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Adkins arrested on murder charge

Shawn Adkins was arrested on a charge of murder, Monday, June 14, according to Howard County Jail Records

According to the Howard County Sheriff's Office, the arrest was made by the Texas Rangers, on a warrant for murder. His bond was set at \$2,000,000.

According to the Howard County Sheriff's Office the warrant was issued out of the 32nd Judicial District Attorney's Office. No release of information will be coming from the Howard County Sheriff's Office according to the post made on the Howard County Sheriff's Office Facebook Page.

No other information has been confirmed at this time. More information to be reported as it becomes available from law enforcement.

Upcoming Events

Large Item Pick Up District 6 June 16

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Scenic Mountain Medical Center goes on lockdown Monday morning

Special to the Herald

On June 14, 2021, at approximately 10:30 a.m. the Big Spring Police Department was dispatched to 1601 Martin Luther King Blvd (Scenic Mountain Medical Center) at the request of Scenic Mountain Medical Center staff due to a rumor that a subject was possibly on their property and the subject had recently been involved in a Robbery/Stolen Vehicle in Midland County.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center informed the Big Spring Police Department that they had initiated their

> lock-down protocols and requested the Big Spring Police Department to conduct a walk-thru of their facility. Officers conducted a

walk-thru of the premises and assured the suspect was not there. Scenic Mountain Medical Center released their lock down procedures and is currently operating as normal.

The Big Spring Police Department found no reason to believe at any time did any armed person enter Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

The Big Spring Police Department has been informed of a Robbery/Stolen vehicle (2004 Gold in color Dodge Pickup 4/D TX LP KJM8464) recently

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Tails and Tales Summer Reading Program at Howard Co. Library



HERALD photo/Roger Cline

The Tails and Tales Summer Reading Program has launched and activities are taking place weekly. Last week was Robb Holladay - Magical said. "In addition to the week-Balloon Show.

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor

A world of adventure has kicked off at the Howard County Library, with Tails and Tales Summer Reading Program. The program launched on June 1, with the most recent presentation featuring Robb Holladay - Magical Balloon Show.

"Kids and their parents are welcome to come along for the adventure as we explore many tales along the way, this summer," Sandra Verdin. Children's Librarian at the Howard County Library, ly story times we also will have special presentations throughout the program."

The Summer Reading Program is free of charge and is being held in person. Last year the program was virtual and families were able to stop by the library and pick up take home packets, due to the pandemic. This year, while social distancing measures are still being practiced and face coverings are requested, the program is able to return to the normal settings. Weekly storytime is set for Tuesday and Wednesday mornings at 10:30 and Code Club takes

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Thank a Veteran Day

By WILL HATTON

WTVAHC Public Affairs Specialist

Challenge accepted. That's what Robin Tijerina said when she was 17, after a US Marine recruiter visited with her family. Tijerina's brother and father said women can't be in the Marines, which was motivation to join.

"I took that as a personal challenge," said Tijerina, who works as a Veteran engagement specialist for West Texas VA Health Care System. "I graduated high school early and went straight into the service.'

Tijerina spent the first part of her time in service as an administrative specialist, working in a number of administrative tasks like payroll, personnel actions, data entry, and typewriting. somebody needed "Wherever

something, I was pretty adept at doing everything," said Tijerina. "I was a jack of all trades." Once she finished basic and ad-

vanced training, Tijerina was sent to Okinawa, Japan.

"I loved Okinawa," said Tijerina. "I was determined to do something different and exciting every weekend. We visited big markets, did glassblowing and went to old castle ruins."

After a year in Japan, Tijerina would be sent to Parris



The Veteran of the Month is Robin Tijerina; US Marine Veteran.

Island, where she would become one of the first women in the

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Courtesy image/KBest Media

"WHEREAS, the City of Big Spring, in recognition of the courage, honor, devotion and sacrifice of our service men and women, hereby establish the 15th day of every month as "Thank a Veteran Day", and this day shall forever stand as a day to honor those that have selflessly served each citizen

of this Great Nation.' The Big Spring Herald stands in support of all Veterans. The above is part of a proclamation presented by the Big Spring City Council in honor of everyone that has served our Country. Please take a moment today to thank a Veteran. This proclamation was presented by Mayor Larry McLellan on behalf of the Big Spring City Council on Tuesday, April 10th, 2018.

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Obituaries

Hernandez

dez passed away May 26, 2021. Hattie was born Sept. 6, 1951

her parents and brother Hattie is survived by her husband, daughters, grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. Also, by siblings Mary Jane Licon of Big Spring, Adolph Arista Jr

and Alisa Diaz of Big Spring. Hattie will be laid to rest at Mount Olivet Cem-

Rene Angel Valdez Jr. Rene Angel Valdez Jr., 59, of Midland, formerly

are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been set up to assist the family with expenses.

Rogelio 'Roy' Perez Rogelio "Roy" Perez, 68, of Big Spring, died at

his residence Sunday, June 6, 2021. Virtual services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 19, 2021.

Roy was born Feb. 17, 1953 in San Marcos.

He is survived by his wife: Mary Gamboa Perez of Big Spring; three children: April Reech of Baton Rouge, La. Ivory Gamboa of Coahoma and Sir Winston Alfredo of Big Spring; five grandchil dren; and numerous broth ers, sisters, nieces and neph

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

- 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



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Hattie Lou Arista



Hattie Lou Arista Hernan-

in Big Spring to Adolph and Estanislada "Tanis" Arista.

of Floresville, Texas, Sarah Arista Robles, Lynda Arista

etery in Fort Worth on June 21.

of Big Spring, died Friday, June 11, 2021. Services

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Rich History, Big Possibilities — Big Spring, Texas **Missed Your Paper:**

Rick Nunez Amanda Duforat

Angela Lance



Police blotter

was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

on a charge of assault peace officer/judge.

charge of public intoxication.

1300 block of N. Birdwell Lane.

1200 block of E. 11th Place.

fail to appear.

of E. 3rd Street.

nally Street.

of Angela Road.

area of 15th and Main.

block of S. Bell Street.

in the 1200 block of E. 16th Street.

1100 block of N. Lamesa Hwy.

cy (x5).

• JEREMY LISTER, 34, of 1306 Ridgeroad Drive,

ALEXANDER BRANDON ALLIMORE, 40, of 2325 Bishop Road in Abilene, was arrested on a

 CYNTHIA JOANNA SALAZAR, 36, of 1904 Melissa Lane of Springdale, Washington, was arrested

• VERONICA MARIE ORTIZ, 38, of 612 NW 3rd,

• PATRICK TERRAL KESLER, 42, of 1404 E. Pa-

• MICHAEL RENE ROBLES, 49, of 2610 Albrook

• CRIMINAL MISCHIEF was reported in the

• UNWANTED SUBJECT was reported in the

DISTURBANCE was reported in the 100 block

• **THEFT** was reported in the area of FM 2230

and just North of CR 50; 200 block of W. FM 700;

200 block of W. FM 700; 8800 block of W CR 50; 2800

N Hwy 87; CR 36/FM 2230; 200 block of W. FM 700;

• BURGLARY OF BUILDING was reported in

DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE was reported in

• ASSAULT was reported in the 1600 block of Lin-

coln Avenue; 2400 block of Gatesville; 1600 block of Lincoln Avenue; 1600 block of W. Martin Luther

King; 1500 block of S. Lancaster Street; 1100 block

INTOXICATED SUBJECT was reported in the

• **SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported in the

• THEFT OF FIREARM was reported in the 500

BURGLARY OF HABITATION was reported

• STOLEN VEHICLE was reported in the I-20 WB

ACCIDENT MINOR was reported in the 3600

• **INTOXICATED DRIVER** was reported in the

block of Calvin Street; 500 block of E. FM 700

MM 191 East Bound; Father Delaney; Main and 5th.

the 3800 block of Connally Street; 3800 block of Con-

the 6400 block of Old Colorado City Highway.

cific Avenue, was arrested on a warrant from other

Drive, was arrested on a warrant from other agen-

was arrested on a warrant from other agency and

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• LEON DETRICK EDDINGTON, 42, of 3304 W. Hwy 80, was arrested on a charge of assault causes

• JENNIFER DENISE GRAIM, 27, of 5600 SMU Blvd in Dallas, was arrested on a charge of theft of • SACKIE ROBERT BRITO JR, 41, of 634 Caylor

chief between \$2,500 and \$30K and public intoxica-• MISTY ANN PARHAM, 26, of Courtney Place, was arrested on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750 shoplifting and warrant from

Drive, was arrested on a charge of criminal mis-

other agency (x4). • QUENTIN REID GASTON, 23, of 6509 E. Midway Rd., was arrested on a warrant from other

• SPENCER DEWAYNE LUTTRULL, 29, of 1203 Chestnut Street, was arrested on a warrant from other agency (x2).

• **DEVONTAY DEVON DEARS**, 20, of 1002 N. Main Street, was arrested on a charge of fail to appear and no drivers license when unlicensed.

• JOSE GUADALUPE GARCIA, 26, of 1801 John-

son, was arrested on a violation protective order – assault/talking. • MANUEL REBOLLAR, 47, of 3509 E I-20 21, was

arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated • MARISSA LEIGH RAMIREZ, 24, of 1208 Lloyd

Avenue, was arrested on a warrant – other agency. • KIMBERLY JO KENNEMUR, 47, of 120 Hooser Road, was arrested on a charge of warrant from other agency (x3) and credit card or debit card

• JOSE GUADALUPE GARCIA, 26, of 1801 Johnson, was arrested on a violation protective order – assault/talking. • MANUEL REBOLLAR, 47, of 3509 E. I-20 21,

cated – open container. • ANDREW ROSENBERG, 50, of 1504 S. Main Street, was arrested on a charge of public intoxica-

was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxi-

• MARISSA LEIGH RAMIREZ, 24, of 11208 Lloyd Avenue, was arrested on a warrant from oth-

er Road, was arrested on credit card or debit card abuse and warrant from other agency (x3). • SALLY ANN GOMEZ, 43, of 1005 E. 15th Street,

• KIMBERLY JO KENNEMUR, 47, of 120 Hoos-

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity: Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail re-

ported having 108 inmates at the time of this report. • SACKIE ROBERT BRITO JR, 41, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal mischief between \$2,500 and \$30K and public intoxication.

• **DEVONTAY DEVON DEARS**, 20, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of no drivers license when unlicensed and violate promise to appear.

ed by BSPD on a charge of assault causes bodily in-• CLINTON JAY EPKE, 41, was arrested by HCSO

on a charge of fail to maintain financial responsibil-• ALEXANDER BRANDON GALLIMORE, 40,

was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication. • JOSE GARCIA, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a

charge of violate bond/protective order. • QUENTIN REID GASTON, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault causes bodily injury family, criminal mischief between \$100 and \$750

• SALLY ANN GOMEZ, 43, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of public intoxication. • JENNIFER DENISE GRAIM, 27, was arrested

by BSPD on a charge of theft of firearm. • ERICK DAVE HERNANDEZ, 42, was arrested by DPS on a charge of possession of controlled sub-

stance between four grams and 200 grams. • KIMBERLY JO KENNEMUR, 47, was arrested

by HCSO on a charge of issuance of bad check, FTA/ Possession of controlled substance less than one gram, FTA/Forgery financial instrument, credit card or debit card abuse.

• PATRICK TERRALL KESLER, 42, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of manufacture deliver controlled substance between one gram and four grams.

• JEREMY SCOTT LISTER, 34, was arrested by

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BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• SPENCER DEWAYNE LUTTRULL, 29, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid (DWLI) and violate promise to ap-

• PATRICK JON MAY, 42, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication and possession

of drug paraphernalia. • VERONICA MARIE ORTIZ, 38, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of BOB/Manufacture deliver controlled substance between one gram and four grams (x2).

• MISTY PARHAM, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750, abandon endanger child intent/known (x2), bail jumping and fail to appear (x2).

• MARISSA LEIGH RAMIREZ, 24, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750. • MANUEL REBOLLAR, 47, was arrested by

BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated/open alcohol. • MICHAEL RENE ROBLES, 49, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of bondsman off bond/bail jump-

ing and fai Ito appear, FTA/child support, bondsman off bond/bail jumping and fail to appear, expired drivers license, bail jumping and fail to appear (x2).

• ANDREW JOHN ROSENBERG, 50, was arrest ed by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication. • FREDRICK RUBIO JR, 32, was arrested by

HCSO on a charge of theft of firearm (x2).

• CYNTHIA JOANNA SALAZAR, 36, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault peace officer

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Howard County Emergency Management warns of tight grid conditions the month of June has resulted in tight grid conery degree of cooling increase.

Special to the Herald

Howard County Judge Kathryn Wiseman issued a press release Monday afternoon containing a warning from the Howard County Emergency Management Coordinator about tight electrical grid conditions. Here is the text of the press release:

Howard County Emergency Management Coordinator warns community of tight grid conditions: A significant number of forced generation outages combined with potential record electric use for

Weather

Tonight: Mostly clear, with a low

Wednesday: Sunny, with a high near 95. Southeast wind around 5

Wednesday Night: Clear, with a

Thursday: Sunny, with a high

Thursday Night: Mostly clear,

(Weather courtesy National Weather Service via

around 70. East wind 5 to 10

ditions. Many units statewide are out of service. which is unusual for this early in the summer sea-

The Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ER-COT) is asking Texans to reduce electric use as much as possible today through Friday, June 18. Please take these simple actions to help reduce

• Set your thermostat to 78 degrees or higher – ev-

ery degree of cooling increases your energy use by six to eight percent.

- Turn off lights and pool pumps and avoid using large appliances like ovens, washing machines and dryers.
- If you do not need something we are asking you to turn it off and unplug it if possible.

Visit the Power to Save website (powertosavetexas.org) or your electric provider for more ways to conserve.

occurred in Midland County, Texas, and the vehi-

cles GPS coordinates had possibly been in the area of Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Big Spring Police Department officers searched the immediate area of SMMC and surrounding areas and did not locate the vehicle.

This is an ongoing investigation by the Midland County Sheriff's office and if you have any information of the whereabouts of this vehicle please contact Howard County Dispatch.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity: • MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 100 block

- of E. 17th Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center. • MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 100 block
- of E. 3rd Street. Three people were transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center. • MEDICAL CALL was reported in the Connally
- and Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center. • MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1400 block
- of Harding. No transport was required.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1000

block of E. 13th Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1500 block of Hilltop. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center. MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 2500 block
- of Central. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the 1800 block of E. Hwy 350. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- MEDICAL CALL was reported in the area of MM 266 I-20. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

Take Note

• Big Spring ISD summer lunch services will continue through July 30. Breakfast is served from 7:30 a.m. - 8: 30 a.m. and lunch from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

Serving will take place at Goliad through July 1; at Big Spring High School through June 24; and at Big Spring Junior High School through June 24.

• The Great Courses history video lecture series is taking place each Wednesday at Noon. The lectures will take place in the Theater Room in the First Presbyterian Church, located at 701 Runnels Street. No charge for the lectures.

• Howard County Community Health Center is offering the Moderna ,a two dose and Janseen, a single dose, Covid-19 vaccine to those over the age of 18. Businesses, churches, groups or organizations of 10 members or more who would like the vaccine can schedule a time to have a mobile vaccine clinic. The staff will to the business, church, or organization to administer the vaccine. For more information, call 806-894-7842 ext. 178 or 124 or e-mail Covid19@ sprhs.org

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Rogelio (Roy) Perez, died Sunday. Virtual services will be Saturday.

Greg Bird, 58, died Friday. Services will be Saturday at 2:00 PM in the Myers & Smith Chapel.

Ann Castillo, 39, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral

Rene Angel Valdez, Jr., 59, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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low around 71.

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Marines to serve as a rifle instructor.

with a low around 72.

Tijerina says her time as a rifle instructor was great because she was able to provide fellow women recruits a calming place, albeit on a shooting range, where the drill instructors couldn't scream at them. Tijerina would leave the service after five years. Since leav-

forecast, weather, gov)

ing the service, she found herself working for the VA as a veteran engagement specialist. This has given her an opportunity to work directly with fellow Veterans and work to improve the overall Veteran experience. "When you go to your doctor, you want to be heard and feel

like you can speak with them freely," said Tijerina. "If a Veteran has a recommendation, compliment, or concern, we want to hear about it and try to make things better. I try to ensure that every Veteran is heard."

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place at 4:30 p.m. Thursdays. Tuesdays intended audience is Kinder through second grade, Wednesday's storytimes are recommended for third through sixth grade, storytimes are open to all ages. Code Club is recommended for ages 9-17.

"We encourage families to come out and join us for story time and for the special presentations, but we want to remind our participants, we will be observing social distancing measures, and will provide sanitizing stations," Verdin said. "To help ensure everyone's safety we recommend wearing a face mask. Should any protocols change we will notify the community as soon as possible."

Registration is open and is ongoing throughout the summer. Parents and Caregivers can register their children by printing out a registration from our website, online or in person. When children register they will receive a Reading Log.

"Children record the amount of time they read in a day. Books, eBooks, or audiobooks count towards reading time, and children can read on their own or have someone else read to them. Reading Logs are due by July 23, prizes are awarded for most time logged," she said.

This past week, families were able to stop in and enjoy a special presentation by Robb Holladay and his Magical Balloon Show. The next event - Tales and Tunes with Kim - is set for June 16 at 10:30 a.m. in the children's room. A special event will be held for kids between 2 years

of age and 5 years of age - Tiny Tales and Tunes with Kim - on Thursday, June 17 at 10:30 a.m. in the children's room.

"While our Summer Reading

adult program - The Unbroken Circle: Collecting and Using Family Stories with Kim Lehman - is set for June 15 at 6 p.m. Kim is a professional storyteller, musician, and workshop presenter. In this workshop, Kim will be teaching interviewing and storytelling techniques." For more information visit the Howard County Library website at https://

wards the youth, we have not forgotten

our adults and parents," she said. "An

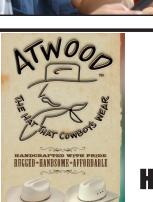
howard-county.ploud.net/summer-program for Summer Reading Program information and follow the Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/Howard-CoLibrary for updates posts about SRP.

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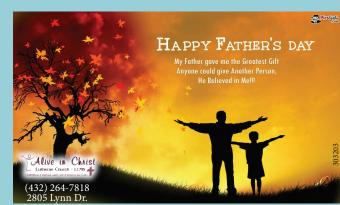
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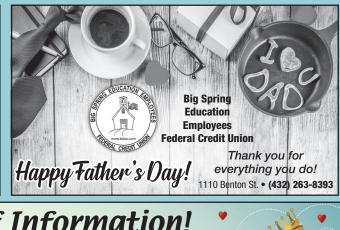








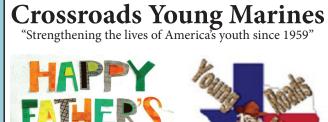














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CISD's Shawver named TGCA 2020-21 1A-2A-3A-4A Softball Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year





Coahoma Head Softball Coach Katherine Shawver was nammed TGCA 2020-21 1A-2A-3A-4a Sub-Varsity Softball Coach of the year award, for her outstanding work this season.

Special to the Herald

COAHOMA — The Coahoma ISD Athletic Department is proud to announce that Katherine Shawver has been named the 2020-2021 1A-2A-3A-4A Sub-Varsity Softball Coach of the Year by the Texas Girls Coaches Association (TGCA).

"I was shocked when I heard," Shawver said. "It hit me that other coaches in the state have taken notice of all the hard work our students, parents, and coaches have put in to continue a long tradition of Coahoma High School softball excellence and competitiveness. It's a huge honor for me."

TGCA is the one of the largest associations of coaches and the largest association for coaches of girls' athletics in the United States, according to the TGCA website. Shawver was nominated for the honor by Bulldogette head softball coach Alex Orosco, and was selected by a committee of Texas

"Coach Shawver is present for this team 100 percent of the time. She is a true assistant," Orosco said. "She always picks up the load for me without being asked. She has been a steady presence for the Coahoma softball program. She was here before I came on board, she never misses a game, an event, or a practice, and she always has a positive attitude. She's awesome, and the girls respond to her coaching well."

Shawver has served as a sub-varsity coach at Coahoma ISD for the past seven years. This past season, her JV Bulldogettes were undefeated in district action and finished the 2020-2021 season with an 11-1 record. In the previous full UIL softball season, Shawver's JV team lost only one district game for the 2018-2019 season.

Shawver also serves as the assistant coach to the varsity Bulldogette softball team, which finished the 2020-2021 season with a 26-7 record, an undefeated district record, and an appearance in UIL Texas state playoffs regional quarterfinals.

The Missouri native credits the success of the Coahoma softball program to the work ethic of the players and support of their parents.

"We are lucky to have excellent athletes to coach, and it started at home," she said. "Many of these girls have been dedicated to the sport since they were little and had strong parental support to encourage them. It takes a community to develop a competitive program."

As a Coahoma Bulldogette coach, Shawver feels her job is to help direct the player's competitive nature to strive for excellence not only on the field but in all other areas of their life.

"Wins are great, but we are also here to teach them life lessons," she said. "In order for a team to be great on the field, the players have to work as a team and not play just for individual glory.

"When we fall behind and find ourselves in a tense situation, they have to be able to handle the stress," she continued. "Umpires are not always perfect, and players make mistakes. You have to let that go and persevere. We had a few games this year where we were behind, but we pushed through and came out on top."

Before joining Coahoma ISD, Shawver played softball as a utility player for the Ottawa University Braves in Ottawa, Kansas, under head coach Jay Kahnt.

"I would like to give a huge shout out to my college. They just went to the NAIA (National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics) Softball World Series, and a shout out to my former head coach Jay Kahnt," she said. "He just had his 500th win of his career. High school and travel ball taught me a lot about the sport, but Coach Kahnt also taught

Shawver will receive her Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year award in July at the TGCA state conven-

Old-timers day: 30-somethings hanging on at US swim trials By PAUL NEWBERRY

AP National Writer

OMAHA, Neb. — Amanda Weir just can't bring herself to say the word "re-

So, she's still at the pool, still toiling away against kids half her age — if

"I don't think I'll ever officially end " said the 35-year-old Weir, who is attempting to make her fifth Olympics at the U.S. swimming trials that began Sunday. "I don't think I'll ever be able to stand behind the block and say this is my last race.'

While swimming will always be a young person's sport, Weir has plenty of company in the 30-and-older club.

She and a dozen other such athletes are competing in Omaha, led by 40-year-old Olympic gold medalist Anthony Ervin.

"Obviously, I have a lot of memories and a lot of history, but it's great to be back in it," Ervin said. "My heart wants to be a little bit more competi-

Ervin, who shared gold in the 50-meter freestyle at the 2000 Sydney Games and improbably won that event again five years ago in Rio at age 35, is realistic about his chances in Omaha.

He's seeded 40th in the 50 free which seems appropriate — and would be more than satisfied simply to make the final. He knows his chances of qualifying for the Olympic team by finishing first or second are beyond remote.

This is essentially his farewell tour. "God willing. I'll be in finals and I can shake the hands of those guys who are going (to the Tokyo Games) and pass the torch, so to speak," Ervin

Nathan Adrian has loftier goals at

Attempting to make his fourth Olympic team, the five-time gold medalist has bested testicular cancer and is seeded in the top 10 in both the 50 and 100 free.

But he also concedes the challenges of being a top-level swimmer while balancing a home life. His wife, Hallie, had their first child in February, a daughter named Parker.

"To be really, really, really fast, 100% top-speed training, you've got to be like a cat," Adrian said. "You've got to sleep so much, you've got to lay down and watch Netflix all day and then come to the pool kind of walking slow and when you turn it on, you

"I'm just not at the point in my life where I can really do that sustainably right now and be the kind of dad I want to be," he went on. "When I get home, I want to hold Parker until she goes to sleep every time."

The most prominent of the old-timers is 36-year-old Ryan Lochte, a 12time Olympic medalist who became a husband and father after the embarrassment of Rio, where he lied about being robbed at gunpoint during a raucous night on the town with several U.S. teammates.

Lochte insists he's gotten his life in order and is confident of not only making the U.S. team for the fifth time, but winning another medal in

But his times coming into Omaha aren't too encouraging. His only real chance appears to be the 200 individual medley, where he's seeded fifth.

If nothing else, he seems to have fig-

knocked down, it's how you get up

ured out life away from the pool. "No matter how many times you get that defines you as a person," Lochte said. "There's more to life than being a rock star, having that rock star persona. I had a wake-up call and now I'm the happiest person ever."

Swimming was once a sport that afforded few chances for making a buck once a college career was over.

After winning a then-record seven gold medals at the 1972 Munich Games, Mark Spitz retired at age 22. Matt Biondi hung up his swimming

trunks before his 27th birthday, frustrated at the lack of assistance from USA Swimming and stymied in his attempts to professionalize the sport.

These days, however, the top swimmers can make a comfortable living into their 30s, which has made it possible for someone such as 36-year-old Matt Grevers to stay in the water far longer than he might've anticipated earlier in his career.

Increased support from USA Swimming, more sponsorship opportunities and the new International Swimming League have kept some athletes around into their 30s, like their counterparts in the NBA and Major League

Athletic Support: "Softball games going past midnight"

Dear Athletic Support: My daughter plays on a travel softball team. She's in sixth grade. We devote almost every weekend in the summer to these tournaments, and we love it! We get to see all these different towns each week and eat at a bunch of great restaurants with some of our closest family and friends. My daughter also loves the competition. So what's my problem with travel softball? The late nights! They're horrible. I can't even begin to tell you how many games we've played past midnight. Two weekends ago we had a game at two in the morning! This just seems like too much. Is there any reason why we have to play all these games in one day? I'm pretty sure the boys spread their tournaments out over two days and don't have to play

Not A Night Owl

Dear Night Owl: I have absolutely no idea why 12 and 13 year-old girls would be required to play so late into the night.

Since it sounds like y'all enjoy the tournaments, maybe it would be worth talking to your coach about possibly only scheduling tournaments where

the schedules aren't so grueling.

That many games in one day/night can't be good for girls at that age, or any age. I'm sure it's not easy on the parents either!

Dear Athletic Support: I have a teenage son who plays on his school sports team. He has a fair amount of talent and ability, but like a lot of teenagers, he sometimes lacks motivation. How do I know how hard to push him without making it miserable for him? I'm not trying to turn him into a five-star prospect, but I want him to maximize his opportunities and enjoy his high school playing days.

-Fun Guy

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Dear Fun: There's no right answer to this question. Instead, you have to ask yourself what is "right" for you.

Here's what I mean: You want your son to get something out of his athletic career. You already stated that you're not after a "five star" ranking. So that's out of the question, but what do you want,

Do you want him to be a starter? Do you want

him to garner All Conference, or even All State accolades? Maybe you hope he'll break some records along the way. Or maybe you just want him to have

In order to know how hard to push your son, you need to have a clear picture of how you envision his high school athletic career going.

If all of this sounds like some crazy micro-managing dad scheme, then maybe you fall into "just have fun" camp.

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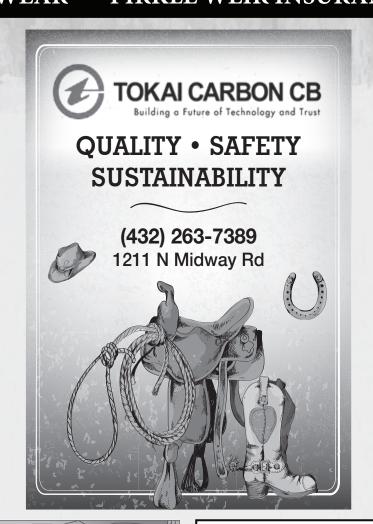
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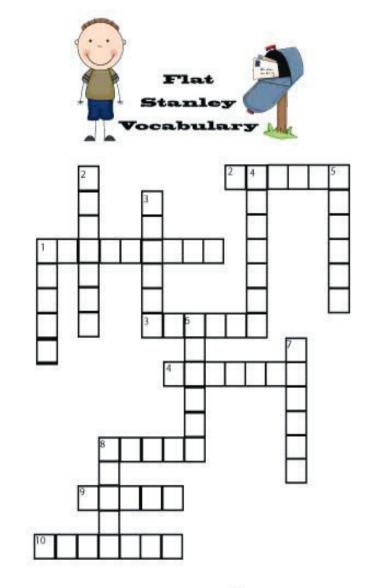
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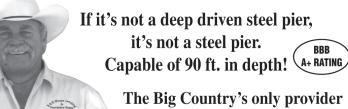
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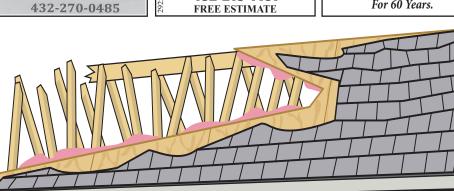
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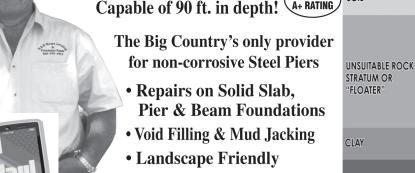
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By Steve Becker

A super safety play

Both sides vulnerable. **NORTH ♦**QJ543 **♥**72

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The bidding: West North Pass Pass Pass Dble Opening lead — six of spades.

that they are of infinite variety. Rec-Consider this deal where East doubled three notrump on the bid-

dummy.

There are more safety plays in bridge than anyone could possibly enumerate, and one might even say ognizing them is often a serious challenge, and many a declarer has fallen flat on his face at the crucial moment.

ding shown, by convention asking West to lead the first suit bid by

Tomorrow: The art of defense.

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West duly led a spade, East winning dummy's jack with the king and continuing with the ace and another spade. Declarer's only reasonable chance, after winning the third spade with dummy's queen, was to rely on a diamond finesse. But when, in the fullness of time, he attempted it, East won with the king and cashed two more spades to put the contract down

Declarer missed his chance to assure the contract when he played the jack of spades from dummy at trick one. He should have realized that, by playing low from dummy on the opening lead, no lie of the cards could defeat him, since there would then have been no way for East to

collect more than three spade tricks. After this play, the defense would score at most three spades and a diamond, while at the same time South would be certain to take two hearts, four clubs and three diamonds even if the diamond finesse, when

attempted, lost. Of course, it may go against the grain to play low from dummy on the spade lead, but the reason is certainly simple enough. If declarer plays low from dummy, he guarantees the contract against any distribution, while if he plays the jack, he jeopardizes the contract and, in the actual case, goes

Here is the problem: Let's say "Karen" books

make a living.

a hair color treatment that requires three hours to complete on a Thursday. That time frame is now blocked off on the schedule. On Wednesday, Karen is contacted to verify she will be in to receive her color treatment, and she verifies. As the time approaches Karen's appointment, several folks walk into the salon

to request a service but

are denied because the

time has been allotted

to Karen.

The Gift of Sobriety

Dear Annie: My

daughter is the co-own-

er of a salon in Florida.

All the folks there work

extremely hard trying to

Karen is 10 minutes late and then 20 minutes late and then 30 minutes late. The salon then calls Karen to make sure she has not run into a ditch. Karen says: "Oh, I forgot all about it. I'll have to reschedule." Apparently, these no-shows have no concept that they have not only cost

the salon three hours

Annie's Mailbox ®

of productivity but also denied service to many walk-ins.

In some cases, folks who cannot make their appointment have the courtesy to call and inform the salon so the time allotted for their service can be filled. Would Karen just blow off an appointment with her doctor or dentist?

Folks have to come to the realization that salon owners and employees have careers that have always catered to the customer. Customers also have to understand that they have a responsibility to the salon to either uphold their commitment and show up when scheduled or have the decency to call and cancel their appointment in a timely fashion so the salon can fill the time.

The "I forgot" excuse is bogus. Remember, the owners and employees are trying to earn a living while providing the best service possible. Do you have any suggestions to make it easier to address these Karen moments? -- Customer Etiquette

Dear Customer Etiquette: Yes, to answer your question, I think that Karen could also blow off a doctor or dentist appointment. It is not a personal attack on your daughter; it is a personality flaw of Karen's, in that she didn't learn about consideration for others.

In order to deter people from forgetting about appointments, your daughter could install a cancellation policy. Many businesses have them, including doctors and dentists. She could also look into an automatic email reminder for customers, with a note stating the salon's cancellation policy.

Dear Annie: I just read the letter from "Finally Crawled Out of the Bottle," who wrote in response to "Outside the Bottle Looking In." I want both of those writers to know that they have someone praying for them who they will never meet.

My husband gave

me, and our children, the gift of his sobriety 15 years ago. We were so blessed that he recognized what was happening to him, even before I did. I know his Alcoholics Anonymous meetings, and the people he came to know through them, made all

I hope "Finally Crawled Out of the Bottle" can feel me, and I'm sure many others, lifting her up and rejoicing with her in her sobriety. -- Someone Who Cares

the difference.

Dear Someone Who Cares: Thank you for your heartfelt letter. Your gratitude toward your husband, and the gift he gave you, is simply beautiful.

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The Spider

During Mark Twain's days as a newspaperman, he was the editor of a small Missouri paper.

One day, he received a letter from a subscriber stating that he had found a spider in his paper and asked if this was an omen of good or bad luck.

Twain replied, "Finding a spider in your paper is neither good nor bad luck. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant was not advertising so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace



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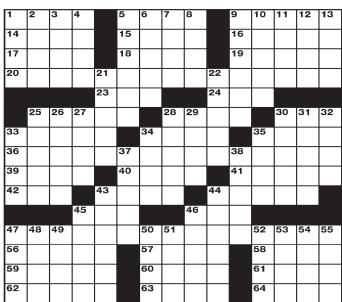
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Today is Tuesday, June 15, the 166th day of 2021. There are 199 days left in

Today's Highlight in **History:**

On June 15, 1215, England's King John put his seal to Magna Carta ("the Great Charter") at Runnymede.

On this date:

In 1775, the Second Continental Congress voted unanimously to appoint George Washington head of the Continental Army.

In 1864, Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton signed an order establishing a military burial ground which became Arlington National Cemetery in

In 1902, the 20th Century Limited, an express passenger train between New York and Chicago, began service. (The Limited made its last run in December 1967.

In 1904, more than 1,000 people died when fire erupted aboard the steamboat General Slocum in New York's East

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed an act making the National Guard part of the U.S. Army in the event of war or national emergency.

In 1944, American forces began their successful inva-sion of Saipan (sy-PAN') during World War II. B-29 Superfortresses carried out their first raids on Japan.

In 1955, the United States and Britain signed a coop-eration agreement concerning atomic information for "mutual defence purposes.

In 1985, the Shiite Muslim hijackers of a TWA Boeing 727 beat and shot one of their hostages, U.S. Navy diver Robert Stethem (STEE them), 23, throwing him out of the plane to die on the tarmac at Beirut

> In 1988, the baseball romantic comedy "Bull Durham," star-ring Kevin Costner and Susan Sarandon, was released by Orion Pictures.

In 1991, Mount Pinatubo in the northern Philippines exploded in one of the biggest volcanic eruptions of the 20th century, killing about 800

In 1996, Ella Fitzgerald, the "first lady of song," died in Beverly Hills, California, at age

In 2003, with a deadline passed for Iraqis to hand in heavy weapons, U.S. forces fanned out across Iraq to seize arms and put down potential

Ten years ago: Pushing back against congressional criti-cism, the White House said that President Barack Obama had the authority to continue U.S. military action in Libya even without authorization from law-makers on Capitol Hill. Arizona Rep. Gabrielle Giffords was released from a Houston hospital, five months after being shot in the head during a Tucson political event. The Boston Bruins won the Stanley Cup for the first time since 1972, beating the Vancouver Canucks 4-0 in Game 7 of the finals; angry, drunken Vancouver fans ran wild, setting cars on fire and looting stores.

Five years ago: The interim police chief in Oakland, California, Ben Fairow, was abruptly removed after six confidence in Fairow's ability to lead the department amid a widening sex scandal in which a number of officers allegedly had sex with a teenage prosti-tute. A public funeral was held in Detroit for hockey legend Gordie Howe, who had died five days earlier at age 88.

One year ago: The Supreme Court, in a 6-3 decision, ruled that a landmark civil rights law protects gay, lesbian and trans-gender people from discrimination in employment. European countries reopened borders after a three-month coronavirus shutdown; international visi-tors were still kept away. U.S. regulators revoked emergency authorization for malaria drugs promoted by President Donald Trump for treating COVID-19 amid evidence that they didn't work and could cause serious side effects. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention said death rates for coronavirus patients with chronic illnesses were 12 times higher than for others who became infected. The Seattle City Council voted unanimously to bar police from using tear gas, pepper spray and several other crowd control devices after officers repeatedly used them on mostly peaceful demonstrators protesting rac-ism and police brutality.

Today's Birthdays: R&B singer Ruby Nash Garnett (Ruby and the Romantics) is 87. Funk musician Leo Nocentelli (The Meters) is 75. Actor Simon Callow is 72. Singer Russell Hitchcock (Air Supply) is 72. Rock singer Steve Walsh is 70. Chinese President Xi Jinping (shee jiba pagent) is 68. Actor (shee jihn-peeng) is 68. Actor-comedian Jim Belushi is 67. Country singer Terri Gibbs is 67. Actor Julie Hagerty is 66. Actor Polly Draper is 66. Rock musician Brad Gillis (Night Ranger) is 64. Baseball Hall of Famer Wade Boggs is 63. Actor Eileen Davidson is 62.

Horoscopes By Holiday

TUESDAY **JUNE 15, 2021**

Leo Moon Signs Permission Slip

There is no one-sizefits-all when it comes to happiness. The recipe for happiness is so catered to each individual that to try to do what makes your neighbor happy would be a total waste of time. Besides, figuring it out for yourself is half the fun. The playful Leo moon is a permission slip to mess around with your options. ARIES (March 21-April

19). You don't have to know what to do next to get to a better place. It's time to try a few things out to see what works -or, more than likely, start eliminating the things that don't work. TAURUS (April 20-May

20). Keen observation takes practice. How do you know whether you're really paying attention? Devour the moment with your senses. Later, quiz yourself to see what you remember.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Your mind has a mind of its own. Certain lines of thought aren't compelling enough to hold you, and others you can't seem to let go of them. Accept your thinking style, even as you nudge yourself toward a desired mindset.

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CANCER (June 22-July 22). You encounter feelings you can't quite identify. You linger in emotional states that fall in between the ones with names. There is opportunity here. Describe what you're going through, if only to yourself.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Take a rest from the creating, scheming, inventing, plotting and improving; contemplate things as they are. It will be an act of solace, of stillness that is, strangely, also move-

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Normally, you're more collaborative than this. But today, you really don't want people telling /ou what to do. You feel <u>like you already know</u>

and you're right about

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You're plenty generous with loved ones and community. However, the current arrangement isn't about generosity. The sanctity of a deal depends on everyone holding up their end of the bargain. You'll fight for what's right.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). The ideas are flowing, and you have an unencumbered channel of expressing them, too. Be careful who you involve at this tender point in the creative process. Flesh things out on your own

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). People offer you excuses. It's not even worth getting into. The art of focusing yourself well will come into play. Bring your mind's eye to what you want, and don't let it get out of your view.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). A sensation can be such a slippery thing that you can't even hold it while you're experiencing it, and neither can you recall it with sufficient vividness afterward. Frankly, this is exactly what keeps you coming back.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The force field around you while you are sleeping or in a meditative state is especially powerful. Your dreams will be both vivid and revealing, even though it may take many weeks for the full meaning to come to you.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Today's highlight is the kind of scene that startles you with its warmth, like the spiritual sunshine that catches you off guard when you're waved at by someone you don't know.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (June 15). The new cycle

endows you with potent influence, and you know just how to best use it. You'll outdo former performance records. If you take breaks regularly and often, high productivity will continue into your next birthday. You'll recharge and inspire by losing the hectic agendas and relaxing with people you enjoy. Pisces and Linumbers are: 8, 40, 11,

bra adore you. Your lucky 32 and 17.

COSMIC QUESTION:

"I'm a career-driven Leo with a Virgo moon. I've always been a hard worker and tried to do what is right, more or less. For all of my efforts, I don't feel I've gotten very far in my career. I wanted to be a singer/actor/performer, and then I branched off into other areas of the entertainment business. I never really achieved my aspirations, though I've hit some minor goalposts along the way. Now I'm older, and I'm tired and angry that I wasn't able to do more. How can I let it go?'

I don't think you really can let it go, Leo. Being a performer is just a part of who you are. But right now, you're looking back at all your training and ef forts and considering it a waste just because you're not walking the red carpet at the Oscars. The reality is that all of your skills and that special charisma you've developed through the vears counts for a lot in job force, no matter what other role you choose. Stop focusing on what you didn't do with your life, and build on what you did do and are doing. Attitude is every-

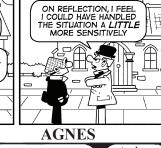
CELEBRITY PRO-FILES: Neil Patrick Harris

is currently living the '70s with back-to-back biopics harkening to the decade of his birth. "Spinning Gold" focuses on the record industry; "Anita" centers on the life of activist Anita Bryant. But up first is a comedy with a tongue-in-cheek title that's been at times applicable to Harris himself: The Unbearable Weight of Massive Talent." Harris has natal sun and Saturn in brilliant Gemini.

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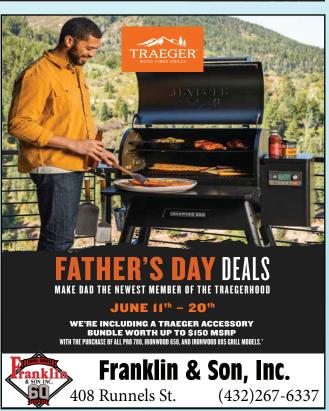














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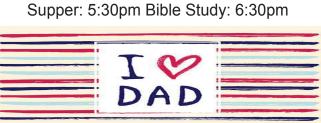


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