, out of the office for two weeks until we can see if symptoms develop."

That even applies to those who work for the NHL's central scouting service: Scouts who are in Europe are staying in Europe, and if they return to North America they will be quarantined. Bettman said the NHL is in regular communication with the other three major North American

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perts in both the U.S. and Canada.

Through Wednesday, there have been more than 94,000 confirmed cases of people contracting the virus worldwide, with more than 3,200

"We're constantly updating the clubs based on what we're hearing from our experts and the CDC and Canada's equivalent," Bettman said. "It's day by day. We're going to continue to monitor things. It's business as usual. We're going to keep everybody completely informed." The NHL hasn't gone as far as the

NBA did earlier this week. The NBA sent a memo to teams on Sunday suggesting that players limit high-fives with fans and be hesitant to touch markers and items in autographseeking situations. Some NBA players have said they are stopping autographs altogether for the time being, and others are carrying their own markers to group-signing scrums.

"When it comes to that level of detail, leagues will do what they think are appropriate and necessary under the circumstances," Bettman said "Our clubs at the medical level, the training level and the player level are pretty informed as to what is wise and prudent conduct under the circumstances."

The International Ice Hockey Federation said this weekit has canceled six different tournaments — events that were to take place in March and April in Estonia, Bulgaria, Turkey,

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sports leagues, as well as health ex- Luxembourg, Poland and Spain. Pro leagues in Switzerland and China have also been affected, some games called off, others played without fans.

The NHL isn't at that point yet with the playoffs coming up next month.

"We're aware of and focused on all possibilities," Bettman said. "But at this point it would be premature to pick any one of the possibilities, especially because it may or may not become necessary in North America."

DAVID AYRES

Bettman said he found it "intriguing" when David Ayres, a 42-year-old Zamboni driver, took the ice as the emergency backup goaltender for the Carolina Hurricanes when they faced the Toronto Maple Leafs last month.

Ayres shook off a shaky start, allowing goals on his first two shots, and became the first emergency goalie in NHL history to be cred-

ited with a victory. "What was, to me, more

remarkable was how he settled down and how Carolina played third period. ... For those of you old enough to remember, it was a real Walter Mitty moment," Bettman said.

SALARY CAP

The NHL shared its salary cap projection for the 2020-21 season with general managers Wednesday.

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