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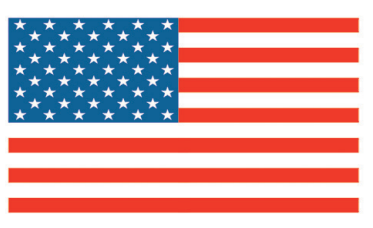
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## Big Spring Intermediate named Capturing Kids' Hearts school

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor

An atmosphere where students can thrive academically through the support of encouragement, excitement and creativity in learning is the path that leads to success for school districts. Recently, Big Spring Intermediate was nominated — for the second year in a row — as a candidate of the Capturing Kids' Hearts National Showcase program. The announcement was made earlier this week, and BSI learned that once again they have been recognized as a National Showcase School.

"We are honored to have this recognition back to back," Patsy Sanchez, Big Spring Intermediate Principal, said.

Students tend to thrive when surrounded by an atmosphere of encouragement, excitement and learning. Students at Big Spring Intermediate can attest to that. The school was first recognized in 2019-2020, and received the honor of Showcase School for 2019-2020. At the time there were only 69 schools in the State of Texas chosen for the honor.

"This year we were super excited to



Courtesy photo

**Mrs. Patsy Sanchez, BSI Intermediate Principal, and Mrs. Woodard are pictured receiving the news of BSI being named Capturing Kids' Hearts School for the second year in a row.**

find out we had been nominated again for the '20-'21 school year. Considering how negative some viewed 2020, this was definitely something positive for our campus," Patsy Sanchez, BSI Principal, said.

National Showcase Schools award program recognizes and celebrates schools

that represent going the extra mile. The Capturing Kids' Hearts award is helping to promote recognition of schools who are creating the social-emotional safety on school campuses that is conducive to learning. Schools are

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### Upcoming Events

**Early Voting**  
 Howard Co.  
 Courthouse  
 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
 until April 23  
**Extended voting**  
 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
 April 26-27

**The Jury Trial for**  
 May 12, 2021 at  
 9:00 a.m. in Judge  
 Averette's court has  
 been cancelled.  
**Only the Jury Trial**  
 for May 12 has been  
 cancelled.

**Health Info Expo**  
 Downtown Big  
 Spring.  
 More than 35  
 vendors will be  
 featured.  
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April 20  
**CASA of West Texas**  
 Open House

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## The Texas Tenors to perform live with Big Spring Symphony on Saturday at BSHS Auditorium



### Herald Staff Report

The Texas Tenors will be performing live in concert with the Big Spring Symphony on Saturday, April 24th.

"We are very excited to welcome these extremely talented and very popular performers to Big Spring for this exciting event," said Natalie Permenter, BSSO Publicist.

The Texas Tenors, often referred to as "America's Favorite Tenors", are the most successful music group and third-highest-selling artist in the history of America's Got Talent. Since appearing on the show in 2009, JC Fisher, Marcus Collins and John Hagen have released four studio albums, two PBS Specials, four DVDs, multiple singles and a children's book that have earned them impressive recognition, including three Emmy Awards, The Gelett Burgess Award for Excellence in Children's Literature and the distinction of being Billboard Magazine's 2019 No. 10 Classical Artist in the World. Their most recent albums "Rise" and "A Collection of Broadway and American Classics" both debuted at No. 1 on the Billboard Classical Chart.

These classically trained, versatile tenors have performed more than 1,400 concerts around the world including

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**The Texas Tenors, pictured above, will be performing with the Big Spring Symphony this weekend. Tickets are still available. The performance will be taking place at the Big Spring High School Auditorium.**

## SMMC to hold virtual and in-person hiring event

### Special to the Herald

SMMC

Healthcare workers are a vital part of keeping communities going as the pandemic continues. For those looking to begin a new career, job fairs offer an opportunity to view multiple positions at a time.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center — a Steward Family Hospital — will host a virtual and in-person hiring event for clinical and healthcare workers seeking new career opportunities on Wednesday, April 28, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. The event will allow applicants to apply either virtually or in person

through our online application process.

Recruiters will utilize video conferencing, phone interviews and in-person interviews to meet with candidates who are interested in furthering their career with Steward Health Care, the largest private, healthcare system in the United States. Recruiters will screen applicants and qualified candidates will immediately interview with the hiring manager for that position. This in-person hiring event will take place in SMMC's lobby, located at 1601 W. 11th Place in Big Spring.

Candidates may apply here or by visiting [www.scenicmountainmedicalcenter.org/careers](http://www.scenicmountainmedicalcenter.org/careers) and clicking the "Virtual Job Fair" tab.

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Scenic Mountain's hiring event is searching for candidates for multiple positions including:

- Medical Technologist
- CT Tech
- MRI Tech
- RN Behavioral Health
- RN ER
- RN ICU
- RN Med/Surg
- Respiratory Therapist

For more information on the virtual hiring event, call 432-582-8241 or [Cortney.Sebesta@steward.org](mailto:Cortney.Sebesta@steward.org).



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## Obituaries

### Ray Powell

Ray Powell, 72, of Big Spring, died Monday, April 19, 2021. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

## Take Note

American Legion Post 506 will be hosting a fish fry on Saturday, April 17 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for delivery; serving from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Plates will be \$10 each and can be picked up at 3202 W. Hwy 80 or call to place an order at 432-263-2084. Everyone is welcome.

Complex Community FCU in Big Spring will be hosting Community Shred Day on April 26 from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. Complex Community is located at 503 E. Farm to Market 700.

Russ McEwen Family Aquatic Center is set to open June 1 and close Aug. 7. The Aquatic Center will be open Tuesday through Saturdays from Noon until 8 p.m. and Sundays 1 p.m. until 8 p.m. and closed Mondays.

Dylan Marquez Memorial Scholarship applications are now being accepted. The deadline to apply is set at May 1, 2021. Applications can be submitted to [laverette@bsisd.esc18.net](mailto:laverette@bsisd.esc18.net). The scholarship was created to honor high school seniors from the Howard County area who are set to continue their education after graduating. This scholarship will be awarded annually to two students: one enrolled in an accredited university and one enrolled in a technical/vocational school. Each scholarship will equal \$2,500. In the event there is no recipient from the university or technical/vocational-tract, the selection committee shall have the authority to double the scholarship awarded to \$5,000 for one recipient.

Howard College is offering License to Carry Course with class dates set for April 17 and May 15. There is a maximum of 10 students per class; handgun and ammo not provided. Participants must be 21 years of age and have valid ID. Those taking the class will need 50 rounds of ammo and a handgun. Questions can be answered by contacting Dee Lindsey at 432-264-5641 or by e-mail at [dlindsey@howardcollege.edu](mailto:dlindsey@howardcollege.edu).

Howard College is offering Microsoft Excel I and II courses. Excel I classes are set for April 15, 20 and 22. Microsoft Excel II classes are set for April 27, 29, May 4 and 6. Questions can be answered by contacting Dee Lindsey at 432-264-5641 or by e-mail at [dlindsey@howardcollege.edu](mailto:dlindsey@howardcollege.edu).

April Mental Health First Aid classes will be taking place: 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 and Jenny Sayles at [jennysales@yahoo.com](mailto: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. Distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

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 [garylteagle1987@gmail.com](mailto:garylteagle1987@gmail.com).

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 86 inmates at the time of this report.

**JOSE FRANCISCO CARO**, 41, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of driving while intoxicated third or more.

**MERCEDES GABRIELA CASTILLO**, 22, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750.

**AUSTIN MICHAEL HENSON**, 22, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of evading arrest detention with vehicle, unlawful possession of firearm by felon, tamper/fabricate physical evidence with intent.

**OLIVIA HERNANDEZ**, 38, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

**SAMUEL HERANDEZ**, 67, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated BAC greater than or equal to 0.1.

**WAYNE JOHNSON**, 71, was arrested by BSPD on a fail to comply sex offender duty to register.

**DAVID DANIEL MURPHY**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of controlled substance between one gram and four grams.

**MELISSA DIANE NICHOLS**, 36, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of possession of controlled substance PG 3 less than 28 grams; possession of controlled substance PG 1 less than one gram; possession of controlled substance PG 2 between four grams and 400 grams.

**JOAB RODRIGUEZ**, 22, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of assault family violence.

**TERRY SPEARS**, 54, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of no drivers license when unlicensed, possession of controlled substance less than one gram, failure to appear, possession of controlled substance between one gram and four grams, parole violation, and fail to maintain financial responsibility.

## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

**WAYNE NONE JOHNSON**, 71, of 113 1/2 E. 16th Street, was arrested on a charge of sex offenders duty to register life/annually.

**JOAB DAVID RODRIGUEZ**, 22, of 3404 South County Road 3, was arrested on a charge of assault family violence threat or offensive touch.

**SAMUEL HERNANDEZ**, 67, of 2705 Hernandez Road, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated BAC greater than or equal to 0.15 MA.

**DAVID DANIEL MURPHY**, 33, of 3005 Sherrod Road, was arrested on a charge of possession of controlled substance between one gram and four grams.

**MERCEDES GABRIELA CASTILLO**, 22, of 806 S. Nolan Street, was arrested of theft of property between \$100 and \$750 all other.

**SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported in the 1000 block of N. Main Street; 300 block of Denton Road.

**FOUND PROPERTY** was reported in the 1000 block of N. San Antonio Street; 1700 block of Harvard Avenue.

**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1200 block of S. Runnels Street; 300 block of Golf Course Road.

**BURGLARY OF HABITATION** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.

**ACCIDENT MINOR** was reported in the area of Third and Lancaster.

**DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 4200 block of Old C City Highway; 6100 block of N. Service Road.

**ASSAULT** was reported in the 5400 block of Opal Lane; 3400 block of S CR 3.

**THEFT** was reported in the 1200 block of E. 11th Place.

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

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

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1500 block of Stadium. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of S. Lancaster. No transport was required.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 800 block of E. 11th Place. No transport was required.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block Apron Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. No transport was required.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 100 block N. Cottonwood. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 14000 block of CR 9. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1800 block of N. Hwy 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**PUBLIC SERVICE** was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. No transport was required.

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**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in Highland Cove. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

**MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.



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## Support Groups

**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. 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.

## MUSIC

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headline shows in Las Vegas, China and a 24-city tour on the United Kingdom. With several different live concerts including rousingly patriotic "Let Freedom Sing" and holiday favorite "Deep in the Heart of Christmas", their concerts appeal to all ages and have been wildly successful, from performing arts centers, casinos and symphony halls to outdoor festivals and corporate events. In addition to collaborations with some of the most prestigious symphonies in the world including the Houston Symphony, Pittsburgh Symphony and The City of Prague Orchestra, The Texas Tenors have performed at The White House National Tree Lighting, Congressional Medal of Honor Ceremonies, numerous charity events, NBA games and The PBR World Finals in Las Vegas.

As consummate professionals, these three friends with a simple All-American dream have proven their impact will be long lasting as their popularity continues to grow. In 2019, they were honored to be included among the top 50

acts in the world and the only vocal group from the United States invited to compete on NBC's primetime series America's Got Talent: The Champions. After the series aired worldwide, their fan base grew even larger than before.

The concert will be Saturday April 24th at 7:30 p.m. and will take place at the Big Spring High School Auditorium located at 707 E 11th Place, Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

"We want to thank BSISD in advance for allowing us the use their facilities, since our usual venue, the Big Spring Municipal Auditorium, is under repair from the February arctic storm," Permenter said. "The doors will open to the public at 6:30 p.m. and ushers will be seating attendees. Masks are not required but are encouraged unless patrons are seated."

The best way to get tickets is online at [www.bigspringsymphony.org](http://www.bigspringsymphony.org). However, a few vendors have tickets available to purchase: Visit Big Spring Office, The Heritage Museum, H-E-B and The Karat Patch. Tickets can also be purchased at the door the night of the performance, if still available. The community is encouraged to purchase tickets today to avoid missing out on this incredible concert. For further details, go to [www.bigspringsymphony.org](http://www.bigspringsymphony.org), The Big Spring Symphony Facebook Page or call 432-816-5196.

## Weather



**Today:** Patchy blowing dust before 1 p.m. Sunny, with a high near 59. North wind 15 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 30 mph.

**Tonight:** Mostly clear, with a low around 36. East wind 10 to 15 mph.

**Wednesday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 56. East wind 10 to 15 mph.

**Wednesday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 44.

**Thursday:** Mostly cloudy, with a high near 63.

**Thursday Night:** Mostly cloudy, with a low around 54.

**Friday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 81.

**Friday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 53.

**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 76.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 51.

**Sunday:** Sunny, with a high near 84.

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

## HEART

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ranked on their attendance and discipline numbers. This year there were 550 schools considered for the honor, with 340 nominated earlier this year and 324 were chosen. Out of those selected there were 50 plus located in Texas.

"Becoming a National Showcase School is not a gimme. It must be earned. This was a trying year for everyone and we originally thought of not doing this, but after careful consideration, what better year than this year, when we've entered unprecedented times and the need to capture hearts is even greater. Capture a kid's heart and you capture their minds," Mr. Flippen said during the presentation.

This recognition was launched in 1990 when a small group of educators experienced the first Capturing Kids' Hearts training at the Flippen's home in College Station, Texas. Flip's vision has since grown, and today the team introduces Capturing Kids' Hearts processes to 37,000+ educators each year nationwide. Capturing Kids' Hearts is the premier source of professional development for educators nationwide. Through experiential training, expert coaching, and personalized support, Capturing Kids' Hearts equips professionals in K-12 education to implement transformational processes focused on social-emotional wellbeing, relationship-driven culture, and student connectedness. As information provided by Capturing Kids' Hearts states, Capturing Kids' Hearts processes provide educators the skills they need to change the trajectory of students' lives.

At BSI, about three weeks into the school year, the staff enters into a social contract with students asking and answering the following: "How do you want to be treated by your peers? How do you want to be treated by your teacher? How does the teacher want to be treated by you?"

According to Sanchez, the contracts written by the students will consist of words like; respect, kind, nice etc. Each classroom has a different social contract along the same lines. Bad behavior is directed back to the social contract with questions like: "What are you doing? What are you supposed to be doing? What are you going to do next time?"

"Being a Capturing Kids' Hearts school has impacted the culture of the campus. As the years have gone by I see more and more teachers greeting the students at the door; with Covid we had to get creative in how we greeted them, but we still made it work," Mr. Davis, BSI Math Teacher of five years, said. "The development of our social contract helps to build a safe classroom and campus. It is based on how we want to treat each other and the kids help

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to create it. It's not a set of rules. It's designed to help all of us feel more confident and support each other."

According to statistics from Capturing Kids' Hearts, campuses implementing Capturing Kids' Hearts processes consistently report improvements in academic, behavioral, and cultural outcomes. This has been an evident trend at BSI according to Sanchez.

"Capturing Kids Heart is a simple yet highly effective program designed to reach a child in such a way they feel good about themselves and strive to perform their best academically. It has helped me as a teacher in understanding that if I captured their hearts then I have captured their minds. If I know that I love them and believe in them then they want to work harder and they have a greater belief in themselves," Ms. Flores, sixth-grade Science teacher, said. "CKH not only impacts the lives of students, but culture of the campus as well. As a whole we have a set of values that we agree to abide by as a way of maintaining a peaceful and cohesive work family."

Amanda Duforat is the Managing Editor at the Big Spring Herald. To contact her, e-mail [editor@bigspringherald.com](mailto:editor@bigspringherald.com) or call 432-263-7331.

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Jose Andres Cruz, 4 months, died Tuesday. Funeral services will be at Mount Olive Chapel on Tuesday at 2:00 PM. Burial will be at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

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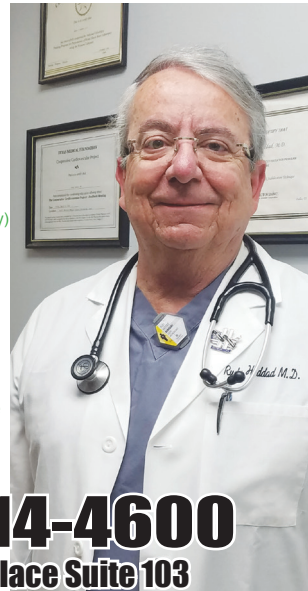
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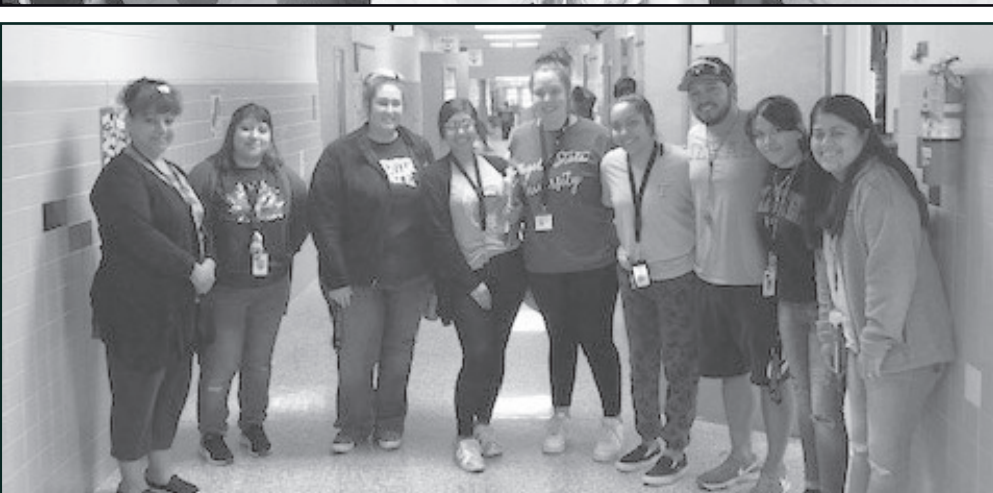


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The second grade students in Mrs. Jones' class are working hard to finish learning their cursive letters. They also have enjoyed a variety of activities to practice the subtraction facts and to learn how to tell time to the minute.

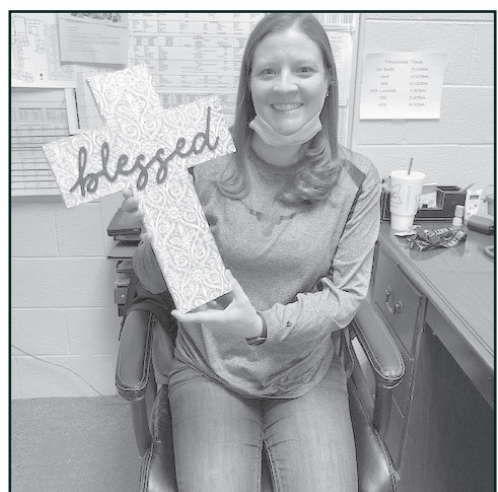


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## Ex-Texas deputy wanted in deaths of 3 arrested after manhunt

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A manhunt for a former Texas sheriff's deputy suspected in the fatal shooting of three people in Austin ended Monday when authorities said he was arrested without incident about 20 miles (32 kilometers) from the scene of the weekend attack.

Prosecutors said they would pursue capital murder charges against Stephen Broderick, 41, who was being held without bail at the Travis County jail.

A school district near Austin said the victims in Sunday's shooting included both a high school football team captain and another student who was enrolled in an early college program before leaving last fall. Police have said Broderick knew the victims but have not said how, and they have not offered a possible motive.

Officers found Broderick, 41, along a rural road shortly after sunrise in Manor, an Austin suburb, after receiving reports of a suspicious person matching the description of the suspect in Sunday's shooting, Manor Po-

lice Chief Ryan Phipps said. He said Broderick had a loaded pistol in his waistband.

"I'm truly heartbroken that a former Travis County Sheriff's Office Deputy is the suspect in such a horrific incident," Travis County Sheriff Sally Hernandez said in a statement.

The shooting happened around noon Sunday at an apartment complex in a popular shopping area known as the Arboretum. Authorities sent active shooter alerts on social media, unnerving Austin residents at a time when the U.S. has been wracked in recent weeks by mass killings.

A heavy presence of police swarmed the area, a busy Austin highway was closed in both directions and police told residents to shelter in place as they looked for the suspected shooter. As the manhunt got underway, police later said they did not believe the suspect was targeting random people but urged residents to remain vigilant.

Broderick had been previously arrested on charges related to sexual assault against a child, Travis County District Attorney José Garza said.



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# Big Spring Steers track team send multiple athletes to compete in Regionals this weekend



By **DUSTIN POPE**  
Herald Sports Writer

The Big Spring Steers track team had several athletes qualify for the 2021 UIL Region 1-4A Track

and Field Championship held in Lubbock this Friday, April 23-24.

The Steers have 19 athletes that will be competing for the week. For the Steers, Jacqueline Belew qualified in the High Jump, Alexa Mehan will run in the 100 Hurdles, Gracie King, Kyla Mathews, and Falicity Calderon will all pull double duties to compete in the 4x200M, and the 4x400M relays. Elisabeth Jones made it to regionals in the 4x400M relay. Kyleena Hughes will participate in the 4x200 M relay. Elaina Arredondo qualified to run in the 4x400M Relay, and Makenna Valle

will run in the 4x200M relay.

On the boy's side, Kyler Seymore will participate in the High Jump, Braxton Pearson will be in both

the Shot Put and Discus events. Long-distance runner Roman Perez qualified to run the 3200M and the 1600M; Adrian Solis is in the 800M; Abram Jackson will run in the 100-meter dash and then be a part of the 4x200 meter relay team. Rounding out the boys' team will be Isaiah Johnson, Sa'Quan Fizer, Vincent Ortiz, Devin Manning, and Zeyarie Franklin, all of which will be running in the 4 x200 meter relay.

This team is loaded with talent on both the boys' and girls' sides. This will be a sound Track Meet for these Steers to show what they can do. Good luck to all the participants, and let's Go, Steers!

*Dustin is the Sports Writer for the Big Spring Herald. To contact him e-mail sports@bigspringherald.com, or call 432-263-7331*

# Rangers beat O's 1-0 in 10 in duel of opening day starters

By **SCHUYLER DIXON**  
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON — Nate Lowe singled with two outs and the bases loaded in the 10th inning, giving the Texas Rangers a 1-0 victory over the Baltimore Orioles on Sunday in a pitcher's duel between a pair of opening day starters.

The hit ended a five-game home losing streak for the Rangers and capped a wild extra frame that looked it would start with a lead for the Orioles, who dropped to 6-3 on the road.

In the top of the 10th, with automatic runner Maikel Franco on third base and one out, pinch-hitter Trey Mancini lined a one-hopper in front of right fielder Adolis Garcia.

Franco, however, held up near third to make sure the ball fell in and was Trevino out at home when Jose Trevino caught Garcia's one-hop throw just up the line. The Texas catcher collided with Franco almost immediately while staying on his feet.

Franco held his right arm after tumbled to the ground.

"If you're afraid of contact, find another position other than catcher," Trevino said. "I played football in high school. It was an accidental collision at the plate, spur of the moment thing. He's a big dude, but I stayed on my feet."

Baltimore manager Brandon Hyde had a lengthy discussion with plate umpire Sam Holbrook, and the crew

met briefly before play resumed without a replay. Hyde said he wanted the umpires to look at the play. Mancini was credited with a single.

The Baltimore 10th started with Willie Calhoun, who took over in left field after pinch-hitting for Texas, making a diving catch in left-center on a liner by Ryan Mountcastle. Calhoun also had one of the walks in the Texas 10th.

"They played great defense in that top of the 10th, the catch in left-center and then the play in right field," Hyde said. "Tip your cap to them."

Franco made a nice tag at third for the first out of the Texas 10th with Eli White trying to bunt automatic runner Charlie Culberson to third.

After two walks on either side of a strikeout loaded the bases, Lowe stopped a 5-for-39 slide by grounding a single to left against the shift off Travis Lakins Sr. (1-1), ending a stretch of 13 2/3 scoreless innings for the Baltimore bullpen.

"Just get the run across no matter what it took," Lowe said after his team-leading 16th RBI. "He goes to his breaking ball a lot, so if he's going to hit you in your foot, you take the win no matter what. Getting something over the dish and getting the bat on it was the only thing that mattered."

John King (1-0) pitched a scoreless 10th for the Rangers.

When he started the top of the 10th at second base, Franco was just the fifth runner to get that far in a game

dominated by Texas' Kyle Gibson and Baltimore's John Means.

Gibson allowed four hits in eight scoreless innings, striking out six without a walk in the right-hander's third consecutive strong outing since the shortest opening day start in franchise history.

The first four outs for Means were strikeouts, and the left-hander finished with nine Ks and two walks while tossing seven scoreless innings for the second time this season. Means limited Boston to one hit in the opener.

Trevino was the first runner to reach third base in the game with one out in the fifth inning after a leadoff double. But Means struck out Leody Taveras and got Isiah Kiner-Falefa on a flyout.

### GIBSON'S REBOUND

Gibson, who gave up five runs while getting just one out in the opener after taking the mound with a 5-0 lead at Kansas City, didn't allow a runner past second base while extending his home scoreless streak to 20 innings going back to last season. He has allowed one earned run in 21 innings since the opener.

"We saw it all spring," manager Chris Woodward said. "We've seen it in everything he's done up until that opening day start. For whatever reason it wasn't synced up that day. Since then, he's obviously clearly the reason why he's our No. 1 pitcher."

### O'S ROSTER MOVE

Baltimore right-hander Dean Kemer was sent to the alternate site a day after a solid start in a 6-1 win over the Rangers that followed two rough outings. Reliever Cole Sulser was recalled from the alternate site. Hyde said the Orioles made the move because they only need four starters this week with two days off.

### GALLO'S SLUGGER OFF

Texas slugger Joey Gallo, who reached base in each of the first 15 games, was out of the lineup for the first time with the lefty-lefty matchup against Means. Woodward said he never considered using the powerful lefty late in the game because he wanted to give Gallo a full day off.

### UP NEXT

Orioles: RHP Matt Harvey (0-1, 5.02 ERA) is set to start the opener of a two-game series in Miami on Tuesday. Harvey gave up two runs on three hits in a no-decision against Seattle in his previous start. The three hits were the fewest he's allowed since April 2019.

Rangers: RHP Kohei Aihara (1-1, 3.07 ERA) is set for the opener of a three-game series at the Angels on Monday night. LA is the first AL West opponent of the season for the Rangers. It's the latest into the season (17 games) for the first division opponent for Texas since 2008 (20 games).

# Haniger, France lead Mariners past Astros 7-2

By **CHRIS TALBOTT**

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Ty France hit a two-run home run, six Seattle pitchers combined on a one-hitter and the Mariners beat the depleted Houston Astros 7-2 on Sunday.

France followed Mitch Haniger's two-run triple with a two-run home run to left field in the decisive four-run fifth inning to give the Mariners the series. Seattle has won four of five and has come from behind in six of 10 victories.

Haniger and France, who bat first and second in the lineup, also had back-to-back RBI doubles in the seventh inning. France has reached base safely in 14 of 16 games and said having Haniger batting before him has made his life easier.

"Guys don't want to pitch to Mitch, so hopefully they'll pitch to me," France said. "We're feeding off each other well right now."

The loss was Houston's seventh in its last eight games and comes with five players — including four starters — still on the injured list due to COVID-19 concerns.

"We made some mistakes in the heart of the plate and they didn't miss them," Houston manager Dusty Baker said.

Seattle starter Nick Margevicius left in the top of the fifth with a 3-1 count to Chas McCormick due

to fatigue trailing 2-1 after giving up one hit and one unearned run while striking out three. LJay Newsome (1-0), Casey Sadler, Anthony Misiewicz, Rafael Montero and Drew Steckenrider combined for five innings of hitless relief.

The Mariners bullpen is 6-1 with five saves in the last 11 games, giving up just six earned runs in 35 2/3 innings.

"I believe we threw 16 of 16 first-pitch strikes after LJay came in and the first guy walked," Servais said. "It was pretty impressive when you talk about dominating the zone and getting ahead in the count. You can't do any better than that."

Houston starter Jake Odorizzi (0-2) struck out seven and walked three in 4 1/3 innings. He gave up three hits but was pulled after Haniger's fifth-inning triple made it 3-2. Aledmys Diaz had Houston's only hit, an RBI double in the second inning that fell in when outfielder José Marmolejos lost the ball in the sun.

"It's tough to take when you only got one hit and the one hit we got was lost in the sun," Baker said.

### TRAINER'S ROOM

Astros: Baker said 2B Jose Altuve, DH Yordan Alvarez, 3B Alex Bregman, IF Robel Garcia and C Martin Maldonado have been cleared for individual workouts after sitting out since last Wednesday due to COVID-19 safety protocols. "Run, throw, hit, all baseball-related stuff," Baker said. "It's a little

tough. I mean right now they have to work out individually, and so they're kind of limited where they can work out and the facilities or whatever, so we're trying to work through that now."

Mariners: Manager Scott Servais said two young prospects struggling with injuries won't be back soon. LF Jake Fraley (hamstring) has yet to return to baseball activities after going on the 10-day injured list April 7. 2B Shed Long (shin) is playing in minor league spring training games but is not yet fully recovered from a stress fracture in his right shin and surgery to repair the injury. "I think the thing that's bothered Shed is not so much getting up to running speed, but then slowing down and stopping and big-time change of direction is where he's felt it," Servais said.

### UP NEXT

Astros: Houston is off Monday and Baker said he's not yet sure whether Lance McCullers Jr. will make his scheduled start Tuesday at Colorado. McCullers had a bad reaction to his vaccine last week and has been having difficulty with his "equilibrium," Baker said. Baker has two or three options in mind if McCullers can't go but wouldn't make them public.

Mariners: LHP Justus Sheffield (0-1, 4.91) takes the mound when Seattle hosts the Los Angeles Dodgers on Monday. Sheffield has given up six earned runs and 11 hits in his two starts.

# Brady expects to be ready for minicamp after knee surgery

TAMPA, Fla. — Tom Brady is recovering from offseason knee surgery and expects to be ready for June minicamp with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

Speaking at a fundraiser for Bruce Arians' foundation, the 43-year-old quarterback joked that he didn't know "if I can go this week." He then added he is aiming to be back on the field relatively soon for the Super Bowl champions.

"I feel pretty good and I push myself pretty hard. ... We will see how things play out," he said. "It is a long time between now and the beginning of the season. Just be smart about all these different things we have to do and fulfill. We all take a lot of pride in being ready to go and I am sure we will be."

ESPN first reported Brady's comments at Sunday night's event.

"It's good progress," Brady said. "It's rehab. None of that is fun, but looking forward to getting back to real training and stuff, which is hopefully here pretty soon."

"I'm cool with it. It's just part of what you deal with. Things come up. You deal with them the best way you can, with the best opportunity to improve. I'm definitely feeling a lot better than I did six or seven weeks ago."

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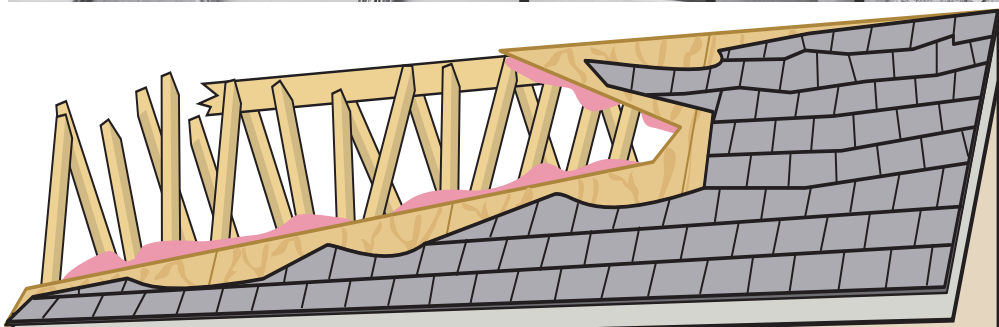
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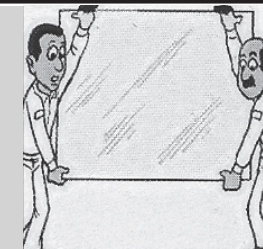
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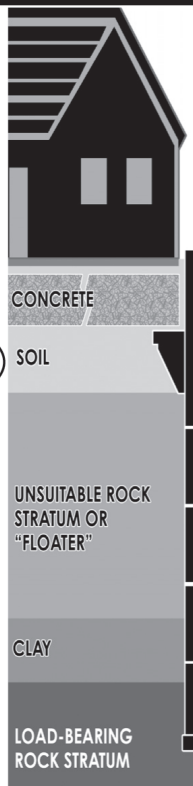
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**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION**

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0329509 DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 14, 2021 Status/Permit No. 868565 NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 5, 2021 Address: Railroad Commission of Texas ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit P. O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967 Fax: (512) 463-6780 Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

**Legals**

cause the Applicant is less than the required Rule 37 lease line distance to an unleased or non-pooled interest within the subject unit for the AMENDED NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 37, Bk. 32 T2N, T&P RR CO Survey, A-281, SPRABERRY (TRENDA AREA) Field, HOWARD County, being 8.7 miles NW direction from SAND SPRINGS, Texas. PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at (512)463-6751. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848. **IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY May 5, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.** **THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION.**

**Legals**

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The location and identity of the well is as shown below: FIELD: SPRABERRY (TRENDA AREA) Lease/Unit Name: JOSEPHINE 37-36 Lease/Unit Well No.: 4AH Lease/Unit Acres: 640.0 Nearest Lease Line (ft): null Nearest Well on Lease (ft): 2001.0 Lease Lines: 385.0 FSL, 1030.0 FEL Survey Lines: 385.0 FSL, 1030.0 FEL Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal Lateral: TH1 Penetration Point Location Lease Lines: 500.0 FNL 330.0 FEL Terminus Location BH County: HOWARD Section: 36 Block: 32 T2N Abstract: 620 Survey: T&P RR CO / CLINTON, C A Lease Lines: 100.0 FNL 330.0 FEL Survey Lines: 100.0 FNL 330.0 FEL Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows: SPRABERRY (TRENDA AREA): Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres. This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 9000 feet. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Shelly Carrigan, at (361)8887708, x6015.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ORAND CARROLL, Deceased, were issued on April 13, 2021, in Cause No. P-15131, pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, to: DONALD CARROLL.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: DONALD CARROLL  
4306 Island Hills Drive  
Houston, Texas  
79720

DATED the 14th day of April, 2021.

/s/Joshua Hamby  
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**Tomorrow's Horoscope**

your shoes  
defy the laws of scale. Some of the biggest steps you take will seem small as you are taking them. In retrospect, you'll marvel at the distances you covered with these unpredictable strides.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** Mastery comes from being strategic with your efforts, focusing on one quantifiable thing at a time. The key to success here relates to an aspect of interacting with others.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** Challenge yourself to do a bit more than before. There is plenty of mundane and extraneous theory to learn if you want to, but you'll learn the most by just getting into the sway of the action.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (April 20).** An abundance of love and attention give you the security to branch out. You get the sense that some of your curiosities will not be answered in this lifetime, but don't let that hold you back! Ask away. With everything you learn, you are clearing the way for future generations to build on the discover-

**Contract Bridge**

By Steve Becker

**An error of convenience**

North dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ A Q J 5 2  
♥ A 8 7 3  
♦ Q 9  
♣ 6 4

**WEST**  
♠ 10 7 6 4  
♥ J 4  
♦ K 5  
♣ Q 10 8 5 2

**EAST**  
♠ K 9  
♥ Q 10 9 2  
♦ 7 6 3 2  
♣ J 9 3

**SOUTH**  
♠ 8 3  
♥ K 6 5  
♦ A J 10 8 4  
♣ A K 7

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

Regardless of the caliber of the game you play in, one truth remains constant: Many more points are lost on easy hands than are lost on difficult ones. This is because complicated hands that require great skill are relatively rare, while the everyday garden variety that require no special skills come up all the time.

Consider this case where South wound up in three notrump and West led a club. Declarer won East's jack with the ace and immediately led a spade to the jack, losing to the king.

South won the club return and cashed the A-Q of spades. When the suit didn't break evenly, he tried a diamond finesse. Unfortunately, West produced the king and cashed three clubs and a spade for down two.

It cannot be denied that declarer ran into a few bad breaks along the way — two finesses lost, the spades didn't split, and the opposing clubs were divided 5-3. However, the fact remains that he went down on a hand where making at least nine tricks was an absolute certainty.

South failed because he attacked the wrong suit at the outset. Had he won the opening club lead, crossed to dummy with a heart and tried the diamond finesse first, he could not have made less than four diamond tricks, two clubs, two hearts and a spade for his contract. Indeed, he could just as easily have assured nine tricks by leading a low diamond from his hand at trick two, conceding a trick to the king.

Declarer's error was essentially an error of convenience. Because he had to win the opening club lead in his hand, it was much more convenient to try the spade finesse first than it was to cross to dummy and try the diamond finesse.

The reason for South's failure on this relatively straightforward deal was, sad to say, simply a matter of laziness.

Tomorrow: The art of artifice.  
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**First-Day Jitters**

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** Be wary of those who find your curiosity to be an intrusion. It is only because they have something to hide. To those who live the value of transparency, your curiosity will be a compliment.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** You're forthright with information when you have it, and you know not to speculate out loud, as there are those around who hear only what they want to hear and will twist your words to exactly that.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** There are many other things that will bring you pleasure other than your current go-to indulgences. You just haven't found them yet. Your willingness to try new things will land you some healthy and truly interesting alternatives.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** You like money, but it's not where you're currently focused. The financial aspect of a decision will factor in after you've considered things like your attraction, interest and what you're likely to learn.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** For some people, the prospect of "fun" is daunting and the pressure of trying new things is less appealing than the certainties of working toward expected outcomes. You'll challenge these people and be an agent for change.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-**

**Sept. 22).** There are those who want to have a good time but are unsure exactly how it can be accomplished. You'll be a guide for them. This is less about logistics and more about being intentional and in the moment.


**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** You're not as far out on a limb as you think you are. There is someone steady and deeply grounded who is close and ready to help you whenever and however you need.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** You'll take full possession of this world today. For you, that's not about acting like you own the place; rather, it has to do with loving and getting every experience you can from it.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** There are no clean endings to this adventure, although you're certainly on the threshold of the next one. There's overlap here, so what's coming is not quite new. Think of it as a spinoff.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** It's as though

**BY HOLIDAY MATHIS**



ies of your brilliant mind. Gemini and Libra adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 14, 8, 30, 27 and 38.

**COSMIC QUESTION:**  
"I'm a Pisces, born March 9. I have a best friend, who is a girl, and in all our 15 years of knowing each other, I've never had a glimmer of feeling anything more than friendship. But lately, I can't seem to stop wondering if there could be more. Is it the comfort level or something else drawing me toward her? Sadly, I've never seen the movie 'When Harry Met Sally,' but the reference is that men and women cannot just be friends. If so, I've proved that theory wrong for at least 15 years, so I'm wondering, what now? I really do not want to jeopardize ... a perfect best friend relationship. I hope you understand my dilemma and can offer some insight. The girl is a Scorpio."

Watch "When Harry Met Sally" with your Scorpio girl. Pisces and Scorpio are fantastically compatible -- two soulful water signs that both have terrific timing. So, whatever the reason you never got together before, it was perfect. You definitely should seize the current mode of attraction and see where that goes. If it's not right, you'll both know. I think the strength of your connection will carry through either way.

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

Level: Beginner

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



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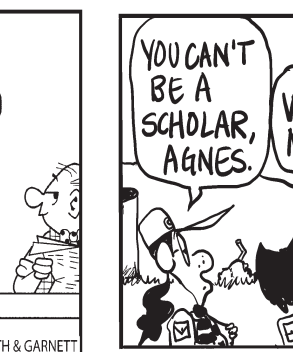
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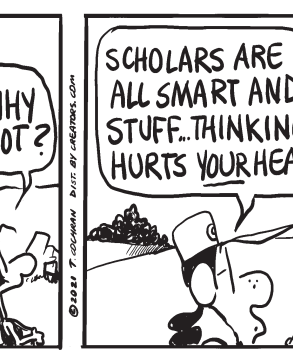
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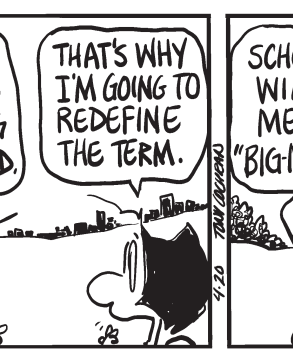
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Today in History

Today is Tuesday, April 20, the 110th day of 2021. There are 255 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On this date:

In 1812, the fourth vice president of the United States, George Clinton, died in Washington at age 72, becoming the first vice president to die while in office.

In 1863, President Abraham Lincoln signed a proclamation admitting West Virginia to the Union, effective in 60 days (on June 20, 1863).

In 1914, the Ludlow Massacre took place when the Colorado National Guard opened fire on a tent colony of striking miners; about 20 (accounts vary) strikers, women and children died.

In 1916, the Chicago Cubs played their first game at Wrigley Field (then known as Weeghman Park); the Cubs defeated the Cincinnati Reds 7-6.

In 1938, "Olympia," Leni Riefenstahl's documentary about the 1936 Berlin Olympic games, was first shown in Nazi Germany.

In 1945, during World War II, allied forces took control of the German cities of Nuremberg and Stuttgart.

In 1971, the Supreme Court unanimously upheld the use of busing to achieve racial desegregation in schools.

In 1972, Apollo 16's lunar module, carrying astronauts John W. Young and Charles M. Duke Jr., landed on the moon.

In 1986, following an absence of six decades, Russian-born pianist Vladimir Horowitz performed in the Soviet Union to a packed audience at the Grand Hall of the Tchaikovsky Conservatory in Moscow.

In 1988, gunmen who had hijacked a Kuwait Airways jumbo

jet were allowed safe passage out of Algeria under an agreement that freed the remaining 31 hostages and ended a 15-day siege in which two passengers were slain.

In 2003, U.S. Army forces took control of Baghdad from the Marines in a changing of the guard that thinned the military presence in the capital.

In 2010, an explosion on the Deepwater Horizon oil platform, leased by BP, killed 11 workers and caused a blow-out that began spewing an estimated 200 million gallons of crude into the Gulf of Mexico. (The well was finally capped nearly three months later.)

Ten years ago: Two Western photojournalists, including Oscar-nominated film director Tim Hetherington, were killed in the besieged Libyan city of Misrata while covering battles between rebels and government forces. The U.S. government announced new protections for air travelers when airlines lose their bags, bump them off flights or hold them on the runway for hours.

Five years ago: Five former New Orleans police officers pleaded guilty to lesser charges in the deadly shootings on a bridge in the days following Hurricane Katrina in 2005. Treasury Secretary Jacob Lew announced that Harriet Tubman, an African-American abolitionist born into slavery, would be the new face on the \$20 bill, replacing President Andrew Jackson. (The redesign of the bill was delayed during the administration of President Donald Trump, who had called the move "pure political correctness"; the effort was resumed by the Biden administration.) Pro wrestler Chyna (Joan Marie Laurer) was found dead in her Redondo Beach, California, apartment; she was 46.

One year ago: Georgia Republican Gov. Brian Kemp announced plans to restart the state's economy by lifting some coronavirus restrictions before the end of the week; the plan would allow gyms, hair salons, bowling alleys and tattoo parlors

to reopen as long as owners follow strict requirements. Dr. Anthony Fauci, the government's top authority on infectious diseases, warned again that resuming business too soon risked a fresh spike in virus infections. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention said reports of accidental poisonings from cleaners and disinfectants were up about 20 percent in the first three

months of the year; researchers believed it was related to the coronavirus epidemic.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Leslie Phillips is 97. Former Sen. Pat Roberts, R-Kan., is 85. Actor George Takei is 84. Singer Johnny Tillotson is 83. Actor Ryan O'Neal is 80. Bluegrass singer-musician Doyle Lawson (Quicksilver) is 77. Actor Judith O'Dea is 76. Rock musician Craig Frost (Grand Funk; Bob Seger's Silver Bullet Band) is 73. Actor Gregory Itzin (iht-zihn) is 73. Actor Jessica Lange is 72. Actor Veronica Cartwright is 72. Actor Clint Howard is 62. Actor Crispin Glover is 57. Actor Andy Serkis is 57. Olympic silver medal figure skater Rosalynn Summers is 57. Actor William deVry is 53. Country singer Wade Hayes is 52.

Actor Shemar Moore is 51. Actor Carmen Electra is 49. Reggae singer Stephen Marley is 49. Rock musician Marty Crandall is 46. Actor Joey Lawrence is 45. Country musician Clay Cook (Zac Brown Band) is 43. Actor Clayne Crawford is 43. Actor Tim Jo is 37. Actor Carlos Valdes (TV "The Flash") is 32.

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Newsday Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Browses for bargains
  - 6 "I'm interrupting . . ."
  - 10 Pointers and poodles
  - 14 Appear suddenly
  - 15 Assess, as a tax
  - 16 Poet Pound
  - 17 Formal "Me too"
  - 18 Overly formal
  - 19 Most important
  - 20 Feeling BLUE
  - 22 "It's either you \_\_\_"
  - 23 Small battery size
  - 24 Person who ridicules
  - 26 Outcome
  - 30 Boss at City Hall
  - 32 River near Shakespeare's home
  - 33 Open-handed hit
  - 35 Grade schooler's glue
  - 39 Wild brawl
  - 41 Intense anger
  - 42 Seat at a tavern
  - 43 Official substitute
  - 44 First in line
  - 46 "Beware the \_\_\_ of March"
  - 47 Job benefits, for short
  - 49 Video-game emporium
  - 51 Mother \_\_\_ (Peace Prize nun)
  - 54 "My lips \_\_\_ sealed"
  - 55 Actor Baldwin
  - 56 BLUE ribbon
- DOWN**
- 1 Junk email
  - 2 Vacuum cleaner's tube
  - 3 Milky gemstone
  - 4 Mountain lion
  - 5 Of the backbone
  - 6 First Greek letter
  - 7 Long sandwich
  - 8 Diabolical
  - 9 "Triple" cry of surprise
  - 10 BLUE state's party
  - 11 Missouri's \_\_\_ Mountains
  - 12 Laundry dirt
  - 13 More rational
  - 21 Pets that purr
  - 25 "How clumsy of me!"
  - 26 Sloping walkway
  - 27 At any time
  - 28 Perform by oneself
  - 29 Out of the BLUE
  - 30 Female horses
  - 31 Acme
  - 34 Piece of a chain
  - 36 Any carbonated beverage
  - 37 \_\_\_ the line (followed orders)
  - 38 Otherwise
  - 40 Centers of hurricanes
  - 45 Small fruit pie
  - 48 Ticket-selling fund-raiser
  - 50 Lavish meal
  - 51 Stun gun
  - 52 Evade skillfully
  - 53 Be a monarch
  - 54 Wide necktie
  - 57 Creative thought
  - 58 Rearranges dishonestly
  - 59 Tequila cocktail, for short
  - 60 Role model
  - 61 Score of a shutout
  - 62 Eve's first home

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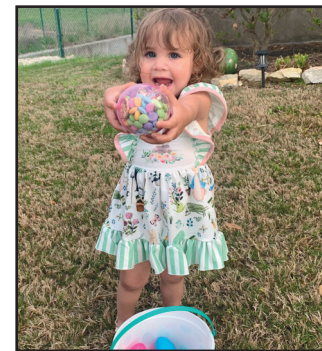
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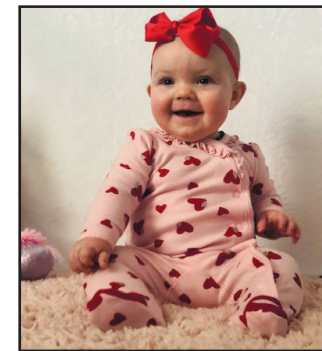
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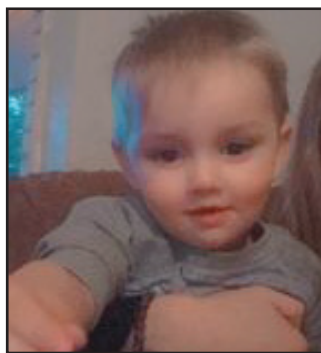
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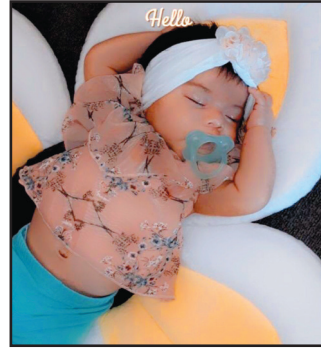
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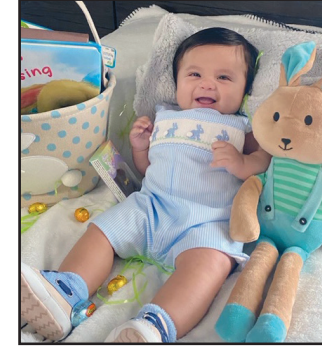
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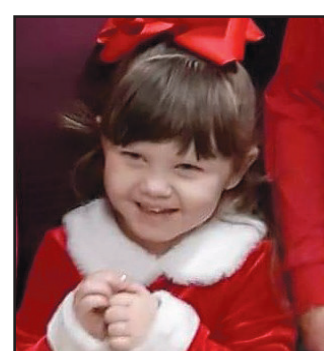
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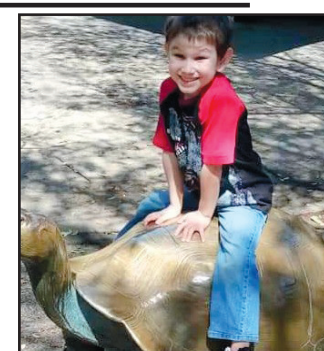
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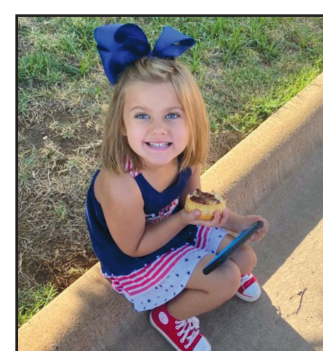
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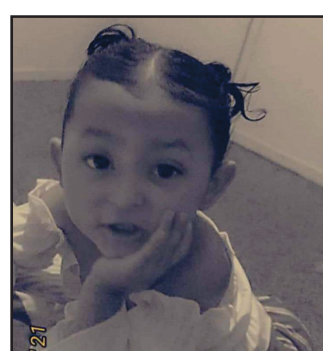
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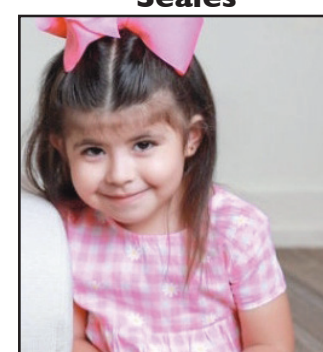
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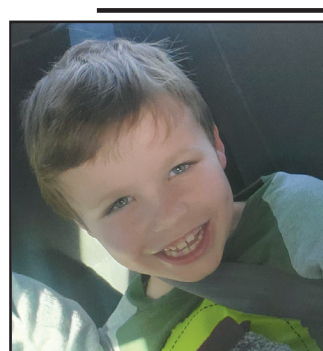
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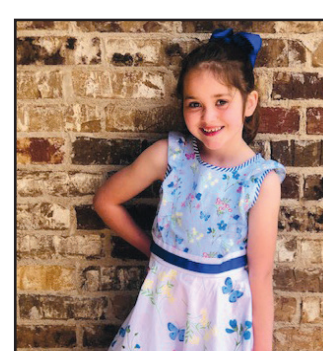
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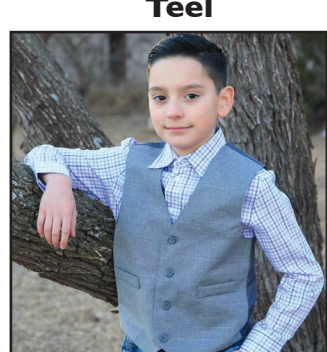
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# Steers Baseball team lose another District game to Levelland Friday night 7 to 1



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Isaiah Solis hits a pitch this past Friday night at Steers Park. Third baseman Marc Prieto looks for the defensive signs in a game against Levelland. The Steers went on to lose the District game by a final score of 7 to 1. The loss drops the Steers to 11-15-1 on the season and a District record of 2-9.

By DUSTIN POPE

Herald Sports Writer

The Big Spring Steers took on the Levelland Lobos this past Friday night at the Steers home ballpark. They went on to fall to the Lobos by a final score of 7 to 1. The game was close for most of the time until the Lobos had a big seventh inning with four runs to secure the game. This loss will make it a tough road for the Steers to make the playoffs, but as the great Yogi Berra once said, "It ain't over till it is over."

The Steer implemented a new tactic for the game Friday night; they tried out what is known as the "opener" pitching tactic. The "opener" is when you let a guy that generally comes out of the bullpen start the game in hopes he can go two or so innings and then bring in your regular pitcher to finish off the game. In this case, hard-throwing Gabriel Baeza took the bump for the Steers. The first inning went as planned for the Steers as Baeza did short work of the Lobos with a quick seven-pitch inning. Steer lead-off man Maverick Yanez started the game off with a walk to started off the bottom of the first. Unfortunately, the Steers could not get anything else off the crafty Lobo pitcher, and the first inning ended 0 to 0.

Levelland bats woke up in the second inning. The first two batters worked walks to put men on first and second with no outs. The very next Lobo batter reached on a bunt to load the bases. Levelland then grounded into a fielder choice scoring the first run of the game. The next hitter singled to right field, scoring the second run of the day. With a 2 to 0 lead, the Lobos singled once again to center field to load the bases once again. The Steers then brought in Eli Cobos to try and finish off the inning. The young pitcher hit the batter, forcing in another run, making it a 3 to 0 game. After settling down, Cobos went on to get out of the inning with back to back outs. Trailing by three, Marcus Paredes leads off the second by reaching an error by the Lobo shortstop. Like the first inning, after allowing the lead-off runner to achieve, the Lobo pitcher calmed down and got the next three Steer hitters out.

To start the third inning, the Steers brought in the "finisher," Sophomore Ricky Escovedo. Escovedo has been one of the Steers' top pitchers along with Kyler Seymore all season long. The Big Spring pitcher went on to have a very do dominate inning of work, having an easy three up three down inning and stopping the Lobo momentum. The Levelland pitcher matched the showing of Escovedo with an easy inning of his own. Leaving the score at 3 to 0.

Escovedo came out to start the fourth inning of play. After giving up a single to the lead-off batter, Ricky went on to show off his quick pick-off move by picking off the Lobo runner at first for the first out of the inning. He then followed by back-to-back strikeouts to shut the Lobos down once again. Unfortunately for the Steers, the Lobo pitcher was equally impressive. He shut down the Big Spring bats in order again.

To start the fifth, Escovedo continued to shine. He had another impressive inning sitting the Lobo hitter down in order. Behind 3 to 0, the Steers knew they needed to get the bats going if they stood any chance in this game. After a lead-off out, Eli Cobos came through with a double for the Steers. It was the first hit of the game by Big Spring and ended the no-hit bid by the Lobo pitcher. After a strikeout, Kyler Seymore came to the plate. This was the first scoring opportunity the Steers have had all game long. Seymore hit a pop-up to the Lobo left fielder; the ball was misplayed by the outfielder, allowing it to drop and scoring the Steers' first run of the game. The inning ended after a strikeout stranding Seymore at second.

Only down two runs now, the Steers had a breath of life. Escovedo, who had been good since he entered the game, had another excellent inning of work; Simultaneously, he did allow a couple of base runners, he was able to pitch out of the jam and leave the score at 3 to 1. Only trailing by two runs, the Steers came to the plate in the bottom of the sixth knowing time was running out. The Lobo pitcher was up to the task as he sat down the Steers in order in a very pivotal inning.

The late innings of games have been the Steers' problems all season long, and unfortunately, this would be no different. Heading into the seventh, it was only a two-run game, but after a single and back-to-back error, the Steers were in a much too familiar place. With the bases loaded, the Lobo batter worked a walk to push across a run making it a 4 to 1 game. That was followed by a hard-hit single that drove in another run. Leading 5 to 2 and the bases loaded with zero outs, Escovedo struck out the next two batters. Following another error and a single, the Lobos had stretched the lead to 7 to 1. After another late-inning collapse, the Steers seemed mentally broken. The four-run seventh inning by the Lobos was just too

much for the Steers to overcome as they went on to lose this game 7 to 1.

Part of learning to play the game of baseball is losing. I would love to tell you this young team has learned from its previous games, but so far, it just has not. There is no bigger fan of this team than me, and it is not fun to write about them struggling so much. On the bright side, this team is very young, and the experience they take away from this year will only build a solid foundation for the future. The Steers take on the Snyder Tigers Tuesday night at Steer park first pitch is 7:33. With four games left, the Steers need some excellent baseball and some help to make the playoffs. Come out and show your support.

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