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Halloween Safe Stops
 Oct. 30 & Oct. 31
 Safe Stop List to be featured in weekend edition

Election Day
 Nov. 3
 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.
 Voters can cast their ballot at any of the 7 polling locations in Howard County

Big Spring City Council votes not to terminate SAFER Grant, 7-0

Community members rally together for more than an hour of public comment during meeting Thursday

By **IRIS RANGEL**
 Herald Staff Writer

City Council members met for a Special Meeting on Thursday afternoon due to inclement weather preventing the previously scheduled meeting for Oct. 27. Various topics were brought up during the meeting such as discussion regarding Big Spring Policies and Procedures in the accepting, handling, and response to information requests and possible termination of the SAFER (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response) Grant from FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency).

During Public Comment, several Big Spring firefighters and citizens expressed their concerns with the possible termination of the SAFER Grant in a lengthy and heated hour of Public Comment.

Once the meeting was called to order, a proclamation was read by Mayor Shannon Thomason declaring Nov. 2-6 Municipal Court Week. This declaration was provided in an effort to recognize the Municipal Court's work in the

Howard County area.

Following the proclamation, Interim City Manager Shane Bowles, presented a Landfill Video showcasing the newly constructed Big Sandy Draw Landfill. The video included a progression of the three phases completed by Rice Construction for the landfill. Completion is looking to be finished mid-December with a possible grand opening in the early second quarter of next year, according to Bowles.

Bowles then moved into the Interim City Manager Report where an update was provided on the Oct. 21 Large Item Pickup in District 4. According to Bowles, 10 tons were picked up in District 4. The next Large Item Pickup will take place Nov. 18 in District 5.

Afterwards, Bowles gave an update regarding an RFP for Wood Chipping. From the last meeting, it was mentioned that wood chipping would likely be taking place at the landfill in order to decrease the size of landfill to allow for more room. At the next regular meeting there will be an update on a recommendation for the RFP, according to Bowles.

Bowles also noted an RFQ concerning a Risk and Resilience Study. This study is state mandated and utilized to report and study the public water systems in cities. Bowles noted that an update will be given at the next meeting regarding a recommendation on how to further proceed.

Also on the City Manager's Report was the mention of the completion of a land purchase for the Airpark Road Project. Bowles did mention that after some back and forth, the land purchase was achieved and finalized.

The report also entailed an award from the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) Community Development Fund (CD) in the amount of \$400,000 in support of water improvements. According to Bowles, this could save the city \$180,000.

Bowles then discussed with the Council utility department overstaffing. Bowles stated that two positions (crew leader and hand) were frozen due to the recent economic downturn, but were recently unfrozen in order to fill the

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Courtesy photo
 Goliad students created Storybook characters with their pumpkins.

Halloween 2020: Safety tips for Trick or Treat fun

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

Halloween 2020 is fast approaching, and while the events may look a little different, the ghouls and goblins, princesses and fairies are going to be heading out to the Safe Stops around town. As Big Spring and Howard County prepare to experience Halloween festivities, during a pandemic, here are a few things to keep in mind to get you started on Halloween planning.

Trick or Treat Safety Stops

Businesses across town have joined together the past several years and put together Halloween Safe Stops and Trunk or Treats, along with the traditional Fall Festival activities. This year is a little different with added precautions and many of the trunk or treats going to drive through candy handouts. There will be several opportunities for Safe Stops for all ages. The Safe Stop list will be printed throughout the week and a final list of Safe Stops will be printed in the Halloween Day weekend edition.

As families prepare to head out to the Safe Stops and other community activities, the Big Spring Police Department offers the following safety tips in alignment with the Texas Health Department and CDC:

- Avoid having large groups of people congregating together
- Avoid indoor settings for parties; it's always safer to be outside
- Make sure you're masking – wear a Covid-19 suggested mask in addition to any Halloween mask)

- Anyone handing out candy should either wear latex gloves or sanitize their hands frequently

Trick or Treat Safety

While there are several safe stops to choose from this year, there will still be those who want to stick with tradition of going door to door, saying Trick or Treat. For those families, the Big Spring Police Department has a few safety tips to keep in mind.

"The Big Spring Police Department wishes for everyone to enjoy Halloween and encourages everyone to stay safe," Chad Williams, BSPD Chief of Police, said.

- A parent or responsible adult should accompany young children
- Use flashlights/Only go to homes with a porch light on
- Stay in groups and watch vehicle travel before crossing roads
- Never cut across yards or use alleys
- Use flashlights or glow sticks to be seen
- Don't wear costumes that restricts vision
- One of the important reminders, before you head out to the neighborhoods; make sure to check the Texas Public Sex Offender Website and avoid houses in which Sex Offenders reside. The website is, <https://records.txdps.state.tx.us/SexOffenderRegistry/Search>

In addition to other safety stops around town, including H-E-B Safe Stop listing and numerous churches, the annual First Responder Safe Stop will be taking place in the Memorial

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Halloween Safe Stop List

Big Spring Full Gospel Fellowship – 309 S. Benton
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Big Spring Health Food Store/ Big Spring Fire Extinguisher
 1303/1305 Scurry – parking lot
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

C. Larson Real Estate
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Cornerstone Audiology – 210 W. Third St.
 Friday, Oct. 30
 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Double L BBQ – 400 E. 20th
 Friday, Oct. 30
 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Grace Fellowship COG – Corner of Rutger and Colgate
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

H-E-B – 2000 S. Gregg St.
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Heritage Museum – 510 Scurry
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Howard County Library – 500 S. Main
 Friday, Oct. 30
 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Interim Healthcare – 1900 S. Gregg Suite C
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

JJayz Bar & Grill Patio – 113 S. Main
 Saturday, Oct. 31
 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.

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Obituaries

Willie F. "Bill" Green



Willie F. "Bill" Green, 97, of Big Spring, passed away Thursday, Oct. 29, 2020. Graveside services will be 2 p.m. (MST) Saturday, Oct. 31, 2020, at the Jal Cemetery in Jal, New Mexico.

He was born Oct. 27, 1923, in Hamilton County, Texas, to Tom and Myrtle Green. He married Betty Ruth Joiner Dec. 15, 1951, in Iraan. She preceded him in death Aug. 1, 2014.

Bill served as a sergeant in the United States Army Air Corps during World War II and worked as a pipeline and tour engineer for Texas New Mexico Pipeline Company for 40 years. He enjoyed hunting and fishing with his sons.

Survivors include two sons, J. Green and wife,

Cheryl of Coahoma and Rodney F. Green and wife, Lesa of Lubbock; four grandchildren, Lauren Green and husband, Will Liggett of Austin, Russel Green and wife, Cassie of Amarillo, Ryan Green of Lubbock and Melissa Owings and husband, Justin of Denver City; three great-grandchildren, Brynley Owings, Jase Owings and Teddy Liggett; one sister, Naomi Berry of Lampasas; and a former daughter-in-law, Linda Brashears of Portales, New Mexico.

He was preceded in death by his parents; 3 brothers and 1 sister.

The family would like to give a special thanks to the staff at Marcy Place and Home Hospice in Big Spring, Texas.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory in Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

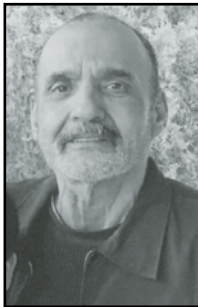
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Victor LeFever

Victor LeFever, 88, of Big Spring formerly of Graham died Wednesday, Oct. 28, 2020. Services are pending in Graham. Local Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Percy Hale

Percy Hale, 80, of Big Spring died Wednesday Oct. 28, 2020. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.



Frank Galan Sr.

Frank Galan, Sr. 63, of Big Spring died Monday, Oct. 26, 2020. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be at 7 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel.

Frank is survived by his wife Linda of Big Spring; two sons: Frankie Galan, Jr of Big Spring and Jacob Galan of Big Spring; sev-

eral nieces, nephews, and friends; grandkids; brothers: Ted Galan, Joe Galan, Pete Galan, Manuel Galan, Tony Galan, and Gilbert Galan; sister: Margie Galan.

Frank was preceded in death by several brothers and sisters.

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

Janet De Leon

Janet De Leon, 51, died Monday, Oct. 26, 2020. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel with a vigil service at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Janet was born July 23, 1969, in Big Spring. She had worked for Dr. Shroff and the last eight years in the I.T. Department at Howard College. She was a lifetime resident of Big Spring and a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Janet loved time with her grandchildren and the Dallas Cowboys.

Janet is survived by her lifetime friend: Jaime Hernandez; one son: Adrian De Leon of Big Spring; one daughter: Ashley Paredez of Big Spring; three grandchildren: Aubrielle De Leon, Adrian "A.J." De Leon, and Axel Leon Perez, all of Big Spring; father: Rudy De Leon of Big Spring; two sisters: Janel Ortiz and her husband David of Big Spring and Rosella Munoz and her husband Robert of Big Spring; and a number of aunts, uncles and cousins.

Janet was preceded in death by her mother: Josie De Leon.

Pallbearers will be Eddie De Leon, Dickie De Leon, David Ortiz, Ben De Leon, Rudy Munoz, and Chris Lopez.

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

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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **CHELSIE RAE GRANTHAM**, 31, of 15502 NCR 20, was arrested on charges of possession of controlled substance penalty group one (greater than or equal to one gram less than four grams), theft property (\$750 to \$2,500 all other) (x2), and theft property (\$2,500 to \$30K all other).
- **MONICA ROSE CERVANTES**, 29, of 1600 S. Nolan Street, was arrested on charges of warrant – other agency (x2).
- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1600 block of Martin Luther King.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 2000 block of S. Johnson Street.
- **DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 500 block of Westover Road.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 400 block of S. Birdwell Lane.
- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 100 block of Airbase Road.
- **THEFT OF FIREARM** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Highway 80.
- **BURGLARY OF BUILDING** was reported in the 1600 block of E. 11th Place.
- **UNATTENDED DEATH** was reported in the 400 block of W. 5th Street.
- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of 3rd and Birdwell.
- **THEFT** was reported in the area of Highway 350 and Centerpoint Road.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 5000 block of S. Service Road.
- **BURGLARY OF BUILDING** was reported in the 1600 block of E. 3rd Street.
- **THEFT** was reported in the 3200 block of Webb Lane.
- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 600 block of Tulsa Street.
- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of Birdwell and Morrison.
- **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1400 block of Settles Street.

Sheriff

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

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 80 inmates at the time of this report.

- **DEWAYNE EWARD DAVIS**, 40, was arrested by BSPD on charges of aggravated assault with deadly weapon and cruelty non-livestock animal kill/poison.
- **CHELSIE RAE GRANTHAM**, 31, was arrested by HCSO on charges of theft property (\$750 to \$2,500), theft property (\$2,500 to \$30K), and possession of controlled substance penalty group one (greater than or equal to one gram less than four grams).
- **PHILLIP CHRISTOPHER RIOS**, 21, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of motion to adjudicate/possession of controlled substance penalty group one (less than one gram).
- **MONICA ROSE CERVANTES**, 29, was arrested by BSPD on charges of failure to appear/forgery financial instrument and motion to revoke probation/resisting arrest.
- **JAMES ERIC TREVINO**, 29, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of aggravated robbery violation of probation.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of E. 13th Street. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3700 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2700 block of Apache. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 400 block of W. 5th Street. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of S. Highway 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of E. I-20. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 600 block of Ridgelea Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of Highway 846 and CR 53. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 500 block of Westover. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2000 block of S. Runnels. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 600 block of E. 16th Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of Ohio. 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 in the area of I-20 and MM 177. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Rosemont. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of MM 192 I-20. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 100 block of E. 11th Place. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block

of S. Gregg Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 900 block of Mountain Park Drive. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3700 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2700 block of Larry Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 400 block of Tubb Loop Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of 25th Street. No transport was required.

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Life Church – 1004 Johnson Drive thru Trunk or Treat Saturday, Oct. 31 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Midway Baptist Church – S. Service Road Trunk or Treat Saturday Oct. 31 4 p.m. - 6 p.m.

NazFamily Church – 1400 S. Lancaster Saturday, Oct. 31 Noon – 2 p.m.

Paul's Custom PCs – 1911 Scurry

Saturday, Oct. 31 6 p.m. - Midnight

Post Office – 501 S. Main Saturday, Oct. 31 6 p.m.

Pumpkin Patch – 710 Scurry Saturday, Oct. 31 3 p.m. - close

Ronnie Smiths Transmissions – 2900 E. FM 700 Friday, Oct. 30 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Sabrina Flores Photography – 219 S. Main Saturday, Oct. 31 4:45 p.m.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center & SMMG – 1601 W. Eleventh Place Saturday, Oct. 31 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Selah Tubing Testers – 4014 Parkway Saturday, Oct. 31 5:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Sunloan Company – 2101 S. Gregg St. Friday, Oct. 30 Noon – 6 p.m.

TJ's Pub & Grub – 2104 W I-20 North Service Road Saturday, Oct. 31 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Trinity Baptist Church – 1701 E. FM 700 Trunk or Treat Saturday, Oct. 31 4-6 p.m.

Tru Line Construction Layout, LLC – 101 S. Main Street Saturday, Oct. 31 5 p.m.

Wild Space Tattoo – 603 B South Gregg Street Saturday, Oct. 31 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

YMCA - 801 Owens Street Saturday, Oct. 31 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

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positions. Two qualified candidates who were previous crew leaders and hands filled the positions, a decision made by Bowles.

Earlier last week, a ribbon cutting was held for the new ADA improvements made to the historic Comanche Trail Amphitheater.

“We can now use that event location for many more things, now that it’s more compliant,” Bowles said.

Before the ending of the City Manager's Report, Bowles mentioned in honor of Veteran's Day, city offices will be closed Nov. 11.

With the ending of the City Manager's Report, items on the consent agenda were then discussed between Council members. The Consent Agenda was approved in a unanimous vote, except an item regarding “Timely Repair of Broken Windows” and “Graffiti Removal.” Mayor Shannon Thomason expressed concerns with possible discrimination for property owners downtown. Because of this, the item was pulled off the Consent Agenda to be discussed soon after. Thomason noted that in a situation where demarcation lines for downtown would allow for one side of the street to be required to repair and replace windows, while the other side, not being in the specified district under the ordinance, would not be required. City Attorney Andrew Hagen noted that the city would be in good form if an appeal was made as the ordinance is not necessarily a zoning issue, but instead maintenance on existing property in downtown. Hagen also mentioned that the ordinance for repairing or replacing windows would define the downtown area as locations between Goliad and Gregg Street and 1st and 6th Street, however, the graffiti removal part of the ordinance would apply city-wide. A motion was made by Council member Camilla Strande to approve the ordinance and was seconded by Council member Gloria McDonald. The motion passed 7 to 0.

Council members then moved into the Old Business portion of the meeting where discussion was held on the final reading of an ordinance authorizing the City Council to appoint a deputy prosecutor and the Municipal Judge to appoint an attorney Pro Tem in cases in which the City Attorney has a conflict. A motion was made by Council member Strande to approve the final reading and was seconded by Council member Raul Marquez. The motion was passed 6-1 with Mayor Thomason opposed.

Afterwards, there was also a final reading of an ordinance amending various sections of Chapter 12 of the Big Spring City Code entitled “Buildings and Building Regulations,” Article II “Building Codes,” to correct the title of various codes, declaring it unlawful to violate the provision regarding “Signs and Billboards,” and adding a new Section 12-49 entitled “Enforcement” authorizing the building official of his/her designee to enforce the codes; repealing Article III “Violations” in its entirety in order to reinstate the ICC Penalties; and amending Chapter 24 of the Big Spring City Code entitled “Fire Prevention and Protection,” Article I “General,” Section 24-1 “Fire Code Adopted” to correct the title of the code and correct the appeals procedure. A motion was made by Council member Jim DePauw and was seconded by Council member McDonald. The motion passed unanimously.

For the last item on the Old Business agenda, a final reading of an ordinance amending the Structural Standards Ordinance of the City of Big Spring in its entirety was also discussed. Council members Camilla Strande and Jim DePauw led the discussion stating that even if a citizen decided to remodel a portion of their home and found infractions within that flowed throughout the property, the City could not force the property owner to re-

pair the entire property infractions. The property owner would be at the discretion of the Code Official in what they would need to comply with per city codes. In the event that the property owner did not agree with the Code Officials recommendations or written notices, an appeal could be made in the municipal court or even at the district court level. A motion was made by Council member Strande to approve the amended amendment and was seconded by Council member McDonald. The motion passed 6 to 1 with Mayor Thomason opposed.

Vouchers for 10/15/2020 in the amount of \$763,465.29 and 10/22/2020 in the amount of \$2,074,052.89 were approved in a 7 to 0 vote.

Bids regarding the proposals for recruiting firms to assist in filling the position of City Manager were then discussed by Bowles. Bowles provided an update stating the city had received three proposals from Octagon Consulting, the PACE Group, and GPS (Government Professional Solutions). The council then reviewed the proposals and decided to continue agreements with GPS in a unanimous vote.

Assistant City Manager John Medina also mentioned bids regarding sanitation trucks. According to Medina, the city had approved two sanitation trucks earlier this year, but due to the pandemic, there is a delay on delivery. However, Medina did mention that the previously requested trucks will possibly be received in November. The two new trucks are West Texas side loaders in the approximate amount of \$466,000. Mayor Thomason motioned to approve the bid and was seconded by Council member McDonald. The motion passed unanimously.

Council members then moved into the New Business portion of the meeting with the approval of the Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors Minutes for the meeting of Sept. 15, 2020.

City Attorney Andrew Hagen then moved to acknowledge a Quarterly Report on claims and litigation from the City Attorney. With a verbal acknowledgement from the Council, the Council moved forward with the rest of the meeting.

Interim City Manager Bowles and Executive Director of the BSEDC Mark Willis then began to hold discussion on possible action regarding the viability of exploring a Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) in the downtown area. TIRZs are special zones created by City Council to attract new investment in the specified area. According to Willis, utilizing TIRZ would attract investors to move efforts of business to the downtown area and even further into the City if wanted. It was noted by members of the Council that TIRZ is not a property tax increase, as it is only allowed to be used on new builds and not pre-existing structures. A motion was made by Council member Strande to move forward with investigating the process of TIRZ for the downtown area. Council member DePauw seconded the motion and it passed in an unanimous vote.

“For the long term health of the City, I could see this really benefiting the community,” Willis said.

Mayor Shannon Thomason then moved into discussion regarding accepting, handling, and responding to information requests under the Texas Public Information Act. According to Thomason, a complaint from a citizen brought this item to the Council’s attention due to a public records request not being properly handled. Hagen noted that the current process for open records requests is dated with paper forms and needed to be evaluated in order to better handle the tracking system overall.

“The City does see that we can improve and we are already implementing changes in order to better serve our citizens,” Bowles said.

Afterwards, discussion and possible action took place to terminate the SAFER (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response) Grant from FEMA

(Federal Emergency Management Agency) and reimburse monies received to date and directing the Interim City Manager or His Designee to notify FEMA and execute necessary documents.

The SAFER grant was created to provide funding directly to fire departments and volunteer firefighter interest organizations to help them increase or maintain the number of trained, “front line” firefighters available in their communities, according to the fema.gov website. Discussion was held in regards to the Council never being approached by previous city staff on additional staffing needs from the Firefighter Department. Hagen also mentioned that the item was brought to the Council’s attention due to the City not using federal funding properly in regards to the SAFER Grant agreement. This could possibly allow the City to be sued or even allow for the federal government to no longer provide grants to the City, according to Hagen.

“Regardless of what you do, it’s going to cost the city money,” Hagen said.

Council member DePauw noted that the SAFER Grant would not supply 100% of the salary for 10 additional firefighters. Although, with the department already being severely understaffed, additional help would still be needed.

Lengthy discussion was held on how to move forward, since \$22,000 of the grant has already been used and would need to be reimbursed. Council members also noted that a possible 7.1 cent property tax increase would need to be implemented in order to pay back a portion

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MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Gerald Ferguson, 64, died Wednesday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Alvino “Bino” Noyola, 68, died Saturday. Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Billy Turner, 61, died Sunday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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Ronald Schafer, 59, died Wednesday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Carroll Eugene Husted, 80, died Friday October 23, 2020. A virtual memorial service will be held at 10:00 AM Saturday, October 31, 2020 at First Baptist Church Big Spring through Facebook Live Stream.

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Stadium Parking lot. This year, the event will be transformed to a drive-thru event and traffic should enter from Kentucky Way and will be directed through the parking lot.

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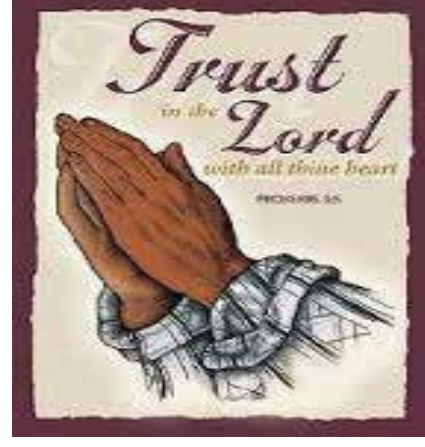
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St. Mary's Episcopal Church

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Facebook - Live Streaming

Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., St. Mary's will be Live Streaming their service on Facebook, website - www.facebook.com/StMarysBigSpring/. What a great way to listen OR participate in the service at the comforts of your home or wherever you may be at that time of day.

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church LCMS

"Celebrating and Sharing God's Love and Grace in our lives"

We are located at 2805 Lynn Drive in the Kentwood Neighborhood in Big Spring. If you would like to reach Pastor Kohl or the church office, please call 432-264-7818, or e-mail us at aliveinchristx@gmail.com.

Bible Study and Sunday School begin at 9:30 am and we are having class each Sunday morning. Our Sunday Service begins at 10:30 a.m. You can catch us on Facebook Live on our Facebook page. If you are new to the area or haven't been to church before or in a while, please accept this as an invitation to join us this Sunday.

The readings for this Sunday are Revelation 7:(2-8) 9-17, 1 John 3:1-3, and Matthew 5:1-12. The psalm is Psalm 149.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study has restarted. A meal is served at 5:30 and our bible study begins at 6:00. We are studying Lutheranism 101. Please come and join us.

Phillip Reid will present the scripture readings this week.

Tune in to KBYG every morning for a devotional sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Tune in to 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 each morning for these wonderful devotions: "Morning Meditation Thoughts". Also tune in every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

Crestview Baptist Church

At Crestview Baptist Church, we believe the most fulfilling pursuit for a body of believers is not entertainment, gimmicks, or programs. The most fulfilling pursuit for a follower of Christ is to know Christ and His Word, so that we may live for Him. If you believe that, please come and worship the king with us! Sunday School starts at 10 a.m., Worship begins at 11 a.m., and our Sunday and Wednesday night meetings are at 6:30 p.m. We are studying the book of Acts. Come and be with us at 2305 Gatesville Rd., Big Spring.

NazFamily Church

Fall Festival

It's fall y'all! NazFamily will be hosting an outdoor Fall Festival on Saturday, October 31st from 12pm - 2pm. There will be hay rides, games, bounce house, pony rides, goodies, and fun for the whole family. If you can help in any way, please contact the church office at church@NazFamily.org. Invite your friends, family, and neighbors to come out and be blessed.

This Sunday

"Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows." ~ James 1:17

"Gratitude goes beyond the 'mine' and 'thine' and claims the truth that all of life is a pure gift. In the past I always thought of gratitude as a spontaneous response to the awareness of gifts received, but now I realize that gratitude can also be lived as a discipline. The discipline of gratitude is the explicit effort to acknowledge that all I am and have is given to me as a gift of love, a gift to be celebrated with joy." ~ Henri Nouwen

At NazFamily we believe God is a loving Father who pours out blessings on His children. Join us this Sunday as we acknowledge and receive the Good Gifts that God offers with deep gratitude and genuine praise.

The Chosen:

Join us this Wednesday @ 6:30 as we explore the new multi-season miniseries called The Chosen together. It is a powerful depiction of the life of Jesus through the eyes of those who knew him best; His first followers. Each week we will watch a new episode, followed by a brief time of discussion and prayer. No matter where you are at in your journey with Jesus Christ, this show is for you. We will also have some concessions available before the show for a donation. All the proceeds will go to support our children and youth ministries.

Marriage Celebration Service:

What if God brought our spouse into our life not to make us happy, but to make us holy? We believe that marriage is a sacred gift to be cherished and honored. Whether you are married, divorced, widowed, or never been married, you won't want to miss our special marriage celebration service on Sunday, November 15th.

Food Boxes:

Every Tuesday & Thursday we make food boxes available in our church office from 10am - 12pm for anyone in need. If you know someone who needs an extra blessing they can come by the office at that time or contact us at (432) 267-7015.

College Baptist Church

We are praising God for the cool weather, and praising Him for healing those with COVID. Come see what God is doing at the corner of 11th and Birdwell Lane. We are open on Sunday morning at 9:15 for Bible Study for all ages. Worship time is at 10:45 a.m. Wednesday activities begin at 5:45-6:30 p.m. for a fellowship meal. Youth activities start at 6 p.m. and adults meet for Bible Study and prayer meeting at 7 p.m. with children meeting for King's Kids and Krafts. Girl's Missions meet on Sunday at 5 p.m. We have begun Choir practice for our Christmas musical. Come join in the fun as we prepare for the celebration of our Lord's Jesus's birth.

Services for Sunday, Nov. 1, 2020, are in the building at 11th and Birdwell. We are live streaming and on our Facebook page as well. Come catch God's perfect 2020 vision! We have face masks, gloves, and hand sanitizer available, and we are practicing social distancing. Families are sitting together. Visitors it was a joy to welcome you on Sunday. Come join us - it will be exciting to welcome new faces and old alike. Our services are lively and worshipful.

Sunday school is open for all ages as we slowly immerse from the pandemic, and we encourage you to come and see what God is doing at College Baptist Church as we continue on mission for Him.

Children Division renovations are on target and small details are nearing completion. Praise the Lord for those who have worked so hard to get it ready.

We definitely enjoy the worship time as our ministry team leads us in songs of praise, and where our pastor Bro. Ken McMeans, inspires us as we delve into God's word, leading us as Jesus lives through us. Come study the makings of a Godly family founded on the Rock Solid Foundation of Jesus. Keep your spiritual 2020 vision on as the year is not over. Be a part in these joyful activities and exciting worship praising the Mighty God we serve. Please call 432-267-7429 for more information concerning Men's Ladies and Youth meetings at this great and friendly church.

First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

Do not forget to change your clocks back one hour this Sunday morning!

First Presbyterian Church now has a Sermon Podcast on iTunes. The sermon from last week may be found at www.fpcbigspring.com/Sermons.

For anyone wishing to join in a daily prayer, one may go to www.fpcbigspring.com and select Daily Prayers. Rev. Allen Cross also posts a Weekly Devotional at that website, which may provide food for thought or help during time of stress or feelings of isolation. The devotional is posted on Wednesdays.

Presbyterian Women, who were scheduled to meet Tuesday, October 27, had to cancel the meeting because of inclement weather. A new time and date will be announced later in Faith Notes, the Sunday bulletin, and in the Herald Church News.

Wednesday Lectionary Bible Study will not meet this week since Rev. Cross has gone to visit his mother and celebrate her 90th birthday in Washington D. C.

The Thursday Lunch Bunch meets in Fellowship Hall at 11:30.

The Service Committee is providing bags and lists for items requested for the Annual Food Drive. Members are invited to return the filled bags by November 8.

Members of the church have been reading the Psalm during Sunday worship. Members are asked to volunteer to read the Psalm for one Sunday or for each Sunday in the month.

The Sunday morning Take Ten fellowship in the parlor between Sunday School and worship has resumed. Jenn Patterson will be host for this week.

Lectionary passages for All Saints' Day (the Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost) are: Psalm 34:1-10, 22; Matthew 5:1-12; I John 3:1-3. Rev. Cross has chosen for his sermon topic: "How To Be a Saint" As a part of the commemoration of All Saints' Day, we will remember those members of the congregation who have joined the Church Triumphant this year: Marj Carpenter, Gerald Ferguson, Lynn Glass, Joe Horton, and Flynn Long. Rev. Allen Cross will lead the worship service. Organist/music director Gabe Martinez leads the music on the organ and piano.

Anyone who is not attending worship physically may hear the service on KBST 1490 AM at 11:00 a.m. as usual or online at www.fpcbigspring.com by selecting the SERMONS tab and the correct date. A copy of the liturgy for the service may be downloaded from the website or by receiving a copy by calling the church office

Please call the church office at 263-4211 for other information. We would be pleased for you to Like us on Facebook. Although the physical address of First Presbyterian Church is 701 Runnels, the mailing address is P. O. Box 2222, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

REMINDER: Early Sunday morning the time changes back to Standard time! Fall Back!

First United Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry in downtown Big Spring. Our Sunday morning schedule includes the 9 A.M. Traditions service featur-

ing the pipe organ, choir, trumpet and hymns. At 11 A.M., The Bridge service featuring contemporary music led by a wonderful praise team.

Worship services are broadcast live each Sunday at 11 A.M. on radio station KBYG-105.5 FM. You can also find the services live streamed on our Facebook page at First United Methodist Church Big Spring.

On Sunday October 25, Pastor Ricky Carstensen continued with his sermon series, "How does God See His Church" God sees His church as the Bride of Christ. In Ephesians 5:22-32, Paul's describe the church as being the bride of Christ, and tells us how the relationship between husband and wife is an illustration of Christ's relationship with His Church. This next week Pastor Ricky will be sharing How God sees the church as "God's Chosen Nation". Come join us this coming Sunday for Sunday school and Worship!

On Saturday, October 31, 6-8 P.M., the church will be hosting a drive thru Trunk or Treat. Follow the signs.

On Wednesday November 4, at 6 P.M. "Celebrate Recovery" is being offered in the Youth Hall for anyone in the community seeking freedom and healing from hurts, habits, and hang-ups.

Ladies Bible study on Wednesday, at 6:00 P.M. The ladies will be meeting in the Open Door Classroom. For more information contact our church office.

Youth will be meeting on Wednesdays at 6:00-7:30 P.M. for a message from Gods word and fun fellowship. The Wesley college ministry will be meeting at 7:30-9:00 P.M. for fellowship and a message.

The Bridge Rehearsal will be on Wednesday at 6:00-7:30 and Choir rehearsal will be 7:30-9:00 P.M.

For more information on any activity, please visit the web site at www.fumcbs.com or phone the church office at 432-267-6394.

Cornerstone Covenant Church

Cornerstone Covenant Church (aka - CCC) is a unified, spirit-led, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ.

We would love the opportunity to Connect with YOU! You can expect biblical teaching & preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise & worship.

Please join us this week at one of the following events:

Sunday, Nov. 1 - Join us this Sunday at our 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. for our onsite worship service. Our 11 a.m. service will be onsite and online. You can find our CCC Live Worship Experience online at [facebook.com/CCCBigSpring](https://www.facebook.com/CCCBigSpring) or at Cornerstone Covenant Church Live on YouTube (look for the CCC logo).

Join Chosen Generation Student Youth Ministry at their very own 11 a.m. Sunday Service in the Youth Sanctuary. This is a live worship service geared for Senior and Junior High Students. Come experience authentic worship, connect with friends and discover what it means to be accepted, loved and CHOSEN!

Wednesday, Nov. 4 - Join us this Wednesday at our 7 p.m. worship/bible study service. We love seeing what happens in people's lives when they discover God through the study of His Word. We have Bible classes for all stages of life, from toddlers and teens to classes for adults. Together we explore the Bible and what it tells us about the God who has woven His story through history and is present with us now.

Transportation Ministry - You need a ride to church? CCC offers picks-up services on Sundays for our 11 a.m. worship service. If you are needing a ride for Sunday please contact the church office.

Cornerstone Covenant Church (CCC) is a unified, spirit-led, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ. Please join us every Sunday at 9 a.m. (onsite) 11 a.m. (onsite & online) and Wednesday at 7 p.m. (onsite) for worship services.

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other questions please contact our Administrative Office at 432-264-0015 or email us at info@ccbigspring.org. You can also find us at www.ccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

Life Church

We are excited to open our doors and welcome our Life Church friends to the campus this Sunday. In order to meet this Sunday we will continue to follow the guidelines that have been set and provided by the Texas State Attorney General: limited capacity, proper spacing between seats and rows, sanctuary will be cleaned and disinfected, if you or someone in your family have underlying health issues we are encouraging you to watch and participate in the service remotely. Masks are not required but are encouraged to be worn. Wash your hands and use hand sanitizer. Hand sanitizer will be available as you enter the sanctuary.

Pastor Kevin will continue his verse by verse study on the book of Revelation this Sunday. Be sure to purchase a Scripture Journal for this series. They are available for \$5.00 at the kiosk.

We will have Corporate Prayer on Wednesday night from 6:30-7 p.m.

Ladies, you are invited to join us every Wednesday at noon for our Seek Prayer Group. The Zoom meeting information for Seek can be found on our One Sisterhood Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/onesisterhoodbigspringtx/>. Champion Culture Youth will meet on Wednesdays from 7:00pm-8:30pm on the Life Church Campus.

Reflections: Covid Fatigue

They call it Covid Fatigue. I think I have it. I am tired of wearing a mask to enter a store. I like to see the smiles on people's faces. Or, are they smiling? Maybe they are frowning, or smirking. It's hard to read what people might be thinking behind those masks.

I am tired of distancing. I want to host friends and family in our home. I want to have all our kids home for Thanksgiving and Christmas. I want to attend church, to greet fellow believers with handshakes and hugs, to sing without restraint or restriction. Gathering is one of the important elements of our Christian faith.

I started a Bible study this summer with several men in our neighborhood, meeting outside on our back deck. They are all much younger than me. One is 27 and another is 31. We greet one another with fist-bumps. But, with snow this weekend and darkness settling in at 5 PM when we "fall back," I proposed that we take a winter break. As a diabetic in my 70s, I explained I was not comfortable meeting with a group of guys inside. They fully understood my concerns but suggested we continue meeting outside in the cold and dark. "We can bundle up," they said. So, we plan to continue gathering around the fire pit on my back deck for Bible study.

Our response to Covid has created some positives. The American Family Survey recently discovered that most marriages have actually

strengthened under the stresses of Covid. 58% of those 18-55 reported they have grown to appreciate their spouse more. Men have become more involved with housework and childcare. Husbands and wives have spent more time together walking and talking. Those who reported their marriages were in trouble fell from 40% in 2019 to 29% in 2020.

Covid has forced us to strengthen our online connections for extended learning, work and family. Last Saturday my wife and I attended the wedding for my cousin's daughter online in Shreveport, Louisiana while sitting in our home in Colorado.

But we are far from out of the woods with Covid. Last week the U.S. reported the highest single day of new cases since the pandemic started. More than 85,000.

For now, we must remain perseverant and patient. For the sake of our friends, family and others we must continue to wear masks and practice social distancing, while encouraging and praying for one another.

As Paul stated, "We exult in hope of the glory of God. And not only this, but we also exult in our tribulations, knowing that tribulation brings about perseverance; and perseverance, proven character; and proven character, hope; and hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out within our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us." (Romans 5:1-5).

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Without The Law

"Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: for by the law is the knowledge of sin. But now the righteousness of God without the law is manifested, being witnessed by the law and the prophets." Romans 3:20-21

In my 37 years as a minister of the gospel, I have never been confronted with a task quite so perplexing and difficult as preaching the righteousness of God without the Law.

I see overwhelming evidence in the Word of God which points to the undeniable fact that Christ came to this earth to be the end of the Law for righteousness to all who believe.

I see that Christ, the Son of God, replaces the Law completely in the lives of those who believe on Him. But the difficulty in preaching the gospel of the grace of God is - how are we supposed to live the Christian life without the Ten Commandments?

The answer to this perplexing and difficult question is - faith. Four verses in four different books of the Bible say - the just shall live by faith.

The next question would be - is faith alone enough? Don't we need to add some sort of work to our faith? Doesn't the Word of God say that faith without works is dead? Yes, it does.

But the deeds of the Law are not those works which validate or give life to our faith.

The work which validates our faith is the act of faith itself.

Faith is the work, and the work is faith. Faith itself is the work because true faith understands that the Law is not of faith. This working faith constrains us to enter into God's rest.

In John 6:29, Jesus said that the work of God is that we believe on Him whom God has sent.

Would you like to see evidence of my living faith? Don't look at my works (these are all as filthy rags), look at me as I rest in Christ and Christ alone. Our rest in Christ and His once-for-all sufficient sacrifice is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

And through the mighty working of this faith (rest in Christ alone), God works in us, both to will and to do of His good pleasure.



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Something to think about...

Have you ever been given a nickname? Shortie, Doc, Tank, Toots, Bubba, are just a few I've heard. It is not uncommon for family or close friends to call us by another name. Often nicknames reflect a special relationship. In fact, young children rarely know their grandparents' actual name. Instead they're known as Memaw and Mepaw, or Nana and Papaw, or Mimi and PeePoo.

I don't know how he managed it, but one of our members, Pat Chesworth, somehow coaxed his grandchildren into calling him "Dude". In his family he is simply known as the Dude. That has to be one of the coolest nicknames ever. Whether we like them or not, nicknames usually become endearing to us because of the relationships they reflect.

Jesus was known to give nicknames to His closest followers. He famously called Simon the "Rock". Well, Jesus actually called him Cephas in Aramaic, which was translated into Petros in Greek, but both words literally mean "rock".

Peter was the Rock long before Dwayne Johnson was ever born. Throughout Scripture the Lord regularly renames people. Saul, the Pharisee focused on persecuting the followers of Jesus, became Paul after his personal encounter with the risen Jesus. Jacob the deceiver who wrecked his family was called Israel

after a night of wrestling in God's presence. Over and over again, people are given a new name that reflects a special relationship.

During a recent study on the life of Elisha the Prophet, this idea hit me like a 2x4 between the eyes.

As I read through several amazing stories in 2 Kings, whenever Elisha encountered people in the community, more often than not, they simply referred to him as the Man of God. Talk to the Man of God.

Give it to the Man of God. Ask the Man of God. And I thought, "What an amazing nickname!" Elisha had such a close relationship with God and represented the Lord clearly to others in the community that he was known as the Man of God. #Goals

What is your nickname? What do people call you?

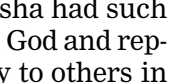
If you are a follower of Jesus, let me tell you what Scripture says, "See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are!" (1 John 3:1a) May we walk in such a close relationship with Him that others might know us as the People of God.



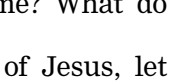
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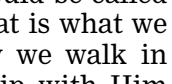
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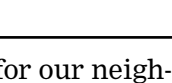
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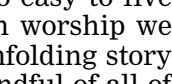
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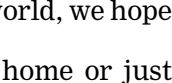
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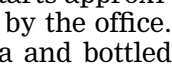
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Sweater Weather

I love, love, love the cold weather. Whether it is snuggling in a warm blanket by the fire, in a warm thick sweater on a cold day, or eating chili and drinking hot chocolate with friends or family, I love the cold weather.

In West Texas, it's not so much of a favorite thing. But then, the hot days aren't very welcome either. But we do have both. The mild, wild days of autumn and the mild cool days of Spring are more preferred. The problem in West Texas is we don't have a clue as to when these perfect days will occur. Sometimes in the middle of winter months we experience what they call an "Indian Summer." I don't think we have had that yet this year.

You may ask this Northern Nevada girl why I love winter so much. So I'll tell you. It represents family to me. It represents the times we had snowball fights behind homemade snow forts, bundled up in mittens, warm coats, snow boots, and stocking caps. It reminds me of the days when we walked home from school and Daddy pelted us with the snowballs he had piled on the hood of his car before we came around the corner toward home. We'd better be armed with our own snowballs to pelt back to him.

It reminds me of hearth and home where Momma would greet us at the kitchen door with hot chocolate with plenty of homemade bread and real butter to dip in it. Popcorn sometimes was an extra treat.

But on another note, the cold, snow, and hail have treasures in them that the Bible talks about. We are told our sins though scarlet shall we as white as snow. Though they be as crimson, He washes us as white as wool.

Not only that the Lord Himself will greet us at His door and usher us in to the treasures of His kingdom. His kitchen will have Heavenly meals like as we have never even dreamed about. Maybe even hot chocolate. Maybe even popcorn. Maybe even homemade Manna and real butter to dip in our heavenly chocolate. All I know for sure is the days will be perfect.



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For more information about Champion Culture and their plans for the summer visit and follow the Champion Culture Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ChampionCultureLifeChurch/>

Life Kids will have their classes this Sunday. Our Nursery is available for those ages newborn to 2. Our Toddlers class serve those ages 3 & 4. Our Elementary class serves those ages 5-10 Visit and follow the Life Kids Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/Life-Kids-Life-Church-Big-Spring-TX-1654730487977488/> for more information.

Our Neighbor to Neighbor Outreach team will be going to visit our neighbors around our campus on Saturday morning from 10-11:30 a.m. The purpose of this ministry is to find the need and fill it.

For more information about our events or groups please visit our website www.golifechurch.net

Circuit Riders Cowboy Church
We would like to welcome everyone join us at Circuit Riders Cowboy Church at 6701 W I-20 to fellowship, learn about our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and Praise and worship. If you need directions or have any questions please call 432-466-1717 or text 432-466-1697.

Our Sunday services begin with Coffee and Donuts at 9 a.m. followed by an adult Bible Study at 9:15. Worship and Service starts at 10 a.m.

This Saturday, Oct. 31 we will be having our next Saturday Night Singing. We have also included a family game night. Food and drinks will be served. We hope you can join us for a night of family fun!

First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad. To contact the church office, or Pastor Brian Michaelz, call 432-517-4821.

This coming Sunday.... Pastor Michaelz sermon will be: Prayer Changes Lives. Proverbs 30:7-9. The Prayer of Agur. Imagine a life where you can escape imbalance, overcome fear of failure and eliminate envy, joyfully pursue your passion, recap the eternal rewards of a trusting God and find your personal sweet spot. The Bible tells us this in many places, but the simple unexpected request from little known Biblical author named Agur is the only

prayer in all of Proverbs and it offers life changing potential.

Birthdays this month:

Oct. 26 - Ferrol Voight

On our prayer list this week is:

Randal Brooks, Larry Oster, Ethel Cassidy, P.J. Luke and everyone dealing with Covid either with it or close to someone who has tested positive. All Caregivers. If you or someone you know would like to be placed on the FCC prayer list, please contact the church office or tell one of the members.

"A family is a group of people who eat the same thing for dinner" Nora Ephron

First Christian Church is a community that is safe to all individuals and families. We gather together trying to find a new way to be human in a community that seeks to follow the ways of Jesus. Our hope for worship is that it is a means to an end, that we leave our sanctuary as a different kind of people, as part of a new humanity that God wants

to create, the people that are caring for our neighbors, that are not bound by the systems of this world but becoming free, becoming fully engaged in our world. Unfortunately, it is too easy to live in a world of "us" versus "them". In worship we hope to connect our story to Gods unfolding story of hope and resurrection. We are mindful of all of the ways that God speaks a better word into what we think. Finally, in all that we do in gathering together and partnering to change the world, we hope to add beauty to it.

If you are searching for a church home or just want to drop by for a visit.....we welcome the opportunity to have you join us. Sunday morning Social Time - pre-Worship Service - starts approximately 9:30 a.m. in the Sitting Room by the office. Donuts, coffee, hot chocolate, hot tea and bottled water.

Worship Service starts at 10:50 a.m. Hope to see you there.

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Lady Steers lose Bi-District playoff against Canyon in three sets at Frenship HS

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

WOLFFORTH — The Big Spring Lady Steers strong 2020 season has come to an end.

Big Spring traveled to Wolfforth on Thursday night to challenge the Canyon Lady Eagles for the Bi-District title inside the Frenship Tiger Pit. The Lady Steers were the third-place finishers from District 3-4A while Canyon was the second-place finisher from District 4-4A.

The tall and versatile Canyon team was able to defeat Big Spring convincingly in three straight sets (11-25, 9-25, 16-25). They will move on to the Area round of the playoffs early next week while Big Spring will be playing away the net until next fall.

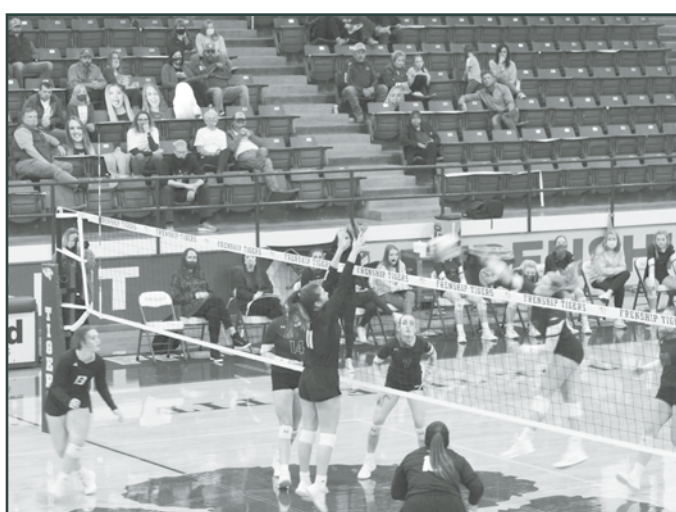
“I thought we played them very well at times. They’re (Canyon) a really good team, and they had a ton of size near the net,” Head Volleyball Coach Kaitlyn Braswell said.

Big Spring was playing without one of their best players, Kalyn Whitehead, and her absence was glaring at times. Whitehead is one of the most accurate and powerful hitters on the team - as well as the main setter - and without her the Lady Steers were missing a vital part of their rotation.

“It’s always tough when one of your players is out with an injury. She’s one of our team leaders and we missed her out there tonight,” Braswell said.

The first set started off evenly and the Lady Steers even went on a four-point scoring streak early that put them ahead 4-1. Ryen Terrazas was able to come up with a kill during that rally while teammate Gisele Holguin was able to collect two aces from her server spot.

Canyon then turned up the heat and went on a scoring streak of their own. This time, the Lady Eagles scored eight straight points that put themselves ahead 9-4 and forced Braswell to take her



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Ryen Terrazas attempts to make a block.

first timeout.

After returning from the timeout, Canyon continued to dominate the set with their size near the net and their awareness to let some ball sail out of bounds. The combination of Tristan Smith and Jacqueline Belew combined for a block near the net that instilled some life into their bench and the crowd, but it was not enough. The Lady Eagles were able to run away with the first set (25-11) and took that momentum with them moving forward into the second set.

Canyon completely controlled the second set behind the power and accuracy of Raylee Bain, Carlee Henderson, and Ryen Roden. For Big Spring, Kortney Moore had a strong set that included two aces and one kill, but it was not enough for her team to challenge for the set. The Lady Eagles had jumped out to a 17-4 lead before the Lady Steers went on another short scoring streak to make the score

more respectable. Canyon then closed the set on an eight-point scoring streak (25-9) and the Lady Eagles just needed one more set win to advance to the next round.

Heading into the third set, Braswell had a discussion with her team about fighting until the last point is scored and her players appeared to do just that.

“I just told them to leave it all on the court. We were making some good plays, we just needed to string them together and I feel like we did that for the majority of that third set,” Braswell said.

Big Spring battled hard throughout the third set and kept it neck-and-neck for more than half of it. The Lady Steers were playing well together as a team and they were fighting to keep their season alive.

Canyon began to pull away just a little and grabbed their biggest lead of the third set (16-13) when Braswell decided to take a timeout. The Lady Eagles were able to finish the set by outscoring the Lady Steers 9-3 following that timeout and sent Big Spring home with an opening-round post-season loss.

Big Spring has not made it past the Bi-District round of the postseason in six years (2014 was their last appearance in the Area round), but they showed a ton of improvement this season. After winning just four games in 2019, the Lady Steers more than tripled that win total this fall (13-15, 5-5).

The calendar will now flip to winter sports and we will see a large majority of the Lady Steer volleyball players taking the hardwood next month for the start of basketball season.

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Big Spring Team Tennis season comes to an end

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sports Writer

The Big Spring Steers' Team Tennis squad took the courts earlier this week for their playoff match-up against Brownfield in cold and windy conditions. The round was originally scheduled to be played at Snyder, but with the wintry conditions that took place earlier this week, the matchup was moved out west to Pecos.

Big Spring lost the contest 10-5 in the less-than-ideal conditions, but the young group was still able to gain valuable experience in big matches. However, Head Coach Dana Jones was disappointed with the way his team performed on Monday and knows they could have put together a stronger team performance.

“I didn’t think we played very well,” Jones said. “We played well in some spots but I don’t know if it was a combination of having to sit around and then drive to a different spot or what. The conditions were awful. It was cold, windy, broken nets, junior high courts, no wind-screens and all of that. But the opponents are playing in the same conditions and I think we could’ve played a whole lot better.”

There were three different matches for Girls' Doubles, and Big Spring was able to come away with one victory. The pairing of Felicia Dahya and Emily Kocak were able to take down their competition in their Doubles match (7-5, 6-4). Meanwhile, the top Lady Steer pairing of Natalia Lopez and Brooklin Mojica dropped their own match (7-5, 4-6, 17-15) along with the final Girls' Doubles duo of Hannah Bell and Emily Medina (6-4, 6-4).

In the Girls' Singles matches, both Big Spring and Brownfield were able to pick up two wins apiece. Kocak was victorious over Brownfield’s Evett Perez (7-5, 6-2) and fellow Lady Steer Ananya Imaye won her own match over Kierra Dever (6-0, 6-1). On the other side of things, Lopez dropped her head-to-head against Alazah Mireles (6-1, 6-1) and Itzel Garcia-Marquez fell short against Vivian Rojas (6-4, 6-1).



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Big Spring’s Emily Kocak hits the ball.

“Ananya Imaye and Emily Kocak never waver match-in and match-out,” Jones said. “They came out ready to play for every practice and every match.”

There was one mixed doubles match, where Big Spring’s Hayden Bell and Zach Vela picked up a crucial win for the Steers (6-4, 6-3).

Brownfield was able to sweep Big Spring in their three Boys' Doubles matches on Monday and caused the Steers to fall in a deep hole. The top Steer pairing of Ransom Colette and Ethan Urias did not stand much of a chance against Brownfield’s Thomas Brisendine and LaVantae Richardson (6-0, 6-1). On the other court, Eric Landin and Matthew Salazar dropped their own match to Christon Constance and Noah Jimenez (6-1, 6-3). Lastly, the duo of Matthew Doll and Sean Tan lost to Darien Alvarado and Tucker Nelson (6-3, 6-1).

“Doubles have hurt us this year,” Jones said.

Finally, in the Boys' singles matches the Steers were able to

pick up one win out of four different matches. The lone winner for the Steers was Landin, who won a competitive three-set match over Brownfield’s Noah Jimenez (6-4, 0-6, 10-6). On the other side of things - Doll (6-0, 6-2), Salazar (6-2, 6-2), and Tan (6-1, 6-3), all dropped their singles matches.

The young Big Spring team put together a season that was much better than expected and will try to take some of that momentum into next year. Jones will be back to lead the team and thinks that the lessons his team has learned this fall will help them in the future.

“I was pleasantly surprised at how well we came together and played. We were absolutely decimated by graduation in the spring. We had a whole new team, whole new combinations, and whole new chemistry. In that respect, I’m very pleased with how we performed in the fall. We improved a lot and they exceeded my expectations,” Jones said.

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NCAA Football Schedule

Thursday

Away Team	Home Team	Final Score
South Alabama (3-2)	@ Georgia Southern (3-2)	24-17, GA ESPN
Colorado State (0-0)	@ Fresno State (0-1)	38-17, Fresno State

Friday

Away Team	Home Team	Time of Game
Minnesota (0-1)	@ Maryland (0-1)	6:30 p.m. (ESPN)
East Carolina (1-3)	@ Tulsa (2-1)	8:00 p.m. (ESPN2)
Hawai’i (1-0)	@ Wyoming (0-1)	8:45 p.m. (FS1)

Saturday

Away Team	Home Team	Time of Game
Boston College (4-2)	@ #1 Clemson (6-0)	11:00 a.m. (ABC)
#5 Georgia (3-1)	@ Kentucky (2-3)	11:00 a.m. (SECN)
Memphis (3-1)	@ #7 Cincinnati (4-0)	11:00 a.m. (ESPN)
Michigan State (0-1)	@ #13 Michigan (1-0)	11:00 a.m. (FOX)
#18 Kansas State (4-1)	@ West Virginia (3-2)	11:00 a.m. (ESPN2)
#20 Coastal Carolina (5-0)	@ Georgia State (2-2)	11:00 a.m. (ESPN)
#23 Iowa State (3-2)	@ Kansas (0-5)	11:00 a.m. (FS1)
UTSA (4-3)	@ Florida Atlantic (1-1)	11:00 a.m.
Temple (1-2)	@ Tulane (0-4)	11:00 a.m. (ESPN+)
Purdue (1-0)	@ Illinois (2-1)	11:00 a.m. (BTN)
Wake Forest (3-2)	@ Syracuse (1-5)	11:00 a.m. (ACCN)
UCF (3-2)	@ Houston (2-1)	1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Rice (0-1)	@ Southern Miss (1-4)	2:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Troy (3-2)	@ Arkansas State (3-3)	2:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
#4 Notre Dame (5-0)	@ Georgia Tech (2-4)	2:30 p.m. (ABC)
#17 Indiana (1-0)	@ Rutgers (1-0)	2:30 p.m. (BTN)
UAB (4-2)	@ Louisiana Tech (3-3)	2:30 p.m.
TCU (1-3)	@ Baylor (1-2)	2:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
LSU (2-2)	@ Auburn (3-2)	2:30 p.m. (CBS)
Northwestern (1-0)	@ Iowa (0-1)	2:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Texas (3-2)	@ #6 Oklahoma State (4-0)	3:00 p.m. (FOX)
Ole Miss (1-4)	@ Vanderbilt (0-3)	3:00 p.m. (SECN)
Appalachian State (3-1)	@ UL Monroe (0-6)	3:00 p.m. (ESPN)
Virginia Tech (3-2)	@ Louisville (2-4)	3:00 p.m. (ACCN)
#25 Boise State (1-0)	@ Air Force (1-1)	5:00 p.m. (ESPN)
Mississippi State (1-3)	@ #2 Alabama (5-0)	6:00 p.m. (CBSN)
New Mexico (0-0)	@ San Jose State (1-0)	6:00 p.m. (FS1)
Charlotte (2-2)	@ Duke (1-5)	6:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
#3 Ohio State (1-0)	@ #18 Penn State (0-1)	6:30 p.m. (ABC)
Arkansas (2-2)	@ #8 Texas A&M (3-1)	6:30 p.m. (SECN)
Missouri (2-2)	@ #10 Florida (2-1)	6:30 p.m. (SECN)
Navy (3-3)	@ #22 SMU (5-1)	6:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
#15 North Carolina (4-1)	@ Virginia (1-4)	7:00 p.m. (ACCN)
#24 Oklahoma (3-2)	@ Texas Tech (2-3)	7:00 p.m. (FOX)
Louisiana (4-1)	@ Texas State (1-6)	7:00 p.m. (ESPN)
San Diego State (1-0)	@ Utah State (0-1)	8:30 p.m. (CBSN)
Western Kentucky (2-4)	@ #11 BYU (6-0)	9:15 p.m. (ESPN)
Nevada (1-0)	@ UNLV (0-1)	9:30 p.m. (FS1)

UTPB Falcon Football pauses Team Activities through fall practice

Special to the Herald

Out of an abundance of caution, UT Permian Basin Football has paused team activities as the result of the recent spike in COVID-19 cases in the Midland-Odessa area and the subsequent contact tracing that has put a number of student-athletes into quarantine. The team will forgo the final days of fall practice and its final intrasquad scrimmage, scheduled for October 31.

“While it’s disappointing to not be able to finish fall practice, it is imperative that we protect our student-athletes,” said Head Coach Justin Carrigan. “The safety of our players, coaches, and campus community is a priority. We will get through this and be ready for football in February.”

Student-athletes will not return to athletic activities until clearing UTPB Athletics Department protocol. This decision was fueled, in part, by the increase in cases in the Permian Basin, and the upward trend of cases in Texas and the US in general.

“Student-athlete welfare is the number one core value of this department,” said Carrigan. “We want to do the right thing and get ahead of this and prevent the spread of the virus.”

The Lone Star Conference moved the 2020 football season to the spring of 2021 after the NCAA cancelled fall championships due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Falcons have been practicing and were set to finish fall practice this week. On Saturday, an intrasquad scrimmage was scheduled to conclude the fall practice schedule, but now, this event has been canceled.

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Annie's Mailbox

Stifling Ex

Dear Annie: I have a dilemma. My ex-husband, who is the father of our two children (ages 16 and 17), always seems to end up back in my day-to-day life. He has stayed with me at least four times since we have been divorced. He always gets me with a sob story about why he needs to stay at my house with me and the kids.

Currently, he has been staying with us for three months, because he decided to rent his home out and I was his backup plan apparently. I don't want a romantic relationship with him and I'm trying to be diplomatic when telling him to get out. By the way, every place I've lived since our divorce, he has used the address to send his mail. I'm tired of his smothering nature but I want to maintain a civil friendship for the sake of the kids. Help! Is there a way out of this tangled situation? -- Smothered in Georgia

Dear Smothered: The next time he starts up with one of these sob stories, plug your ears. There is no excuse for his imposing on you this way. And by desperately inserting himself into your life, he's preventing you both from beginning to heal and move on with your lives.

Set boundaries and stick to them. Tell him

the current situation is not working and that you need him to find somewhere else to stay. This isn't just the right thing to do for your mental health but also the smart thing to do for the sake of civility: If you continue letting him stay with you and bottle up your real feelings, it's only a matter of time before you explode.

Dear Annie: I am 54 years old and have been donating blood since college. I went to donate in May this year, but when they tested my hemoglobin it was too low to donate. I went to my doctor and he ordered labs and found that I was very anemic. He sent me to a gastroenterologist to be scoped, and she found a five-centimeter tumor in my colon and sent me to a surgeon to have it removed. I had half of my colon removed in July and am fully recovered. (My son says I'm now a semicolon.)

I never had a colonoscopy at age 50, as recommended, because I was too busy with work and kids. I had no family history and no symptoms. So, I am writing for two reasons.

First, please go get scoped if you are over 50. If you are younger than 50 and have a family history or any symptoms such as a change in bowel habits, constipation or diarrhea, abdominal pain,

nausea or vomiting, loss of appetite, fatigue, shortness of breath, unexplained weight loss or dark or bloody stools. Many, many young people are being diagnosed with colon cancer -- some even in their teens.

And second, I found a fantastic support group on Facebook called Colontown, a nonprofit, private online community for colorectal cancer patients, survivors and carepartners. There are separate "neighborhoods" you can be placed in depending on your age, gender, geographical location (I was able to meet two local members for lunch), stage, side effects, clinical trials and many more factors. To learn more, visit colontown.org. -- CRC Survivor

Dear Survivor: I'm so glad that you found a supportive community to help make a scary, challenging time a bit more manageable. I appreciate your sharing this resource, and I think your letter will have an added benefit of encouraging people who have been putting off colonoscopies to schedule those appointments. If detected early, colorectal cancer is one of the most curable cancers, according to the Cleveland Clinic.

Send your questions for Annie Lane to dearannie@creators.com.

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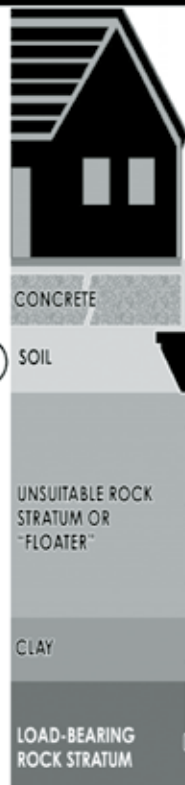
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Tomorrow's Horoscope

Understanding Com-
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ARIES (March 21-April 19). It is easy to notice and avoid the dangers that come in the form of bad ideas, oppressive forces and general trouble. What's hard to avoid (and, therefore, more dangerous) are the seductions and temptations of daily life.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). New people need much more attention in order to feel comfortable in a group. You will not be sorry if you go out of your way to make someone feel welcome.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Love and all its contradictions will be the theme that winds through this day, stringing together elegant and messy outcomes. There's not a lot to analyze here -- not now, at least. Live it and make assessments later.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You'll be exceptionally gifted at recognizing the limitations of a situation, which are not as constricting as

most people assume and not as expansive as the big dream. You'll find level ground on which to set your expectation.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). The expression of your mind and body can be baffling, but there is wisdom here beyond mundane comprehension. However your mind and body are working, it's happening that way to keep you safe and protected.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Though people need attention, relationships get off balance when too much attention is paid. Freedom and privacy are also core needs. Today's gifts of love come in the form of trust and space.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). People experience you as self-contained. This is why they don't provide much: You don't seem like you need it. Though it's true you are quite fulfilled in your own being, ask for help anyway. Someone wants to be needed by you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Trust and com-

mitment are the cornerstones of long-term relationships and, to some degree, more casual arrangements. It's hard to want to relate to a person you don't trust.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You're being nudged into a change. Though it doesn't feel like a glorious turn of events, it really is tremendous luck because this fortuitous shift is not something you would have initiated.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Every dalliance has a tribute. The chocolate cake exacts its revenge calorically. The endless video game or binge-watch takes its toll energetically. Knowing what things really

By HOLIDAY MATHIS



cost will help you make better decisions.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). When you decide to be, you're a master of focus and a wizard of productivity. The trick is in deciding what is worth doing and prioritizing well. Many will benefit from your organized approach.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There is no better revenge than success. Is it wrong to want to punish someone by blinding them with the light of your superstar status and accomplishments? There are worse things.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 30). People first. This is your genuine inclination, and because of it, you wind up with a great deal of things that aren't people -- business, money and assets, to name a few. A relationship takes you on an emotional journey unlike any you've known thus far. You'll discover talents previously untapped. Sagittarius and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 11, 7, 1, 4 and 47.

WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST: ARIES: While the feeling of being in love is a fickle thing, the habit of forming loving connections is a skill that often has reliable outcomes. **TAURUS:** Disagreement can be a positive part of a relationship if it's done in a way that brings understanding to the relationship. **GEMINI:** You dive right into the emotionally challenging stuff because you're strong and you can handle it. **CANCER:** Childhood experiences are playing a part in the way the relationship unfolds this weekend. **LEO:** No, it's not your imagination.

The attraction you sense is every bit as alive as it is in your head. **VIRGO:** Awkward connections are connections nonetheless -- and often more exciting and memorable than graceful ones. **LIBRA:** When you tell the story of this love, what do you want the highlight to be? Work on creating it. **SCORPIO:** Language may not be the best way to express what you're feeling now. **SAGITTARIUS:** You are fully present and giving your attention so sweetly. This is love. **CAPRICORN:** True love allows you to be who you are without trying to exert control. **AQUARIUS:** Though you don't want to pretend with someone, you still feel a need to impress, which is causing you a certain amount of tension. **PISCES:** You're supportive of your loved one's dreams and desires, and you should expect the same.

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Test your play

1. You are declarer with the West hand at Six Spades, and North leads the jack of diamonds. Assuming the missing trumps are divided 2-1, how would you play the hand?

West	East
♠ A Q J 10 7 6 3	♠ K 9 4
♥ K J 4	♥ A 10 7 6 2
♦ 5	♦ A K 9
♣ 10 6	♣ K 3

2. You are declarer with the West hand at Four Hearts, and North leads the queen of spades. How would you play the hand?

West	East
♠ 7 6 2	♠ A 8 5
♥ A K J 9 4	♥ Q 10 5
♦ A 6 4	♦ 9 8 3
♣ J 9	♣ A K 4 2

1. Win the diamond with the king, cash the A-K of trumps, lead a low heart to your king and a heart back to dummy's ace. If the queen of hearts appears on the first or second round of the suit, you have 13 tricks. If the queen does not appear and the hearts are divided 3-2, you still make all the tricks by discarding the jack of hearts on the ace of diamonds, ruffing a heart and returning to dummy with a trump to discard both of your clubs on the 10-7 of hearts.

Finally, if it turns out that either defender started with the Q-x-x-x of hearts, discard your jack of hearts on the ace of diamonds and return to your hand by ruffing a heart. Now lead a club toward the king and keep your fingers crossed, hoping that North rather than South holds the ace.

2. Win the spade with the ace and lead a low club toward your jack! If South has the queen, he will presumably play it, giving you three club tricks instead of the two you started with. After South takes the queen, the defenders will probably cash two spade tricks and shift to a diamond.

Win the diamond return with the ace, cash the A-K of trump and jack of clubs, cross to dummy with a trump and discard two diamonds on the A-K of clubs. This method of play succeeds if the trumps are divided 3-2 (and also when a defender with four trumps started with at least four clubs).

If South plays low on the club lead from dummy at trick two, you should assume he does not have the queen and should therefore play the nine instead of the jack. If South has the ten, the nine will force North's queen, and you will be in essentially the same position as before.

You are not certain to make the contract with any line of play, but the one suggested offers by far the best chance of succeeding.

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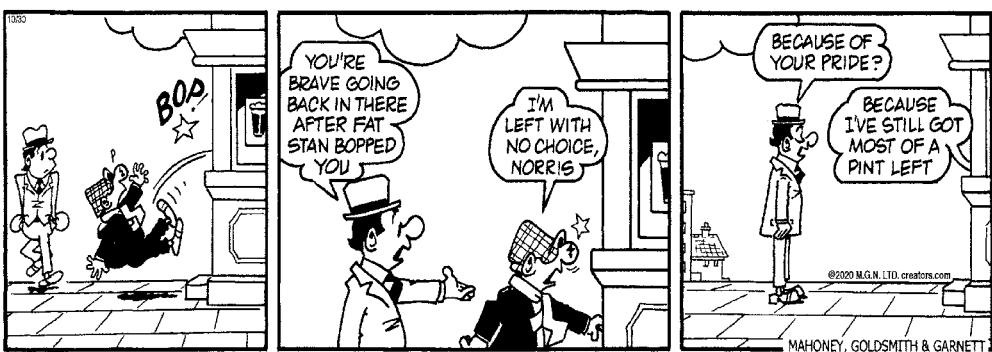
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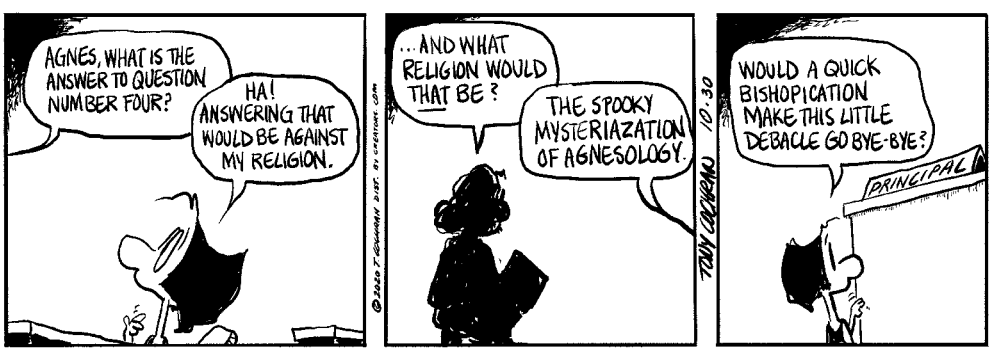
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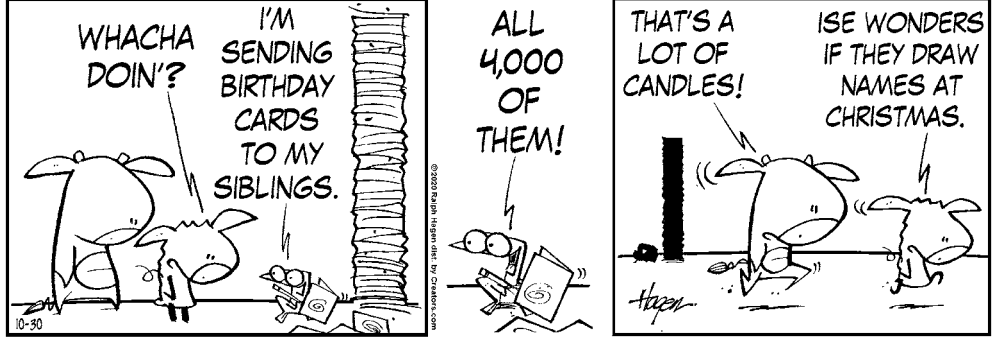
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This Date In History

Today in History

Today is Friday, Oct. 30, the 304th day of 2020. There are 62 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 30, 2005, the body of Rosa Parks arrived at the U.S. Capitol, where the civil rights icon became the first woman to lie in honor in the Rotunda; President George W. Bush and congressional leaders paused to lay wreaths by her casket.

On this date:

In 1735 (New Style calendar), the second president of the United States, John Adams, was born in Braintree, Massachusetts.

In 1885, poet Ezra Pound was born in Hailey, Idaho.

In 1912, Vice President James S. Sherman, running for a second term of office with President William Howard Taft, died six days before Election Day. (Sherman was replaced with Nicholas Murray Butler, but Taft, the Republican candidate, ended up losing in an Electoral College landslide to Democrat Woodrow Wilson.)

In 1921, the silent film classic "The Sheik," starring Rudolph Valentino, premiered in Los Angeles.

In 1961, the Soviet Union tested a hydrogen bomb, the "Tsar Bomba," with a force estimated at about 50 megatons. The Soviet Party Congress unanimously approved a resolution ordering the removal of Josef Stalin's body from Lenin's tomb.

In 1974, Muhammad Ali knocked out George Foreman in the eighth round of a 15-round bout in Kinshasa, Zaire (zah-EER), known as the "Rumble in the Jungle," to regain his world heavyweight title.

In 1975, the New York Daily News ran the headline "Ford to City: Drop Dead" a day after President Gerald R. Ford said he would veto any proposed federal bailout of New York City.

In 1984, police in Poland found the body of kidnapped pro-Solidarity priest Jerzy Popieluszko (YEHR'-zee pah-pee-WOOSH'-goh), whose death was blamed on security officers.

In 1985, schoolteacher-astronaut Christa McAuliffe witnessed the launch of the space shuttle Challenger, the

same craft that would carry her and six other crew members to their deaths in Jan. 1986.

In 1995, by a razor-thin vote of 50.6 percent to 49.4 percent, Federalists prevailed over separatists in a Quebec secession referendum.

In 2001, Ukraine destroyed its last nuclear missile silo, fulfilling a pledge to give up the vast nuclear arsenal it had inherited after the breakup of the former Soviet Union.

In 2002, Jam Master Jay (Jason Mizell), a rapper with the hip-hop group Run-DMC, was killed in a shooting in New York. He was 37.

Ten years ago: President Barack Obama implored voters to resist a Republican tide, warning that if the GOP prevailed in midterm elections, all the progress of his first two years in office could be "rolled back." Comedians Stephen Colbert and Jon Stewart headlined a "Rally to Restore Sanity and/or Fear" in Washington attended by tens of thousands. The Texas Rangers beat San Francisco 4-2, cutting the Giants' World Series edge to 2-1.

Five years ago: The United States escalated its fight against the Islamic State in Syria, pledging the first open deployment of military boots on the ground. A fire broke out at a nightclub in Bucharest, Romania, killing 64 people. Character actor Al Molinaro, 96, died in Glendale, California. The New York Mets defeated the Kansas City Royals, 9-3, in Game 3 of the World Series, cutting the Royals' lead to 2-1.

One year ago: The Washington Nationals won the first World Series title in franchise history, capturing Game 7 over the Houston Astros by a score of 6-2; the team had rallied from behind to win five elimination games in the post-season and had achieved all four of their wins in the World Series in Houston's ballpark. Reacting to growing concern about the spread of misinformation on social media, Twitter banned all political advertising from its service. New York City

lawmakers passed a bill banning restaurants and grocery stores from selling foie gras, the fattened liver of a duck or goose; animal welfare activists said the methods used to produce it were cruel.

Today's Birthdays: Movie director Claude Lelouch is 83. Rock singer Grace Slick is 81. Songwriter Eddie Holland is 81. Rhythm-and-blues singer Otis Williams (The

Temptations) is 79. Actor Joanna Shimkus is 77. Actor Henry Winkler is 75. Broadcast journalist Andrea Mitchell is 74. Rock musician Chris Slade (Asia) is 74. Country/rock musician Timothy B. Schmit (The Eagles) is 73. Actor Leon Rippy is 71. Actor Harry Hamlin is 69. Actor Charles Martin Smith is 67. Country singer T. Graham Brown is

66. Actor Kevin Pollak is 63. Rock singer-musician Jerry De Borg (Jesus Jones) is 60. Actor Michael Beach is 57. Rock singer-musician Gavin Rossdale (Bush) is 55. Actor Jack Plotnick is 52. Comedian Ben Bailey is 50. Actor Billy Brown is 50. Actor Nia Long is 50. Country singer Cassidy Osborn (SHeDAISY) (sh-DAY'-zee) is 44. Actor Gael Garcia Bernal is 42. Actor

Matthew Morrison is 42. Business executive and presidential adviser Ivanka Trump is 39. Actor Fiona Dourif is 39. Actor Shaun Sipos (SE'-pohs) is 39. Actor Tasso Feldman is 37. Actor Janel (juh-NEHL) Parrish is 32. Actor Tequan Richmond is 28. Actor Kennedy McMann is 24.

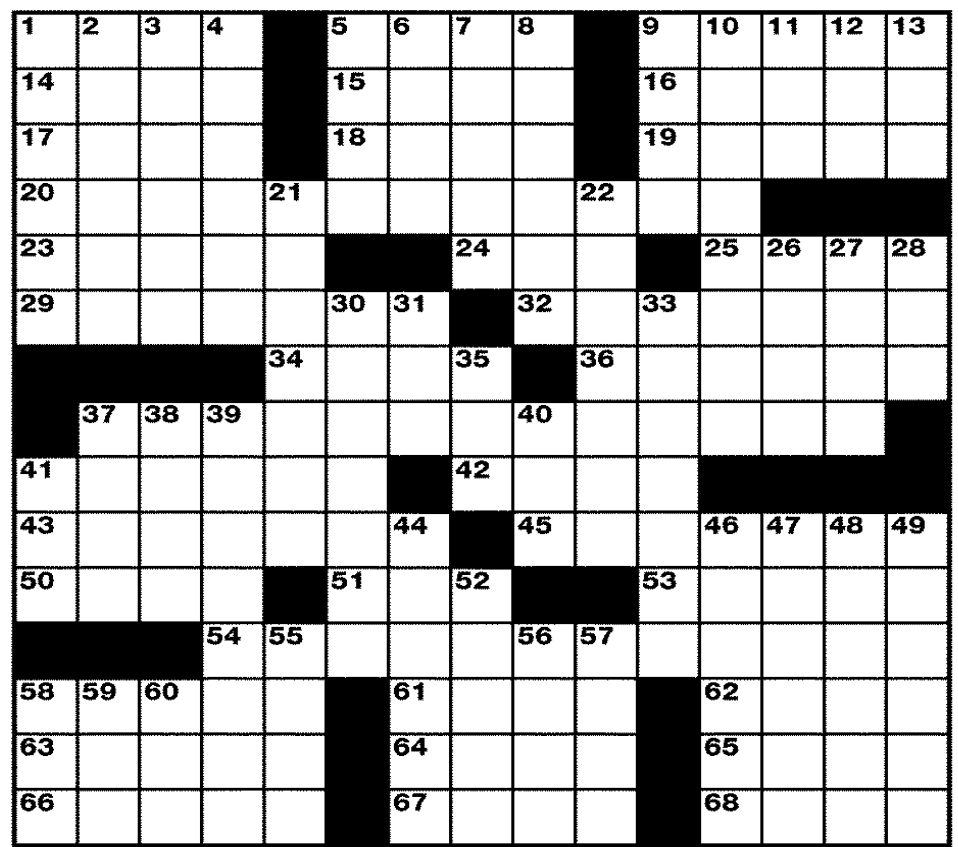
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 - 29 State co-ruled by Macron
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 - 34 Nihilistic art movement
 - 36 Miss America host after Bert Parks
 - 37 "... OR ___"
 - 41 In stitches
 - 42 Sort
 - 43 Mister Rogers' Mr. McFeely
 - 45 Principled
 - 50 Architectural plan info
 - 51 Milne marsupial
 - 53 Geode rock, often
 - 54 TREAT ___
 - 58 Not at all limber
 - 61 Joyce's homeland
 - 62 Divine mother of the pharaohs
 - 63 Beauts
 - 64 Rebel Alliance princess
 - 65 Graffiti signatures

- DOWN**
- 1 ER doctor's expertise
 - 2 Crankcase reservoir
 - 3 Seven-sibling singing surname
 - 4 Crude shelter
 - 5 Mark Cuban's hoop group
 - 6 Go-to people
 - 7 What covers some dogs
 - 8 Pop singer Gomez
 - 9 Eastern European capital
 - 10 Recent Maleficent portrayer
 - 11 Form of chocolate
 - 12 Fall behind in bills
 - 13 Venture
 - 21 Where the auditory canal ends
 - 22 Make secret, as a transmission
 - 26 Opposite of sans
 - 27 Exploit to the fullest
 - 28 Water under some bridges
 - 30 Defensive barrier
 - 31 Trivial tempest
 - 33 Available
 - 35 Transporter of scraps
 - 37 Stat for a sommelier
 - 38 Toddler's scrape
 - 39 Illicit
 - 40 Where some drops end up
 - 41 Pint-sized, to Burns
 - 44 Of little use
 - 46 Kindle
 - 47 Word in the etymology of "czar"
 - 48 Email necessity
 - 49 Not as much
 - 52 Sooners
 - 55 "Assuming that..."
 - 56 40 Down's diaphragm
 - 57 Cleverly done
 - 58 UT's largest airport
 - 59 Calendar watch letters
 - 60 "... say!"



Answer to previous puzzle
ASSET FIRM CAFE
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RIPE TWO
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CAROM GENOA PRO
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of the grant. However, in speaking with their constituents, this would be accepted if it meant supplying the Fire Department with more first responders to create a safer work environment. Each Council member then made a note that each of their districts stood with first responders and moved to not terminate the SAFER Grant in a unanimous vote.

"We can start moving forward on this tomorrow," Fire Department Chief Craig Ferguson said.

An emergency reading of a resolution declaring the official intent of the City of Big Spring (Lessee) to be reimbursed for certain capital expenditures from proceeds of a lease purchase agreement was led by City Secretary Donald Moore. While merely housekeeping, the item needed to be voted on due to the time sensitivity of the interest rate. The motion passed 7 to 0.

Police Chief Chad Williams moved into a first reading of a resolution that would authorize and appoint the Interim City Manager to submit an application to the Office of the Governor, Criminal

Justice Division to solicit funding from the CESF for PPE and supplies for use by the BSPD, Sheriff's Office and Detention Center, and EMS to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus. According to Williams, the state has not yet released funding due to needing appropriate approval from the City Manager. A motion was made to approve the resolution in a unanimous vote.

Williams also led the first reading of a resolution authorizing and appointing the Interim City Manager to submit an application to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division, for a grant to secure funding for negotiators crisis response throw phone. A motion was made to approve the resolution and was passed unanimously.

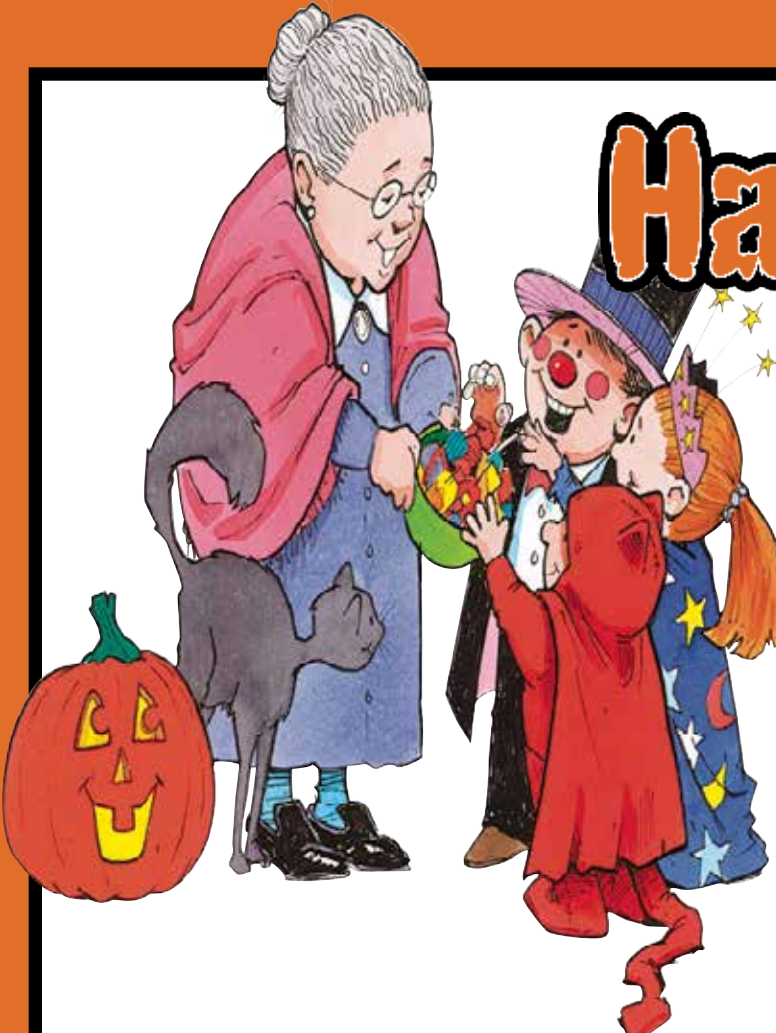
City Attorney Andrew Hagen began discussion over the first reading of an ordinance regarding a "Reasonable Accommodations Policy" in order to establish a policy to address grievances concerning accessibility to city services and designating the City Manager or His/Her Designee as the ADA Coordinator. Hagen noted that this ordinance would allow for the City Manager to hear grievances regarding ADA instead of only the City Council. Council member DePauw motioned to approve the

ordinance and was seconded by Council member McDonald. The motion passed in a 7 to 0 vote.

A first reading of an ordinance that would increase the General Fund Budget for the purchase of an upgraded city ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) software system and the application for reimbursement for the Coronavirus Relief Fund from the State of Texas Cares Act was then discussed by Moore. Moore mentioned the software would be an extensive upgrade to the dated software system and would allow for easier use for city staff, accessibility, and documentation. The motion passed unanimously.

Also led by Moore, the first reading of an ordinance that would increase the Utility Fund Budget to be used for additional equipment and the General Fund Budget to be used for a new server was discussed. The ordinance is an annual lease financing package from last year and would need to be bought in order to use the newly approved software system, according to Moore. The ordinance was approved in a 7 to 0 vote.

Lastly, the Council considered and passed the Amendment Five to the agreement for Fleet Management and Maintenance Services with Vector Fleet Management, LLC.



Halloween Safety Checklist

Costumes

- ✓ Wear flame-retardant materials.
- ✓ Avoid billowy costumes.
- ✓ Wear white or light-colored costumes (use reflective materials in the evening).
- ✓ Avoid wigs (they can burst into flames).
- ✓ Makeup is safer than masks.
- ✓ If you are wearing a mask, take it off between trick-or-treat stops.
- ✓ Avoid oversized shoes.
- ✓ Props such as magic wands and swords should be cardboard, not metal or wood.
- ✓ Carry a flashlight.
- ✓ Avoid jack-o-lanterns illuminated by candles.
- ✓ Avoid dogs (even your own dog may be frightened by your costume)

Trick-or-Treat Dos and Don'ts

- ✓ Parents should set rules, such as boundaries and curfews, and enforce them.
- ✓ Young children should be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult.
- ✓ Older children who are not accompanied by parents or adults should travel with friends.
- ✓ Stay in your own neighborhood and only go to those homes which are well lit.
- ✓ Do not go into a building or home to accept a treat.
- ✓ Have parents check treats before opening them.
- ✓ Have a parent or other adult cut all fruit and candy into sections before eating them.

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