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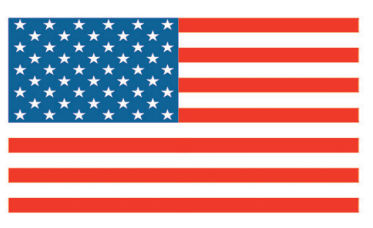
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## County Judge Wiseman announces 2022 retirement at Monday's County meeting

By **ROGER CLINE**  
 Herald Staff Writer

Howard County Judge Kathryn Wiseman announced Monday that she will retire from that position at the end of 2022.

The announcement came at the start of the Howard County Commissioner's Court meeting Monday.

Wiseman was first elected to the post in 2014, beginning her term in office Jan. 1, 2015. She was re-elected in 2018.

"It has been my great honor to serve as your Howard County Constitutional county judge for the past few years," announced Wiseman, reading from a prepared statement. "On the last day of 2022, my service in this role will be com-



**Wiseman**

plete." Wiseman, first employed with the county in 1999, was elected Justice of the Peace in 2002; and judge of the Howard County Justice Court in 2010, defeating Ricky Hughes in the general election. In the 2014 Republican primary, she defeated Republican incumbent County Judge Mark J. Barr, before winning the general election without opposition. In 2018, Wiseman faced no opposition in either the Republican primary or the general election.

Wiseman said she chose Monday to announce her intention to refrain from running again to give interested candidates a chance to file for the

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## Goliad lane closure on Tuesday due to construction work

Special to the Herald

City of Big Spring

On Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2021, crews will be working in the intersection of Goliad and East 24th Street. All lanes of Goliad Street will be closed from the FM 700 north service road to East 24th Street until work is complete. All traffic will be diverted around the work zone. If you must travel in this area, please do so with extreme caution.

We apologize for any inconvenience and ask for your patience while work is completed. Please direct any questions or concerns to the office of Shane Bowles, Public Works Director, at 432-264-2501.

### Upcoming Events

**City Council Meeting**  
 5:30 p.m.

Today  
 View online or on Channel 17 on Suddenlink

**Big Spring High School registration is taking place this week**

**Big Spring Steers will face Pecos in a football scrimmage at Memorial Stadium Aug. 13. Time is TBA.**

**Alive in Christ Blood Drive Aug. 15**

**There will not be a Toasty Tuesday this week, but community members are encouraged to find time to pick up in their own neighborhood.**

**United Way Kick-off and Golf Tournament set for Aug. 28**

## Quilt of Valor presentation honors two local veterans, Tijerina and Cole

By **MICHAEL COLE**

Special to the Herald

Local Veterans, family and friends came together Wednesday, August 1 to present two local Veterans with Quilts of Valor. Local U.S. Army Veteran Michael Tarpley is one of only a handful of Veterans approved by The Quilts of Valor Foundation to make the presentations and is the driving force behind this, and many other Veteran centered programs in West Texas.

Honored at this presentation were U.S. Marine Corps



**Pictured above left: Moses Tijerina, U.S. Marine Corps Veteran, was wrapped in a special Quilt of Valor ceremony in recognition of his service to his country. Pictured above right: Michael Cole, U.S. Navy Veteran was wrapped in a Quilt of Valor during a special presentation by Mike Tarpley, Quilt of Valor presenter.**

Veteran Moses Tijerina and U.S. Navy Veteran Michael Cole.

Tijerina retired from the USMC after more than

20-years of service. Starting out in 1990, Tijerina was a Rifleman stationed at Camp Pendleton in California, and then Okinawa Japan, before

deploying in 1993 to Mogadishu Somalia as part of the UN peace keeping forces. Tijerina would follow that deployment with a deployment to the Persian Gulf where he and his fellow Marines would train with Saudi forces. Tijerina went on to serve as weapons instructor at Paris Island before transitioning into the field of Logistics.

In 1997 Tijerina switced Military Occupational Specialties (MOS) to become a

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## Forsan Community Prayer Breakfast continues 18th year tradition this Wednesday

By **ROGER CLINE**

Herald Staff Writer

Wednesday will mark the 18th year of a local tradition – the Forsan Community Prayer Breakfast.

"We've been doing it for a while," Forsan ISD Superintendent Randy Johnson said. "The schools host the events, but at least in the last several years, the local churches help organize that and bring in different speakers and stuff. So they're a great partner with us."

The breakfast will be at 8 a.m. Wednesday in the Forsan Elementary School cafeteria, and will feature Forsan Baptist Church's Associate Pastor

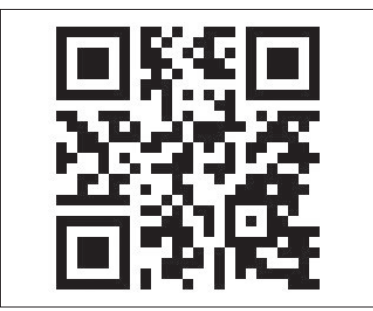
Darren Weaver. The program is scheduled to last only one hour, including the meal, so that those in attendance won't miss too much work.

Johnson said the event isn't an official school function, and is organized by local community members. The cost of the event is covered by ticket sales, and no public money is used.

"From my perspective, this is a critical event each year for our school district," Johnson said. "We hear a lot about God being taken out of the schools and prayer not being allowed in schools, and so on. This is an opportunity for us to kind of prove that wrong to some degree, I guess. In our com-

munity, at least, there is a significant number of people who feel like God is an important part of everyday life, and is involved in what we do and gives us wisdom and decision-making and so on. I can't imagine a more important place for God to be involved than a place where we are educating young minds and influencing students. There's a need for literally millions of decisions every single day by – in Forsan ISD, anyway, by about 107 staff members. So we definitely want God's involvement in providing safety and peace and wisdom as we go through this school year."

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# Obituaries

## Pablo Ricardo Perez-Prieto



Pablo Ricardo Perez-Prieto, 42, of Big Spring, passed away Thursday, Aug. 5, 2021. Vigil service will be at 7 p.m., Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2021, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 11, 2021 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

He was born Jan. 26, 1979, in Chihuahua, Mexico, to Luzalicia Prieto and Jorge Perez. He was a great son, a wonderful brother and father of three magnificent kids (Juan Pablo, Sofia and Diego). He was a great friend, always helpful to everyone. He loved sports, but his

true passion was horse racing. He lived his life as he wanted. We will never forget you and will forever miss you Pablunt (Greñas) (Putin). Fly High Pablunt.

He is survived by his mother: Luzalicia Prieto-Gallegos; his father: Jorge Antonio Perez-Armendariz; one brother: Jorge Gerardo Perez-Prieto; three sisters: Maria Guadalupe Prieto-Gallegos, Maria DeLourdes Prieto-Gallegos and Patricia Prieto-Gallegos.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com)

*Paid Obituary*

## Doris Jean Peacock

Doris Jean Peacock, 83, of Ackerly, Texas, died peacefully surrounded by her loved ones on Aug. 7, 2021, at Parkview Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Big Spring, Texas. Visitation will be held at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home in Colorado City, Texas, on Tuesday, August 10, 2021 from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. Graveside service will be held following the visitation at the Aspermont Cemetery in Aspermont, Texas at 3 p.m.

Jean was born in Franklin, Texas, to James Cornelius Miles and Lemma Ray Bruce Miles. She married her sweetheart Shirley Ray Peacock on Jan. 2, 1954, at Pinkerton Baptist Church in Rule, Texas.

Jean has blessed her family and community with her servant's heart. When she wasn't busy making desserts for the hospitality room for the staff at Sands, she could be found making homemade ice cream for the students. Rumor has it that she made the best chocolate pie in West Texas. Outsiders rarely had the chance to try a slice because her children made sure to lick the plate clean before anyone else had a chance.

She spent many hours talking to old friends and making new ones on Facebook. She enjoyed learning about everyone's families and sharing about her's with daily updates to her online followers.

Jean loved to watch all of her grandchildren compete, and wouldn't hesitate to brag on them in any way she could and to anyone who would listen. You couldn't go to the Mustang gym, football field, or even auditorium without finding Mrs. Peacock.

Jean is preceded in death by her husband Ray of

51 years, her brother, Milton "Buddy" Bruce Miles, and her son, Ronnie Jay Peacock.

Jean is survived by her sister, Barbara Garrett of Tulia, Texas, her remaining six children: Dewey Peacock and his spouse Sherri Peacock of Burnet, Texas, Jerria Peacock of Ackerly, Texas, Sammy Peacock of Ackerly, Texas, Wesley Peacock of Ackerly, Texas, Kathy Monteleone and her spouse Rick Monteleone of Graham, Texas, and Shelley Peacock of Ackerly, Texas, her 17 grandchildren: Dr. Collin Peacock and his spouse Alejandra Peacock of Bastrop, Texas, Cody Peacock of Arlington, Texas, Jessica Wigington and her spouse Michael Wigington of Ackerly, Texas, Samantha Peacock of Lubbock, Texas, Ronnie Peacock of Big Spring, Texas, Rene Acevedo and his spouse Kacey Acevedo of Lubbock, Texas, Edward Acevedo of Lubbock, Texas, Sherrie Acevedo of Big Spring, Texas, Shaunessy Sharp and her spouse Evan Sharp of Midland, Texas, Jessica Willard and her spouse Wesley Willard of Spring Branch, Texas, Kenneth Peacock of Big Spring, Texas, Kendra Hawkins of Big Spring, Texas, Kayla Brownfield of Big Spring, Texas, Kyle Brownfield of Big Spring, Texas, Ashli Irwin and her spouse John Irwin of Big Spring, Texas, Ryan Stockton of Ackerly, Texas, and Riley Webb of Ackerly, Texas.

Jean is also survived by her 22 great grandchildren.

Jean loved to read, it was rare to see her without a book in her hand. She read in the car, in bed before she went to sleep, on the porch, to her grandchildren, almost all of her free time was spent with her nose in a book. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests monetary donations be made in Jean's name to the Dawson County Public Library.

*Paid Obituary*

## Zimmalew Boeker

Zimmalew Boeker, 86, of Big Spring, passed away Saturday, August 7, 2021. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory.

# Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of Avondale. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Madison Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3500 block of E. I-20. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2300 block of Cindy Lane. No transport was required.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of MLK Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2100 block of Johnson Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1200 block of Ridgeroad. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 4300 block of Wasson Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the area of I-20 MM 186. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Apron Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 4000 block of Dixon. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Osage. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Harding. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2300 block of Cindy Lane. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1600 block of Sunset. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Marijo Avenue. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

# 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.

• 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.

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

### WEDNESDAY

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

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# Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:  
Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 104 inmates at the time of this report.

- **RUBEN CISNEROS**, 45, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of bail jumping and fail to appear, theft of property between \$100 and \$750.
- **KEANDREA JENAE EMERSON**, 19, was arrested by DPS on a charge of possession of controlled substance between four grams and 400 grams.
- **JONATHAN LEE FALZONE**, 20, was arrested by DPS on a charge of possession of marijuana less than two ounces, possession of controlled substance less than one gram and possession of controlled substance less than 20AU.
- **JOE L. FLORES**, 56, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid, fail to maintain financial responsibility, and driving while license invalid.
- **JORGE NONE FRANCO**, 31, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **LUIS HECTOR GALINDO**, 41, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of assault family/house member impede breathing.
- **DAVID WAYNE GRANT**, 50, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of operate unregistered motor vehicle, fail to maintain financial responsibility, ride not secured by safety belt, violate promise to appear, fail to maintain financial responsibility, possession of drug paraphernalia, violate promise to appear, and violate promise to appear.
- **GILBERT JIMENEZ JR.**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- **TAJUN COLE JOHNSON**, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of INS-BD/theft of property between \$100 and \$750.
- **RANDAL KIRK KIRKHAM**, 30, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of

theft of material 50% alum/bronze, evading arrest detention with vehicle, bail jumping and fail to appear (x2) and criminal trespass (x2).

- **DANIEL RAY LEWIS**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of fraud possession/use credit or debit card, possession of drug paraphernalia, MTA/assault family violence.
- **RAMIRO VALENCIA MARQUEZ**, 31, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of evading arrest detention with vehicle.
- **RODNEY MARTINEZ JR.**, 26, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of public intoxication.
- **JOE DOWELL MATTHEWS**, 63, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of driving while intoxicated third or more.
- **FRANK MONTEMAYOR**, 23, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of possession of controlled substance between one gram and four grams; possession of controlled substance between four grams and 400 grams.
- **WARREN LOUIS MORELION**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- **JOSHUA LINZY OWEN**, 37, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **AMADOR RIOS JR.**, 40, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.
- **SALLY ANN SOLIS**, 51, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- **KING WAZURI TERRELL**, 29, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750.
- **RIGOBERTO NONE VASQUEZ**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of fail to maintain financial responsibility, speeding 10% above posted limit, fail to maintain financial responsibility.

# COUNTY

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position.  
"That person will have to file to run for this position in November," she said. "I'm asking each of you to carefully consider who you will support and who will get your vote for this important office. Choose someone who loves this community. Choose someone who strives for cooperation between city and county offices to best serve and take care of the needs of our people here in Howard County. Choose someone who understands that authority comes from service. Choose someone who will pray for God's care and blessing on our community. Choose someone that you are going to be proud to call your Howard County Judge."

Following Wiseman's announcement, County Treasurer Sharon Adams presented personnel considerations and the Monthly Payroll Report, both of which were approved unanimously by the commissioners. Adams also presented a surplus distribution check from the Texas Association of Counties' Health and Employee Benefits Pool for \$60,847.

County Auditor Jackie Olson presented purchase requests totaling \$84,982.81, which the commissioners approved. In addition, Olson presented a purchase request for a new fire alarm - plus monitoring and service - at the Howard County Courthouse. The alarm and service is being provided by Aprotex Corporation of Midland; the one-time installation cost is \$526, semi-annual inspections of the system will be \$989 each due at the time of the inspection, and monthly monitoring will cost the county \$69 per month.

Olson requested and received permission to seek bids on fuel for the county

In other business, County Tax Assessor-Collector Tiffany Sayles presented several possible 2021-22

tax rates to the commissioners. Commissioner John Cline made a motion to select a rate equal to 90 percent of the voter approval rate, which comes out to 33.9629 cents per \$100 of property valuation. Commissioners approved the preliminary rate by a vote of 3-2, with Commissioners Eddilisa Ray (Precinct 1) and Jimmie Long (Precinct 3) dissenting. The commissioners scheduled a public hearing on the county's proposed tax rate and budget for August 23.

Howard County's 9-1-1 Director Cherrie Burcham presented the 9-1-1 District's budget for 2021-22, which the commissioners approved unanimously. Burcham announced that the budget includes the purchase of the former Social Security building on FM 700, which will become the new office for Howard County 9-1-1.

Howard County Sheriff Stan Parker presented changes to the Sheriff's Department's civil fees, which the commissioners unanimously approved. According to Parker, the new fee schedule increases the fee for writs through the county's Justices of the Peace to \$100, making those fees equal to those for writs through the district and county courts; and also increases the mileage fee for writ service to 56 cents per mile.

Commissioner Ray reported that she attended and completed a law seminar through the Leadership Academy with Howard County Elections Officer Jodi Duck.

Duck announced that the seminar highlighted several upcoming changes to election laws, including several regarding mail-in ballots, as well as changes to the process for run-off elections, public posting of elections, election auditing, and voter registration confidentiality.

Road Engineer Brian Klinksiek requested permission to purchase a load of road emulsion for approximately \$15,000, which the commissioners unanimously approved.

County Clerk Brent Zitterkopf presented his monthly report.

At the end of the meeting, Commissioner Craig Bailey (Precinct 2) pointed out the county's part in funding the new Big Sandy Landfill, which had its grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony Wednesday morning. Bailey said the county donated land and paving for the road leading from Old Colorado City Highway to the landfill, and also donated \$1 million toward the project.

Purchase requests:

- \$57,017.51 for security upgrades in the county's Information Technology department.
- \$3,500 for a 3-year license on firewall software for the Information Technology department.
- \$2,942 for COVID sanitizing products at the County Courthouse.
- \$5,000 for inmate supplies including food, boots, clothes, etc., at the Howard County Detention Center.
- \$1,555.76 for four HP LaserJet Pro printers for the Howard County Library.
- \$1,081.41 for 27 assorted titles of DVDs for the Howard County Library.
- \$1,037.40 for juvenile non-fiction books for the Library.
- \$1,329.91 for nine Launchpad electronic devices for the Library.
- \$1,210.82 for subscription fees for computer system restore services subscription at the Library.
- \$2,600 for an Apollo Automation system at the Library.
- \$3,050 for work on doors at the Courthouse.
- \$526 for installation of a fire alarm system, \$989 per semi-annual inspection, and \$69 per month monitoring, at the County Courthouse.

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# PRAY

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Tickets to the breakfast can be pur-

chased from Forsan Elementary School, Forsan Junior/Senior High School, or the Forsan Superintendent's Office. The school district requests that those plan-

ning to attend either purchase a ticket ahead of time, or reserve a spot by phone by calling 432-457-2223, to assist with meal planning.

# QUILT

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Landing Support Specialist. After attending 0481 basic school at Court House Bay, Camp LeJeune NC, he reported to 1st Landing Support Battalion, Camp Pendleton, CA. In April 2000 Tijerina reported to the 1ST Light Armored Reconnaissance Battalion at Camp Pendleton to be the S-4 Logistics Chief.

In June 2002 received orders to report to the USS Nashville, in Norfolk, VA to be the Combat Cargo Assistant, deployed with the 26th Marine Expeditionary Unit in support of Iraqi Freedom.

In May 2005 received orders to 1st Marine Logistics Group, on Camp Pendleton, after reporting to the unit was re-directed to report to the 11th Combat Logistics Battalion to be the S-4 Logistics Chief. On the

first deployment with CLB 11 deployed to Iraqi to do convoy resupply missions. In the 5 years that he was with CLB 11 he would served as the S-4 Logistics Chief, S-3 Operations Chief and the S-4 Logistics Officer.

Tijerina retired on October 31, 2010.

Tijerina continues his service as the Chief of Voluntary Services and acting Chief of Communication for the West Texas VA Health Care System.

The second honoree at the ceremony was Michael Cole, a Veteran of the U.S. Navy. Cole started his service in 1984 as a Photographer's Mate after completing Basic School in Pensacola, FL. His first duty station was Fighter Squadron 102, based out of Naval Air Station Oceana in Virginia Beach, VA, and deployed with Carrier Air Wing 1 (CVW 1) aboard the USS Amer-

ica. In nearly five year with VF 102 and CVW1, Cole would deploy to the North Atlantic, Caribbean and most notably, to the Mediterranean where CVW 1 would take place in Operation El Dorado Canyon. El Dorado Canyon would see Navy and Air Force units conducting bombing missions in Libya in response to terrorist activities undertaken by the Qaddafi regime.

Cole went on to serve as an instructor at the U.S. Naval Schools of Photography, before reporting to the USS New Orleans in San Diego, CA. While aboard the New Orleans, Cole would deploy with the 11th and 13th Marine Expeditionary Units, first to Mogadishu Somalia, and then to Kuwait. In both deployments, Cole would provide reconnaissance support to Marine ground forces. Cole then transferred to the Submarine Surveil-

lance Equipment Program based out of Pearl Harbor HI, where he would work with Pacific Fleet submarine forces in the arena of reconnaissance.

Cole's final tour was as the Public Affairs Officer for Naval Air Station, Joint Reserve Base New Orleans. Cole served as the primary media contact for the station's support and response to hurricane Katrina.

Retiring in 2006 after nearly 22-years of service, Cole as served in various public affairs roles for the Department of Transportation, International Security Assistance Forces in Afghanistan, and currently is a Public Affairs Officer with the Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Health

Administration.

Tijerina and Cole are both avid supporters of the local chapter of the Disabled American Veterans and support Tarpley in many events designed to honor and support West Texas Veterans.

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# Athletic Support: “Facebook ads and too many practices”

**Dear Athletic Support:** My son saw a Facebook ad for this basketball training tool that I think is ridiculous. It's essentially just a plastic hand attached to an elastic just a band attached to the players face, simulating a defender, I guess? When he showed me the ad, I literally laughed out loud. I thought it was a joke, but my son was serious. He really thinks this will improve his game. What do you think?



**Eli Cranor**

**Dear Hand:** Take your son's interest in this strange product as a good sign. He's interested in basketball. He's invested enough that the Facebook algorithms are showing him b-ball-themed advertisements!

Granted, this product does sound weird. A plastic hand in your face? What's the point of that? Regardless, I'd still urge you to consider purchasing this product for him. And, no, I'm not crazy. It's just that you want to support your son's interest.

You want to stoke his flame, so to speak. As long as it's not too expensive, I'd go ahead and pull the trigger.

**Dear Athletic Support:** I'm tired. Just plain old exhausted. We've been doing travel-league baseball all summer, and now football is already starting up again. I have three sons, ranging in ages from seventh grade to a sophomore in high school. All three of them play baseball and football. I really feel like I'm about to give out. My husband works on oil rigs and is gone for long periods of time. He's super supportive when he's here and helps out a lot — he's just not home all that often. With football already upon us, I'm not sure I can keep going at this pace. Do you have any ideas about how I could lighten my load? I don't want to ask any of my sons to quit football, but I'm not sure how I'm going to get them all to the better practices and games coming up this fall.

— Worn Plumb Out

**Dear Worn:** No, you don't want to ask your sons to quit football. With your husband's work sched-

ule, I'm guessing your sons' coaches provide strong male role models for your boys. So let's take that option completely off the table.

What you can do, however, is ask for help. I'm guessing you have a few friends on each of your sons' teams. Maybe your boys are friends with these parents' kids? If so, that'll make this even easier. I'm talking about a carpool!

What I would do is set up a schedule with the other parents for the remaining summer practices. Work it so each of you only have to take the boys a couple times a week. Since you have three sons, maybe you could work out a deal like this for each of them.

If you play your cards right, you might even have a day where you don't have to drive anyone to practice. How's that sound?

*Eli Cranor is a former professional quarterback and coach turned award-winning author. Send questions for "Athletic Support" to eli.cranor@gmail.com*

## Mills expected to start for the Cubs against the Brewers

By The Associated Press

Milwaukee Brewers (66-46, first in the NL Central) vs. Chicago Cubs (52-61, fourth in the NL Central)  
CITING; Tuesday, 8:05 p.m. EDT  
PITCHING PROBABLES: Brewers: Aaron Ashby (0-0, 0.00 ERA) Cubs: Alec Mills (5-4, 4.41 ERA, 1.41 WHIP, 50 strikeouts)  
BOTTOM LINE: Chicago and Milwaukee will face off on Tuesday.

The Cubs are 31-24 on their home turf. Chicago has a collective on-base percentage of .302, led by Willson Contreras with a mark of .334.

The Brewers have gone 34-19 away from home. The Milwaukee offense has compiled a .227 batting average as a team this season, Kolten Wong leads the team with a mark of .286.

The Brewers won the last meeting 15-7. Trevor Richards earned his third victory and Luis Urias went 4-for-5 with a double, two home runs and four RBIs for Milwaukee. Rex Brothers registered his first loss

for Chicago.

**TOP PERFORMERS:** Contreras leads the Cubs with 78 hits and has 40 RBIs. Eduardo Escobar leads the Brewers with 24 home runs and is batting .248.

**LAST 10 GAMES:** Cubs: 2-8, .228 batting average, 6.00 ERA, outscored by 21 runs  
Brewers: 6-4, .238 batting average, 3.48 ERA, outscored opponents by 10 runs

**INJURIES:** Cubs: Brad Wieck: (heart), Rowan Wick: (oblique), Kohl Stewart: (elbow), Dillon Maples: (blister), Jonathan Holder: (shoulder), Jason Heyward: (finger), Nick Madrigal: (hamstring), Nico Hoerner: (oblique), Austin Romine: (left wrist), Jose Lobaton: (shoulder), P.J. Higgins: (forearm).

**Brewers:** Justin Topa: (elbow), Eric Lauer: (covid-19), Adrian Houser: (health protocols), Josh Hader: (covid-19), Jandel Gustave: (covid-19), Jake Cousins: (covid-19), John Axford: (elbow), Brett Anderson: (calf), Daniel Vogelbach: (hamstring), Travis Shaw: (shoulder), Mark Mathias: (shoulder).

## Watson returns to practice with Texans after almost a week

By KRISTIE RIEKEN

AP Sports Writer

**HOUSTON (AP)** — Deshaun Watson returned to practice with the Houston Texans on Monday after not taking part in workouts for almost a week.

Watson reported to camp on time and was on the field for the team's first five days of practice, participating in individual drills only. When the players wore pads for the first time this season last Tuesday, he did not participate and was not on the field.

He continued to be absent from practice until Monday when he trotted onto the field with the rest of the team. He only worked during individual drills and went into the indoor practice facility after the first five periods of work. He returned to the field near the end of the two-hour practice and watched as his teammates went through 11-on-11 work.

Coach David Culley refused to say why Watson stopped practicing with the team last week, and he wasn't available to answer questions regarding his return Monday because he spoke before practice.

Watson's future is uncertain after he asked for a trade in January before 22 women filed lawsuits alleging that he sexually assaulted or harassed them in March. Houston police and the NFL are investigating the allegations, but no charges have been filed.

## Cortes Jr., Yankees to take on Lynch, Royals

By The Associated Press

New York Yankees (62-50, third in the AL East) vs. Kansas City Royals (48-63, fourth in the AL Central)  
Kansas City, Missouri; Tuesday, 8:10 p.m. EDT  
PITCHING PROBABLES: Yankees: Nestor Cortes Jr. (0-0, 2.15 ERA, 1.04 WHIP, 41 strikeouts) Royals: Daniel Lynch (2-3, 6.05 ERA, 1.57 WHIP, 17 strikeouts)  
FANDUEL SPORTSBOOK LINE: Royals +136, Yankees -158; over/under is 10 1/2 runs  
BOTTOM LINE: Kansas City and New York will face off on Tuesday.

The Royals are 28-26 on their home turf. Kansas City is slugging .387 as a unit. Salvador Perez leads the club with a .506 slugging percentage, including 45 extra-base hits and 27 home runs.

The Yankees have gone 30-25 away from home. New York has slugged .392 this season. Aaron Judge leads the team with a mark of .504.

The Yankees won the last meeting 8-6. Clay Holmes notched his fourth victory and Luke Voit went 2-for-5 with a home run and two RBIs for New York.

Greg Holland took his fifth loss for Kansas City.

**TOP PERFORMERS:** Perez leads the Royals with 27 home runs and has 69 RBIs.

**DJ LeMahieu** leads the Yankees with 114 hits and has 45 RBIs.

**LAST 10 GAMES:** Royals: 3-7, .204 batting average, 4.50 ERA, outscored by 13 runs  
Yankees: 8-2, .252 batting average, 2.30 ERA, outscored opponents by 21 runs

**INJURIES:** Royals: Kyle Zimmer: (neck/trap), Brady Singer: (shoulder), Jesse Hahn: (shoulder), Ronald Bolanos: (flexor), Adalberto Mondesi: (oblique).  
Yankees: Luis Severino: (elbow), Clarke Schmidt: (elbow), Chris Gittens: (ankle), Anthony Rizzo: (covid-19), Gleyber Torres: (thumb), Gio Urshela: (hamstring), Trey Amburgey: (hamstring), Miguel Andujar: (wrist), Clint Frazier: (vertigo), Aaron Hicks: (wrist), Tim Lincecum: (knee), Aroldis Chapman: (elbow), Gerrit Cole: (health protocols), Domingo German: (shoulder), Yoendrys Gomez: (covid-19), Michael King: (finger), Corey Kluber: (shoulder), Jordan Montgomery: (health protocols), Darren O'Day: (hamstring), Gary Sanchez: (covid-19).

## Allard scheduled to start for Rangers at Mariners

By The Associated Press

Texas Rangers (39-73, fifth in the AL West) vs. Seattle Mariners (59-54, third in the AL West)  
Seattle; Tuesday, 10:10 p.m. EDT  
PITCHING PROBABLES: Rangers: Kolby Allard (2-10, 5.07 ERA, 1.21 WHIP, 73 strikeouts) Mariners: Logan Gilbert (5-3, 4.14 ERA, 1.08 WHIP, 79 strikeouts)  
FANDUEL SPORTSBOOK LINE: Mariners -211, Rangers +178; over/under is 8 runs  
BOTTOM LINE: Adolis Garcia and the Rangers will take on the Mariners Tuesday.

The Mariners are 33-23 in home games in 2020. Seattle hitters have posted a team on-base percentage of .296 this season, led by Ty France with a mark

of .350.

The Rangers are 13-43 on the road. Texas hitters have posted a team on-base percentage of .289 this season, led by Nathaniel Lowe with a mark of .349.

The Rangers won the last meeting 4-3. Dennis Santana notched his first victory and Andy Ibanez went 2-for-4 with a home run and two RBIs for Texas. Erik Swanson registered his first loss for Seattle.

**TOP PERFORMERS:** Mitch Haniger leads the Mariners with 25 home runs and has 65 RBIs.

Adolis Garcia leads the Rangers with 41 extra base hits and is batting .251.

**LAST 10 GAMES:** Mariners: 4-6, .238 batting average, 2.98 ERA, outscored opponents by seven runs

Rangers: 3-7, .194 batting average, 4.90 ERA, outscored by 28 runs

**INJURIES:** Mariners: Justus Sheffield: (undisclosed), James Paxton: (left forearm), Ljay Newsum: (elbow), Andres Munoz: (elbow), Nick Margevicius: (shoulder), Ken Giles: (elbow), Justin Dunn: (shoulder), Shed Long Jr.: (shin), Kyle Lewis: (knee), Sam Haggerty: (shoulder), Evan White: (hip), J.P. Crawford: (illness).

Rangers: Hunter Wood: (elbow), Jose Leclerc: (elbow), John King: (shoulder), Jonathan Hernandez: (elbow), Dane Dunning: (ankle), Kyle Cody: (right shoulder), Matt Bush: (elbow), Kohei Arihara: (finger), Eli White: (elbow), Willie Calhoun: (forearm), Ronald Guzman: (knee).

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

By publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Howard, for one issue, prior to the return day here of ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS and ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Odilia O. Granados, Deceased, are cited to be and appear before the County Court of Howard County, Texas, in the City of Big Spring, on the first Monday after service hereof is perfected, to wit: Monday, May 31, 2021, to answer the Application for Determination of Heirship filed by Henry Granados, on the May 1, 2021, in the matter of the Estate of: Odilia O. Granados, Deceased. No. P-14661, and alleging in substance as follows: Applicant alleges that the decedent died on August 16, 2020 in Ector County, Texas. and prays that the Court hear evidence sufficient to determine who are the heirs of Odilia O. Granados, Deceased.

**Legals**

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, in the City of Big Spring, on this 6th day of August, 2021.

/s/ Trent Powell  
COUNTY CLERK

#11012  
CAUSE NO. P-15193

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS

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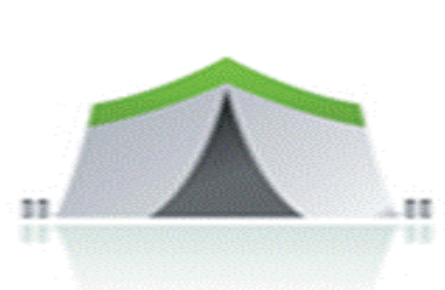
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7 :30	Good Morning America		Planet Wom	CBS This Morning		Today	Light of Southwest	Tiger	CBS7 Wake Up	Jerry	Broke Girl	Charmed	Get Up	SportsCenter	Heliconia Waves	NCIS (DVS)	Movie: The Bourne Identity, Chris Cooper	Deadliest Catch
8 :30			Fox 24 News AM				Light of Southwest	Sesame Elinor	CBS7 Wake Up	Steve Wilkos Show	Broke Girl	Charmed		SportsCenter	Spotlight Focused	NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
9 :30	The 700 Club		Wendy Williams	Kelly and Ryan	Caso cerrado (SS)	Today 3rd Hour	The Is News	Clifford Dinosaur	Kelly Clark-son	Steve Wilkos Show	Friends	Supernatural	First Take	Get Up	Tennis Clas-sics	NCIS (DVS)	(:40) Movie: The Bourne Supremacy, Brian Cox	Deadliest Catch
10 :30	The View	Como dice el dicho	The Heal	The Price Is Right	Caso De'siones	Today-Hoda	The China Words of Nature	Go Luna	Drew Bar-ymore	Mauri	Friends	Supernatural			ATP/WTA Tennis: National Bank Open, First & Second Round.	NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
11 :30	Jeopardy	Noticiero Nosotr.	Tamron Hall	Young & Restless	Más sabe Noticias	The Dr. Oz Show	The Gath Israel	Nature	The Doctors	Mauri	Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter	First Take		NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
:PM	News	GMA3: What	Hoy (SS)	TMZ Live	Pasión de gavilanes	Days of our Lives	News Moly		Dateline	Hot	Friends	Supernatural	SportsCenter			NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
12 :30							Hidden Hero			Hot	Friends					NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
1 :30	General Hospital	La madrastra	The People's Court	The Talk	En casa con	Blast	House	Cyber	The First 48	Medicare Cancer?	Friends	Supernatural	Jalen	SportsCenter		NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
2 :30	Rachael Ray	Amor eterno	Judge Mathis	Let's Make a Deal	(1:58) Suelta la sopa	Blast	For the Pink		Monk	Jerry	Friends		NBA: The Jump	Jalen	Athletes Unlimited Lacrosse	NCIS (DVS)		Deadliest Catch
3 :30	Jdg Judy	El gordo y la flaca	The List	Kelly Clark-son	(2:58) Al rojo vivo	Dr. Phil	Light of Southwest	Donkey Curious	Mauri	Jerry Springer	American		NFL Live	NBA: The Jump		NCIS (DVS)	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
4 :30	DailyMail Jeopardy!	Primer impacto	Broke Girl	Mod Fam	News	News	Retro	Curious	25 Words	black-ish	American		Little League Baseball	Around Pardon	Polaris	NCIS (DVS)	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
5 :30	ABC	Noticiero	FamFeud	CBS 7	Noticias	News	Creation	Xavier	25 Words	black-ish	American	Movie: The Replacements, Orlando Jones (DVS)	SportsCenter	NBA: The Jump	Swing	NCIS (DVS)	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
6 :30	News	Rosa de Guadalupe	Big Bang	CBS 7	Exaltón Estados Unidos (SS)	News	You Need Freedom	Wild Kratt	Last Man	Fam. Guy	Big Bang		Little League Baseball	NFL Live	Swing	NCIS (DVS)	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
7 :30	Gold	Diseñando tu amor	LEGO Masters	NCIS (DVS)		America's Got Talent	Our Mess	Odd	Chicago P.D.	DC's Stargirl	Big Bang	Movie: Tag, Jeremy Renner		Leagues Cup: Quarterfinal: Teams TBA.	Golf Life Texans	WWE NXT	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
8 :30	Conners black-ish	Si nos dejan	Fantasy Island	Love Island	Hercai: amor		Light of Southwest	Arthur	Chicago P.D.	Superman & Lois	Big Bang		NBA Summer League Basketball	Leagues Cup: Quarterfinal: Teams TBA.	Spotlight Pregame		Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
9 :30	To Tell the Truth	La hija	FOX 24 News at 9	FBI: Most Wanted	Café con aroma de	(:01) College Bowl	Light of Southwest	Cyber Pink	Mike	News	Big Bang	Movie: The Replacements, Orlando Jones (DVS)	SportsCenter	Leagues Cup: Quarterfinal: Teams TBA.	MLB Baseball: Texas Rangers at Seattle Mariners.	(:08) Movie: San Andreas (DVS)	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch: Roughest And Tough-
10 :30	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Noticiero	Mom	Late Show- Colbert	Noticias	Tonight Show	Jesus IS	Donkey	CBS 7	Gold	Seinfeld		SportsCenter	UFC Un-leashed		Law & Order: SVU	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
11 :30	Nightline	Contacto deportivo	Funny	James Corden	Caso cerrado (SS)	Seth Meyers	Creation	Tiger	Jokers	Gold	Seinfeld	Movie: The Heat, Demian Bichir (DVS)		Around Pardon	Camp	Law & Order: SVU	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch
12 :30	Extra	Un gancho al	Two Men	Simpsons	Sin Senos Si	Late-Lilly	The	Xavier	Forensic	Short List	Seinfeld		SportsCenter	NFL Live	MLB Baseball: Texas Rangers at Seattle Mariners.	Law & Order: SVU	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch: Roughest And Tough-
1 :30	Outages	La madrastra	Pawn	Pawn	Programa De'siones	News	Light of Southwest	Hero	Jerry Springer	Seinfeld	Matters	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter	UFC 261: Usman vs. Masvidal 2		Law & Order: SVU	Kids Behind Bars	Deadliest Catch: Roughest And Tough-
2 :30	(:06) ABC World News Now	Vecinos	Paid Prg.	(:07) CBS Overnight News	El premio Nobel del amor (SS)	Today-Hoda	Light of Southwest	Wild Kratt	Minute	Lock	Matters	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter			Chrisley	Paid Prg. Bravo XL	Dino Hunters
3 :30		El gordo y la flaca	Paid Prg.		Noticias	Yolo, TX	A Prom	Odd	Paid Prg.	Relief	Matters	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter			(:03) Date-line	Huckabee	Dino Hunters
4 :30	Morning	Noticiero	Two Men	News	Programa	Early Tdy	The Is	Arthur	Paid Prg.	Vitamins	Matters	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter		Postgame Kill	(:01) Date-line	Paid Prg.	Dino Hunters

# Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

## Musical chairs

South dealer. Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ K J 10  
 ♦ 9 7 6 4  
 ♣ A Q 10 9 3

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

**EAST**  
 ♠ A 5 4 2  
 ♥ 7 6 5 2  
 ♦ 3 2  
 ♣ 6 5 4

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ K Q 8  
 ♥ A Q 9 3  
 ♦ K Q J 10  
 ♣ K J

The bidding:  
 South West North East  
 2 NT Pass 4 NT Pass  
 6 NT  
 Opening lead — six of spades.

There are times when a player might wish that a hole would open up beneath him and swallow him up, chair and all. The best one can do in such situations is to try to transfer this feeling, along with the hole, to somebody else at the table.

Today's deal recounts just such a happening. Due to an overabundance of optimism on North's part, South found himself in six notrump off two aces. West started the proceedings by leading a spade to East's ace. Fortunately, East returned a spade to declarer's king, giving South a moment's respite.

Tomorrow: Extraordinary defense.  
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## Annie's Mailbox

### Giving Up on Dating

Dear Annie: I want to know why people think it's OK to harass and abuse other people. My ex brought his girlfriend home, and they spent the night in the garage. That was when we were still married.

Then he took my 5-year-old daughter out on dates with the girlfriend, and he abused and harassed me for a year to try to get me to abandon the house and my daughter so he wouldn't have to pay child support.

During this ordeal, I was ripped off by a lawyer who knew my ex was harassing me and did nothing. My ex and the girl are not together anymore, but I later found out that the girlfriend was hitting my daughter on her hands to punish her when she did something wrong.

I just don't get why there are horrible people in the world who do awful things and don't think they've done anything wrong. It is not unusual for them to turn the situation on

you, acting as if you deserved it.

After all this, I'm done with men. I don't even date. It ain't worth it. I talk to people on chat sites, and they tell me they don't date for the same reasons. Being alone in this day and age is just the better way to go. I feel so broken and empty inside; no one would want me anyway. I am ruined, and no one seems to care.

So, I just want to know -- why?! -- Someone Who Just Wants to Know Why

Dear Know Why: Hurt people hurt people. Whether they were hurt when they were children and are repeating the same patterns or they were hurt when they were adults -- it doesn't matter where the meanness came from. Being cruel to other human beings never feels good in the long run.

I'm not sure that making blanket statements, such as saying that you are finished with dating forever, is going to make you feel

better in the long run. Just commit to only surrounding yourself with people who lift you up and have your best interests at heart. I would also let your ex know that his ex-girlfriend is never allowed to be around your daughter again. Child abuse is a serious crime and needs to be treated as such.

Dear Annie: I am disabled, and I find it difficult to deal with people who seem to be critical of my ailment or who think there is nothing wrong with me.

This all started when I was 25 and hurt myself at work. That was followed by failed lower back surgery. My injuries are not visible at all. I'm 52 now and still get the looks. I have had the police called several times for parking with my handicapped placard because people have doubted my injury.

It is extremely embarrassing and hurtful. However, I look at it like this: Those same people who give me looks or make snide remarks are the ones who would

not think twice about using anything that was offered to them if they were handicapped.

Here's another thing to think about: By denying yourself the help you need, you are not allowing yourself the best care possible, nor are you truly taking care of yourself. If you are disabled, YOU must always come first. As the penguins from "Madagascar" would say, "Just smile and wave, boys; just smile and wave." -- Surviving and Living Life with a Disability

Dear Living Life with Disability: Thank you for sharing your perspective. I hope it empowers others to smile and wave.

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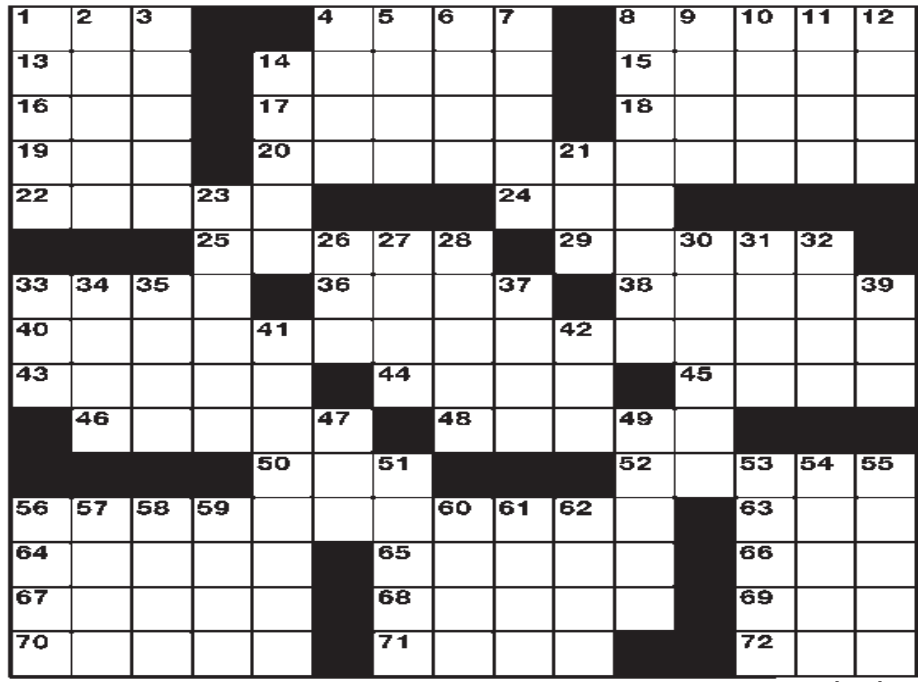
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Federal air quality org.
  - 4 Sunday church service
  - 8 Ocean's rises and falls
  - 13 Two-year-old
  - 14 Pin the blame on
  - 15 President in 2015
  - 16 Possesses
  - 17 "How much \_\_\_ much?"
  - 18 Become established
  - 19 Cubes in a cocktail
  - 20 Nickname for St. Louis' locale
  - 22 Repeated slogan
  - 24 High school support grp.
  - 25 Double-curve letters
  - 29 Cheese with holes
  - 33 Invitation letters
  - 36 \_\_\_ of measure (yard or pound)
  - 38 Spanish goodbye
  - 40 \_\_\_ ago today (when 56 Across joined the Union, 8/10/1821)
  - 43 All gone, as dinner
  - 44 Alluring
  - 45 Prayer's conclusion
  - 46 Full of current info
  - 48 Girder metal
  - 50 Comics punch sound
  - 52 Fire remnants
  - 56 Natives of St. Louis and Jefferson City
  - 63 Deer's large relative

- 64 Sturdy as \_\_\_ (tree simile)
  - 65 Magazine edition
  - 66 Pro hoops league: Abbr.
  - 67 No longer fresh, as bread
  - 68 Opens with a letter opener
  - 69 Folding bed
  - 70 Small keepsake
  - 71 Earl Grey and oolong
  - 72 Lamb's mom
- DOWN**
- 1 Moral code
  - 2 Hunt illegally
  - 3 Sailing on a cruise ship
  - 4 Pulverize, as potatoes
  - 5 Showroom vehicle
  - 6 Reduce one's speed

- 7 Jump heavily (on)
- 8 Discard, as trash
- 9 "Not likely!"
- 10 Computer fodder
- 11 Send forth
- 12 Level-headed
- 14 Boxer's weapons
- 21 Sci-fi aliens: Abbr.
- 23 Sister's boy
- 26 Source of solar energy
- 27 Draws to a close
- 28 Horse farm dads
- 30 High standards
- 31 Thailand's former name
- 32 Achy or angry
- 33 Numbered hwy.
- 34 Graceful waterbird
- 35 Cast a ballot
- 37 Quick-typed cellphone message

- 39 Govt. issued ID
- 41 Thought, but not said
- 42 Hair salon coloring
- 47 "This means \_\_\_!"
- 49 Relaxes, as regulations
- 51 Hand-arm connection
- 53 Therefore
- 54 Funny-bone joint
- 55 Play hockey
- 56 Sailboat pole
- 57 Turn \_\_\_ (become)
- 58 Moisten thoroughly
- 59 Store's discount event
- 60 Land amidst water
- 61 Japan's continent
- 62 Cashews and almonds



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## SUDOKU

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

Level: Beginner

**Like puzzles?**  
Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

**Here's How It Works:**  
Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

### CROSSWORD

Today's Answers

T O K E N  
L E A S  
S I T  
S T A R  
N O N A  
B A  
S I S  
E S  
M O D  
P  
M E N  
T  
A X E S  
N  
E A T  
A D  
G N  
H O W  
S O I D  
L I N  
J A S  
S I S  
P L A  
N  
C I  
L A T  
M M  
O O L  
S T  
I  
N I  
S E S  
L A  
W A  
T I  
L I D E S

### SUDOKU

Today's Answers

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

## Today in History

**Today is Tuesday, Aug. 10, the 222nd day of 2021. There are 143 days left in the year.**

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
On August 10, 1993, Ruth Bader Ginsburg was sworn in as the second female justice on the U.S. Supreme Court.

**On this date:**  
In 1792, during the French Revolution, mobs in Paris attacked the Tuileries (TWEE'-luh-reez) Palace, where King Louis XVI resided. (The king was later arrested, put on trial for treason, and executed.)  
In 1821, Missouri became the 24th state.  
In 1861, Confederate forces routed Union troops in the Battle of Wilson's Creek in Missouri, the first major engagement of the Civil War west of the Mississippi River.  
In 1944, during World War II, American forces overcame remaining Japanese resistance on Guam.  
In 1945, a day after the atomic bombing of Nagasaki, Imperial Japan conveyed its willingness to surrender provided the status of Emperor Hirohito remained unchanged. (The Allies responded the next day, saying they would determine the Emperor's future status.)  
In 1969, Leno and Rosemary LaBianca were murdered in their Los Angeles home by members of Charles Manson's cult, one day after actor Sharon Tate and four other people were slain.  
In 1977, postal employee David Berkowitz was arrested in Yonkers, New York, accused of being "Son of Sam," the gunman who killed six people and wounded seven others in the New York City area. (Berkowitz is serving six consecu-

tive 25-years-to-life sentences.)  
In 1988, President Ronald Reagan signed a measure providing \$20,000 payments to still-living Japanese-Americans who were interned by their government during World War II.  
In 1991, nine Buddhists were found slain at their temple outside Phoenix, Arizona. (Two teenagers were later arrested; one was sentenced to life in prison, while the other received 281 years.)  
In 1995, Timothy McVeigh and Terry Nichols were charged with 11 counts in the Oklahoma City bombing (McVeigh was convicted of murder and executed; Nichols was convicted of conspiracy and involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to life in prison).  
In 2006, British authorities announced they had thwarted a terrorist plot to simultaneously blow up 10 aircraft heading to the U.S. using explosives smuggled in hand luggage.  
In 2019, Jeffrey Epstein, accused of orchestrating a sex-trafficking ring and sexually abusing dozens of underage girls, was found unresponsive in his cell at a New York City jail; he was later pronounced dead at a hospital. (The city's medical examiner ruled the death a suicide by hanging.)

**Ten years ago:** Marine Corps Gen. John Allen, the top American commander in Afghanistan, said international forces had slain the Taliban insurgents responsible for shooting down a U.S. helicopter, killing 30 Americans and seven Afghan commandos. Country singer-musician Billy Grammer, 85, died in Benton, Illinois.

**Five years ago:** During a raucous campaign rally outside Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Republican Donald Trump accused President Barack Obama of being the "founder" of the Islamic State group. (Trump later said he was "being sarcastic" before adding, "but not that sarcastic, to be honest with you.") Lonnie Franklin Jr., the Los Angeles serial killer known as the "Grim Sleeper," was sentenced to death for the murders of nine women and a teenage girl. (Franklin was found dead in his cell on March 20, 2020.) At the Rio Olympics, Katie Ledecky turned in another overpowering performance to carry the United States to victory in the 4x200-meter freestyle relay.

**One year ago:** According to a tally kept by Johns Hopkins University, the confirmed number of coronavirus cases worldwide had reached 20 million; the number had doubled in a little more than six weeks. Lebanon's prime minister, Hassan Diab, said he and his

government were stepping down, nearly a week after a catastrophic explosion in Beirut that triggered public outrage and mass protests. A wind storm packing the power of a Category 3 hurricane swept across the Midwest, damaging farms and homes; at least four people died in Iowa and Indiana, and hundreds of thousands were left without power.

**Today's Birthdays:** Singer Ronnie Spector is 78. Actor James Reynolds is 75. Rock singer-musician Ian Anderson (Jethro Tull) is 74. Country musician Gene Johnson (Diamond Rio) is 72. Singer Patti Austin is 71. Actor Daniel Hugh Kelly is 69. Folk singer-songwriter Sam Baker is 67. Actor Rosanna Arquette is 62. Actor Antonio Banderas is 61. Rock musician Jon Farriss (INXS) is 60. Singer Julia Fordham is 59. Journalist-blogger Andrew Sullivan is 58. Actor Chris Caldovino is 58. Singer Neneh Cherry is 57. Singer Aaron Hall is 57. Former boxer Riddick Bowe is 54. Actor Sean Blakemore is 54. R&B singer Lorraine Pearson (Five Star) is 54.

### AGNES

WE SHOULD WORK ON OUR SUPERHERO COSTUMES

GREAT! I WILL NEED SHEET METAL AND A MIG WELDER!

HA! I NEED STRETCH CHIFFON AND SIX YARDS OF CHANTILLY LACE!

HA!

IT WOULD BE EASIER TO WEAR WHAT WE HAVE ON.

WE WOULD GET TO SAVING THE WORLD SOONER.

### ANDY CAPP

STOP MOANING! MY HARD-EARNED CASH PAID FOR THIS HOLIDAY, AND WE'RE GOING TO SIT HERE AND ENJOY IT!

### ONE BIG HAPPY

THAT'S NOT NICE!

IF HE'S SUCH A NICE GUY, WHY DO THEY WANT TO DO THAT TO HIM?

DO WHAT?

FREEZE HIM?

WHAT?

YOU KNOW, 'FREEZE' A JOELY GOD FELLOW!!!

### ARCHIE

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D SEE YOU TAKING A ME INTO THE HIGH SCHOOL!

ARCHIE TALKED ME INTO IT!

RIVERDALE HIGH SCHOOL

IT DOESN'T SOUND BAD! HE SAYS HE GOT US DESK JOBS.

WE NEED THEM ALL MOVED TO THE GYM SO MR. SVENSON CAN VARNISH THE FLOORS!

### THE BARN

WELCOME TO "STAR BLEAT" AND YOUR FIRST AWAY MISSION.

ROARRRRRR

GOODNESS, NOW LOOK AT ALL THE PAPERWORK I'VE CREATED.

## Horoscopes By Holiday

### TUESDAY August 10, 2021

#### Mercury Opposes Jupiter

Holding on to things is often about holding on to people -- the people who gave a thing to you, the ones you wanted to impress with it and those who might return to use the thing. As practical Mercury tugs across the sky from Jupiter -- the planet of abundance -- it's lucky to lighten your load. There's a way to honor people and still let a few things go.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). Maybe you don't have enemies, but it's also possible you just haven't recognized them yet. Often the enemy comes in the form of fun, temptation or a toxic friendship.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). You know opportunity when you see it. It matters not whether your confidence is real or feigned. What matters is that you reach for it. Keep trying and it will soon be in your grasp.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). As obligations load your schedule, time to yourself seems an unaffordable luxury. Not true! It's affordable if you prepay. Use the word "no" as your currency.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). The problem is obvious, though it would be heavy-handed for you to point it out. The right attitude is a light attitude. You'll find what's positive and leverage it. Success!

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). You belong to a group but should keep your options open, too. Stay aware of group dynamics and the tendency for groups to enact behaviors more extreme than the initial inclinations of its members.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You've embodied conventional virtues with much success. You will now benefit from enacting their opposite. You were consistent, punctual and dependable. Now, let them wonder in the mysteriousness of your absence.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Loosen up your rules and others will delight you with how they use those wide margins. And what about the restrictions you impose on yourself? Lift those too. Trust yourself.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You are driven to put something new in the world. Others have done something similar, but not quite like your version. Proceed and you'll be regarded as an original -- a title with perks!

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The honor of your attention is meaningful fortification. Your eyes give acknowledgments more essential to the well-being of others than they'd care to admit.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). First, you'll take everything seriously. Then, you'll take nothing seriously.

Compare notes at the end of the day. Determine which approach worked better for particular endeavors.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You'll bear witness to a person enacting a baffling behavior. Guess at the deeper story. What needs are being expressed or hidden? Curiosity is the gateway to wisdom.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). The world is filled with ideas good, bad and, more often, neutral. People lean ideas to their own purposes. Instead of focusing on the morality of an idea, focus on the needs of people.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (Aug. 10). You are beloved! Don't let modesty keep you from reveling! There's a release from long-endured pressures. No need to lock down a relationship, status position or any specific end result. Concern yourself with having a good time and you will accomplish it time and again -- to the benefit of yourself and everyone around you. Taurus and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 3, 38, 5, 14 and 17.

**COSMIC QUESTION:** "Is 'what have you done for me?' a bad question to ask? I want to give unconditional love, but if that's my rule, I'm never going to get the chance to have what I want out of life. How is a Cancer supposed to balance a caring, nurturing heart with the material and ego necessities of life? I doubt I'll become enlightened during this lifetime, so shouldn't I at least have some moments of selfish fun?"

It's fine to consider what others have done for you. Yes, you should love those who can't return your love, but not exclusively, and sometimes from afar. Don't the people who can love you back and do things for you deserve love too? And aren't you a person who needs fun? I'm not sure what sort of life you're going for here, Cancer. The life of a monk or similar spiritual devotee usually this comes with the structures and traditions of a particular religion. For those raised in the free world and endless options when it comes to religion, lifestyle, work, relationships, and life in general, spiritual evolution takes on different meaning and dimension. If you're not going to join the monastery, then perhaps you should give yourself more spiritual leeway in light of the complexities that abound in even the simplest modern life.

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** Antonio Banderas has a full schedule of thrills, action and adventure slotted to hit theaters in rapid succession. In every role, this Leo star radiates the regal energy of his Leo sun. Ancient cultures worshipped sun gods -- like Ra, Apollo and Helios -- for admirable qualities of nobility, integrity and leadership. Listen up for some princely, feline flare as Banderas purrs in the upcoming film, "Puss in Boots: The Last Wish."

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