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 9 a.m.  
 Saturday

**Burger Benefit**  
 Sept. 11  
 Eagles Lodge  
 To raise funds for  
 Krista Bounds funeral expenses

**Found object Art Show and Sale**  
 Heritage Museum now through  
 Oct. 28

**15th DAV 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony**  
 4 p.m.

**Spring Creek Fellowship**

**Dove Hunt**  
 Sept. 17  
 Community invited to honor veterans  
 First Methodist Church

**Howard County Fair**  
 Sept. 17-19

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## Recycling, K-9 programs headline BSISD board meeting

By **ROGER CLINE**  
 Herald Staff Writer

A pair of Big Spring ISD faculty members and a group of third graders were recognized at Thursday evening's school board meeting for their participation in a recycling program at Washington and Goliad elementary schools.

Cadet Bryant, a counselor at the two schools, spoke about the program.

"If you take a plastic bottle...three quarters of that bottle, if you fill it up with oil, that's how much oil it takes to make that bottle. Plastic bags...anything plastic is an oil product. We make so much of the stuff here in West Texas, and I never see it being regenerated. I just see most of it going to waste in the trash," he said. "I just said, 'I've got to do something about this.'



HERALD photo/Roger Cline

The Big Spring ISD school board recognized Washington Elementary School Bilingual Teacher Selene Moreno (back row, left) and Counselor Cadet Bryant, along with a group of elementary school students Thursday evening, for designing and participating in a recycling program at their school.

So I started calling around, and sure enough, there's a new company here, Howard County Recycling. They're a startup company. To make a long story short, they're the ones that are picking up stuff for us. Since the beginning of

school, since we started this, between Washington and Goliad, they have recycled over 1,000 – actually it's 1,300 pounds of stuff. That's just between two campuses. Can y'all imagine what's going to waste in our whole town if you know that that's being saved between just two campuses? It takes 20 plastic bottles – 20 regular-sized plastic bottles equals one pound. Okay? Our kids have recycled about 200 pounds of plastic bottles. That's just unbelievable."

Washington Elementary School Bilingual Teacher Selene Moreno addressed those present at the meeting in Spanish.

Bryant applied for and received a grant from the local H.O.P.E. Foundation, an organization that provides

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## 9/11 Memorial Ceremonies set for Saturday

### 15th annual Memorial at the Plaza, SMMC prayer

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor



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The community is invited to attend the 15th annual 9/11 remembrance ceremony, set for 4 p.m. at Spring Creek Fellowship. This will be a time to honor those who have made the ultimate sacrifice from Howard County.

Less than 48 hours shy of 20 years ago, the world as it once existed was forever changed. A moment in history that is forever etched not only in the history books, but in the minds of those who were alive when it happened. This year marks the 20th anniversary of the terrorist attacks that took out the World Trade Center towers, resulted in a plane crashing in Pennsylvania, attack on the Pentagon, and the loss of countless lives – a moment that would forever change our nation.

On Sept. 11, 2001 an unexpected and tragic day took the lives of thousands of Americans, but brought a unity that can't be rivaled. Unity and a sense of patriotism that had never before been seen swept across all 50 states and even spread over the ocean and across the nation. The community is invited to join together once again for the 15th annual 9/11 Memorial Service, set to take place at Spring Creek Fellowship on Sept. 11 at 4 p.m.

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## 'Where the magic begins' - Big Spring High School is gearing up for Homecoming Week

By **ROGER CLINE**  
 Herald Staff Writer

Big Spring Steers will be seeing stars to wish upon next week, because it's Homecoming Week, and the theme is "Disney - Where the Magic Begins."

The traditional Spirit Week preceding the big Homecoming game kicks off on Magical Monday, Sept. 13, with the theme "Mirror Mirror, on the wall, the Big Spring

Steers will win this fall." For the day, Steer students will be invited to show their Steer spirit by dressing as their favorite Disney character.

The activities continue Tuesday with an Alice in Wonderland theme: "We are all MAD here for the Steers." Students may dress with "crazy, wacky and goofy" hair and clothes.

On Wednesday, the focus shifts to the South Seas and a Polynesian flair in the wonderful world of Moana. The theme is

"The Steers will board the boat, sail across the sea, and restore the heart of Big Spring." Hawaiian or beach attire is the spirit-approved dress code of the day.

Thursday's theme is A Tale as Old as Time "Song as Old as Rhyme, the Steers will knock the Cubs back in time." While the theme is a reference to the song from Beauty and the Beast, and "Cubs" is a reference to the Steers' Homecoming game opponent, the Brownfield Cubs, students will show their school spirit by dressing in throw-back attire from their favorite decade.

On Spirit Week Friday, students will cheer on the Steers with the theme "Remember the Steers" based on the Disney movie Remember the Titans. "You make sure they remember, FOREVER, the night they played the Big Spring

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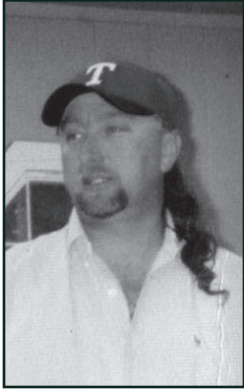
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## Obituaries

### Darrell Miles White Jr.

Darrell Miles White Jr. left us to be with his lord and savior Sunday, Aug. 22., 2021 in San Angelo Texas, where he resided. Darrell was born in Big Spring, Texas, on Dec. 16, 1963, to Delores Edwards and the late Darrell White Sr.



Darrell was proceeded in death by His father Darrell White Sr, his stepdad Larry Edwards, his twin brothers Roy, and Loy white, and his sister Bobby Jo White.

He is survived by his wife Angela Watkins of San Angelo, his children Ashley George and her husband Jonathan of San Angelo, Taylor White of San Angelo, and Justin White and his wife Jenna of New

Braunfels, his grandchildren Grayson and Baker George of San Angelo, Scarlet, Waylon, and pierce white, Keegan Leland, all of New Braunfels, his mother Delores Edwards of San Angelo and numerous cousins, nieces, and nephews.

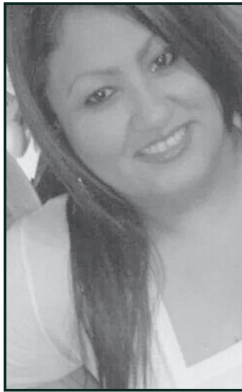
Darrell had a passion for Rock and Roll music and was a lead singer in multiple bands where he played in many establishments for over 20 years. He also worked in the Heating and cooling business since he was in his early 20's and even owned his own business at one point. Darrell was a kind man who was always willing to lend a helping hand. Darrell enjoyed fishing when he got the chance and playing with his grandchildren often. He will be missed deeply.

Memorial services will be Saturday Sept. 11 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist on FM 700 in Big Spring, Texas.

*Paid Obituary*

### Maggie Christian

Maggie Christian, 50, of Big Spring died Sept. 1, 2021, in Sweetwater. Memorial service will be Saturday Sept. 11, 2021, at 11 a.m. at Trinity Baptist Church.



Maggie was born on Aug. 3, 1971, in Lamesa to Emeterio Miton Lozano and Mary De La Cruz. She married Claud Ray Christian on July 11, 2011, in Big Spring. She spent most of her life in Big Spring.

Maggie was a homemaker but also was a certified Nursing Assistant for Home Hos-

pice and private care. She loved being a grandmother.

Maggie is survived by her husband; Claud Ray Christian of Big Spring, three daughters; Jennifer Lopez of Big Spring, Jennie Lopez of Big Spring, & Andrea Silva of Big Spring, one son; Gilbert Lopez of Big Spring, her mother; Mary D. Martinez of Big Spring, 1 brother; Milton Lozano & wife Jennifer of Big Spring, two sisters; Jennie Barreto & Humberto of Big Spring, & Gloria Lozano of Big Spring, and 14 grandchildren.

*Paid Obituary*

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 109 inmates at the time of this report.

• **KENNETH WAYNE BANKS**, 51, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **MATTHEW COREY FOWLER**, 37, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault causes bodily injury family.

• **CALEB BRYCE GILLESPIE**, 21, was arrested by DPS on a charge of driving while intoxicated/open alcohol container.

• **ILIAH CHRISTOPHER GUZMAN**, 18, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of racing on highway.

• **TOMMYE JOE HERRING**, 34, was arrested by DPS, on a charge of engaging in organized criminal activity.

• **JOSHUA ORLANDO HOUSTON**, 24, was arrested by DPS on a charge of evading arrest detention with vehicle.

• **LINDA MARIE HOWARD**, 50, was arrested by HCSO on a deadly conduct.

• **DANIEL ISAAC JENKINS**, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **RANDAL KIRK KIRKHAM**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of material 50% alum/bronze.

• **CATALINA SONIA LUERA**, 24, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of accident involving damage to vehicle.

• **CARLOS BURROLAS MARQUEZ**, 60, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of parole violation and driving while intoxicated third or more.

• **DAVID ADAM MARTINEZ**, 37, was arrested by DPS on a charge of unlawful possession of a firearm by felon and possession of marijuana less than

two ounces, fail to display drivers license, possession of drug paraphernalia.

• **EVAN SWEETWATER NORIEGA**, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **SONNY JORDON OLIVIO**, 48, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of FTA/Burglary of habitation, parole violation, burglary of building, criminal trespass.

• **JUAN MIGUEL ORTIZ**, 32, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **DALE PARKER**, 52, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750, no driver's license when unlicensed.

• **MICHAEL D. JHOVON PHILLIPS**, 20, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750.

• **CHRISTOPHER ISAAC REYES**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **MELISSA KAY RICH**, 44, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of bail jumping and fail to appear, fail to identify fugitive intent give false information.

• **ALEJANDRO NONE RODRIGUEZ**, 22, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **NILO RODRIGUEZ**, 59, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

• **ARIEL ANN SAUCEDO**, 31, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespass.

• **JERRELL LYNN TURNER**, 30, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of service between \$100 and \$750.

• **BRIAN EUGENE VANDERBILT**, 41, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while intoxicated, no drivers license and fail to appear.

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 200 block of Kinsey Road One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of N. Moss Lake Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of Veterans Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Sycamore. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Lancaster. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of N. Hwy 87 and CR 2230. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2600 block of Hunter. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **PUBLIC SERVICE CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of S. Lancaster. No transport was required.

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

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 3200 block of Parkway. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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## Police Report

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **JUAN ALBERTO LOPEZ**, 37, of 500 NW 9th Street, was arrested on a warrant from other agency.

• **RICHARD PAUL LYONS**, 66, of 303 E. 6th Street, was arrested on a charge of theft of firearm and unlawful possession of firearm by felon.

• **RODNEY PAUL MARTINEZ**, 26, of 504 Abrams, was arrested on a warrant from other agency (x2).

• **MIGUEL MENDEZ**, 32, of 104 E. Parker Avenue, was arrested on a charge of defective stop lamps, defective turn signal lamps and expired registration.

• **CARLOS ARMANDO RODRIGUEZ**, 22, of Midland, was arrested on a warrant from other agency (x2).

• **ACCIDENT MINOR** was reported in the 500 block of S. Gregg Street.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 200 block of W. FM 700.

• **HIT AND RUN** was reported in the 100 block of S. Lancaster.

• **UNWANTED SUBJECT** was reported in the 500 block of NW 9th Street.

• **THEFT** was reported in the 1600 block of Martin Luther King Blvd.

• **SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported in the area of FM 700 and I-20 NSR.

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## Take Note

• The Howard County Republicans meeting on Sept. 13, Noon, at Howard College Cactus room will have Dr. Edwin Vieira of Virginia as speaker. He is a distinguished professor and lawyer with four degrees from Harvard. He has argued cases before the Supreme Court and has written several books on the Constitution. Public is invited.

• The Cotton Boll Scramble will take place on Sept. 30 at the Comanche Trail Golf Course. Registration will be at 8 a.m. at G.C. Broughton Junior Ag Complex followed by Howard County Crop Tour. Lunch will be served at Noon and the Golf Scramble will begin at 1 p.m. Area cotton producers who attend the crop tour will receive free lunch and free golf. The Golf Scramble is sponsored by Expedition Royalty.

• The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you. The meetings are starting back up Sept. 18. Kay Smith will be

the featured presenter and be discussing how to mat and frame artwork. For more information, call 432-263-4155; Michelle Worthan at 325-227-3911; Kay Smith at 432-213-1153; or Ruby Bruns at 432-664-1943.

• Burger Benefit to help with funeral expenses for Krista Bounds. Donations will go to Rick and Shoni Morrow. The benefit will be held Sept. 11 beginning at 11 a.m. The benefit will take place at the Eagles Lodge, located at 703 W. 3rd. There will be food plates, an auction, and pool tournament. Volunteers, monetary donations, auction items and services are being accepted at Eagles Lodge.

• The Big Spring Symphony is celebrating 40 years. Their season will include: Sept. 25 'A Breath of Fresh Air' which will take place at the Big Spring High School Auditorium; Nov. 20 will feature 'The Music of Queen'; Dec. 8 "Holiday Spectacular"; Feb. 19 "Winter Wonderland"; and Spring Pops Concert on April 23. The concerts will take place at the Big Spring Municipal Auditorium except for the opening performance. Tickets can be pur-

chased in season passes or per concert.

• Howard County Fair is coming Sept. 17-19. Submissions for the Art and Photo contest will need to be submitted Sept. 14 from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. The Special Subcategory this year is Cactus or Birds or combination of both. Submissions can be fine art or photography. For more information, call Sandra Lockhart at 432-263-4155.

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

## BSISD

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grants to assist with educational innovation.

Following the recycling program recognition, personnel from FOCUSS K-9 Services gave a report and showed off their chocolate labrador Tank.

BSISD Safety and Security Officer Jim Wommack explained that FOCUSS has been chosen to take over the K-9 drug and firearms inspection services for the district.

"What we do in education is all about relationships," Wommack said. "We built a relationship with the FOCUSS group in terms of how they can help us, and it's a proactive approach. We want to be visible. We want to educate our children from the young ages all the way up to high school."

FOCUSS Vice-President Rick Hempel addressed the board at the meeting.

"We've been in business since 2015," he said. "FOCUSS stands for Forming One Common Understanding of Safety and Security. Our ownership and management is all active and retired first responders - police officers, paramedics and firefighters. We wanted to find a way in our retirement to not only go out and do safety projects and things like that for plants, but to find a way to help make our communities safer."

Hempel said that Tank and any other service dogs assigned to Big Spring schools will be cross trained in detecting narcot-

ics, including cocaine, marijuana, heroin, methamphetamines and ecstasy; as well as firearms.

"You would never train a law-enforcement-specific dog in the state of Texas to find firearms. (Tank) could never go to work for a police department, because we trained him to find firearms," Hempel said. "Also, we don't know what the legislature's going to do in the next few years with marijuana. Most of us can see it being legalized in the next few years. It's just the way society's changing. So a lot of police dogs now, when we train a dog for law enforcement, we don't even train them on marijuana anymore."

Hempel pointed out that marijuana will still likely remain forbidden in public schools, so dogs like Tank are able to help enforce those rules where police dogs may not be.

In other business, the board approved minutes of its regular meeting Aug. 12, as well as the public hearing and special meeting held Aug. 30.

The board renewed approval of its District of Innovation Plan. Superintendent Jay McWilliams explained that the Texas Education Agency assigns the "District of Innovation" title to many school districts across the state, giving them special privileges to follow locally crafted plans for student success.

Big Spring ISD's Innovation Plan includes several components, including two-year mentoring for new teachers; extended teacher planning time; technology

services aligned with instruction; and an innovative school calendar featuring a flexible start and end date, professional development opportunities for staff each six week period, and flex days for student interventions and enrichment.

The plan also features system-wide practices to support strong families and community relationships.

The plan can be found on the district's website at [bsisd.esc18.net](http://bsisd.esc18.net) by clicking "About BSISD" in the top menu and then "Required Postings." "District of Innovation Plan" is included under the "Administrative" heading.

School board members unanimously approved renewing approval of the plan.

The board also approved routine items, including approval of expedited and general state waivers, and approval of employment recommendations, including Karen Davidson and Big Spring Intermediate School, Choir Director Gershom Garcia at Big Spring High School, and Assistant Superintendent of Operations Jeff Perez.

McWilliams gave his regular report including resignations and retirements; an enrollment report with current enrollment at 3,619 students district-wide; and a report on the status of COVID-19 in the district, including, as of Monday, four staff members and 25 students positive for the disease.

McWilliams also reported that installation of new artificial turf at the softball field will commence Sept. 20.

## MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Fred Escovedo, 60, died Saturday. Vigil Service Thursday 7 PM at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass Friday, 10 AM, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Maggie Christian, 50, died Wednesday. Memorial Service 11 AM Saturday at Trinity Baptist Church

Ronald Lee Sawyers, 64, died Sunday. Memorial Service at 1 PM Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel.

Dorothy Grizzard, 89, died Wednesday. Visitation 2 PM until 4 PM Sunday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Graveside Service will be 10 AM Monday at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa.

Willis "Pete" Gillette, 81, died Saturday. Visitation 9 AM until 9 PM Sunday. Funeral Service 2 PM Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel.

Ray Rutledge, 77, died Monday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

## HONOR

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"Last year's remembrance looked a little different, and may this year as well with the current situation we are in, but we are still taking the time to remember those who have given the ultimate sacrifice," Mike Tarpley, organizer of the Memorial at the Plaza annual event, said.

The ceremony will still include recognition of those, from Howard County, who lost their lives in wars following the Sept. 11 attack. The ceremony is projected to last less than an hour, and the community is invited to attend. Once again the ceremony will take place inside the sanctuary at Spring Creek Fellowship. According to Tarpley, this year the Big Spring choir will be performing. The Howard County Volunteer Fire Department and the Cross Roads Young Marines will be offering their support in the ceremony as well.

"Join us in remembering those lost in the 9/11 attacks and honoring our own local fallen heroes and first responders," Tarpley said. "This year, with the events taking place in the world, and it being the 20th anniversary, it's an opportunity for us to come together as a community once again and find that unity that first came to light as the ash began to settle from the buildings fall-

ing."

Social distancing will be encouraged for those who attend the event. Masks are encouraged as well.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center will also be hosting a short ceremony around the flag pole at 9 a.m. Saturday. The ceremony will include a prayer, the playing of Taps, and those attending will be able to take some breakfast to go at the conclusion of the ceremony.

For more information about the Memorial Ceremony at the Plaza, contact Mike Tarpley at 432-556-2227.

In addition, the following weekend - on Sept. 18 - will be the 9th annual Dove Hunt Community Ceremony honoring four veterans. The ceremony will take place at First Methodist Church this year. The community is invited to attend both events and show support for those who have made the chose to serve their country.

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## WEEK

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Steers!" is the idea behind the day, and students are asked to proudly wear their black and gold attire.

Other Spirit Week activities will include the election of the Homecoming King and Queen Wednesday and Thursday and the Homecoming Bonfire at 8 p.m. Thursday at the Anderson Accelerated School campus.

On the big day itself, Steers will pump up the spirit with a pep rally at 3 p.m.; the Homecoming Parade at 4:30 p.m.; and the Homecoming game vs. Brownfield at 7:30 p.m., featuring the crowning of the Homecoming King and Queen as part of the halftime activities.

This year's Homecoming King nominees are Gabriel Baeza, Matthew Doll, Robert Fierro, Isaiah Holloway, Karl Karabanoff, Matthew Martin, Joshua Miramontes, Joshua Mireles, Braxton Pearson, Roman Perez, Jayson Primrose, Gavin Redlin,

Marco Rios, Benjamin Robertson, Sean Tan, and Peyton Woellert.

Homecoming Queen nominees are Paris Castaneda, Mireya Cervantes, Libby Everett, Kirstyn Gusman, Jha'Niah Johnson, Elisabeth Jones, Nadia Landin, Jullianna Lopez, Natalia Lopez, Isabella Marquez, Kyla Matthews, Isabella Miller, Avarielle Nuno, Arin Owens, Chloe Paredes, Gracie Rodriguez, Addison Smith, Jennifer Smith, Tristan Smith, Ryan Terrazas, Vanessa Viasana, Brinly Watkins, and Julianna Nava-Willborn.

Homecoming Court finalists should be announced today.

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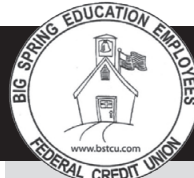
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# Church News

## Crestview Baptist Church

At Crestview Baptist Church, we believe the most fulfilling pursuit of believers is not entertainment, gimmicks, or programs.

The most fulfilling pursuit for a follower of Christ is to know Christ and His Word, so that we may live for Him. If you believe that, please come and worship with us! Sunday School starts at 10 a.m., Worship begins at 11 a.m., and our Sunday and Wednesday night meetings are at 6:30 p.m.

We are studying Biblical Doctrine. Come and be with us at 2305 Gatesville Rd., Big Spring.

## College Baptist Church

Jesus Christ, our Savior is in the battle of the ages for the souls of men. Join us at College Baptist Church--the "Gathering" church body, where we welcome you as old and new members through salvation and baptism! Come see what God is doing at the corner of 11th and Birdwell Lane.

We are open on Sunday morning at 9:15 for Bible Study for all ages. Worship time is at 10:45 a.m. Wednesday with our praying Youth groups start at 6 p.m. and fellowship meal between 6 and 6:45, we have Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at 7 p.m. with children meeting for King's Kids and Krafts. Nursery is as needed. Girl's Missions meet on Sunday at 5 p.m. Come join in the fun as we celebrate this Autumn serving our Lord.

Services for Sept. 12, 2021, is a great time for families to gather and celebrate our God together. Our services are in the building, live streaming, and on our Facebook page as well. Catch up on God's perfect plan! Visitors, it was a such a joy to welcome you on Sunday. Come join us again—it will be exciting to welcome new faces and old alike. Our services are lively and worshipful.

As College Baptist Church continues on mission for our Lord, we are geared up for the new school year. Plans are being made for a Fall school event.

We definitely enjoy the worship time as our ministry team leads us in songs of praise, and where our pastor, Bro. Ken McMeans, inspires us as we delve into God's Word. Come and study with us as to what it takes to really become a "turnaround, growing, dynamic church," knowing God cares for us so much He sent His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ, to save us.

Focus on growth in Jesus as we continue into the Year, as our pastor reminds us every Sunday, Jesus is coming SOON! Please call: 432-267-7429, for more information concerning Men's, Ladies' and youth meetings at this great and friendly church.

Pray that lives are changed by the power of our Saviour, Jesus Christ our Cornerstone!

We continue to give a "special welcome to our brand-new nursery attendees."

## St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Episcopal Church welcomes all to participate in our services.

We are located north of the High School on Goliad Street (1001 S. Goliad), and would love to have you visit.

Sunday services begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by brunch in the Parish Hall. On Wednesdays we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m. and evening we have Evening prayer and book study starting at 5:30 p.m.

What a great opportunity to have meaningful fellowship and develop relationships with people who have a common interest, following the steps of Christ.

Please come and join us for a time of worship and fellowship in a place that welcomes all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

## Alive in Christ Lutheran Church

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

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

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

The readings for this Sunday are Isaiah 50:4-10, James 3:1-12, and Mark 9: 14-29. The psalm is Psalm 116:1-9.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study is back. A meal is served at 5:30 and our bible study begins at 6. We are beginning a new bible study. Please come and join us.

Bo Vizcaino will present the scripture readings this week.

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

## First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

Because of the resurgence of virus cases, the Session voted to recommend or encourage congregation members to wear masks to worship and practice social distancing.

Worship services begin at 10:50 a.m. in the Sanctuary at 8th and Rannels. Lectionary passages for the Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost are: Isaiah 50:4-9; Psalm 116:1-9; Mark 8:31-39. Rev. Allen Cross will lead the worship service. The sermon topic is "Let Us Stand Up Together" Organist/music director Gabe Martinez provides music for the service. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. Rev. Cross is

teaching the Children's Class. Tom Koger leads the Youth Class. The Discovery Class resumes the study, Think Like Jesus, authored by Randy Frazee, this Sunday. Vicki Miller and Helen Glass are leading the study, which will continue through mid-September.

Sunday morning Take Ten fellowship is in the parlor between Sunday School and worship. Ellen Austin is host for this week.

**TUESDAY**  
September 7: Communications Committee met at 2:30 in the church library.

Presbyterian Women begin their 2021-2022 Bible Study on Tuesday, September 28. This year's study is What My Grandmothers Taught Me: Learning from the Women in Matthew's Genealogy of Jesus. Study books may be picked up in the church office.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Women's Bible Study, a multid denominational group, meets in the Theater Room at 10 a.m.

The History Lectures, moderated by Nancy Michaelis, are continuing in FPC Theater Room, Noon - 1 p.m.

**THURSDAY**  
Everyone is invited to join the Lunch Bunch at 11:30 a.m.

Worship Committee meets at 3 p.m. in the church library.

**DIGITAL OPPORTUNITIES**  
WEBSITE: fpcbigspring.com  
Church Calendar  
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Facebook Page: FPC of Big Spring  
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Sunday Sermon Podcast

Anyone who is not attending worship physically may hear the service on KBST 1490 AM at 11 a.m. as usual or online at www.fpcbigspring.com by selecting the SERMONS tab and the correct date.

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

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

We would love the opportunity to Connect with YOU! You can expect biblical teaching & preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise & worship at our onsite 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Service.

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

Sunday, Sept. 12-Listen, do you realize Jesus has made an intentional decision to love, support and sacrifice for His bride! How can you say you love the Groom- Jesus and hate His bride?

It is a ploy of the enemy to deceive many into believing that it is ok to love Jesus and hate His Bride-the church.

Join us this Sunday as we unmask the hidden tactics of the enemy that overtly, yet purposely deceives people into believing it's ok to love Jesus and hate His Bride in this powerful series, "I Hate Church".

Make plans to attend our on-site services at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Sunday, Sept. 12- Join us for Growth Track 201 at noon in the ARC. If you have taken CCC Growth Track 101 your next "Covenant Step" is Growth Track 201. This program is designed to give you and your family a roadmap for your spiritual growth here at Cornerstone Covenant Church. Think of our CCC Growth Track 201 as the official Spiritual Growth track at our church. Here is where we are going to jump into our basic introduction to THE ESSENTIALS for your "Spiritual Growth" with the family of God. We have three course objectives: (1). Explore 3 essential Practices of every Christian. (2). Understand the five spokes of personal Growth. (3). Provide an overview of how to connect with an Inreach Group.

Tuesday, Sept. 14- Marriage Enrichment will be meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the ARC for our Ice breaker gathering. Marriage Enrichment is a 10-week course that will encourage, inform, challenge, enrich and strengthen your marriage. If you are married or looking to get married this course is for you. Here is how you can sign up: (1). Call CCC 432-264-0015 (2). CCC Text only 432-218-2610 (3). www.cccbigspring.org (4). Sign up onsite @ kiosk.

Wednesday, Sept. 15 - Join us ONSITE this Wednesday at our onsite 7 p.m. worship/bible study service. We love seeing what happens in people's lives when they discover God through the study of His Word. Let us explore the Bible together and see what it tells us about the God who has woven His story through history and is present with us now.

Monday, Sept. 20- Join us for our (FAR) Far Above Rubies women's night from 6-8 p.m. in the ARC. Our desire is to foster an environment and opportunity for women to grow in their relationship with Christ and connect with other women. Bring your favorite dish, a friend and your bible as we enjoy a night of fun, food and fellowship together.

Please join us every Sunday 9:30 a.m. (onsite) and 11 a.m. (onsite) and Wednesday at 7 p.m. (onsite) for worship services.

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

"Loving God, Loving People, Loving Communities and Changing the world!" -Pastor Michael Willard

## Life Church

You are welcome to join us every Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. for an experience in the Word and

in Worship.

This Sunday we will welcome James Byrd as our guest speaker. He will be preaching and sharing about what God is doing in Stockton, Calif.

Baby/Child Dedications will be taking place this Sunday.

Baptism Sunday is next Sunday Sept. 19. Our Wednesday night activities, Life Alive and Free Indeed will resume next Wednesday.

Ladies, you are invited to join us every Wednesday at noon for our Seek Prayer Group. The Zoom meeting information for Seek can be found on our One Sisterhood Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/onesisterhoodbigspringtx/

Life Student Ministries will meet on Wednesdays from 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. on the Life Church Campus. For more information about Life Student Ministries follow their Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/ChampionCultureLifeChurch/

Life Kids will have their classes this Sunday. Our Nursery is available for those ages newborn to 2. Our Toddlers class serve those ages 3 & 4. Our Elementary class serves those ages 5-8. Our Pre-Teen class serves those ages 9-12. Visit and follow the Life Kids Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/Life-Kids-Life-Church-Big-Spring-TX-1654730487977488/ for more information.

For more information about our events or groups please visit our website www.golifechurch.net or https://www.facebook.com/bigspringlife

## NazFamily Church

This Sunday We know it is there, but no one wants to talk about it. How will people respond? It's uncomfortable and challenging. For too long, we have avoided difficult conversations in the church. The longer we ignore them, the bigger the elephants grow. If you've wondered how to address issues like politics, pornography, sexuality, mental health, or racism from a biblical perspective, then you won't want to miss this new series starting in September. It is time to discuss the Elephants in the Church.

**Men's Breakfast**  
"Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong. Do everything in love." (1 Corinthians 16:13-14) Our Men's Ministry will have a Prayer Breakfast on Saturday, Sept. 4 at 8 a.m. Join us for a time of food, fellowship, and faith building.

**NazFamily Live**  
Our ministry staff gathers every Tuesday at 12 p.m. for a time in the Word, worship, and prayer together. You can join us on FaceBook Live at noon and let us know how we can pray with you. Stay connected!

**Man Camp**  
This is unlike any retreat you've experienced; because it's not a retreat - its Man Camp! We'll dive into God's word over 4 sessions and enjoy fantastic food and fellowship. A horseshoe, pingpong and fishing tournament are available as well as hitting the links at Squaw Valley Golf Course and much more. Late night activities, disc golf, snacks, and the Man Cave are all up for grabs! All the activities will be held at Camp Arrowhead on October 1 - 3. You won't want to miss it. Contact us at church@NazFamily.org for more information or to sign up today!

## First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad. To call the church office or reach Pastor Brian Michaelz, call 432-517-4821. Faith is a more commonly used in a spiritual context while trust is an concept in relationships.

These two concepts go hand and hand and often refer to believing in something. In whom do you place your trust? Where will you spend eternity? If you do not have a personal relationship with Jesus, if you do not walk by faith, then please come visit with us at First Christian Church.

We are an open, welcoming and compassionate church, pursuing a joyful relationship with Jesus.

This year of the pandemic has been one none of us will soon forget.

We have reopened for in-person worship. We are taking proactive steps to maintain the health and safety of all who attend services.

Join us at First Christian Church; or, to find out more information about First Christian Church or to see the online service, join our Facebook Group at www.facebook.com/group/fccbigspring

If you or someone you know would like to be placed on the FCC prayer list, please contact the church office or tell one of the members.

We invite you to come as you are to give thanks for everything in a fresh way.

If that sounds good to you, we would enjoy meeting you.

Sunday morning Social Time - pre-Worship Service - starts approximately 9:30 a.m. in the Sitting Room by the office.

Donuts, coffee, hot chocolate, hot tea and bottled water are available. Worship service starts at 10:50 a.m. Hope to see you there!



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# The light of the world

"Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life." John 8:12

Have you ever stopped to think about what this world would be like without light? Several words come to mind: chaos, trouble, fear, uncertainty, confusion, aimlessness, ignorance, anger, but most of all - death, a whole lot of death. Yes, death everywhere; unexplainable, unnecessary, senseless, painful death. I look around me, and I see evidence of darkness, not just in the lives of people I meet, but in the world in general. It's a dark, dark world out there. All you have to do is look around you, and it won't be long until you see evidence of the dense, thick, palpable darkness which exists in this world.



TOM SLOAN

No, I am not talking about the absence of the sun, moon or stars, but rather, the darkness which has conquered our own hearts. The world we live in today is so advanced in science, technology, psychology, numerology and every kind of "ology" we can possibly think of, but it just keeps getting darker and darker, because we keep looking to ourselves for the answer to the darkness which has so evidently surrounded us. What is the answer to the darkness we are experiencing in our world today?

The answer is love. Yes, love; pure, unadulterated, non-political, non-religious, scandalous, unconditional love. But where can we find this love? We find it in Jesus, the Son of God.

Jesus was, and is the literal, physical, practical, palpable embodiment of God's love. Jesus

said that He is the light of the world because He came to express and fulfill the love of God the Father. God's love is the light of the world. No love, no light, because love is the light. Proverbs 10:12 says that love covers all sins. Well, I am very sinful, and when I see that God has loved (forgiven) me through Jesus, I can see the light. This light is so bright and powerful, that I can see nothing but Jesus and the fact that He has forgiven all of my sins.

Its dark out there, but Jesus is the light of the world because His love is the light of life. So, if in this dark world, we ask "where is the light", we must first ask - where is the love?

Where is Jesus? Jesus is in the unconditional forgiveness of sins because He is the end of the Law for righteousness to all who believe. And He is our righteousness because on the cross, He said...  
...it is finished!

## Reflections: Remembering 9/11

This week our nation looks back to remember and reflect on 9/11. Twenty years have passed, and an entire generation has grown up with no knowledge of a world without TSA security lines, a world where passengers stepped off the plane to be embraced by loved ones at the gate, a world where spectators entered public buildings and stadiums without metal detectors and bag searches. Mid-twenties and younger have learned about 9/11 from history books.

Those of us who lived through it remember where we were and what we were doing when the airplanes slammed into the twin towers. That moment changed our world.

On Sept. 11, 2001, the Atlantic and Pacific oceans vanished. Not literally, of course. But prior to that date we felt isolated from a distant and violent world in which terrorists attacked innocent crowds. We felt protected by the vast bodies of water that separated us from Europe, Africa and Asia. After 9/11 those barriers no longer existed. We were connected and vulnerable, a feeling that has increased with cyber-security issues, Covid, and the fall of Afghanistan.

Every generation has its 9/11 to remember, a staggering event that freezes the moment in memory. For those of us who grew up in the 1960s, it was November 22, 1963, the day John F. Kennedy fell to an assassin's bullet at Dealy Plaza in Dallas. For our parents it was December 7, 1941, a quiet Sunday morning when Japan attacked Pearl Harbor.

Every generation experiences events that threaten to steal their freedom, destroy their dreams and leave them frozen with fear. But one event stands alone that places all others in perspective. One event above all others enables us to rise above our fears to embrace the future. September 11, 2001, November 22, 1963 and December 7, 1941, are all dated in reference to the birth of Jesus Christ.

The prophet Isaiah predicted Jesus' life when He wrote, "In that day the Root of Jesse will stand as a banner for the peoples; the nations will rally to him, and his resting place will be glorious," (Isaiah 11:10). Paul summed up His significance when he said, "But when the fullness of the time came, God sent His son," (Galatians 4:4). It was the perfect moment. Everything in history is dated in reference to His birth as BC, AD or BCE, CE. From Him flow the faith and courage to face any disaster, to overcome any foe and to live with confidence knowing that goodness and righteousness will prevail upon the earth.

An old song captures the experience of millions who have persevered and prevailed through devastating tragedies for more than two thousand years. Bill and Gloria Gaither wrote it and first sang it fifty years ago. "Because He lives, I can face tomorrow. Because He lives, all fear is gone. Because I know who holds the future, and life is worth the living, just because He lives ... we can face uncertain days, because He lives."

*Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. Download his eBook, Upon This Rock Free on Amazon Sept 8-12. Visit [www.tinsleycenter.com](http://www.tinsleycenter.com). Email [bill@tinsleycenter.com](mailto:bill@tinsleycenter.com).*

## If God is not real

By JOELLE LUDINGTON

If God is "not real" why does the world try so hard to prove He (God) does not exist.

Why are we such a threat to other countries.

Why is there so much a rebellion. Why do people oppose righteousness and conviction pieces of the heart of man.

Why blame God  
Raise your fist towards heaven and persecute a people call His own.  
If God's not real.  
Romans 18:32 Amplified Bible  
Because that which is known about God is evident within them - in their inner consciousness, for God made it evident to them.  
God does exist by faith.

## He called me by name

When I was a child, I didn't like my name. I tried all during my childhood to change it. "Lil" was put on my High School sweater. I remember it well because it changed my name throughout four years. That caused me a little confusion because my childhood friends continued to call me by my birth name—and new friends called me Lil. We have all had the experience of Mom or Dad calling our full name and reprimanding us for an infraction of their just rules. Now that I am older, it doesn't really matter what people call me, as long as I know they mean me.

There was a Man who called me by my name when I was twenty-four years old.

It was the most beautiful experience I have ever had. He called me to Himself, wrote my name in the Lamb's Book of Life in Heaven. It will remain there throughout eternity.

When Jesus calls our name, we need to listen and heed that call above any other. Many people will call our name and lead us in the wrong direction. But the Saviour knows what direction I need to go. He says to His children, "This is the way, walk ye in it."

The world is getting worse—not better. We need to be prepared for the worst. We can only do that by listening to the call and following the Creator God through it all. We need not fear if He is our Guide. Listen to Him and He will call your name as well.

Then follow Him with all your heart.



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## Something to think about...

Can you be a Christian without going to church? That is a question I hear from time to time. The truth is that you don't go to church, you are the church.

But, I believe that some assembly is required. Regardless of how challenging it can be to put all the pieces together at times, we truly need each other to experience life the way God intended. Scripture is clear - we cannot separate our vertical relationship with God from the horizontal relationships with one another. We were created for community. We were made for each other.

Eugene Peterson says, "The gospel pulls us into community. One of the immediate changes that the gospel makes is grammatical: we instead of I, our instead of my, us instead of me."

We gather together in Christian community to encounter the manifest presence of God in our lives, to seek the Lord with all our heart, renew our spirit, to deepen in our walk and hold fast to the faith, to build each other up, to serve and work together for the Kingdom's sake. Christ gave himself up for the church.

And despite all of her faults and failures, He loves the church. I believe it is God's chosen vessel to bring His presence, healing, hope, and salvation into the world.

The Scriptures encourage us to continue gathering together. "Let us hold unwaveringly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching." ~ Hebrews 10:23-25 NIV

This morning, I was reminded again of something a friend once

wrote. "Church attendance matters. And not for the growth of the organization itself, but more importantly, for the formation of the people.

Why? Church is participation. It is our submission to the body of Christ. It is part of our salvation... transforming us from the idolatry of self into worshipers of God. Church is formation. It is an identity. It is practice. It is a dress rehearsal of how to be Christian. As we partake in sacrament, we are accepting the grace of God. As we sing praise, we are aligning our minds and bodies in worship.

As we listen to the Scripture being read aloud, we are practicing hearing God speak.

As we anoint and pray, we are practicing a faith beyond our own reason. As we fellowship, we are practicing hospitality. Church is participation. And being a Christian requires practice. It is a discipline not an experience. It requires apprenticeship in order to be lived.

To be a Christian requires the body of Christ...the Church." ~ Pastor Shane Ash

The hope for our world will not be found in some form of government, it is not in a particular political party or in human leaders, our hope is in Christ. He is our only hope. (see Psalm 146) And we are the Body of Christ bringing His love, grace, and peace into the world.

May we continue to keep the main thing the main thing and make participation in Christ-centered community a priority so that we might live into His purposes and experience His promises in our lives!



RICHARD SCHNEGERGER

## A small prayer by K. Rae

May we never underestimate the power of one, Lord, the power of You. Amen

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### Week 3 High School Football Breakdown

By **DUSTIN POPE**

Herald Sports Writer

It's Friday night, and once again, we are set for some great Friday night high school football activity. All of the local teams will be in action. Some outstanding games are taking place this week as we have the Big Spring Steers, 2-0, traveling to Monahans to take on the 2-0 Lobos. Next, the Coahoma Bulldogs take on Eldorado in Eldorado. The Forsan Buffs will take the short road trip to Stanton to take the Stanton Buffaloes. Finally, the Garden City Bearkats will take on Water Valley in Water Valley. So this week will be full of extraordinary action for whoever you root for.

We will lead off with the Big Spring Steers. The Steers have been particularly remarkable this season as they are now 2-0 on the season. They traveled to Vernon to take on the Vernon Lions in week one and won a close game heading into the fourth quarter, 31-22. Week two was much more of an eruption as the Steers had their home opener last Friday and blew out the Lubbock High Westerners. This season has been all about how well QB



Gabriel Baeza has been playing as he has thrown for over 300 yards in each game this season. He uses this dynamic offense created by head coach Cannon McWilliams to spread the ball around and hit receivers in open space. The Steers have been making big plays all season long. The defense has also played very well to start the season. They have put pressure on the opposing team's QB and help generate some key turnovers. Big Spring has just looked dominant to this point. They will take on their sternest test of this season to date Friday night as they will drive to take on the 2-0 Monahans Lobos in a battle of unbeaten teams. Monahans, much like Big Spring, haven't been challenged to this point of the season. They beat Clint in Clint week one, 49-17. Then in week two, they beat Andrews in Monahans 35-20. The Lobos, much like Big Spring, run a spread offense, and they also, like Big Spring, have a QB who can run the ball when needed. This should shape up to be one heck of a game. Monahans will be imposing, specifically on their home field, but I think this Steers team is the real deal. I believe they will go into Monahans and handle business and come home with their third

win of the season in as many games. They will hold the game in Monahans this Friday. They set the kickoff for 7 p.m.

The Coahoma Bulldogs are now 1-1 on the season as they got back on track in week two. The Bulldogs went to Miles this past Friday and blew out the Miles Bulldogs 54-0. This was coming off the heels of an unpleasant week, one in which they dropped a game to Forsan 35-14. The Bulldogs looked like a completely different team when they took on Miles. You can tell they learned from mistakes made in the first game. QB Billy Bailey was fantastic last week as he threw for four TD passes in the first half. This game could have been much worse if Coahoma hadn't called off the dogs in the second half of this game. Coahoma played about as a perfect game as you can. The defense was also locked in, as they never let Miles get into a groove. The Bulldogs will look to keep the energy going. They will take a road trip to Eldorado to take on the Eldorado Eagles. The Eagles come into this matchup with a 1-0 record. They beat up on San Saba in week one by a final score of 42-20. Last year the Bulldogs handled the Eagles 59-34; they will do the same thing this year and improve to 2-1. The game will be held in Eldorado. They set this Friday kickoff for 7:30.



Forsan pushed their record to 2-0 after going down to post and beating the Antelopes 22-6. In week one, the Buffs could win their first Howard County Bowl in five years when they defeated the Coahoma Bulldogs 35-14. The Buffs looked wonderful this past Friday night against Post. Major Stockton kept up his admirable play as he went 6 of 10 for 76 yards and a TD through the air.



He also added 46 yards rushing on 12 carries and a TD. Nate Hernandez also had a great game running the ball as he carried the rock 11 times for 75 yards and a TD. Limiting the Antelopes to six points, the Buffs defense played well, but Cayden Morgan was flashing all over the field. Morgan ended the night with 22 total tackles, nine solo, and 13 assists. He also contributed on the offensive side of the ball as he had 22 yards receiving. The speed of this Forsan

team is something to behold as they create so many mismatches all over the field. They can blow past people on both sides of the ball. The speed will be a significant difference-maker this season. The Buffs will look to make this a 3-0 start as they will have a battle of the buffaloes this week. Forsan will travel down to Stanton to take on the Stanton Buffaloes. Stanton comes into this game with a record of 1-1. They won week one when they faced Grape Creek but lost in week two against Merkel 19-0. Last year, Forsan won this game with a final score of 27-6. The Forsan Buffaloes will look to keep the early season momentum on track, and I believe they will. The game will be in Stanton this Friday, and kickoff will be at 7:30 p.m.

Garden City evened up their record this past Friday night as they destroyed O'Donnell. The Bearkats won the game 48-0. This game was a blowout from the coin toss. The Bearkats looked good all game long. Garden City had 412 yards of total offense and held O'Donnell to 190. QB Seidenberger Logan passed for 124 yards and 3TD and was 9 of 10 from the field. RB Sebastian Balcazar led the way on the ground as he ran the ball 17 times for 194 yards. Mason Walker chipped in for three carries and 35 yards. John Lopez carried the ball seven times for 33 yards, and Jordan Jones had two carries for 21. The Bearkats played a complete game of football this past week. They will look to keep that going as they will face Water Valley in Water Valley. The Water Valley Wild Cats come into this matchup sporting a 2-0 record. This will be no simple test for the Bearkats, but they will compete on every single play and will come out victorious. The game is this evening in Water Valley, and they set kickoff for 7:30 p.m.



As you can see, they loaded this week with all splendid games. Unfortunately, all of our teams travel this week, so let's pray for safe travels for these teams and fans traveling with the various teams. This should be an exciting week for football, and we should learn a lot about all of our local groups.

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### Eddie George, other former All-Pros, making impact at HBCUs

By **TERESA M. WALKER**

AP Sports Writer

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Eddie George picked a good time for a career change.

He's one of several high-profile former pro athletes to give up their lavish retirement lifestyles, roll up their sleeves and accept historically Black colleges and universities coaching positions at a time when the country seems ready to embrace social change.

Television networks, which already had contracts with the Southwestern Athletic Conference and the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference, now have new storylines thanks to coaches who bring name recognition and a known brand to the sidelines.

There are at least 13 former pro athletes coaching football or men's basketball at an HBCU, with seven hired since 2019. The star-studded group includes Deion Sanders at Jackson State; former NBA champion and All-Star Mo Williams at Alabama State; 11-year NFL veteran Sean Gilbert at Livingstone College; and Bonzi Wells, the 11th overall NBA draft pick in 1998, just hired at LeMoyné-Owen.

"It's high risk, high reward," SWAC Commissioner Charles McClelland said. "The biggest challenge that high-profile coaches have to deal with coming to historically Black colleges and universities is that those resources that they are accustomed to are not necessarily there all the time."

Many of the high-profile coaches earned tens of millions in salary during the pro careers and now are working in athletic departments operating on a fraction of those dollars.

George, being paid \$400,000 a year, says it's a calling for him to be coaching at an HBCU. He didn't have to relocate to take the job at Tennessee State, which is where he first practiced when the then-Houston Oilers relocated from Texas to Tennessee. Nashville also has been his home for a quarter century.

"You want to enhance that world and bring a light to the HBCU world and the great storied programs that have produced NFL talent and great talent into the world, period," George said. "That comes along with it. But at its core, at its impetus, it's always first and foremost these young men that are in this

building."

Seeing former professional athletes coaching at an HBCU is nothing new for anyone paying attention.

Super Bowl MVP Doug Williams went to Grambling State in 1998 for his first of two stints coaching his alma mater. McClelland hired former WNBA star and Naismith Hall of Fame player Cynthia Cooper in 2006 when he was AD at Prairie View and again at Texas Southern. The woman who has a statue on the Nike campus helped bring gear Prairie View normally couldn't get.

Still, it's hard to imagine the timing could be any better for this new wave of coaches. George, Sanders and others have elevated HBCUs to a level where they've never been before. McClelland and administrators like him hope all the attention translates into new revenue streams and increased support.

The SWAC has led FCS attendance in 43 of the last 44 seasons, and McClelland said the market, excitement and fan bases were there already — now it's being fueled by the celebrity status these coaches bring to the sidelines.

All of it will be on full display Saturday night when George and Tennessee State square off against Jackson State and Sanders in the Southern Heritage Classic in Memphis.

The game usually draws nearly 50,000 fans, but McClelland said with the former NFL standouts coaching against each other the matchup that will be televised on ESPN3 will attract new fans.

"Individuals that might not necessarily know anything about Tennessee State or Jackson State now know something about Deion Sanders and Eddie George (and) are going to watch that game, and we can open up our brand to other entities and other individuals," McClelland said. "So it is definitely significant."

George is looking forward to stepping into the spotlight at the Southern Heritage Classic, which pits schools once coached by College Football Hall of Famer "Big" John Merritt.

"This is another opportunity for us to showcase our talent, to showcase our coaches, the brand of our schools, and show the the pageantry and the tradition of HBCU football on a grander scale, hopefully," George said.

He and Sanders have been on the sidelines less

than a year — George was hired in April, and Sanders was introduced Sept. 21, 2020 — but have already made their presence felt.

Sanders' connections helped his Tigers get uniforms by Under Armour with Walmart assisting with a new turf field. George has former NFL head coach Hue Jackson as offensive coordinator and is pushing for a new turf field for TSU's indoor practice facility and other improvements.

Tennessee State kicked off a fundraising campaign the day George was hired, though the new coach says he's being patient as he learns what the university has done before he arrived and how he can help use his corporate ties best now.

It also helps that these coaches have personal experience dealing with endorsement deals with new name, image and likeness rules. Sanders is in a new ad for Aflac, while George is part of Nissan's Heisman House commercials that roll out each season.

"No one wants you to endorse their product if you're not good," Sanders said.

Ultimately, winning games is how all coaches are measured.

George knows he won't get some athletes determined to play at a program like his alma mater Ohio State or Alabama. His pitch to players to attend TSU is for them to lay the groundwork for the next stage of success at a program that has produced the likes of Ed "Too Tall" Jones and Claude Humphrey. Then he sprinkles in the promise of growth with a new stadium and better facilities.

"We're going to try to get to the FBS level, know those are our aspirations to take this program to new heights," George said of his lure to players and recruits. "So you're our forefather. You're building bricks and layers, a foundation for what's to come."

How long Sanders and George remain in their respective positions is anyone's guess. College coaches leave, get fired, move on; it's part of the business. But even if they use HBCUs as stepping stones to other endeavors, McClelland said it's a win-win for both the conference and the schools.

"If Coach Prime gets an opportunity to leave, if Coach George gets an opportunity to leave, it's only going to be because they were successful at Jackson State and Tennessee State," McClelland said. "And as athletics director, that's all that you can ask for."

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## Big Spring Tennis team wins nail bitter

### Special to the Herald

Big Spring Steer Tennis won a nail biter last night at Figure 7 Tennis Center by defeating the Greenwood Rangers 10 to 9. The match got off to a close start in doubles with Big Spring trailing 3-4 after all 7 matches were finished. In singles, the Big Spring girls dominated by winning all 6 of their singles matches. Greenwood won 5 of 6 boys matches with Freshman Juaquin Arguello posting the lone boy's singles win. The match was tied 8-8 with 3 matches still being played. Juaquin Arguello and Paris Castenada each won their match to clinch the victory.

Next up: Big Spring/Levelland/Lubbock All-Saints Tri-Match in Levelland on Saturday, September 12, 2021.

### TENNIS MATCH INFO

Date: September 7, 2021  
Location: Figure 7  
BIG SPRING 10, GREENWOOD 9  
Opponent: Greenwood  
Event: District Dual  
Girls Doubles (BS)  
Girls Doubles  
Score  
Winner  
Kocak/Lopez  
Havercroft/Whitaker

6-2, 6-4  
BS  
Bell/Bell  
Rader/Velasquez  
6-3, 6-2  
BS  
Castenada/Garcia-Marquez  
Adame/Balderas  
6-3, 6-4  
BS  
Girls Singles (BS)  
Girls Singles  
Score  
Natalia Lopez  
K. Havercroft  
6-1, 6-4  
BS



Emily Kocak  
A. Whitaker  
6-1, 6-0  
BS  
Ananya Limaye  
K. Rader  
6-4, 6-4  
BS  
Hayden Bell  
I. Velasquez  
6-4, 6-2  
BS  
Itzel Garcia-Marquez  
M. Balderas  
6-2, 6-3  
BS  
Paris Castenada  
A. Adame  
6-0, 6-3

BS  
Mixed Doubles (BS)  
Mixed Doubles  
Score  
Limaye/Roberts  
Duran/Hale  
6-4, 1-6, 10-5  
GW  
Boys Doubles (BS)  
Boys Doubles  
Score  
Landin/Salazar  
Morris/Nance  
6-3, 6-1  
GW  
Arguello/Patel  
Byerley/Watkins  
6-4, 6-0  
GW  
Patterson/Urias  
Marshall/Underdown  
2-6, 7-6 (7), 10-7  
GW  
Boys Singles (BS)  
Boys Singles  
Score  
Eric Landin  
S. Morris  
7-5, 7-6 (4)  
GW  
Matthew Salazar  
K. Nance  
6-1, 6-3  
GW  
Eshan Patel  
D. Byerley  
6-4, 6-3  
GW  
Kaiden Roberts  
G. Hale  
6-4, 6-1  
GW  
Ethan Urias  
C. Watkins  
6-3, 6-3  
GW  
Juaquin Arguello  
A. Marshall  
6-1, 6-2  
BS

## CJHS Rochelle places 3rd at CC Crane event

### Special to the Herald

CRANE — Coahoma's Andrea Rochelle raced to third place out of 81 competitors at the Crane Cross Country Invitational on Saturday.

The Coahoma Junior High athlete dropped 51 seconds off her time compared to her previous race on Aug. 2, 1 at the Tall City race in Midland. She finished the two-mile race in 14 minutes and 24 seconds.

Fellow teammate Raelyn Quintero also finished in the medal count by placing 16th. She ran the race in 15 minutes and 29 seconds, which was 33 seconds faster than her previous outing on Aug. 21.

Finishing in the medal count on the Coahoma boys team were Eddie Gallardo in 13th place (13:44) and Candon Guse in 18th (13:51). Gallardo dropped an impressive one minute, 17 seconds from his previous race on Aug. 21. Guse competed in his first race of the year on Saturday.

A strong performance by the rest of the Coahoma runners lifted the girls team to finish fifth in the team competition and the boys to finish eighth.

For the rest of the girls team, Andrea Arrendondo finished 23rd, (16:13), Madison Bose crossed the line at 43rd (18:01), Lillian Orosco was 54th (19:35), Naomi Foltz placed 69th (20:51); Claire

Wegner was 74th (22:25); and Isela Vasquez finished in 80th (25:02).

For the boys team, Adam Keis came in 83rd (20:14) followed closely by Robert Armstrong, who was the 87th (22:03) runner to finish. Trayce Vadney finished 88th (22:23); and Carson Wenick was 92nd (24:30).

Next: The Coahoma Junior High cross country team will compete on Wednesday, Sept. 18, at the Big Spring Invitational.

2 Mile JH Girls Race  
3. Andrea Rochelle, 14:24; 16. Raelyn Quintero, 15:29; 23. Andrea Arrendondo, 16:13; 43. Madison Bose; 54. Lillian Orosco 19:35; 69. Naomi Foltz, 20:51; 74. Claire Wegner, 22:25; 80. Isela Vasquez, 25:02.

Team Total: 1. Andrews, 58; 2. Midland Classical 69; 3. Ozona 106; 4. Crane 111; 5. Coahoma 112.

2 Miles JH Boys Race  
13. Eddie Gallardo, 13:44; 18. Candon Guse, 13:51; 83. Adam Keis, 20:14; 87. Robert Armstrong, 22:03; 88. Trayce Vadney, 22:23; 92. Carson Wernik 24:30.

Team Totals: 1. Midland Classical, 58; 2. Odessa Compass 66; 3. Andrews 101; 4. Ozona 104; 5. First Odessa Christian 121; 6. Crane 138; 7. Presidio 140; 8. Coahoma 191.

## CHS girls CC places 4th at Crane meet

### Special to the Herald

CRANE — The young Coahoma High School Cross Country team continues to make impressive gains as results from the team's second competition of the season shows.

Baylor Wright was the first Bulldogette to cross the line in the girls 2-mile Division I race at the Crane Invitational on Saturday. She finished the race in 13 minutes, 50 seconds. The CHS freshman dropped 46 seconds on her time compared to her last run on Aug. 21, at the Tall City race in Midland. She finished ninth of our 59 competitors and earned a medal.

Also finishing in the medal standings was Merrick Alvarez, who ran the race in 14 minutes and nine seconds, which was 43 seconds faster than her previous

outing at the Tall City race. Alvarez placed 18th in the race.

Overall, the majority of the Coahoma runners showed gains in their times over their opening competition. Cicely Lerma dropped an impressive one minute, two seconds off her time to finish 27th. She ran the race in 14 minutes and 42 seconds. Nevaeh Kerby came in 28th (14:43, down 26 seconds); Abby Bose was 32nd (14:56, down 1 minute, 14 seconds), and Bre Arrendondo finished in 49th place (16:14, down 1 minute, 16 seconds). Kadeyn Lee placed 50th (16:20) for her first outing of the season.

The Coahoma girls team's strong performance led to a fourth place finish in the team standings. Host team Crane won the match, Buena Vista was second, and 4A Andrews came in

third.

In the boys 5-mile Division I race, Hector Colon had a solid outing and finished 44th with a time of 22 minutes, 24 seconds.

Next: Coahoma competes at the Lubbock Invitational on Saturday, Sept. 25.

Crane Invitational Crane Golf Course Sept. 4, 2021

2-Mile HS Division I Girls Race

9. Baylor Wright, 13:50; 18. Merrick Alvarez, 14:09; 27. Lerma Cicely, 14:42; 28. Nevaeh Kerby, 14:43. 32. Abby Bose, 14:46; 49. Bre Arrendondo, 16:14; 50. Lee Kadeyn, 16:19.

Team Totals: 1. Crane, 40; 2. Buena Vista 53; 3. Andrews 62; 4. Coahoma 105; 5. Alpine 127; 6. Presidio 159; 7. Midland Classical 159; 8. Ozona 199; 9. Odessa Compass 201; 10. Monahans 293.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Explanatory Statements for the November 2, 2021 Constitutional Amendment Election

##### Proposition Number 1 (HJR 143)

HJR 143 proposes a constitutional amendment expanding the circumstances in which a professional sports team charitable foundation may conduct raffles to raise money for the foundation's charitable purposes. The proposed amendment would allow professional sports team charitable foundations of organizations sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association or the Women's Professional Rodeo Association to hold charitable raffles at rodeo events.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment authorizing the professional sports team charitable foundations of organizations sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association or the Women's Professional Rodeo Association to conduct charitable raffles at rodeo venues."**

##### Proposition Number 2 (HJR 99)

HJR 99 proposes a constitutional amendment allowing the legislature to authorize a county to issue bonds or notes to finance the development or redevelopment, underdeveloped, or blighted area within the county and to pledge for repayment of those bonds or notes increases in property tax revenues imposed on property in the area by the county. The Texas Constitution gives the legislature the power to authorize an incorporated city or town to issue such bonds or notes but does not expressly give the legislature the power to grant that same authority to counties. The proposed amendment also provides that a county that issues bonds or notes for transportation improvements may not pledge for the repayment of those bonds or notes more than 65 percent of the increases in ad valorem tax revenues each year, and a county may not use proceeds from the bonds or notes to finance the construction, operation, maintenance, or acquisition of rights-of-way of a toll road.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment authorizing a county to finance the development or redevelopment of transportation or infrastructure in unproductive, underdeveloped, or blighted areas in the county."**

##### Proposition Number 3 (SJR 27)

SJR 27 proposes a constitutional amendment barring the State of Texas or a political subdivision from enacting, adopting, or issuing a statute, order, proclamation, decision, or rule that prohibits or limits religious services. The proposed amendment would apply to religious services, including those conducted in churches, congregations, and places of worship, in the state by a religious organization established to support and serve the propagation of

a sincerely held religious belief.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment to prohibit this state or a political subdivision of this state from prohibiting or limiting religious services of religious organizations."**

##### Proposition Number 4 (SJR 47)

SJR 47 proposes a constitutional amendment changing certain eligibility requirements for a justice of the Supreme Court, a judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, a justice of a court of appeals, and a district judge. The proposed amendment provides that a person is eligible to serve on the Supreme Court if the person, among other qualifications, is licensed to practice law in Texas; is a resident of Texas at the time of election; has been either a practicing lawyer licensed in Texas for at least ten years or a practicing lawyer licensed in Texas and a judge of a state court or county court established by the legislature for a combined total of at least ten years; and during that time has not had the person's license to practice law revoked, suspended, or subject to a probated suspension. The same eligibility requirements would apply to a judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals and to a justice of a court of appeals. The proposed amendment further provides that to be eligible for appointment or election as a district judge, a person must be a resident of Texas; be licensed to practice law in Texas; and have been a practicing lawyer or a judge of a court in Texas, or both combined, for eight years preceding the person's election, during which time the person's license to practice law has not been revoked, suspended, or subject to a probated suspension.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment changing the eligibility requirements for a justice of the supreme court, a judge of the court of criminal appeals, a justice of a court of appeals, and a district judge."**

##### Proposition Number 5 (HJR 165)

HJR 165 proposes a constitutional amendment allowing the State Commission on Judicial Conduct (SCJC) to accept complaints or reports, conduct investigations, and take any other authorized action with respect to a candidate for a state judicial office. Currently, the Texas Constitution only permits the SCJC to take such actions as to persons holding a judicial office.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment providing additional powers to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to candidates for judicial office."**

##### Proposition Number 6 (SJR 19)

SJR 19 proposes a constitutional amendment es-

establishing that residents of certain facilities have the right to designate an essential caregiver with whom the facility may not prohibit in-person visitation. The proposed amendment would apply to a nursing facility, assisted living facility, intermediate care facility for individuals with an intellectual disability, residence providing home and community-based services, or state supported living center. The proposed amendment also would authorize the legislature to provide guidelines for these facilities to follow in establishing essential caregiver visitation policies and procedures.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment establishing a right for residents of certain facilities to designate an essential caregiver for in-person visitation."**

##### Proposition Number 7 (HJR 125)

HJR 125 proposes a constitutional amendment permitting a person who is 55 years of age or older at the time of death of their spouse who is receiving a limitation on school district property taxes on their residence homestead on the basis of a disability to continue receiving the limitation while the property remains the surviving spouse's residence homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment to allow the surviving spouse of a person who is disabled to receive a limitation on the school district ad valorem taxes on the spouse's residence homestead if the spouse is 55 years of age or older at the time of the person's death."**

##### Proposition Number 8 (SJR 35)

SJR 35 proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of a member of the United States armed services who is killed or fatally injured in the line of duty. The Texas Constitution provides a property tax exemption to the surviving spouse of a member of the armed services who is killed in action, but the current exemption does not include members of the military who die during their service due to injuries sustained that are not combat-related.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: **"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a member of the armed services of the United States who is killed or fatally injured in the line of duty."**



# Bulldogettes go 1-1 at dual match Tuesday

**Special to the Herald**

**SWEETWATER** — The Coahoma Varsity Bulldogettes split their dual match on Tuesday night winning in three sets against Grape Creek (25-13, 25-23, 25-9) and falling in four to 4A Sweetwater (24-26, 25-19, 17-25, 22-25).

Isabella Cox led the Bulldogettes for the two-game evening with 11 kills. Madison Rodgers had nine kills and was outstanding on defense with 25 digs. Christien Everett had 27 digs. Cayhill Lewis' solid performance garnered seven kills and five big blocks with four occurring in the Sweetwater game. Coahoma's go-to setter Zoie Joslin had 19 assists for the evening.

In sub-varsity action, both JV teams went 1-1. Scores are as follows: JV Red — 25-23, 25-11 (Grape Creek), 17-25, 16-25 (Sweetwater); JV White — 25-17, 25-15 (Grape Creek), 11-25, 18-25 (Sweetwater).

Next: The varsity Bulldogettes (11-7) head to Colorado City on Saturday to take on the Lady Wolves, and the two sub-varsity teams will compete in a tournament at Clyde on Saturday. Game times are: varsity at 11 a.m., JV versus Snyder at 9 a.m., and JV White versus Cooper A at 9 a.m.

**Varsity statistics only**

**First Game**  
Coahoma DEF. Grape Creek: 25-13, 25-23, 25-9.  
Kills: Madison Rodgers 2, Isabella Cox 4, Sophie Biddison 2, Shae Lang 2, Brynn Rodgers 1, Cayhill Lewis 2.  
Blocks: Sophie Biddison 1, Cayhill Lewis 1.  
Assists: Zoie Joslin 4.  
Digs: Christian Everett 8, Madison Rodgers 7, Isabella Cox 6, Karleigh Burt 8, Zoie Joslin 1, Sophie Biddison 1, Shae Lang 1, Brynn Rodgers 7, Cayhill Lewis 1.  
Sweetwater DEF. Coahoma: 24-26, 25-19, 17-25, 22-25  
Kills: Madison Rodgers 7, Isabella Cox 7, Sophie Biddison 3, Shae Lang 2,

Brynn Rodgers 2, Cayhill Lewis 5.  
Blocks: Shae Lang 1, Cayhill Lewis 4.  
Assists: Zoie Joslin 14.  
Digs: Christian Everett 19, Madison Rodgers 18, Isabella Cox 7, Karleigh Burt 7, Zoie Joslin 6, Sophie Biddison 1, Shae Lang 4, Brynn Rodgers 12.



*Courtesy Photo*

The Coahoma Varsity Bulldogette volleyball team celebrates after winning a point against Grape Creek on Tuesday at a dual match held in Sweetwater.

## Sports betting to start in Arizona in time for NFL season

**PHOENIX** — Arizona's first sports betting operations officially open for business Thursday in time for the start of the NFL season, with live wagers being taken on college and professional sports online and at two retail locations in Phoenix.

The FanDuel Sportsbook at the downtown Phoenix arena where the Phoenix Suns play and temporary betting windows just down the street at the Arizona Diamondbacks' Chase Field run by Caesars Entertainment are set to take in-person bets.

FanDuel expects hundreds of bettors to be on hand for the start of live sports wagering. The action was made possible by a new law enacted by the Legislature and signed by Republican Gov. Doug Ducey this spring. Gambling other than old-school contests like Bingo run for charities was banned outside of casinos run by Native American tribes before the law was passed.

Arizona now will join more than half the states in allowing betting on sports, just three years after it was allowed by the U.S. Supreme Court. The state hopes to pull in tens of millions of dollars in annual revenue from legalized gambling.

The governor's office negotiated new agreements with the tribes to allow betting on live and fantasy sports. In exchange, they were allowed to expand their table game and slot machine offerings and run their own sports books at their casinos. Ten tribes also won licenses to take sports bets online. Online fantasy sports wagering became legal late last month, with Arizona being one of the few states where it was still banned.

But it is the professional teams that will be the first to open actual retail location sports books, according to the Department of Gaming, because a needed addendum to the tribal gaming compacts has not been finalized. Seven of the 18 tribes or sports teams that were awarded licenses last month will be able to take online bets on Thursday.

The FanDuel Sportsbook at the Footprint Center, home of the Suns, Phoenix Mercury and Arizona Rattlers football team, opens at 9:15 a.m. Thursday. A ceremony attended by Ducey and retired Suns players Channing Frye and Richard Jefferson and FanDuel executives is scheduled for 3 p.m. An official watch party for the NFL season opener featuring the Dallas Cowboys and the Tampa Bay Buccaneers starts at 4 p.m., with kickoff set for 5:20 p.m.

The sportsbook, with 7,400 square feet (687 square meters) of space and an outdoor terrace, has five betting windows plus one for VIPs, a large video wall, 40 HD televisions and 26 self-service kiosks. The watch party will be held in the Footprint Center's Pavilion, a slightly larger space.

The Diamondbacks plan to open their own sportsbook outside Chase Field early next year in partnership with Caesars. The state law allowed licenses for up to 10 professional sports teams and eight were awarded last month, and they and tribes can partner with sportsbooks. The team licenses allow retail and online betting.

In addition to the Suns and Diamondbacks, the state awarded licenses to the Mercury, Rattlers, Arizona Cardinals, Arizona Coyotes, TPC Scottsdale and Phoenix Speedway. Retail locations must be close by the playing sites, but permits have not been finalized for their locations, Gaming Department spokesman Max Hartgraves said Wednesday.

Online wagers are being accepted by Unibet, WynnBET, BetMGM, DraftKings, FanDuel, Barstool Sports and Caesars.

In many ways, the online licenses are much more valuable than being able to run a traditional "sports book" at a tribal casino or at or near a professional sports team's stadium. That's because online operations can run around the clock with little overhead and aren't limited to gamblers physically being in a venue.



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### Public Notice

#### Small Taxing Unit Notice

The City of Coahoma will  
hold a meeting at 7:00 pm on  
September 20, 2020 at 122  
N. 1st, Coahoma, TX 79511  
to consider adopting a  
proposed tax rate for tax year  
2021. The proposed tax rate  
is \$0.300457 per \$100 of  
value.

#11039

#### INVITATION TO BID

The Howard County Auditor's  
Office will be accepting  
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at 10:00 a.m.

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and awarded in the Howard  
County Commissioners'  
Courtroom, 3rd floor of the

### Public Notice

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on Monday, September 27,  
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#### Husband and Son Won't Stop Drinking

**Dear Annie:** My  
husband and I have  
been married for 34  
years. We have two  
grown children, both of  
whom still live with us.  
They work and pay rent  
toward our mortgage. I  
have no problem with  
their living at home,  
and I don't think my  
husband does either.  
The problem I have is  
that both my husband  
and my son are alco-  
holics. They both work  
hard, but when they are  
off, they get drunk, and  
my daughter and I have  
a hard time dealing  
with all the issues.

My son is a closet  
alcoholic. He stays in  
his room and drinks,  
and when he comes

out, he is very talkative  
and emotional, and he  
gets depressed. My  
husband can drink beer  
all day and spend his  
day doing yard work. In  
the afternoon, he takes  
a nap, and when he  
wakes up, he continues  
to drink.

They both know they  
need help, but neither  
one is making any  
effort to get that help.  
My son went to a detox  
center over a year ago.  
Unfortunately, since  
the pandemic hit just  
after he was released,  
he did not get follow-up  
counseling and ended  
up relapsing.

I spend a lot of time  
with my best friend,  
who I've known all my  
life. Once a year, we  
go on a small trip. The

problem is my husband  
makes me feel guilty  
and gets angry at me  
for these trips. But I  
just need to get away  
and have someone  
to whom I can vent.  
It seems like my hus-  
band just expects me  
to stay home while he  
is out doing yard work.  
Should I be trying to do  
more to get them to quit  
drinking? Am I in the  
wrong here for spend-  
ing time with friends?  
-- Between a Rock and  
a Hard Place

**Dear Between:**  
No and no. It's up to  
your husband and son  
to get the help that  
they both clearly need.  
Spending time with  
your friends outside the  
house is a very healthy  
thing, a way of setting  
boundaries. Unfortu-

nately, your husband is  
rearing against those  
boundaries. It seems  
he's not content to just  
self-destruct; he wants  
to drag you down with  
him. If things continue  
this way, you may need  
to consider whether  
you can truly live under  
the same roof as him  
without it taking a toll  
on your mental health.  
To gain some clarity  
and insight, I encour-  
age you to make an  
appointment with a  
therapist who special-  
izes in addiction. You  
may also find solace  
and strength in support  
groups such as Al-Anon  
(<https://www.al-anon.org>) or SMART Recov-  
ery Family and Friends  
(<https://www.smartrecovery.org/family>).

**Dear Annie:** I've  
been in a relationship  
with "Wanda" for three  
years, living with her  
for eight months. She's  
cheated on me many  
times. When I found  
out, we'd already been  
dating for two years, so  
I figured I'd stay. How-  
ever, I suspect it's still  
happening. On top of  
this, she hits me, spits  
on my face and calls  
me names. I guess it's  
pretty clear that I need  
to walk away, but for  
some reason, I don't.  
I think it's because I'm  
38 and have never had  
a serious relationship  
work out in the long  
term. Call me crazy,  
but I just can't seem to  
leave. What advice do  
you have for me? -- Be-  
leaguered Boyfriend

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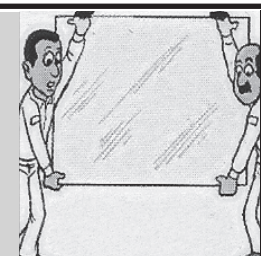
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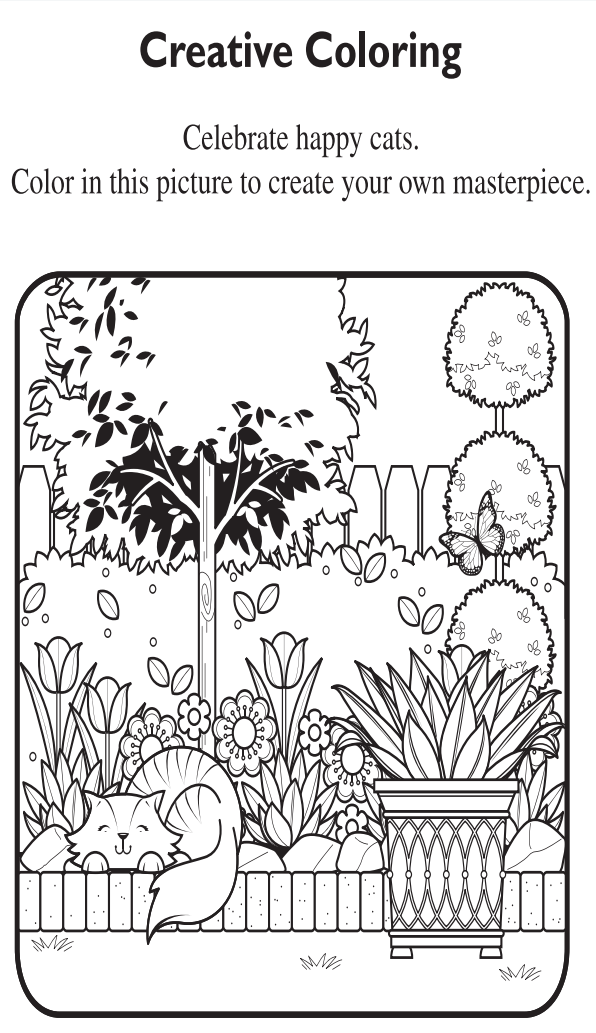
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4:30 PM	DailyMail Jeopardy!	Primer impacto	Broke Girl Mod Fam	CBS 7 News	En casa con	News Inside Ed.	Cowboy Israel	Curious Xavier	25 Words	Steve Wilkos Show	Fam. Guy	Movie: Ocean's 8 (DVS)		Around the World	Waves	Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush
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By Steve Becker  
**Bidding quiz**

You are South, and the bidding has gone:

North	East	South	West
1♦	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♦	Pass	?	

What would you bid now with each of the following five hands?

1. ♠KJ♥95♦KJ8♣AQJ1096
2. ♠AJ7♥J73♦10♣KJ9643
3. ♠AK6♥854♦Q9♣AQ872
4. ♠Q8♥AJ♦962♣KJ8652
5. ♠K94♥QJ8♦Q10♣AJ963

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1. **Four diamonds.** There is certainly at least a game somewhere, as you have values well beyond a minimum opening bid opposite partner's opening bid. Indeed, it might even be possible to make a slam despite partner's minimum rebid.
- Ordinarily, minor-suit games are to be avoided, since it is usually easier to make nine tricks in notrump than 11 tricks in a minor. However, a notrump contract here looks much more dangerous than a suit contract, so a jump-raise of partner's diamonds (forcing) is therefore best. The double raise also leaves room for partner to use Blackwood or make a cuebid in hearts if he is interested in a slam. If he actually does bid four hearts next, you should take a stab at six diamonds.
2. **Pass.** In view of partner's mini-

mum rebid, game is now unlikely. Trying to improve matters by bidding again might easily result in making them worse. Partner will probably make no more than eight or nine tricks in diamonds, so there is no good reason to bid again.

3. **Two spades.** It is unusual to bid a three-card suit, but there is no better way of inducing partner to bid notrump if he has a heart stopper. If he does not bid notrump at his next turn, you will have to settle for game in diamonds.
4. **Three diamonds.** You can't very well give up without making at least a mild game try, even though partner made the weakest possible rebid. He might pass three diamonds, but even so it is better to offer him a shot at game in case he has a maximum (around 15 points) for his two-diamond rebid.
- Two notrump rather than three diamonds is an alternative possibility, but it would be a bit more dangerous.
5. **Three notrump.** Here you have ideal notrump distribution and strength in the unbid suits, so you have no real choice other than to bid three notrump. It would be wrong to bid only two notrump, which is not forcing in this sequence. If you did, you might find yourself left at the post.

Tomorrow: Doubling the odds.  
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# FEATURES

## Today in History

Today is Friday, Sept. 10, the 253rd day of 2021. There are 112 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**

On Sept. 10, 1963, 20 Black students entered Alabama public schools following a standoff between federal authorities and Gov. George C. Wallace.

**On this date:**

In 1608, John Smith was elected president of the Jamestown colony council in Virginia.

In 1813, an American naval force commanded by Oliver H. Perry defeated the British in the Battle of Lake Erie during the War of 1812. (Afterward, Perry sent the message, "We have met the enemy and they are ours.")

In 1919, New York City welcomed home Gen. John J. Pershing and 25,000 soldiers who'd served in the U.S. First Division during World War I.

In 1935, Sen. Huey P. Long died in Baton Rouge two days after being shot in the Louisiana state Capitol, allegedly by Dr. Carl Weiss.

In 1960, Hurricane Donna, a dangerous Category 4 storm eventually blamed for 364 deaths, struck the Florida Keys.

In 1962, the U.S. Supreme Court ordered the University of Mississippi to admit James Meredith, a Black student.

In 1984, a revival of the TV game show "Jeopardy!" hosted by Alex Trebek premiered in syndication.

In 1987, Pope John Paul II arrived in Miami, where he was welcomed by President Ronald Reagan and first lady Nancy Reagan as he began a 10-day tour of the United States.

In 1991, the Senate Judiciary Committee opened hearings

on the nomination of Clarence Thomas to the U.S. Supreme Court.

In 1998, President Clinton met with members of his Cabinet to apologize, ask forgiveness and promise to improve as a person in the wake of the Monica Lewinsky scandal.

In 2005, Cadaver dogs and boatloads of forensic workers fanned out across New Orleans to collect the corpses left behind by Hurricane Katrina; cleanup crews towed away abandoned cars and even began readying a hotel for reopening.

In 2015, New York State approved gradually raising the minimum wage for fast-food workers to \$15 an hour — the first time any state had set the minimum that high.

Ten years ago: On the eve of the 10th anniversary of 9/11, former Presidents George W. Bush and Bill Clinton paid tribute to the 40 passengers and crew who fought back against their hijackers

aboard Flight 93 during a ceremony dedicating the first phase of a memorial in Shanksville, Pennsylvania. A pair of NASA probes — named Grail-A and Grail-B — rocketed toward the moon on the first mission dedicated to measuring lunar gravity and determining what was inside Earth's orbiting companion. Oscar- and Emmy-winning actor Cliff Robertson died in Stony Brook, New York, a day after turning 88.

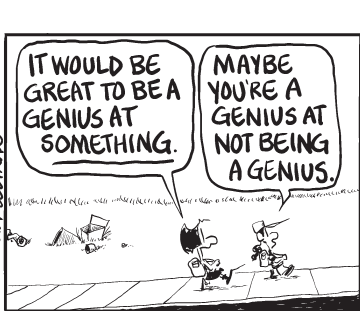
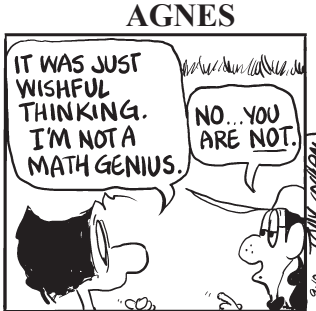
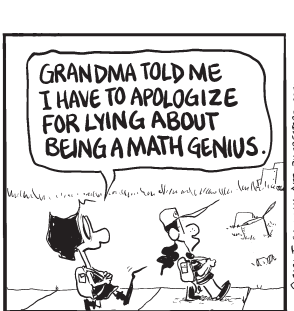
Five years ago: John Hinckley Jr., the man who tried to assassinate President Ronald Reagan in 1981, was released from a Washington mental hospital for good. Angelique Kerber won her first U.S. Open title and the second Grand Slam trophy of her breakthrough season, beating Karolina Pliskova 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

One year ago: Authorities in Oregon said more than 500,000 people statewide had been forced to leave their homes because of wildfires; the number represented more than 10% of the state's population. Houston's

police chief said four officers had been terminated after an internal investigation determined they did not use reasonable force when they fired their weapons 21 times at a man who had been experiencing a mental health crisis, killing him in April after he was already injured and on the ground. Twitter said it would start labeling or removing misleading claims that were aimed at undermining public confidence in elections. Diana Rigg, a British actor whose career included roles in the 1960s spy series "The Avengers" and the fantasy juggernaut "Game of Thrones," died at the age of 82.

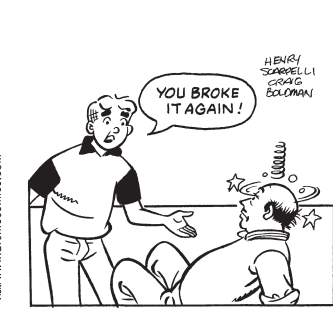
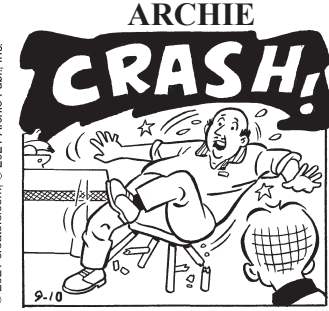
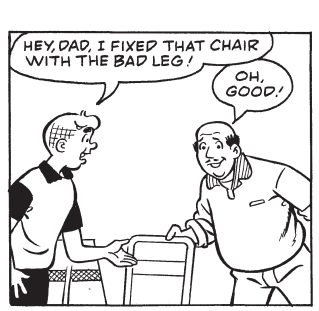
**Today's Birthdays:** Actor Philip Baker Hall is 90. Actor Greg Mullavey is 88. Jazz vibraphonist Roy Ayers is 81. Actor Tom Ligon is 81. Singer Danny Hutton (Three Dog Night) is 79. Singer Jose Feliciano is 76. Actor Judy Geeson is 73. Former Canadian first lady Margaret Trudeau is 73. Political commentator Bill O'Reilly is 72. Rock musician Joe Perry (Aerosmith) is 71. Country singer Rosie Flores is

71. Actor Amy Irving is 68. Sen. Cynthia Lummis, R-Wyo., is 67. Actor-director Clark Johnson is 67. Actor Kate Burton is 64. Movie director Chris Columbus is 63. Actor Colin Firth is 61. Rock singer-musician David Lowery (Cracker) is 61. Actor Sean O'Bryan is 58. Baseball Hall of Famer Randy Johnson is 58. Actor Raymond Cruz is 57. Rock musician Stevie D. (Buckcherry) is 55. Rock singer-musician Miles Zuniga (Fastball) is 55. Actor Nina Repeta (NY-nuh ruh-PEHT-ah) is 54. Rapper Big Daddy Kane is 53. Actor director Guy Ritchie is 53. Actor Johnathon Schaech (shehk) is 52. Contemporary Christian singer Sara Groves is 49. Actor Ryan Phillippe (FIHL-ih-pee) is 47. Actor Kyle Bornheimer is 46. Actor Jacob Young is 42. Rock musician Mikey Way (My Chemical Romance) is 41. Olympic bronze medal figure skater Timothy Goebel (GAY-bul) is 41. Ballerina Misty Copeland is 39. MLB All-Star first-baseman Joey Votto (VAH'-toh) is 38. Rock musician Matthew Followill (Kings of Leon) is 37.



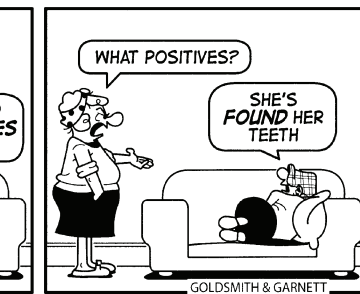
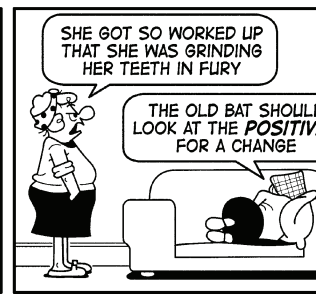
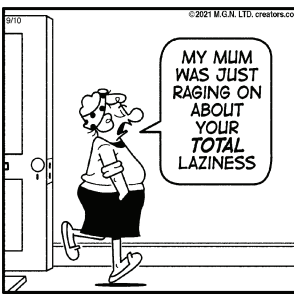
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## Horoscopes By Holiday

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SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

### Instructions for the Venus Change

Self-consciousness is a product of not knowing yourself. When you feel uncomfortable with being seen or overly aware of critical eyes, take it as an invitation to learn yourself better. The stronger your relationship with yourself, the less other people's opinions will matter to you. This is the first lesson of Venus in Scorpio.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). If anything close to perfection can be achieved, it will only be without the ego. But without the ego, perfection doesn't matter in the least because being fully present to the process is all that matters.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). Making a wrong choice doesn't mean you owe yourself admonishment. This is all a learning process. Now you know the right move, and soon you'll do it so many times it will come automatically to you.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). You know what you want, and you ask for it in a way that makes it easy for people to say yes to you. Just make sure they are really qualified to follow through and you're golden!

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). You're courageous and adventurous. Even when something is completely unfamiliar to you, you are still able to open your mind and heart to it. You'll thrive creatively because of this.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). The mystic Osho said that all artistic activity is on the way toward becoming religious. Start a practice of creativity today, and it will lead you to a sacred place in your own soul.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Add people to your world. The more reciprocal and uplifting relationships you have, the better balanced your perspective will be -- and, it follows, your mood.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). No role can represent the entirety of your being. A role is something you do, not someone you are. An expansive spirit pervades your being and inspires you to handle things without defining yourself in the process.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You have built much in your life, but the current relationship will not be created through building. It will come together through allowing, granting and gaining access to another person.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). People will say just what you wanted them to. Is it as satisfying to hear as you thought it would be? Does it accomplish your original goal? Decide what to do next with your growing influence.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). The stressful situation will pass; the problem will be solved; the transition process will be successfully

completed. When they ask you're so confident, ultimately, you will credit this experience.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The scene may meet your standard on paper, but that doesn't mean it really fits. Try things for a while, and then decide. Take your time because this decision will alter the course.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). Avoid twisting yourself up into a knot to prove how flexible and willing to please you are. Instead, walk tall and follow your own rules. Just for today, it's better to err on the side of rigidity.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (Sept. 10). The Venus transit coinciding with your solar return shows a shift in relationships. Some get deeper; others lighten up. Also, new subjects will fascinate you, and as you follow your changing interests, different people come into your world. The fresh influences enliven your scene and make existing ties more dear. Sagittarius and Leo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 15, 4, 44 and 39.

**WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST:** ARIES: Employ curiosity, discretion and empathy to get to the heart of the matter. TAURUS: You'll meet the eyes of another and share, for a brief moment, the same mind. GEMINI: Your personal life will fall right in line with your list of priorities. CANCER: Communication skills and social savvy will land you just where you want to be. LEO: With a stranger, you will share a moment suspended in time, connecting in a way that isn't possible with people who are a part of your day to day. VIRGO: Anyone who makes you feel like you shouldn't ask questions is also waving a red flag. LIBRA: As good dancers know, opposing sides can cooperate with one another to beautiful effect. SCORPIO: Giving makes you come alive. To love is more fulfilling than being loved. SAGITTARIUS: Whether setting up a computer or a social circle, think about compatibility issues before you start the installation. CAPRICORN: You don't usually talk about the rewards and benefits that come with being on your team, but now might be a good time to casually bring it up. AQUARIUS: Do what works for you. If you compromise now, you'll be compromising the entire relationship. PISCES: A shared sense of humor isn't essential to having a good relationship, but it makes things a lot more fun.

**COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND:** Scorpio and Virgo are a checks and balances system disguised as a couple. These two don't always bring out the best in each other, but they certainly prevent the worst. They have a way of guiding each other toward strength and health. They set examples and expectations for each other. Both signs can be extremely

driven and competitive and take pleasure in the fulfillment of hopes.

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- 1 Bette Midler's "\_\_\_ Las Vegas" show
- 5 Coco \_\_\_ (rum cocktail)
- 9 Not at all well done
- 13 Not grounded in 1 Down
- 15 Halfhearted
- 16 What this answer is
- 18 Occlusion seminar sponsor
- 19 Looped in
- 20 Polo VIP
- 21 Goes after
- 22 Shared equally
- 23 Vacuums
- 25 A he
- 26 Something to check
- 29 What this answer is
- 31 In the bag, say
- 32 Olympian's leaps
- 33 Sean \_\_\_ Lennon
- 34 French roasts
- 35 Grassy grounds
- 36 What this answer has
- 38 Mask-advocating agcy.
- 39 Interns work with them (and end with them!)
- 40 Writer Zola
- 41 Apples and oranges
- 44 It can follow "flight" or "floor"
- 45 Hamper
- 47 Name on many pants patches
- 48 Pal 4 life
- 51 It is what it is, and an alternate puzzle title

### DOWN

- 1 Figures
- 2 How many series air
- 3 Wang of wedding wear
- 4 Showing virtuosity
- 5 Budget
- 6 Oklahoma natives
- 7 Part of a hand
- 8 Long-established
- 9 Second showing
- 10 Extended-stay lodging
- 11 Leave the ground
- 12 Blissful place
- 14 Cracks to read
- 15 Peanut sauce cuisine
- 17 Tricky tactics
- 21 Test subjects
- 22 Evidence evaluator
- 23 Rubbed the wrong way
- 24 Albee's *The Zoo Story*, e.g.
- 25 Family subdivision
- 27 Quick-thinking
- 28 Dispose of
- 29 Soft rock
- 30 Animation creations

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- 31 All-out, as a team effort
- 34 Head for a salad
- 36 *Membre de la famille*
- 37 Soft and luxurious
- 42 Oodles
- 43 Cork locale
- 44 Endangerment
- 45 Start of a witness sentence
- 46 Kilo- squared
- 47 Gargoyle expression
- 48 Preconceived notions
- 49 Fortune-teller's prediction
- 50 Cut and ran
- 52 One way to sway
- 53 Capote nickname

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## SUDOKU

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**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!

### Today's Answers

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9	2	3	4	6	1	9	8	7
9	4	1	2	8	7	3	5	6
7	9	4	6	3	8	2	1	5
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## CROSSWORD Today's Answers

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Level: Advanced

# No. 15 Texas, Arkansas to meet in throwback matchup

By **CHIP SOUZA**

Associated Press

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. — One of college football's most storied rivalries ended 30 years ago when Arkansas left the Southwest Conference for the greener pastures of the Southeastern Conference.

The Razorbacks played Texas nearly 80 times before Arkansas switched, and many of those battles played prominently on the national stage. The most famous was The Big Shootout in 1969 when the Longhorns rallied late in the fourth quarter to edge the Hogs 15-14 and claim the national championship with President Richard Nixon in attendance.

Saturday's game in the Ozarks won't carry the significance of those great games of the 1960s, but the matchup with No. 15 Texas (1-0) will mark Arkansas' first sellout since 2017 and is likely a preview of things to come once the Longhorns join the SEC in 2025.

"Pretty cool to think this is the 79th time these two schools have met" said first-year Texas coach Steve Sarkisian, who won his debut at home last Saturday against Louisiana-Lafayette. "We are old Southwest Conference foes. We obviously have a great amount of respect for Arkansas. They play hard, they are physical and they are tough. We know it's going to be a hostile environment."

Sarkisian has seen first-hand the atmosphere in Fayetteville as an assistant coach at Alabama. But even that likely won't prepare him for the greeting he will receive when he trots onto the field in front of what likely will be the largest crowd in the history of Donald W. Reynolds Razorback Stadium.

Texas running back Bijan Robinson gives Sarkisian confidence. Robinson ran for 104 yards on 20 carries and scored a rushing and receiving touchdown in the 38-18 win last week.

Arkansas (1-0) is coming off a 38-17 home win against former SWC foe Rice. The Razorbacks trailed 17-7 at one point in the game before scoring 31 straight points keyed by two interceptions from safety Jalon Catalon that set up two short touchdowns.

## ON TARGET

Two Arkansas linebackers were ejected from last week's game for targeting. All-America linebacker Grant Morgan played just a handful of snaps before he was tossed after a hit on Rice quarterback Wiley Green in the first quarter. Bumper Pool, the other starting linebacker, was ejected with a little over eight minutes left after a hit on a Rice receiver. Morgan will not have to sit out any of the Texas game, but Pool will miss the first half.

## NOT SO SPECIAL TEAMS

Against Rice, Arkansas fumbled the opening kick-off, had a punt blocked and shanked another punt. The blocked punt led to a Rice field goal.

"I think we have to simplify and make sure we all know what we're doing," coach Sam Pittman said. "We read the demeanor of the guy instead of making sure that we blocked him. They weren't trying to block the punt or anything, we just let a guy go. Certainly, we have to try and win special teams, and you talk about it all the time. You can't win games getting punts blocked."

## RIDGEWAY TO RETURN

Arkansas defensive tackle John Ridgeway, a transfer from Illinois State who had an appendectomy a week ago, is expected to play Saturday against Texas.

"He's looked great," Pittman said. "I'm not a doctor so I'm not sure how long it takes to come back from that surgery, but I do know that we were anticipat-

## Berhalter swaps 5 starters for WCup qualifier vs Honduras

SAN PEDRO SULA, Honduras — Forward Ricardo Pepi was given his U.S. national team debut as under-pressure coach Gregg Berhalter changed five starters for Wednesday night's World Cup qualifier at Honduras.

Defenders George Bello, Mark McKenzie and James Sands also were inserted into the lineup along with forward Josh Sargent.

They joined captain Christian Pulisic and midfielders Tyler Adams and Kellyn Acosta in what appeared to be a 3-5-2 formation.

The U.S. was coming off an opening 0-0 draw at El Salvador and a 1-1 tie against Canada at Nashville, Tennessee.

Pepi, Bello, McKenzie and Sands were making their World Cup qualifying debuts.

Honduras coach Fabian Corio changed eight starters after switching nine in the previous match, a 0-0 tie at El Salvador, keeping only goalkeeper Luis López and forwards Anthony Lozano and Jonathan Toro.

He restored the back four from the opening 1-1 draw at Canada: Andy Najar, Maynor Figueroa, Marcelo Pereira and Diego Rodríguez.

Also new were midfielders Kervin Arriaga, Carlos Pineda and Deybi Flores, and forward Bryan Moya.

ing two weeks and it's going to be one week. He's a tough guy and doesn't seem to be having any pain from it at all after practice."

## SARK HIGH ON CARD

Sarkisian was pleased with Hudson Card's performance in his first start. Card completed 14 of 21 passes for 224 yards and two touchdowns and also ran for a score in the opener against Louisiana-Lafayette after winning the starting quarterback battle with Casey Thompson.

Sarkisian said he thinks Card will be able to handle his first road game on Saturday.

"His personality — he's just an even-keel demeanor guy," Sarkisian said. "This will be another new for him. I can't predict the future, but we're going to do everything we can to have him ready."

## STRENGTH vs. STRENGTH

Arkansas' Trelon Smith rushed for 102 yards on 22 carries and scored a touchdown against Rice. He might find the going tough against a Texas defense that held the Ragin' Cajuns to 76 yards rushing.



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