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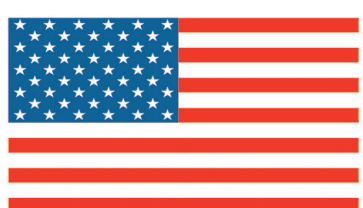
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City Council to hear final reading of zoning ordinance amendments

Second Amendment Stronghold designation on agenda

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

The Big Spring City Council will convene Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 307 E. Fourth St. Community members are encouraged to attend in person, or via telecommunication on Channel 17 through Suddenlink, or on the website at <http://my-bigspring.com/224/Channel-17-Live>.

During the public comment section, those in attendance may address the Council with five minutes allotted for each person. Those unable to attend the

meeting who wish to address the Council may do so by calling 432-264-2411.

At the beginning of the meeting, a public hearing will be held regarding consideration of zone change from Light Industrial District to Planned Development District for Temporary Workforce Housing on a tract of 18.141 acres located in section 25, T&P RR Co. Survey, Abstract 314, Howard County, Texas. Z-21-01.

As part of his City Manager's Report, Todd Darden will discuss plans for the upcoming rollout of new logos on City vehicles. Darden will provide a staff-

ing update regarding the positions of finance director, streets superintendent, and streets supervisor, as well as the code compliance department being full staffed. An overview of the new 2021 building codes and 2020 electrical code will be presented to the council, before discussion takes place on early voting dates. Early voting is set for April 19 through April 27 at the Howard County Courthouse. Large Item Pick Up is set for April 21. A reminder will also be given regarding the temporary waiver

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Upcoming Events
Health Info Expo
 Downtown
 April 24

Johnson & Johnson
vaccination clinic
 April 12 - 14
 SMMC
 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Johnson & Johnson
vaccination clinic
 April 15-16
 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Stand Up For Children
 April 15
 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
 SMMC front lawn
 Help raise awareness for child abuse and provide a voice to those who feel like they don't have one

April 15
Thank a Veteran Day
 Take a moment and say Thank You for the sacrifices made by these brave men and women

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A Moment in History

A home without a family – Brennand House

Editor's Note:
 The Heritage Museum shares tidbits of history with the Big Spring Herald readers each week in an effort to preserve the history that built the communities foundation. The Heritage Museum offers insight into the numerous industries that have been built in Howard County. For those wanting to find out more about history regarding Pioneers in Big Spring, cowboy and ranching history or even just see historical pieces of previous residents, stop by the Heritage Museum Tuesday through Saturday.



Courtesy photo

By **TAMMY SCHRECENGOST**
 Heritage Museum

It is a little ironic that a large family can live in a crowded, unassuming home yet have it filled with love, laughter, and happiness, the walls offering comfort and security during the good times and bad. However, a large stately home can be built and never have love and memories shared within those walls, becoming just a sad, lonely dwelling that could have taken on an

The W.H. Brennand house was noted as one of the 'most beautiful' ever built in Big Spring. Many families lived in the house, but none called it a home.

entirely different existence. One of the most beautiful homes ever built in Big Spring was by W.H. Brennand in the spring of 1901. Brennand bought a half section of land and chose a 6.9-acre area to build his home. The house was built

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Forsan ISD to meet Monday evening for routine agenda

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**
 Managing Editor

The Forsan ISD Board of Trustees will meet this evening at 6 o'clock in the Junior High/High School Campus Library, located at 411 W. 6th Street in Forsan.

The meeting will begin with the invocation and pledge followed by a call to order and establishment of a quorum. There will be a moment for public comment before recognitions of visitors, including the One Act Play cast and members of the Powerlifting team.

As part of the Administrator's Report, the Board will hear from the JH/HS Principal and Elementary Principal before hearing the technology report. Superintendent Randy Johnson will deliver the enrollment report along with the facilities report before providing information on board training and the annual report of board member continuing education credits. An update will also be provided regarding the School Health Advisory Council Report and a preview of future agenda items. Board members will hear a staffing report before moving onto information pertaining to graduation. The board will discuss the Teacher Incentive Allotment and hear an update on the Howard County Appraisal District.

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Local Work Group meeting hosted by Natural Resource Conservation Services and HSWCD

By **JUDY TERELETSKY**
 Howard SWCD District Clerk

Each year, the Natural Resource Conservation Services (NRCS) and Howard Soil and Water Conservation District (HSWCD) hold a Local Work Group meeting to receive public comment and to identify and prioritize conservation concerns facing the farmers and ranchers of Howard County. This year's meeting will be held April 19 at 3 p.m. at the G.C. Broughton Agriculture Complex on the Howard College campus. Natural resources of air, water, plants, animals and soil are impacted by climate and people. What the agriculture community does to conserve these vital resources is an ongoing project.

Every time Howard County is visited by blowing dust, the need to prevent soil erosion and protect our air quality comes to mind. Windbreak trees help to control wind erosion. Air quality is greatly affected by local residents' care of the soil. Soil quality is vital for plant growth, which provides food and cover for wildlife, filters water, and, of course, grows the crops that we rely on to survive. There are a great many conservation practices used to protect natural resources. Mod-

ern farmers and ranchers plant cover crops, practice contour farming and control brush, to name a few.

The Local Work Group is an important means to gather information on conservation issues of our local landowners. By responding to the following three questions, you can help HSWCD and NRCS understand conservation issues that may need to be addressed. The Group needs to know:

- 1) Have you identified any conservation issues on your land?
- 2) Have you seen any conservation issues around Howard county?
- 3) Can you identify any area or land in the county that you feel would benefit most from assistance?

You can provide your responses by mail (HSWCD, 302 W. Hwy I-20, Suite 101, Big Spring, Tx 79720) or by phone (432-267-1871 Ext. 3), email (howard@swcd.texas.gov), or attend the meeting in person.

Once again, the meeting is scheduled at 3 p.m. on April 19 at the G. C. Broughton Ag Complex. located at Kentucky Way and Grafa St. on the Howard College campus. For more information, please feel free to contact HSWCD at 432-267-1871 extension 3.

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Obituaries

Uriel Talamantes



Uriel Talamantes was born on June 19, 1988, and went to be with the Lord at 7:27 a.m. on April 7, 2021.

Uriel repented and accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior on March 7, 2021. His 11 year old son, Uriel Talamantes Jr. will carry on his legacy! Everyone knew Uriel as "Pepe", his nickname given to him since 8th grade. He loved football and supported the Garden City Bearkats with his donations contributed through his company JT West Texas Fence and Welding, which was established by his dad Jose Talamantes Sr.

Pepe walked by his mom Gloria Cruz Talamantes

into his peaceful passing by speaking about his desires to be completed as soon as he was to go to be with the Lord. Gloria stood by him every day until his last breath, along side his son Uriel Jr, his big sister Cynthia Ann Talamantes, his older brother Jose "Tony" Talamantes Jr. and his dad Jose Talamantes Sr.

All his childhood friends stood beside "Pepe" like real "brother's" should. His celebration has been orchestrated by everyone who loved him.

Visitation will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Tuesday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A prayer service will be at 6:30 p.m. at Myers & Smith Chapel. An additional memorial service will be held at a later date.

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

Paid Obituary

Bennie Roberts

Bennie Roberts, 69, of Big Spring died Friday, April 9, 2021. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Support Groups

MONDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees It, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

TUESDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

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

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible? There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. The next session begin Sept. 3, 2019. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

WEDNESDAY

• Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-860

Submit your Support Group information to be included or updated. Email information to editor@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.



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Take Note

• April Mental Health First Aid classes will be taking place: April 8 In-person MHFA Public Safety - Gaines County; April 9 Youth Mental Health First Aid; April 16 - In-person Adult MHFA - Howard College; April 26 - Youth Mental Health First Aid; April 28 - Adult Mental Health First Aid
April 29 - Youth Mental Health First Aid

• Forsan Food Pantry will be open twice a month from 4:15 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. Families who are in need can pull up to the front doors of the Junior High/High School and receive a free box of pre-packed meals. If you have any questions or need to pick up a box at a different time, contact Kaci Wash at 432-457-2223 ext 821 or Jenny Sayles at jennysales@yahoo.com.

• Cub Scouts meet Monday from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Naz Family Church, located at 1400 S. Lancaster.

• Howard County Republican Club meets the second Monday of each month in the Cactus Room at Howard College. The next meeting will be held in the newly renovated Cactus Room. Everyone is welcome. The meeting takes place at Noon. For more information call 432-213-7628.

• A new group named Taking Care of Business has started in Howard County. It is made up of people of all ages and genders who want to be better than they are. The focus of the fledgling organization is to engage in meaningful discussions that promote personal growth. Additionally, the organization will plan and execute worthwhile activities within the community. There is no membership fee and attendance is not taken. The only requirements are that you be positive or want to be more positive than you are, consider yourself to be a good person but want to be better than you are, and that you have a desire to help others be better too. Childcare is available during the discussion time if you let us know. Topics to be avoided include Religion and Politics, though we can dance around them.

Taking Care of Business meets

in the Masonic Lodge on the court square. It is not necessary that you have any masonic affiliation to participate in this Growth Group. All Covid-19 safety protocols will be followed as defined by local, state, and federal authorities. At this time refreshments will not be served but you are welcome to bring your own and not share. The meetings take place at 219 South Main Big Spring, Texas. For more information write to Colonel.Allen.M.Morris@Gmail.com or just come to the meeting.

• The Howard County Library meeting rooms will be opening up - at limited capacity - on Feb. 1. There will only be five people allowed in the small room and 15 in the large room and can only be used by appointment only by community organizations. No parties or social gatherings will be allowed at this time. For more information, call the Howard County Library.

• The Senior Supper Club has come out of hibernation to resume its normal Tuesday evening dinners. The Come-One-Come-All group will be meeting on Tuesdays at 5 p.m. and orders will be placed around 5:30 p.m. after much socializing from a distance. The group will be meeting March 30 at Cowboys. The Senior Supper Club is an informal group of folks from Howard County who meet at least weekly and sometimes more for Dutch-Treat food at different area restaurants. Sometimes the group also meets for cards, dominoes, or desserts and fellowship. For more information, contact Colonel.Allen.M.Morris@Gmail.com.

• St. Vincent de Paul will be open the following dates beginning November 2020. Food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and other assistance will be suspended at this time, but will resume on Dec. 17. Distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at

SVDP Building. In December 2020, the food distribution will continue the 2nd Thursday as scheduled. SVDP will be closed from December 18 through January 7, 2021.

• Permian Basin Multiple Sclerosis Support Group for information, encouragement and support. The group meets monthly on the Second Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Express at 5321 John Ben Sheppard Parkway, Odessa. If you or someone you know has been touched by MS, or if you are just interested in more information please feel to contact Gary Tidwell at garyl-teagle1987@gmail.com.

• VFW Post 2013 meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. New members are being sought. The Post is located at 500 Driver Rd. Qualified veterans, those who have served in a foreign war, who are interested in joining the VFW are encouraged to attend a meeting to find out more information.

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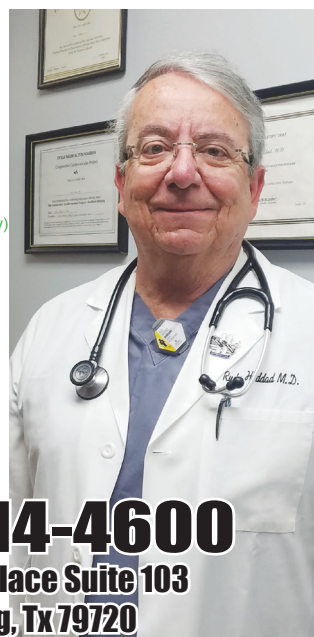
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by the governor of vehicle title and registration requirements that is ending on April 14. The Council will also hear agendas for the Charter Review Special Committee Meetings.

As part of the Consent Agenda, approval of the City Council meeting minutes from March 23 and March 25, 2021, will be up for approval, as well as the final reading of a resolution designating authorized signatories for contractual documents and documents for requesting Texas Community Development Block Grant Program funds. The Council will hear the final reading of a resolution adopting plans, policies and procedures supporting the civil rights of all persons affected by the CDBG Projects; final reading of an ordinance amending the Big Spring Zoning Ordinance Article 2 "Definitions" Section 2-1 "Definition of Words and Terms" by adding a new definition "Short-Term Rental" and amending Article 7 "Special Applications" Section 7-2 "Specific Use Permits" Subsection (b) 8 to add short-term rentals to those uses requiring a specific use permit, along with the final reading amending Article 4 "Development Standards" and amending Article 6 "District Regulations" Section 6-6 "Districts and Permitted Uses" to clarify the application of setbacks in all zoning districts. The final reading of an ordinance "Building and Building Regulations" by amending Article V entitled "Manufactured Housing and Mobile Homes" section 12-154 and 12155 to clarify replacement manufactured home must be HUD-Code certified. A final reading of an ordinance pertaining to the annual budget will also be up for approval.

As part of other business, the Council will hear the final reading of the ordinance "Development Standards" Section 4-6 "Special Carport Excep-

tion" subsection (e) to remove certain restrictions on front yard carports; amending article 8 entitled "Supplemental Use Standards" Section 8-1 "Accessory Uses" subsection (d) to regulate carports in the side and rear yards. The final reading of the ordinance amending zoning regarding "Travel Trailer or Recreational Vehicle" to prohibit travel trailers and recreational vehicles as living quarters except with a specific use permit will also be discussed and possibly approved.

The Council will hear the first reading of an ordinance amending ordinance No. 048-2020 adopted the reasonable accommodations policy of the City of Big Spring in order to add authority to the City Manager to waive a legal duty imposed on a citizen by an ordinance if doing so would result in a reasonable accommodation.

A first reading of an ordinance authorizing Z-21-01 amending the Big Spring Zoning Ordinance by rezoning approximately 18.141 acres of an approximate 50 acre tract out of Sect 25 T&P RR Co. Survey Abstract No. 314 in Big Spring, Howard County located on the west side of the North Highway 87 from Light Industrial to Planned Development temporary workforce housing.

A resolution approving a trespass enforcement authorization program; authorizing Chief of Police to enter into trespass enforcement agreements with private property owners making other findings and provisions related to the subject.

Council will hear the first reading of a resolution expressing support of the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution, its refusal to accept, fund, or participate in unconstitutional restrictions on legal gun ownership, and declaring the City of Big Spring, Texas, to be a "Second Amendment Stronhold".

Other items on the agenda include:

- Vouchers for 03/25/2021; 04/01/2021; 04/08/2021

• Tabled discussion of the first reading of a resolution regarding amendments to the Big Spring Economic Development Corporation concerning directors, officers and employees.

• Convention and Visitors Board meeting minutes from March 2, 2021

• City Attorney's written report on litigation and claims against city (privileged)

• Possible authorization for Nati Saldivar and Albert Cavasos to seek grants for Fire Station 4 and bring back to the Council for approval

• Possible agreement with the YMCA for life-guards at the Russ McEwen Aquatic Center

• Possible action to authorize city staff to pursue cost-sharing airport improvement projects through TxDOT Aviation and to engage a consulting firm to assist in preparing a letter of interest to TxDOT.

• Emergency readings of resolutions regarding the submission of a Texas Community Development Block Grant Program application; a resolution declaring that an area of the City contains conditions which are detrimental to the public's health safety and to the welfare of the community and constitutes a slum/blighted area; and a resolution authorizing submission of Texas Community Development Block Grant program application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for the Downtown Revitalization Program Fund.

In a planned executive session, the Council will discuss disciplinary rules of professional conduct to discuss economic development negotiations. The Council will reconvene in open session to take any action deemed necessary from the Executive Session before the meeting adjourns for the evening.

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HOME

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on top of a hill "Out Yonder" away from Big Spring's townsite on Garden City Road. The street was soon named Jack and then Lancaster.

Brennand was a cattle rancher but decided to operate a mercantile during a time when Joseph and William Fisher decided to lease their mercantile and return to their home in Terre Haute Ind.

However, Brennand found out he was a rancher at heart, and when the Fishers returned after a short absence, he was more than happy to turn the store back over to them. In 1909, Mr. Brennand disposed of his business interests in Big Spring and moved his family north. He sold the stately home to A.E. Pool, President of the First National Bank. Mr. Pool sold the property to C.W. Saunders in 1925. Saunders was the owner of the Wyoming Hotel located at 100 Scurry Street. After three short years, Saunders' home was sold to the Forsan Townsite Company, of which Clayton Stewart was the leading figure.

Over the years the home was rented out to several different tenants. Mrs. Alfred Moody, who lived in the house for a short time with her husband, said, "It was a lovely old home. Everyone who had spent time there, recalled their love for it. It had double sliding (pocket) doors, huge rooms, and three fireplaces. In the back of the home were wonderful willows and cottonwoods." Mrs. Moody added, "The materials in the house were exceptional. The porch had number-one-grade tongue-and-groove pine in dimensions no longer made."

The house sat on foundations high enough to permit a man to walk underneath. The moldings and

woodwork inside were unique, as well as the circular windows with mosaic of prism glass. In the downstairs area there was a large L-shaped hall which began with the main entrance on the east, and elbowed to a second entrance on the south. To the north of the hall was a big parlor with a fireplace; to the south were two large rooms, one with another fireplace. On the west side of the hallway was the dining room, with a large fireplace and a bay window. Adjoining were the kitchen and auxiliary rooms, and on the northwest were bedrooms. Double sliding pocket doors were so arranged that much of the home could be opened into what resembled one vast room for social gatherings. There were eight large rooms on the bottom floor with an attic that was never completed. The ceilings were 10 to 12 feet high. Windows, all with brick arches and sandstone sills, were six to eight feet tall. Sturdy gutters (with downspouts once leading to the cistern) rimmed the eaves of the steep roof, rising to a picturesque cupola. Lightning rods adorned the peaks. A porch wrapped from the bay window on the southwest corner to the northeast corner. This was supported by 15 stately columns. Entrance steps were of Pecos sandstone. Behind the home (west) was a small playhouse for little Annie Lou Brennand. To the south stood a stately red barn. Early mechanical inventions were incorporated. By pressing buggy wheels, the entrance gates would automatically open. West of the home was a canyon where Mr. Brennand built a dam to provide water for his livestock. There he planted willows and cottonwoods inside the rim.

The Pool family moved, and the Saunders found the home too large, as they did not have children. It was chopped up into apartments during the 1930s, and it continued to have a revolving door of rent-

ers. Cars were parking next to the doors for easy access and there was no resemblance of a yard. Abandoned appliances, trash and vehicles started becoming the landscape at 1300 Lancaster. The house started to become the target for vandalism even while renters were inside. Planks of wood were plied loose, bricks gouged out from the walls, and windows broken.

The owner, Clayton Stewart, made the decision to have the home torn down as it had become a liability and danger.

The house was torn down in February of 1962.

Joe Pickle wisely commented "Perhaps it is fitting that this once proud place has been spared the indignity of destruction at the hands of vandals, who did what time couldn't do."

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As part of the consent agenda the board will look to approve minutes of March 8 and the monthly financials - Rev & Exp Report, Investment Report and Activity Report - along with a list of bills. Discussion will take place on Pre-K Instructional materials. Discussion will take place on instructional materials allotment/TEKS verification.

The 2021-2022 Budget will also be discussed by the Board of Trustees before the topic switches to personnel. Up for discussion and possible approve

includes: renew elementary teacher contracts, JH/HS teacher contracts and termination of probationary contracts. Discussion will also take place regarding the Forsan ISD board contracting with Region 18 Education Service Center to support, consult and assist the Forsan ISD Board as they conduct the superintendent search, approve and post the superintendent job vacancy description and search timeline as presented.

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Big Spring Steers fall to 2-7 in District play with recent loss to San Angelo Lake View



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The Big Spring Steers Baseball team headed out to San Angelo to face off against Lake View in a District game. After battling it out on the field, the Steers fell short and lost to San Angelo Lake View falling to a season record of 11-13-1 and 2-7 in District.

By DUSTIN POPE
Herald Sports Writer

This past Friday night, the Steers Baseball team took on the San Angelo Lake View Chiefs in a District game. Big Spring was looking to even up the week series as they lost earlier in the week to the same Lake view team in San Angelo by a final score of 6 to 9. Unfortunately, it wasn't meant to be as the Chiefs played well and defeated the young Steer team 11 to 6. The Loss will make the season record fall to 11-13-1 and 2-7 in District.

It was a typical West Texas windy Friday night at the Steers ballpark as the Steers took the field under the Friday night lights. Sophomore pitcher Ricky Escovedo took the bump for the Steers. The game's first came when Escovedo made the first batter ground the ball right back to him for the easy put out at the first base. As the second batter for the chiefs came to the box, he hit a hard ground ball to third base, where the Steers third baseman struggled to make the play, allowing the runner to reach first safely. The running game on the basepaths was vital for the chiefs in this game, as they ran early and often. The chiefs player that was on first was able to go first to third on a passed ball. This put a runner on third with only one out. The third batter on the inning for San Angelo was hit by a pitch allowing him to advance. He would then steal second base, giving the chiefs runners on second and third still with only one out. As the inning continued, the Chiefs scored the first two runs of the game when they had a player smash a single to left field, scoring both runners.

The chiefs did an excellent job making Escovedo work in the first inning as they kept the pitcher busy. The Chiefs scored one more run to take an early 3 to 0 lead. The top of the first ended when Escovedo was able to pick off the runner on first base. The Steers did a great job limiting the Chiefs to just three runs in the inning. The Steers tried to answer back in the bottom of the first when Josh Miramontes cracked a hard-hit double. He was followed by Escovedo, who worked a walk when the chief pitcher had a wild pitch. The wild pitch allowed Miramontes to move up to third, giving the Steers runners on first and third with two outs. Despite having a runner in scoring position Big Spring failed to drive home the run. The score was Lake View 3 Steers 0 after one inning.

Escovedo settled down in his second inning of work. The Chiefs did get some runners on base and continued to steal bases when they had chances. Still, the Steers overcame a defensive error on the inning, not allowing any runners to cross the plate. The bottom of the second began with a Quick strike out for the Steers. That was followed by Eli Cobos having a great at-bat and earning a walk to get to first base. That brought up the speedy Center Fielder Pablito Dehoyos to the plate. The speedster nailed a hard-hit single to advance Cobos to Second base. Senior Kyler Seymore was next in line and had a single hit deep enough to score Eli Cobos, giving the Steers their first run of the game. On the same play, Dehoyos was tagged out at third when he overran the bag leaving him in no man's land, making it an easy second out for the Chiefs. Leadoff man and the hardest worker on the team, Maverick Yanez, stepped into the box and took a walk on a great at-bat. That brought up Josh Miramontes; he had a battling at-bat. During his at-bat, the Chiefs pitcher threw a wild pitch that allowed Seymore and Yanez to advance. A few pitches later, Miramontes also took a well-deserved walk to load the bases. Unfortunately, the Steers couldn't take advantage of the opportunity and grounded out to first end the threat.

As the top of the third kicked off, the Chiefs still enjoyed a two-run lead with a score of 3 to 1. San Angelo kept up the excellent play in the inning, making the young Steer pitcher work every at-bat. The Chief's leadoff man reached base on a single. He was able to advance to third when the Steers had an error. After Escovedo struck out a Chief batter first the first out of the inning. The Chiefs were able to push across the runner at third to take a 4 to 1 lead. The Steers pretty much shut down the Chiefs in the inning after the scoring run. The bottom of the third brought no luck for the Steers as they did manage to load the bases once more with only one out. But the Chiefs pitcher went on to strike out the next two Steer batters to once again end the threat.

San Angelo has a lead of 4 to 1 as the top of the fourth began. This was Escovedo's best inning as he had a quick inning, not allowing any runs to cross the plate. Trailing by three runs, the Steers knew they needed to make a move this inning; they had to chip away at the lead to have a shot at this game. After a quick out, Miramontes took a walk on five pitches. Isaiah Diaz then came up to the plate and delivered a hard-hit line drive for a single that moved Miramontes to second base. Pitcher Rickey Escovedo then had a perfect sacrifice fly to left field that advanced Miramontes to third. With two out and runners at the corners, the Steers once again had a chance to score some runs. As Catcher Marcus Paredes came to the plate, the freshman had an impressive plate appearance battling every pitch. The Chiefs pitcher eventually threw a wild pitch that allowed Miramontes to score, tightening the lead to 4 to 2. Paredes finally won out the at-bat and earned a walk. Senior Isaiah Solis took a walk to load the bases once again for the Steers making this the third inning in a row for the Steers to load the bases. Eli Cobos was next to the plate; he could score a run and reach base when the Chiefs short-stop bobbled a ground ball allowing everyone to reach safely; that made the lead 3 to 4. The Steers were in striking distance once again to tie the game or maybe even take the lead, but the Chiefs pitcher was up to the task as he struck out a Steer to end the inning. The Steers left the bases loaded for the third time in a row, squandering yet another opportunity.

The Steers had cut the lead to one as the fifth inning began. The San Angelo Chiefs bats came alive once again in the top of the fifth when they could score four runs in the inning. San Angelo took advantage of some errors from the Steers defense added with aggressive base running. The Steers struggled in the inning, and the Chiefs capitalized. With a four-run inning, the Chiefs pushed the lead to 8 to 3. The Steer knew they had to answer back after the big inning from San Angelo, and that's just what they did. This Steers team showed its fight when they went on to score three runs of their own. The inning started with Seymore getting a single to reach base. Yanez then followed with a single of his own. With runners on first and second, the Steers had something cooking after a quick out. First, Baseman Isaiah Diaz delivered a hard-hit double that drove home both Sey-

more and a hustling Yanez, who beat a throw to the plate that cut the lead to 5 to 8. Diaz would do some great base running when he could advance to third on a passed ball. Just a pitch later, the young Diaz made another great decision on the basepaths when he was able to score from third on a wild pitch cutting the lead even more now it was 6 to 8.

In the sixth inning, The Steers had a very quick inning, not allowing the Chiefs to get anything going. Only trailing by two runs heading into the bottom of the sixth proved to be a pivotal inning for the Steers. Eli Cobos Started things off with a single. Dehoyos was next to the plate, and after another great bat from the Steers, he also worked a walk. After a ground out that advanced the runners, the Steers found themselves with runners on second and third with only one out. That brought up Yanez once again in a pivotal spot. After battling his way to a full count, a pitch that should have sent Yanez to first as ball four, a pitch that somehow called a strike by the umpire behind the plate. Everyone in the stands let the umpire know how they felt about the call, and Steers head coach Daniel Carrillo had a "friendly" discussion with him. It was called a strike that made the Steers have two outs on the inning instead of bases loaded with only one out. The Chief pitcher went on to strike out the Steers' next batter leaving the score at 6 to 8 for the Lake View Chiefs.

The seventh inning is where the Chiefs put the nail in the coffin. They were able to score three more runs in the inning to increase the lead to 11 to 6. The lead was just too much for the Steers to overcome as they dropped another district game and the second of the week to the Lake View Chiefs.

Big Spring showed fight in this game and the game earlier in the week. The young Steers still have six games left in this season, which is enough time to turn this around and get into the playoffs. The next game will be in Levelland this Tuesday night, and lets hope the boys can get a win under their belt

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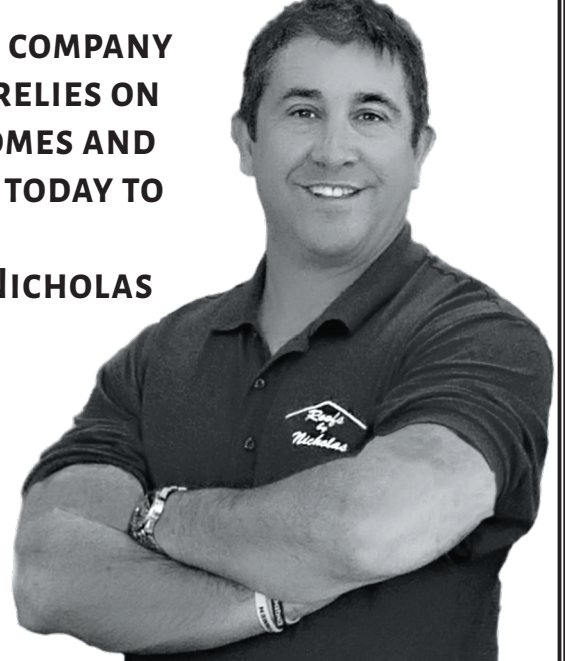
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GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It's as though there's a plot inside the plot. You not only understand the action; you understand what's going on under the action, and that's the level to engage with.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). The only opponent you have today is inside you -- a persistent and unhelpful voice. Acknowledge it and set it free like you would an unqualified job applicant. "Thank you for applying. We're going a different direction..."

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You're in an imaginative mood, and you will apply great creativity to your love life. The one who is really in tune with you is practically a mind reader, and it's nice that you don't have to overstate things to communicate clearly.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). The right amount of space -- that's the magic ingredient that makes the dance of relationships work. Negotiating that space is best done through movement and tuning in to subtle cues (not words).

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). The attributes you want to infuse your life with exist in the people you adore, admire and study. You have the same qualities, though some have been muted. You'll unmute and amplify them today.

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS (April 12). Now more than ever, you are the captain of your own ship, with an entire crew working to make things go smoothly. As involved as they may be with their own journeys, when you need support, it's all hands on deck. Don't be afraid to delegate, seek mentorship and absorb the kind of care that will be heaped on you. Taurus and Scorpio adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 22, 38, 17 and 6.



SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Limiting beliefs are like tinted glasses that color your whole view. Looking for the culprits "out there" won't work. The light will pour in once you reach up and pull the problem from your own head.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The muscle of willpower is like other muscles. It needs a warmup, and there's a period of peak performance before it gets fatigued and burns out. It would be silly to blame yourself for not having more of a finite quantity.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You'll make mischief, though not out of a desire for rebellion; rather, you'd like to lighten the mood with the sort of playfulness that is the very effervescence of life.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Those who are not self-aware are also not going to be aware of you, and you are wise to set your expectations accordingly. At the art of calibrating your expectations, you are becoming an aficionado.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). An acute and nostalgic pang will accompany your thoughts about the gathering aspects of life, and you'll spend time making grand plans for better eras.

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COSMIC QUESTION: "I want to go to the movies with him and only him. He's the only one I want to hang out with. We are soul mates. I don't think there's anyone else in the world for me. I need him. Why doesn't he know this? We are both Scorpios."

It sounds like you are confusing your needs with your wants. Here's how you can tell the difference: A need is common to all in a species. Plants need water. Some species need daily water; some need only a few drops. Getting the right amount is a life-and-death situation for the plant. Whether the plant is watered from a sprinkler or an underground well or an eye dropper doesn't matter. The need is water.

People need companionship, and they need connection. You may prefer the company of one person to another, because the connection works for you, but that does not mean that person is the only one who will fill the need for companionship and connection. Branch out. The fixed nature of your sign can make you rigidly insistent that your needs are met in only the way you've set your mind to. But there are other factors involved. Loosen your grip on the controls of reality. Open up to the possibilities.

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Famous Hand

East dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 5
♥ A Q 8 4
♦ Q J 10 8 6
♣ 10 6 3

WEST
♠ Q 10 7
♥ 9 7 6 5 3 2
♦ 3
♣ A 5 4

EAST
♠ K J 6 4 2
♥ K J 10
♦ 4
♣ Q 9 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A 9 8 3
♥ —
♦ A K 9 7 5 2
♣ K J 8

The bidding:
East South West North
Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥
1♠ 2♦ 3♠ 5♦
Pass 5♠ Pass 6♦
Opening lead — five of hearts.

On this deal from the 1989 world team championship final, the United States picked up a substantial swing when Chip Martel and Lew Stansby bid a slam that was missed by their Brazilian counterparts at the other table.

Martel was North and Stansby South in the auction shown. Stansby's two diamond rebid was a bit conservative, but he made up for it

later by carrying on to slam after Martel's leap to five diamonds. Indeed, Stansby's five-spade cuebid was an attempt to reach a grand slam if his partner had the right hand. But Martel understandably decided that he had already done his all, so he signed off at six.

West led a heart, and declarer tried dummy's queen. Stansby ruffed East's king, cashed the ace of spades and ruffed a spade. He then led a trump to the king, ruffed another spade, ruffed a heart and ruffed his last spade. A club was discarded on the ace of hearts, and a club was led toward the K-J.

Declarer might seem to have a pure guess as to whether to play the king or jack of clubs after East follows low. In actuality, though, Stansby had much more to go on. The play to this point had revealed that East started with five spades to the K-J and the K-J-10 of hearts. If he also held the ace of clubs, he would surely have opened the bidding rather than pass initially. So Stansby played the jack of clubs, and the slam was home.

At the other table, the Brazilian North-South pair rested quietly in five diamonds, giving the Americans a 500-point (11-IMP) gain on the deal.

Tomorrow: Playing the odds.

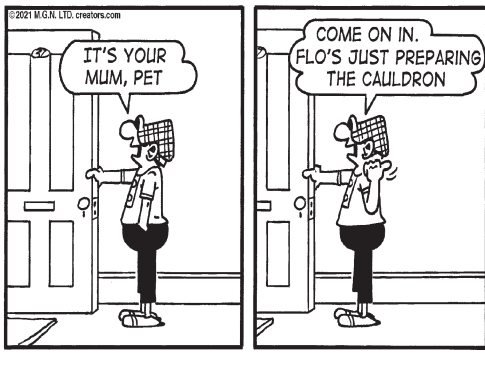
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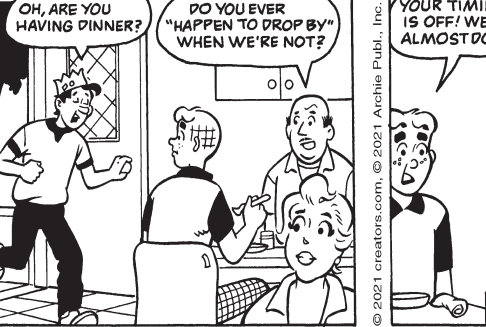
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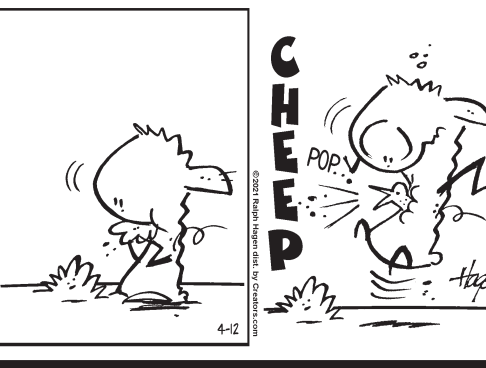
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This Date In History

Today in History: Today is Monday, April 12, the 102nd day of 2021. There are 263 days left in the year.

In 2009, American cargo ship captain Richard Phillips was rescued from Somali pirates by U.S. Navy snipers...

for the coronavirus. Former golfer Doug Sanders died in Houston at 86; he was a four-time runner-up in a major...

(Steppenwolf) is 77. Actor Ed O'Neill is 75. Actor Dan Lauria is 74. Talk show host David Letterman is 74...

musician Will Sergeant (Echo & the Bunnymen) is 63. Rock singer Art Alexakis (al-ex-AH'-kihs) (Everclear) is 59...

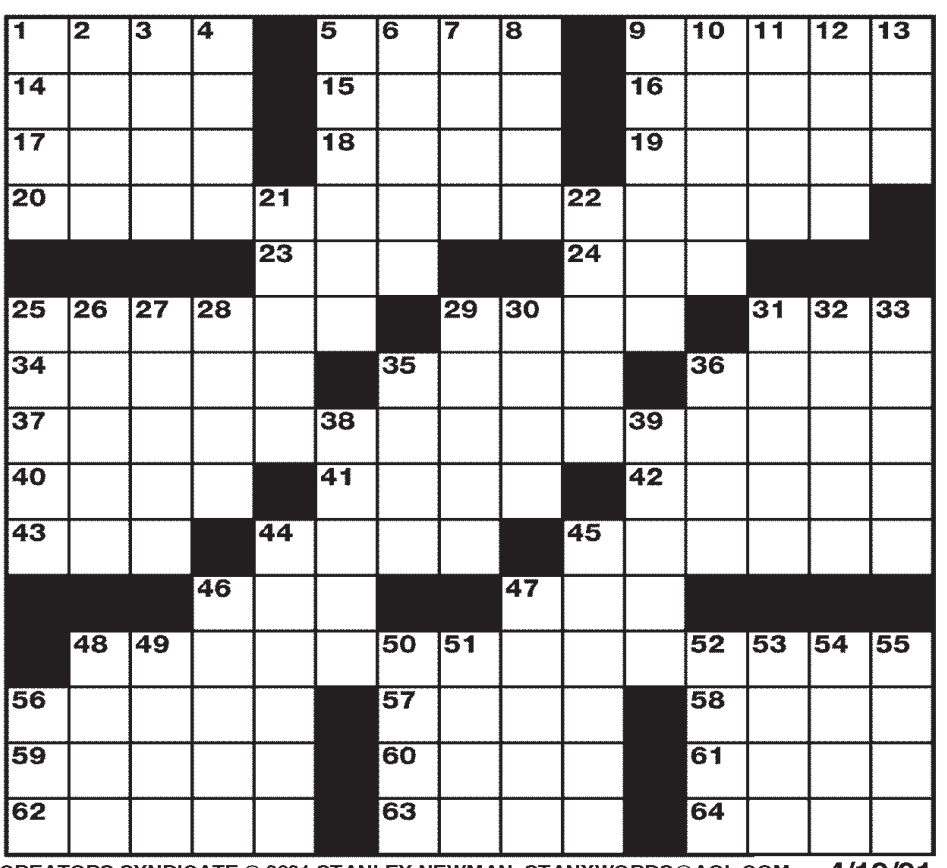
Guy Berryman (Coldplay) is 43. Actor Riley Smith is 43. Actor Claire Danes is 42...

Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS
1 Auto wheel
5 Cable service "save for later" devices: Abbr.
9 Book of maps
14 Operatic solo
15 Fishing rod's spool
16 Icy windshield coating
17 2,000-pound measures
18 Vampire novelist Rice
19 Not safe to do
20 White, baked sweets
23 S&L's outdoor device
24 Tell a fib
25 Don't stop at
29 Clumsy person
31 Grass bought in rolls
34 Without assistance
35 Easier said ___ done
36 Basic unit of heredity
37 White, frozen sweet
40 Give off, as light
41 Farmland measure
42 Math proportion
43 Physician, for short
44 Wheat or corn
45 Newly invigorated
46 "You're it!" kids' game
47 Assist
48 White, fried sweets
56 Motion picture
57 Apex
58 At the apex of

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- 10 Three-wheeler, for short
11 Misplace
12 Makes a request
13 Pigpen
21 Paper around a soup can
22 Biological duplicate
25 Covered with asphalt
26 San Antonio historic landmark
27 ___ boom (jet sound)
28 Grumpy mood
29 Parakeet sound
30 Shoestring
31 Take care of
32 Walking ___ (very happy)
33 Evil spirit
35 Crunchy Mexican food
36 Snatch quickly
38 Immense
39 Personal motto
44 West Point students
45 Bus passengers
46 Strong packaging string
47 Guy writing commercials
48 ___ stick (jumping toy)
49 Pizzeria appliance
50 Speed contest
51 Bounce back, as a sound
52 Bothers repeatedly
53 Salt Lake's state
54 Carryall bag
55 Went rapidly
56 "Welcome" rug



Answer to previous puzzle: CZECH DOBRO TOOTOO ECLAIR VAGRANT BEATNIK ASIA SQUAB TVIA MET TEAURNS MAT PROBOWLERS PELE AROSE HENRY QUICKANDDIRTY MONTH MOORS AMPS LIAMNEESON RIO DIARIES ENE ARE OBGYN FDIC TATTLEUR OOBLECK NICOLE ENTIRE CURSE SOUPS

In 1990, in its first meeting, East Germany's first democratically elected parliament acknowledged responsibility for the Nazi Holocaust...