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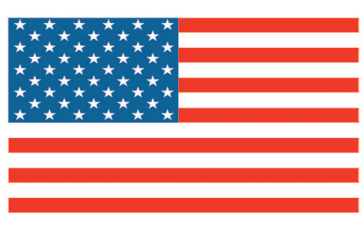
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## Scenic Mountain Medical Group Pediatrics revamping sick visits

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor

As Howard County continues to navigate through a pandemic, local providers are making adjustments to better serve their patients. Scenic Mountain Medical Group Pediatrics office is taking proactive steps and realigning their visits into sick and well-check locations.

"We take pride and great concern in providing care for you and your family. We appreciate families trusting us with the care of their children and want to ensure the community that we are being proactive when it comes to keeping the youth healthy and safe," Mitzi Knight, Business Development for SMMC said.

According to Dr. Joseph Chavez, pediatric provider at Scenic Mountain Medical Group, there has been a recent surge of Covid-19, strep and RSV

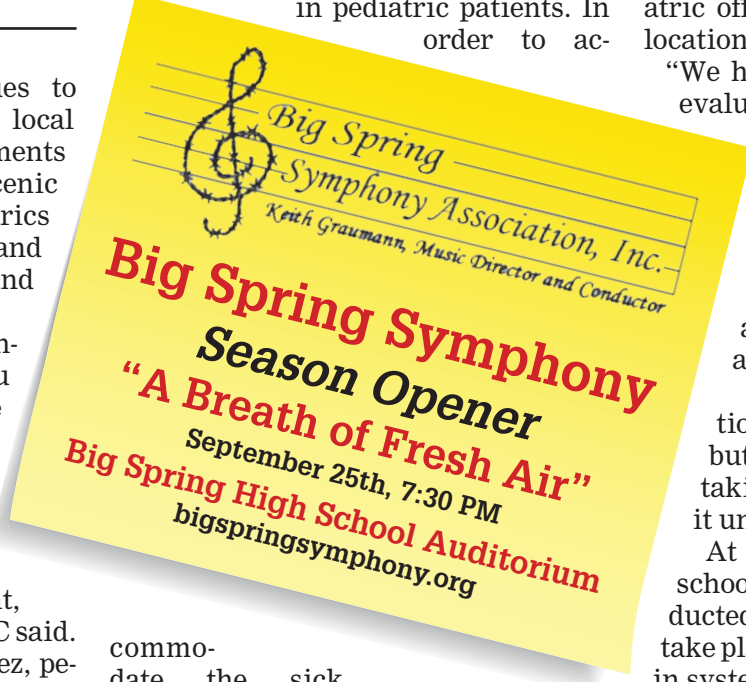
in pediatric patients. In order to ac-

atric office has been divided into two locations.

"We had to take a step back and re-evaluate the regular flow of appointments as we strive to keep a safe environment for families to be seen," Knight said. "We have come up with a system to separate our well children from our sick visits and are limiting exposure as much as we can."

Knight continued, "The relocation of sick visits is temporary, but is a must right now as we are taking every effort possible to limit unnecessary exposure."

At this time, all well visits and school/sports physicals will be conducted in Suite 205. Sick visits will take place downstairs. The new check-in system will be as follows: upon



commodate the sick visits and maintain a safe environment for well-visits, the pedi-

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### Announcements

**Bikes Across Big Spring**  
 Sept. 25  
 Begins at Hangar 25 to benefit DAV Chapter 47

**Big Spring Symphony Orchestra**  
 "A Breath of Fresh Air"  
 Sept. 25 7:30 p.m.  
 Big Spring High School Auditorium  
 Visit [www.bigspringsymphony.org](http://www.bigspringsymphony.org) for info & tickets

**Forsan Homecoming parade at 4:15 p.m.**

**Coahoma Lions Club Trade Days**  
 Saturday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Community vaccine clinic, Sept. 23**  
 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.  
 Howard College- East Room

## Sands CISD announces Homecoming Court



*Courtesy photo*  
 From left to right, Senior Lakyn Sandlin, Junior Elysa Martinez, Sophomore Haiden Wiley, and Freshman Madison Hataway. Sands Mustangs homecoming game is next Friday on October 1. The Mustangs will be facing off against Southland. The queen will be crowned before the game at 7 p.m.

## Bikes Across Big Spring returns in support of DAV Chapter 47

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
 Managing Editor

The weather is nice, the cause is good; there's no better time than the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Bikes Across Big Spring to load up on the bike and head out on the open road. Bikes Across Big Spring - 3<sup>rd</sup> annual bike run - is presented by Star CDJR in an effort to raise awareness and promote safety when it comes to motorcycles. Registration this year will take place from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. at Hangar 25 Air Museum, on Sept. 25. Those taking part will have three hours to complete the course, from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. This year the proceeds from the event will be benefitting the DAV Chapter 47 in Big Spring. "Motorcycle safety is an area that we want to bring focus to. In recent years there seem to be more and more motorcycle ac-



**Bikes Across Big Spring will be taking place Saturday, with registration opening at 1 p.m. and closing at 3 p.m. The ride will begin at Hangar 25 Air Museum. The ride will conclude at 6 p.m. at Crossroads.**

idents, and Star Dodge wants to raise awareness in the community, whether you are driving a vehicle with four wheels or two wheels underneath you; it's important to be vigilant for other drivers and exert caution every time you hit the open road," Tabitha

Clark, Public Relations Director for Star CDJR, said. Those wanting to take part in the third annual bike run have two hours to get registered and at 3 p.m. riders and drivers will head out, make seven stops

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## Covid-19 updates

Shannon Clinic Big Spring Drive-thru flu & Covid clinic Oct. 1 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Scenic Mountain Medical Center will be hosting vaccine clinics soon. More information can be found by visiting [www.scenic-mountainmedical.org](http://www.scenic-mountainmedical.org)

Outpatient COVID testing in Big Spring

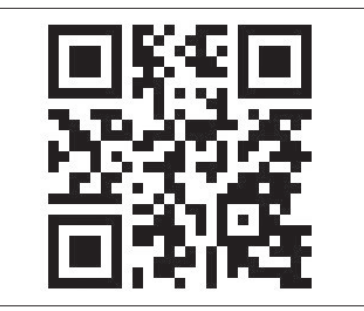
West Texas Injury Prevention/Back in Motion 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Friday Flu shots also available No appointment needed 432-264-1920

Gregg Street Clinic 2301 South Gregg St Big Spring, Texas 79720 Clinic Hours: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday - Friday

910 S Main St Big Spring, TX 79720 Clinic Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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## Obituaries

### Darrell Yancey



Darrell Yancey, 83, of Coahoma, died Tuesday, Sept. 21, 2021. Graveside service will be at 4 p.m. Friday at Coahoma Cemetery.

Darrell was born April 15, 1958, in Mitchell County to Elton Raymond Yancey and Eddie Adell Davies. He married Susie Stevens 65 years ago.

He loved to fish and was a musician. He could play any stringed instrument. He taught himself to

play guitar. Lefty Frizzell, Bob Wills and the West Texas Cowboys, Willie Nelson, and Roy Orbison were among some of the names he played with. Darrell had an automotive shop working on foreign cars brought in by the airmen. Then he went

to work at Duncan Drilling for 40 years

He loved his family and his grandchildren. He bought his kids, grandkids, and great grandkids guitars, hoping they would learn to play.

Darrell is survived by his wife, Susie Yancey of Coahoma; one son, Darrell W. Yancey and wife, Cheryl, of Okla.; three daughters, Sissy Franklin and husband, Odys, of Coahoma, Tammy Griffith of Coahoma, and Mitzi Hicks and husband, Dustin, of Ark.; one sister, Clea Satterwhite of Big Spring; 11 grandkids; and six great-grandkids.

In addition to Darrell's parents, Elton and Eddie Yancey, he is preceded in death by his son, Duffy Yancey; and sister, Verna Turner.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral. Pay your respects online at [www.myersandsmith.com](http://www.myersandsmith.com)

*Paid Obituary*

### Porfirio "Porky" Aguirre

Porfirio "Porky" Aguirre, 63, of Big Spring, died Sept. 16, 2021, in Lamesa. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Saturday with family receiving friends from 3 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Potluck service will be 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Sunday at Comanche Trail Park pavilion next to Kid Zone. If you have any questions, PM Naomi Bogard on Facebook.

Porfirio was born Sept. 14, 1958, in Stanton to Alberto Aguirre and Susanna Ontiveros.

Porfirio could repair TVs. He loved being outdoors and traveling. He was a content, very outgoing, and sweet man. He was a type of man that always cheered someone up no matter what they

were going through. He always tried to find the humor in everything. He loved both of his kids very much. And Naomi is grateful for having him as a father, she will cherish all the memories they shared together. He will be missed by many.

Porfirio is survived by a daughter, Naomi Bogard and husband, Aaron, of Big Spring; a son, Eric Aguirre (Jennifer James) of Big Spring; four grandchildren, Elias, Emily, Aurora, and Mercedes; two great-grandchildren, Audrianna and Robert Lujan III; three brothers, Johnny Aguirre, Albert Aguirre Jr. (Naomi) and Louis Aguirre (Juanita); and seven sisters.

Porfirio is preceded in death by his parents, Alberto Aguirre and Susanna Ontiveros.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at [www.myersandsmith.com](http://www.myersandsmith.com)

*Paid Obituary*

### Ricki Carson

Ricki Carson, 33, of Big Spring, died Sept. 22, 2021. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund as been established at Myers & Smith Funeral Home to assist the family with expenses.

## Support Groups

#### FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

#### SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

#### SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

#### MONDAY

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

#### TUESDAY

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

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

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

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

#### WEDNESDAY

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

## Sheriff

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

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 100 inmates at the time of this report.

• **JAMES WESLEY BAILEY**, 54, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of aggravated assault with deadly weapon.

• **DALTON RAY BRADBURY**, 25, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of order of community supervision.

• **KAMERON RAY COKER**, 18, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid (DWLI) and failure to appear.

• **TAMMY KAY COKER**, 44, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **EMMANUEL COLUNGA**, 34, was arrested by DPS on a charge of driving while license invalid with previous conviction/suspension.

• **ADAM MARTINEZ ESTRADA JR.**, 26, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of assault causes bodily injury.

• **LAURA LEUNA EVANS**, 42, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of assault family violence.

• **TAMMY GIBSON**, 59, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **LANCE WAYNE BIDDLE LAND**, 32, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of criminal trespass.

• **AKKEY MCVAE**, 23, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750.

• **JASPER MOORE**, 40, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of unauthorized use of vehicle and possession of controlled substance less than 28 grams.

• **ALFREDO SALCEDO**, 46, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

• **KELLEN EUGENE WRIGHT**, 40, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of injury child/elderly/disabled with intent.

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1400 block of S. Moss Lake Road. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the 1900 block of S. Birdwell Lane. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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

• **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported in the area of County Road 846. No transport was required.

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

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## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **JAMES WESLEY BAILEY**, 54, of 1910 S. Runnels Street, was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault with deadly weapon.

• **JASPER TERRELL MOORE**, 40, of 8751 Roush Road, was arrested on a charge of unauthorized use motor vehicle and possession of controlled substance less than 28 grams.

• **KAMERON RAY COKER**, 18, of 624 Caylor Drive, was arrested on a charge of burglary of habitation.

• **AKKEY THAQUION MCVAE**, 23, of 806 Ohio Street, was arrested on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750.

• **TAMMY EYVONNE GIBSON**,

59, of 538 Westover, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

• **TAMMY LOCKHART COKER**, 44, transient, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

• **ALFREDO LOPEZ SALCEDO**, 46, of Spain, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

• **UNWANTED SUBJECT** was reported in the 1300 block of Ridgeroad Drive; 700 block of E. 13<sup>th</sup> Street; 500 block of Westover Road; 1000 block of N. San Antonio Street.

• **THEFT** was reported in the area of 1200 block of Gregg.

• **SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY** was reported in the area of 11<sup>th</sup> and Scurry; 1400 block of S. Nolan Street.



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# Howard County Fair Creative Arts results

The winners of several creative arts categories at the Howard County Fair were released:

**Hobbies & Crafts (Adults)**  
**Division 1: Christmas Crafts**  
1st- Deanna Foresyth, Judy Yank  
2nd-Suzanne Markwell, Deanna Foresyth

**Division 2: Holiday Crafts**  
2nd-Deanna Foresyth  
3rd-Deanna Foresyth

**Division 3: Dolls**  
2nd- Deanna Foresyth

**Division 4: Framed & Hanging crafts**  
1st-Suzanne Markwell (Grand Champion)Deanna Foresyth (Reserve Champion), Lois Ellison  
2nd-Deanna Foresyth

**Division 6: Miscellaneous Hand Crafts**  
1st- Maggie Moron, Stephanie & Craig Ferguson, Tex Irvin, Shelbi Cervantes, Sam Bryans  
2nd-Maggie Moron, Frankie Conklin, Deanna Foresyth  
3rd-Deanna Foresyth, Suzanne Markwell, Jana Porter

**Division 8: Non-professional jewelry**  
2nd-Deanna Foresyth  
3rd-Deanna Foresyth

**Division 9: Kiln products**  
1st- Frankie Conklin

**Division 10: Wood crafts**  
1st- Maggie Moron (Grand Champion), Rick Robles (Reserve Champion), Angelita Robles  
2nd-Ascencio Robles

**Division 12: Wreaths and Baskets**  
1st- Jana Porter (Grand Champion), Karen Broussard  
2nd- Jana Porter

**Scrapbook Pages**  
3rd-Deanna Foresyth

**Crafts by Kids:**  
1st- Sebastian Forrester  
2nd-Catti-brie Wheeler, Seth Forrester

**Handwork and Needle Work**  
**Division 1: Afghans**  
2nd-Debra Franklin, Kaci Allen  
3rd-Kaci Allen

**Division 2: Pillowcases**  
1st-Lois Ellison, Debra Franklin  
2nd-Debra Franklin  
3rd-Debra Franklin

**Division 3: Tea towels**  
1st- Kaci Allen  
2nd-Lois Ellison

**Division 6: Potholders**

1st- Lois Ellison, Kathy Daniels  
2nd-Lois Ellison, Debra Franklin

**Division 7: Quilts**  
1st - Lois Ellison (Grand Champion), Judy Collins(Reserve Champion), Shonda Folsom, Cheryl Cline, Karen Broussard  
2nd-Shonda Folsom, Kaci Allen

**Division 9: Miscellaneous hand-work**  
1st- Lois Ellison, Karen Broussard  
2nd- Kandis Wilkinson, Judy Yanke

**Division 10: Baby accessories**  
1st- Kathy Daniels

**Division 11: Crocheted or knitted wearing apparel**  
1st- Suzanne Markwell (Grand Champion),Karen Broussard  
2nd-Suzanne Markwell

**Division 14: Wall hangings**  
1st- Debra Franklin

**Sewing - clothing**  
1st- Kathy Daniels  
**Candlesticks & Candleholders**  
1st - Deanna Foresyth (Grand Champion), Stephanie Ferguson, Suzanne Markwell

2nd- Stephanie Ferguson, Deanna Ferosyth, Suzanne Markwell

**Canned Goods Results 2021**  
**Class 2-Canned Vegetables**  
1st-Hunter Allen, Jackson Allen

**Class 3 Pickles and Relishes**  
1st-Howard County 4H (Grand Champion),Melissa Sanchez  
2nd- Howard County 4H

**Class 4 Jams, Jellies, Preserves**  
1st- Melissa Sanchez (Grand Champion), Jackie Allen, Kennedy Allen  
Dan Hendrickson

**Class 6-Juice/Syrup**  
1st- Stephanie Ferguson

**Class 8-Salsa/Hot Sauces**  
1st-Melissa Sanchez

## MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Terry Watkins, 54, died Tuesday. Funeral Service 10 AM Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial Trinity Memorial Park

Mario Cevallos, Jr., 67, died Monday. Funeral Service 1 PM Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Darrell Yancey, 83, died Tuesday. No Visitation. Graveside service at 4 PM Friday at Coahoma Cemetery

Cynthia Johnson, 53, died Thursday. Visitation 9 AM until 9 PM Friday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Family receiving friends from 7 PM until 9 PM. Funeral Service 10 AM Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial at Mt. Olive.

Edward "Eddy" Yanez III, 45, died Wednesday. Visitation 9 AM until 9 PM Sunday, family receiving friends at 7 PM. Funeral Service 10 AM

Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Rosa M. Flores, 76, died Wednesday. Visitation 9 AM until 9 PM Monday, Vigil service 7 PM Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Mass 10 AM Tuesday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Burial at Mount Olive.

Jimmie McCain, 63, died Wednesday. (MASK REQUIRED) Visitation Sunday 9 AM until 9 PM at Myers & Smith, family receiving friends from 2:00 PM until 3:30 PM. Funeral Service 2:00 PM Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Burial at Trinity (Family Only)

Kevin Maumau, 54, died Thursday. Visitation 10 AM until 11 AM Friday October 1 at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Funeral Service 11 AM Friday October 1 Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Burial at Trinity Memorial Park

Ricki Carson, 33, died Wednesday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home

## SICK

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Arrival patients will park in designated parking spaces marked 1-15, on the east side of the plaza, and stay in the car. Check in will take place over the phone; a staff member will come to the vehicle and obtain needed information before taking the patient inside. The patient will then be escorted into the sick visit office. "We are asking that all patients

and families wear a mask while speaking with the providers and staff, and while in the facility," she said. "The temporary sick visit clinic has been divided into private areas for the doctor to visit with patients and provide any tests that may be needed."

Knight continued, "The area we are using for the sick visits is a raw shell, but is clean and providing an area to see patients in a cool area and outside the elements of the outdoors, which is

hard on us all. The area may not be physically and aesthetically pleasing, but it is clean and sanitary. The area is cleaned after each patient and all precautions are being taken very seriously." To schedule a sick visit or well-check call, 432-268-4660.

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## BIKE

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and gather their cards to see who comes out on top and gathers the best hand.

"Motorcycle safety isn't something that just affects those riding a motorcycle. This is an issue, we as a community need to come together on. Being aware of motorcycles around you on the road is important, it's important to the riders, to their families and to you and your family," Clark said. "The community has come together the last two years, with an amazing turnout in more than 150 riders last year, and we are hoping to do it again in hopes of raising awareness for an issue that too often goes overlooked, while raising funds to support our local veterans."

The bike run will take participants across Howard County, highlight local businesses and local tourist attractions and historical aspects of the community. Through generous donations from local business owners, a couple of the destination spots will include Hangar 25 Air Museum, the Vietnam Memorial and the Historic Spring inside Comanche Trail Park. A few local eateries - Dickey's Barbecue Pit and Red Mesa - have also jumped on board and are supporting the cause to raise awareness. The 7 stops will be outlined on the map provided at registration the day of the event. The ride will begin at Hangar 25 and conclude at Crossroads Saloon.

"We understand not everyone who wants to take part and join this effort rides a motorcycle, but that doesn't mean they can't help support the cause," she said. "We will be accepting donations for those not wanting to ride, with all proceeds benefitting our local veterans. Not only is this a great reason to ride, but it's a ride that's worthwhile for a good cause. It allows an opportunity to give back to those who allow for the freedom to get out on our bikes and ride for fun."

The local DAV Chapter 47 offers support services to local veterans in the form of rent assistance, utility assistance, holiday meals for veterans in the domiciliary and other support services. The local chapter also hosts the September 11 Memorial at the Plaza for the last 15 years, as well as the Dove Hunt weekend and closing ceremony for the past eight years. One of the annual fundraisers - Forget

Me Nots - has not been able to take place the past two years due to the pandemic.

"Not only can the community come together and enjoy a nice ride through Howard County, play a little game, but they can also enjoy some great food from our local food trucks," she said. Participants will have three hours to hit all seven locations, and upon registration will have an opportunity to purchase a wild card to help their hand. All riders will need to be back in at Crossroads Saloon by 6 p.m. in order to turn in their collected cards. Prizes will be awarded for First through Third Place. During the event there will be other opportunities to donate to the DAV Chapter 47.

"This is the third year for this event and we are expecting even bigger and better than last year, and we already have plans to make this event even bigger next year. We hope the community will come out and join us and find out how they can help out and raise awareness," Clark said.

Amanda Duforat is the managing editor at the Big Spring Herald. To contact her, email editor@bigspringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.

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## 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 social gathering outside the church in the Courtyard & Bennett Garden. On Wednesdays we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m., and in the 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.

Facebook - Live Streaming

Every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., St. Mary's will be livestreaming their service on Facebook, website [www.facebook.com/StMarysBigSpring/](http://www.facebook.com/StMarysBigSpring/). What a great way to listen or participate in the service in the comforts of your home or wherever you may be at that time of day.

## 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.

## Cornerstone Covenant Church

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 and preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit-filled praise & worship on Sundays (onsite) 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Worship Service; and Wednesdays (onsite) 7 p.m. worship service.

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

Friday, Sept. 24- Join Chosen Generation Youth for Fire Night from 6 p.m.- 12 a.m. in the Youth Sanctuary! Come hungry for s'mores, be ready to compete in a cornhole tournament and bring a friend as we have so much more in store!

Sunday, September 26- Join us this Sunday at our onsite 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship service. We love seeing what happens in people's lives when they discover and experience God through the preached 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.

Sunday, Sept. 26 - If you have taken CCC Growth Track 101, 201 & 301 your next "Covenant Step" is Growth Track 401. This is our fourth track that will equip you with the tools and knowledge to start serving others in our church and community. Think of our CCC Growth Track 401 as the official Serving Team Growth Track at our church.

Here we will jump into our basic introduction of the TEAM BUILDING for your "Accumulation & Assimilation" to serving on our Dream Team with other members of the Family of God.

We have 4 Course Objectives:

1. Learn the 4 Benefits of serving alongside others at Cornerstone Covenant Church.
2. Discover all the areas where you can serve.
3. Receive specific steps to joining a team.
4. Learn the "8" Expectations of the culture of our church.

Here is how you can get registered:

- 1). CCC Front Office 432-264-0015
- 2). CCC Text ONLY 432-218-2610

Sunday, September 26th- We welcome all adult singles to Complete Singles at 5:30PM in the ARC. Join us as we are in a 6 week bible study called U-Turns: Reversing the Consequences in your Life by Dr. Tony Evans.

Tuesday, Sept. 28 at 6:30 p.m. or Wednesday, Sept. 29 at 5:30 p.m. - Marriage Enrichment will be meeting in the ARC. We are excited to offer the same class twice a week for your convenience. We ask that you pick a day that works for you both. 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). Sign up onsite @ kiosk.

Saturday, October 2nd- Join Men's 41 Prayer Breakfast at 7 a.m. in the ARC. We strive towards building a community of faithful men who are equipped to lead themselves and their families on

a closer walk with God. On our journey, we will learn what it means to be godly servant-leaders and challenge each other to pursue that life. Men of all ages are invited to join us for a great time of food, fun, fellowship and the Word of God.

Monday, Oct. 18- Join us for 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.

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

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## College Baptist Church

Jesus Christ is our Saviour 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 September 26, 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 Face Book 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.

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."

## 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.

Alabaster - Give up a want to meet a need. For over fifty years the Alabaster Offering has gone to help build churches, schools, and ministry centers around the world. On Sunday, September 26, we will receive an Alabaster Offering. Won't you consider giving up a want, maybe a daily one like soda or coffee, or others like going out to eat or forms of entertainment, and save that money to help meet needs around the world.

NazFamily Service Night - On Wednesday, September 22nd, we will put our love into action by serving our community together. We will host a pop-up food pantry, free car wash, and our children will be making cards for our healthcare workers and first responders. We will start serving at 6:30 p.m. Hope to see you there!

NazFamily Live - Our ministry staff gathers every Tuesday @ 12pm 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 four 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](mailto:church@NazFamily.org) for more

information or to sign up today!

## First Presbyterian Church, Big Spring

Worship services begin at 10:50 a.m. in the Sanctuary at 8th and Runnels. Lectionary passages for the Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost are: Psalm 19:7-14; Numbers 11:24-29; Mark 9:38-50; James 5:13-20. Rev. Allen Cross will lead the worship service. The sermon topic is "Where All are Served" Organist/music director Gabe Martinez provides music for the service.

Sunday School begins at 9:45. Rev. Cross is teaching the Children's Class. Tom Koger leads the Youth Class. The Discovery Class begins the study, Act Like Jesus, authored by Randy Frazee. Vicki Miller and Helen Glass are leading the study, which will continue through September.

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

TUESDAY

Presbyterian Women begin their 2021-2022 Bible Study on Tuesday, September 28 with a brunch at 11:00 a.m., followed by a business meeting and Bible study. 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

The Women's Bible Study and The History Lectures, moderated by Nancy Michaelis, are suspended through October 20.

The Lectionary Bible Study, which meets at 5:00 p.m., will not be moderated this week in the pastor's absence.

THURSDAY

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

The Session Meeting, originally scheduled for September 23, has been postponed until next Thursday, September 30, at 6:00 p.m. in the library.

DIGITAL OPPORTUNITIES

WEBSITE: [fpcbigspring.com](http://fpcbigspring.com)

Church Calendar

Daily Prayer Podcast (Monday-Saturday)

Video Devotional (Wednesdays)

Video Preview of this week's bulletin (Fridays)

Sunday Sermon Podcast

Facebook Page: FPC of Big Spring

YouTube Channel: FPC of Big Spring

Sunday Sermon Podcast

Anyone who is not attending worship physically may hear the service on KBST 1490 AM at 11:00 a.m. as usual or online at [www.fpcbigspring.com](http://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 Runnels, the mailing address is P. O. Box 2222, Big Spring, Texas 79721.

## Alive in Christ Lutheran Church LCMS

Sept. 26, 2021 "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](mailto: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 Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29, James 5:(1-12) 13-20, and Mark 9: 38-50. The psalm is Psalm 104:27-35.

Our Wednesday Evening Bible Study is back. A meal is served at 5:30 and our bible study begins at 6:00. 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

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“And I said, Oh that I had wings like a dove! for then would I fly away, and be at rest.” Psalm 55:6

As I sit here, resting and musing, this thought came to me: is there no place of total rest? Is there no place where I am carried, instead of me carrying myself?

Oh, I am not talking about being lazy and just letting everyone else do the work. I am talking about God.

I am talking about His loving arms around me. I am talking about a place where grace really and truly does work; a place where there is absolutely no condemnation; just love, acceptance, and well, yes, total peace.

And where would that place be? Where can I find a place where I am totally and 100% accepted? Organic; just me being me; not having to carry any burdens, because I am weary and tired.

Have we lost touch with the gospel? Is there no place at all in this world where nothing is about my sin, and everything about Jesus?

Is there no place where God's love replaces religious politics? Does God really ask me to live by all of the religious rules and regulations I hear preached in our pulpits? I have

been doing so much religious stuff for so long, that I have lost count.

And yet, for all the labour and effort that I have invested in these things, I don't see that they afford me any more peace now than when I started.

I am tired of the religious circus. Religious politics have worn me out. I am exhausted from the labour and toil that the deeds of the Law have extracted from me. I now know that I cannot afford to purchase a single one of God's blessings by my own "faithfulness" or "moral purity". I am sick of religion. I need something more powerful, secure, eternal and comforting than my own "good works".

I think that I have found the answer, far, far from religion, and His name is Jesus.

I am comforted as I am reminded of Jesus words when He said - I will have mercy and not sacrifice. I am strengthened when I hear Him tell the woman caught in adultery - neither do I condemn you. I find rest in His words when He says - whoever comes to me,

I will in no wise cast out. Jesus' words are words of peace when He says: "come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest".

Jesus is my quiet place, and His love, mercy and grace, give me wings like a dove, so that I can fly away and be at rest.



TOM SLOAN

## RELIGION

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every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

### 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.

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/> YOUTH of Life will meet on Wednesdays from 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. on the Life Church Campus.

For more information about YOUTH of Life follow their Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/youthofLifeChurch>

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](http://www.golifechurch.net) or <https://www.facebook.com/bigspringlife>

### First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad. To contact the church office or Pastor Brian Michaelz, call 432-517-4821.

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, to find out more information about First Christian Church or to see the online service, join Facebook Group at [www.facebook.com/group/fccbigspring](https://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.

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## Week five High School who, when, and where

By **DUSTIN POPE**

Herald Sports Writer

It's that moment of the week, high school football fans. It's a game night, and once again, all of our local teams are in operation. After last week filled with long lightning delays and endless nights of football for some teams, let's hope that this Friday night will be different. It will be a magnificent night of football. It should be enjoyable to watch. As always I'll breakdown who is playing who and where so you can support your favorite local team.

We start off with the Big Spring Steers, who are now 3-1 following an extremely lengthy and frankly strange Friday night last week. I say strange because the lightning delay just seemed to hang around all night long. Eventually, the team from Brownfield forfeited the game and went home after only six minutes of football action. I know the players and coaches are ready to get back on the field after a bye week. This week the Steers will face the Clint Lions. The Lions come into this matchup



sporting a 2-2 record on the season. Clint lost to the Monahan's Lobos in week one by a score of 49-17. Then in week two, they won against El Paso 39-26. Week three was another win when they played against Gadsden 26-6. Last week they lost their second game to Eldorado in a remarkably close match, 27-30. Clint brings an old-school style of football to the field. They are a run-heavy team and will lineup in the wishbone offense. Few people will the old-school wishbone, but Clint has got it down. It has been their base offense for many years now. They will try to manipulate the pace of play by controlling the clock and running the ball. They are happy getting four of five yards a carry and maintaining the ball a long time. It will be the Steers who will look to disrupt that style of play. It will take a remarkably disciplined game from the defense to stop the Clint attack. Now on the offensive side of the ball for the Steers, it will be back to business as usual. The high-powered attack will be in full force. QB Gabriel Baeza leads the Steer raid. Baeza has enjoyed an excellent year to this point. On the season, he has 919 yards passing with seven touchdowns in essentially three games so far. He's touched down in rushing yards with 230 yards on the season and six TD. Kaegen Mitchell has been his favorite target on the season as he

has 25 catches for 273 yards and three touchdowns. Eli Cobos has likewise had a great season; he has 15 catches for 235 yards and two touchdowns of his own. This should be an interesting game of styles of football. With the Steers looking to score quickly and relying more through the air, and Clint running the ball, it should be an outstanding game to watch. The game is this Friday, Sept. 24, at Memorial Stadium at 7 P.M.

Next up is maybe the hottest team in the area; it is your Forsan buffaloes. The Buffaloes sit at the #10 ranked team in the state for 2A Region 1. Forsan is 4-0 on the season and has been outstanding in every game. This week will be a homecoming for the mighty Buffs as they take on the Big Lake Reagan County Owls. The Owls bring in a record of 3-1 on the season. Big Lake took on Merkel in week one, which resulted in their only season loss by a final score of 24-15. They thus have reeled off three straight wins. The first win was a dominant victory over Iraan 67 to 0. They followed that up with a 14-12 win over Ozona. Last week they won again when they faced off against San Angelo TLCA by 40-14. So this Owls team comes into this game on a roll and playing with confidence. The Reagan County Owls look to have a comparatively balanced offense of run and pass. This will be a tough test for the Buffs, but believe me when I say these Buffaloes will be up to the test they will show up to play. QB Major Stockton leads the Buffs. Stockton is a true dual-threat quarterback. So far this season, he has 337 yards passing with three touchdowns. He also leads the team in rushing yards with 387 and a nine TD. The Buffaloes love to run the football, which is clear by the season numbers. As a team, they have 1105 yards on the year. Second on the team in rushing is the hard-nosed running back Chris Mendez, who has 328 yards on the season to go along with four TDs. While these two players get most of the attention, and for a good reason, none of this amazing running game would be possible without the offensive line doing their part. The O-Line has some nastiness to them, and they open up all the holes for these guys to run through. The defense has also been imposing this year. They play with grit and perseverance and cover the field very well. It has been a complete team effort to make this 4-0 start a reality and being ranked in the top ten in Texas is



a noteworthy achievement. This week will be Forsan's homecoming week. The game will be held at Rodger Hudgins Field in Forsan, and they set kickoff for 7:30 P.M.

The Coahoma Bulldogs are now 2-2 on the season as they waited out all the Lightning delays, which lasted about three hours. The Bulldog's patience paid off as they could unload the Colorado City Wolves by winning 26-12. It has been an up and down season for the Bulldogs. They will look to make it two wins in a row this week as they take on the Merkel Badgers. The Badgers are 2-2 on the season. Merkel opened up the season with a loss to the Reagan County Owls by a final score of 24-15. They then won against the Stanton's bulldogs 19-0. They have dropped two games in a row as they lost to Hawley 41-7, then to Early 48-13. The Bulldogs have shown flashes of what they can do on the field when they put it all together. They have a great QB in Billy Bailey, who has 497 yards passing on the season. The workhorse on this team is the running back, Brysen Kerby. He is one of the top players in all the District. Teams have to game plan on how to stop the phenomenal RB. So far this season, Kerby has carried the ball 94 times for 621 yards, with five touchdowns. Isaiah Eleda has had a good year, as well as he has 17 carries for 239 yards and four touchdowns. The Bulldog's offense is very explosive as they run the ball with power and break one for a long run in the game. This will be a perfect game as both teams come in with the same record and will look to get on the right track. The game will be held in Merkel, and they set kickoff for 7 P.M.



This sets up to be an active night of Friday night football for our local teams. Big Spring will look to make it 4-1 against a tough Clint team. Forsan will show the homecoming crowd as they face off against the Reagan County Owls. The Coahoma Bulldogs will be on the road this week to go to Merkel to take on the Badgers. This will be an epic night of football, no matter who you are cheering for. Please get out and show your encouragement for these local teams.

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

## Old SWC rivals Texas A&M-Arkansas game highlights SEC slate

By **PETE IACOBELLI**

AP Sports Writer

Here are things to watch in the Southeastern Conference in Week 3: **GAME OF THE WEEK**

No. 7 Texas A&M (3-0) plays No. 16 Arkansas (3-0) in Arlington, Texas. The matchup of former rivals in the Southwest Conference should go a long way into shaping the Southeastern Conference West Division in the league opener for both clubs. The Aggies have dominated the series with nine straight wins the past decade. They've won their past 11 games dating to last season and are seeking their first 4-0 start since 2016, when they won their first six games. It will be a step up in opponents for new quarterback starter Zach Calzada. The sophomore stepped in for injured passer Haynes King and began to find his game last week in a victory over New Mexico State as he threw for 275 yards, three touchdowns and an interception in the Aggies' win. Arkansas' pass defense comes in 12th in the country, giving up just 142 yards

a game in the team's best start in five years. Defensive end Tre Williams had four tackles in last week's 45-10 win over Georgia Southern, including two behind the line of scrimmage. These schools played each year from 1934-1991 as SWC opponents before Arkansas left for the SEC. Texas A&M joined them in the league in 2012.

**BEST MATCHUP**  
LSU will look to show its back on track when it opens SEC play at Mississippi State. Mike Leach's team topped the Tigers, then defending national champs, in a 44-34 victory in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, a year ago. LSU stumbled out of the gate this season with a loss at UCLA to fall out of the rankings. The Tigers have since their last two over McNeese State and Central Michigan by a combined score of 83-28. Quarterback Max Johnson threw for 372 yards and five touchdowns — just the fifth QB in program history to accomplish that. Mississippi State has allowed 243 yards a game through the air, 92nd in the country.

INSIDE THE NUMBERS

LSU leads the country with 17 sacks and 40 tackles for loss. Defensive end BJ Ojulari leads the team in both categories with 4 1/2 of each. ... Georgia's dominant defense finally gave up a touchdown this season after keeping Clemson and UAB out of the end zone. South Carolina led the Bulldogs victory. ... No. 1 Alabama continued its run of scoring 30 or more points. The streak grew to 29 in a row after a 31-29 win at No. 11 Florida last week. The Crimson Tide's stretch is the second-longest in major college football history, only behind UCF's

31 straight from 2017-19. ... When the Gators host Tennessee, it's a matchup of the country's second-best rushing attack (Florida is averaging 335 yards on the ground per game) against the nation's fifth-best at stopping the run (Tennessee has held opponents to 54.3 yards a game). ... Auburn runner Tank Bigsby has reached 100-plus yards rushing in all three games to lead the SEC. He's averaging 7.3 yards an attempt this season.

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Dated this the 13th day September, 2021.

*/s/Kathryn Wiseman*  
County Judge, Howard County  
Kathryn Wiseman

ATTEST:

*/s/Brent Zitterkopf*  
County Clerk, Howard County  
Brent Zitterkopf

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## Annie's Mailbox

### Fifty Years Unforgiven

**Dear Annie:** For close to 50 years, my friend "Chloe" and I have met for dinner once a week, and she always discusses her husband's past affair, which occurred over 50 years ago and lasted a year. They are still married and had a few children after the affair ended. She seems to refuse to believe he has told her "everything" and still asks him questions about it.

I empathize with her pain and repeatedly tell her that forgiveness is about her being happy again within herself and that it does not mean she condones her husband's past behavior. She has been very mean to him all these years and says hateful things to him, which distresses their daughters.

They have been to couples therapy a few times, but nothing has changed with her. I am at a loss to figure out why she keeps this up after all these years. I need some understanding of why she repeatedly expresses hate for her husband but

continues to live with him. Does she need to be a victim? -- Concerned and Confused

**Dear CC:** You are a good friend with wise advice, and Chloe is lucky to have you on the receiving end of her weekly pity parties.

It sounds like Chloe is using a "victim mentality" to avoid dealing with deeper relationship problems. If she forgives her husband's infidelity, she'll have to assume some responsibility for the failures in her marriage. It's far easier to just lay the blame on him.

Still, it is clear she has some unresolved feelings of rejection. Fifty years is a long time to be carrying around so much anger, and she must be tired. Chloe has two options here: leave her husband, or forgive him.

If she chooses to forgive, remind her once more that forgiveness is not a stamp of approval for his actions; it is merely an acknowledgement that their marriage and their family are more important than a mistake he made 50 years ago.

**Dear Annie:** I have been with my partner for 10 years. While he was going through his divorce, his mother lived with us. At the time, she had nothing nice to say about his ex-wife. She acted like seeing her was a chore when one of the children graduated high school (I was not allowed to attend the graduation).

Since then, the children he shares with his ex have grown up and they are on their own. The older child now has children of her own. My issue is that his mother stays with the ex when she comes into town and still sends her presents.

Now, if my partner had been mean to the ex, or if the kids were still young and at home, I could understand. But that isn't the case. The ex also hosts parties for the grandchildren, and we are never allowed to attend them.

Can you please help me understand why his mother still has this friendship with the ex? Again, during the divorce, she had nothing nice to say about the ex at all. She told me how abusive she was to him. -- Fed Up

**Dear Fed Up:** It sounds like your partner's mother felt defensive of her son during his divorce and likely hurt and disappointed herself. Still, no matter how much water is under the bridge, your partner's ex is and will always be the mother of her grandchildren.

The relationship the two of them choose to have doesn't concern you. Instead, work to foster the bond you have with your partner's mother (and with his children and their children). After a decade together, that should take priority -- not scrutinizing what friendship his mother may or may not have with the old flame. Don't see their closeness as competition: You'll only end up losing.

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10:AM	The View	Como dice el dicho	The Heal	The Price Is Right	La casa De' siones	Today-Hoda	Master Words of Nature	Go Luna	Drew Barrymore	Maury	Broke Girl	NCIS: New Orleans				Chicago P.D.	Cold Case Files	Gold Rush
11:AM	Jeopardy	Noticiero	Tamron Hall	Young & Restless	Más sabe Noticias	The Dr. Oz Show	Cowgirl Dr. Wil	Nature	Xavier	The Doctors	Friends	NCIS: New Orleans	SportsCenter	First Take		Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush
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1:PM	General Hospital	La madrastra	The People's Court	The Talk	En casa con	Blast	Heritage Church	Cyber	The First 48	Paid Prg.	Friends	Movie: 300, David Wenham (DVS)	MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Cubs.	This Just In		Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush
2:PM	Rachael Ray	Amor eterno	Judge Mathis	Let's Make a Deal	(1:58) Suelta la sopa	Neck Pain	Light of Southwest	Pink	Monk	Jerry	Friends		NBA: The Jump	Sports Inside	Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush	
3:PM	Jdg Judy	El gordo y la flaca	The List Mom	Kelly Clarkson	(2:58) Al rojo vivo	Dr. Phil	Light of Southwest	Curious	Chicago Fire	Divorce	Friends	Movie: Star Wars: A New Hope (DVS)	Around	Football	Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush	
4:PM	You Bet Jeopardy!	Primer impacto	Broke Girl Mod Fam	CBS 7 News	En casa con	News Inside Ed.	Cowboy Israel	Curious	25 Words Show	Steve Wilkos	Friends		UFC Live	Texas Insider	Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush	
5:PM	Big 2 ABC	Noticiero	FamFeud	CBS 7 Noticias	Tele	News	The Creation	Molly Hero	King	Burgers	American		SportsCenter	Wager Max	Chicago P.D.	The First 48	Gold Rush	
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ANSWER: AUTUMN

**What's the Difference?**

There are four differences between Picture A and Picture B. Can you find them all?



Answers: 1. Extra pumpkin in front right 2. Wagon wheel center facing left 3. Pumpkin has a face 4. Sunflower in wagon with pumpkins

**THIS DAY IN... HISTORY**

- 1789: THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES POSTMASTER GENERAL IS ESTABLISHED.
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- 1991: THE DEAD SEA SCROLLS ARE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC FOR THE FIRST TIME.

**Contract Bridge**

By Steve Becker

**Bidding quiz**

You are South and the bidding has gone:

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	1♠	Pass
2♦	Pass	3♠	Pass

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

- ♠Q3 ♥AKJ53 ♦A1074 ♣95
- ♠Q84 ♥AQJ73 ♦AKJ6 ♣10
- ♠— ♥KQ962 ♦AJ103 ♣KJ94
- ♠KQ ♥KQJ94 ♦KJ75 ♣K9

1. **Four spades.** You seldom raise partner with only two trumps, but you don't have much choice in this case. Partner's jump-rebid of three spades is highly invitational and shows at least a six-card spade suit, for which the Q-x is adequate support. It would be wrong to rebid your hearts and suppress your spade support; and it would be positively unthinkable to bid three notrump without a club stopper.

2. **Four notrump.** Up to this point you have shown no more than a minimum opening bid, and it's now time for you to make a move towards slam. Unless partner has no aces, you should have a good play for 12 tricks. Partner could have, say, ♠AJ10xxx ♥xx ♦Qx ♣Axx, in which case you'd surely want to be in slam. But if he has ♠KJ10xxx ♥xx ♦Qx ♣KQx, you wouldn't. The only way to resolve this issue is via Blackwood, planning to bid six if partner has one or two aces, and to stop in five if he has none.

3. **Three notrump.** This violates the general principal that you should not bid notrump with a void in partner's suit, but the alternative bid of four clubs is even more unattractive. Partner is unlikely to have four clubs, and even if he does, three notrump might still turn out to be the best contract.

4. **Four spades.** Because of your high point count and K-Q of spades, it is natural to think of slam, but partner should not have three aces and long spades and bid this way if three spades is not 100% forcing. Partner could have ♠AJ10xxx ♥xx ♦xx ♣AQx, in which case you wouldn't want to be any higher than four.

Tomorrow: Never say die.  
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**How they SAY that in...**

**ENGLISH:** Autumn  
**SPANISH:** Otoño  
**ITALIAN:** Autunno  
**FRENCH:** Automne  
**GERMAN:** Herbst

**Did you know?**

WHEN COOLER WEATHER ARRIVES, TREE LEAVES REDUCE THE PRODUCTION OF CHLOROPHYLL, WHICH GIVES LEAVES THE GREEN COLOR. OTHER PIGMENTS IN THE LEAVES THEN START TO SHOW THROUGH.

**New Word**

**FOLIAGE**

plant leaves, collectively

**GET THE PICTURE?**

Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: GOURD

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# FEATURES

## Today in History

Today is Wednesday, Sept. 22, the 265th day of 2021. There are 100 days left in the year. Autumn arrives at 3:20 p.m. EDT.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 22, 2014, the United States and five Arab nations launched airstrikes against the Islamic State group in Syria, sending waves of planes and Tomahawk cruise missiles against an array of targets.

### On this date:

In 1761, Britain's King George III and his wife, Charlotte, were crowned in Westminster Abbey.

In 1776, during the Revolutionary War, Capt. Nathan Hale, 21, was hanged as a spy by the British in New York.

In 1862, President Abraham Lincoln issued the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, declaring all slaves in rebel

states should be free as of January 1, 1863.

In 1927, Gene Tunney successfully defended his heavyweight boxing title against Jack Dempsey in the famous "long-count" fight in Chicago.

In 1949, the Soviet Union exploded its first atomic bomb.

In 1950, Omar N. Bradley was promoted to the rank of five-star general, joining an elite group that included Dwight D. Eisenhower, Douglas MacArthur, George C. Marshall and Henry H. "Hap" Arnold.

In 1961, the Interstate Commerce Commission issued rules prohibiting racial discrimination on interstate buses.

In 1975, Sara Jane Moore attempted to shoot President Gerald R. Ford outside a San Francisco hotel, but missed.

In 1980, the Persian Gulf

conflict between Iran and Iraq erupted into full-scale war.

In 1993, 47 people were killed when an Amtrak passenger train fell off a bridge and crashed into Big Bayou Canot near Mobile, Alabama. (A tugboat pilot lost in fog pushed a barge into the railroad bridge, knocking the tracks 38 inches out of line just minutes before the train arrived.)

In 1995, an AWACS plane carrying U.S. and Canadian military personnel crashed on takeoff from Elmendorf Air Force Base near Anchorage, Alaska, killing all 24 people aboard.

In 2017, Sen. John McCain declared his opposition to the GOP's last-ditch effort to repeal and replace "Obamacare," the second time in three months McCain had emerged as the destroyer of his party's signature promise to voters.

Ten years ago: American diplomats led a walkout at the U.N. General Assembly as Iran's President Mahmoud

Ahmadinejad (ah-muh-DEE'-neh-zahd) fiercely attacked the United States and major West European nations as "arrogant powers" ruled by greed and eager for military adventurism. Pope Benedict XVI arrived in Germany on his first state visit to his homeland.

Five years ago: Prosecutors charged a white Oklahoma police officer with first-degree manslaughter less than a week after she killed an unarmed Black man on a city street, saying in court documents the officer "reacted unreasonably." (Betty Shelby was acquitted in May 2017 of manslaughter in the death of Terence Crutcher.) It was disclosed that computer hackers had swiped personal information from at least 500 million Yahoo accounts in what was believed to have been the biggest digital break-in at an email provider.

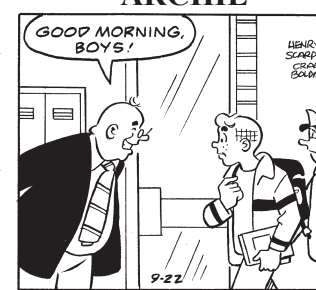
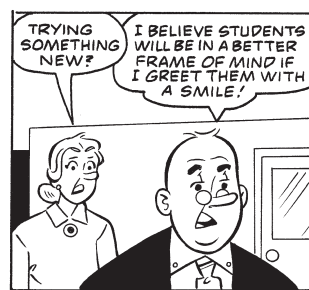
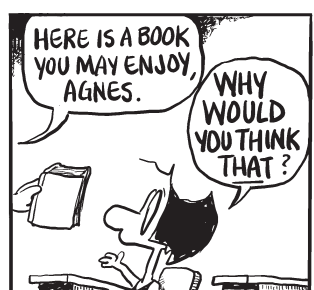
One year ago: U.S. deaths from the coronavirus topped 200,000, by far the highest confirmed death toll from the

virus in the world at that point, according to a count by Johns Hopkins University. The U.N. General Assembly convened for its first-ever virtual meeting, as Secretary-General Antonio Guterres urged nations to tackle the coronavirus and the "economic calamity" it had unleashed, as well as the risk of a new Cold War between the United States and China. A Louisiana state trooper, Chris Hollingsworth, died after a single-vehicle crash that took place hours after he learned he would be fired for his role in the 2019 in-custody death of a Black man, Ronald Greene, following a high-speed chase. Overriding the mayor's veto, Seattle's City Council voted to reduce the police budget and reallocate some money to community programs. Russian opposition leader Alexei Navalny was released from a Berlin hospital after more than a month's treatment for poisoning. (Navalny would be arrested and jailed upon his return to Russia.)

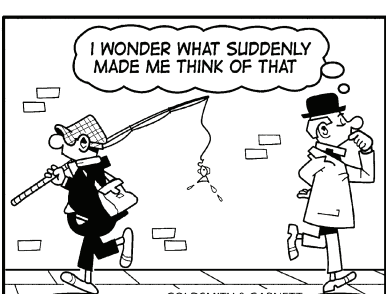
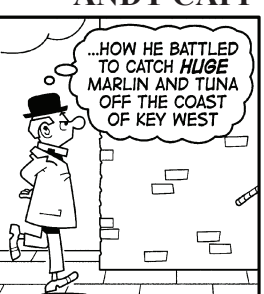
choreographer/singer Toni Basil is 78. Actor Paul Le Mat is 76. Musician King Sunny Adé (ah-DAY) is 75. Capt. Mark Phillips is 73. Rock singer David Coverdale (Deep Purple, Whitesnake) is 70. Actor Shari Belafonte is 67. Singer Debby Boone is 65. Country singer June Forester (The Forester Sisters) is 65. Singer Nick Cave is 64. Rock singer Johnette Napolitano is 64. Actor Lynn Herring is 64. Classical crossover singer Andrea Bocelli (an-DRAY'-ah boh-CHEL'-ee) is 63. Singer-musician Joan Jett is 63. Actor Scott Baio is 61. Actor Catherine Oxenberg is 60. Actor Bonnie Hunt is 60. Actor Rob Stone is 59. Actor Dan Bucatinsky (TV: "24: Legacy") is 56. Musician Matt Sharp is 52. Rock musician Dave Hernandez is 51. Rapper Mystikal is 51. R&B singer Big Rube (Society of Soul) is 50. Actor James Hillier (TV: "The Crown") is 48. Actor Mireille Enos is 46. Actor Daniella Alonso is 43. Actor Michael Graziadei (GRAHT'-zee-uh-day-ee) is 42. Actor Ashley Eckstein is 40. Actor Katie Lowes is 39.

Today's Birthdays: Dancer/

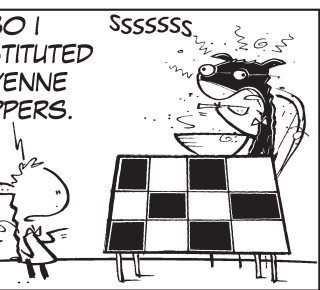
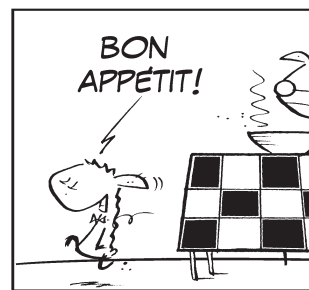
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## Horoscopes By Holiday

### WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

#### Autumnal Equinox

When the night and day divide in equal parts, it's that magical time of the year celebrated by cultures ancient and modern -- the autumnal equinox. The pagan name for the fall equinox celebration is Mabon. The Druids celebrate with Alban Elfed and other harvest festivals around across the globe in the weeks to come. Happy equinox!

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19). As you commit to seeing your situation and your role in it more clearly, you will discover who you are, what you want and what matters deeply to you.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20). The call is to action swift and sure. Once you have decided, follow through with the whole of you. Hesitate and you'll lose power. Wait and it will only get harder and harder to influence the situation.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). Today offers you a free ticket to a different perspective. All you have to do is be willing to check your own way of seeing things outside the door. You can pick it back up on the way out.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). Your psychic senses tingle today and you are especially aware of people who are in need. What they need and how you may help is harder to pinpoint. Or you could just ask!

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). Your values are different from those of another, but that does not have to be a relationship deterrent. The fact that you have values, know them and uphold them well is extremely attractive and an excellent thing to have in common.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). You already know the right thing to do in general, but the specifics hang you up. It feels like you're working harder than you need to. Look around for the person having an easier time of it and start asking questions.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). There's a distraction monkey on your shoulder ready to interrupt any task that doesn't promise instant gratification. If you're to achieve your goal, he must be ignored.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Know what you're getting into. Step back to see how things and people are connected. One move will have the sort of domino effect that people make videos about; an intricate spiral of collapsing pieces.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The outcome you desire will be achieved through persuasion. However, if your subject feels at all manipulated, the effect will be lost. Build attraction. It is the most powerful persuasion.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You're driven

by the spirit of cooperation. Your personal efforts revolve around organizing and supporting others. You create an orderly atmosphere around you so people can understand what to do and fall into line.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). When you see someone in need of assistance, you spring into action. Your movement will wake up the many people who don't notice too much outside of their own thoughts.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20). People do their own growing, often despite themselves. So while you can't make another person grow up, you can, and will, contribute to circumstances that favor growth.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (SEPT. 22). This solar return features unexpected twists, unexplainable luck and a revolving cast of characters to sparkle up your social life. A change in your work turns an obligation into an opportunity to learn and earn. You'll educate and celebrate others, building your legacy with each event. Scorpio and Sagittarius adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 5, 20, 40, 16 and 30.

**COSMIC QUESTION:** "What nonscreen-centered activity might my 4-year-old Virgo and 6-year-old Taurus enjoy doing together? I'm a stay-at-home mom who is running short on ideas and patience lately. My kids fight when they are bored. I have to constantly keep them busy if I don't want to listen to the bickering!"

One activity that earth sign children (Taurus, Virgo and Capricorn) enjoy especially well is making fairy houses. Go on a walk and gather up twigs, rocks, leaves, pine cones and other interesting bits of nature. Find a location that seems hospitable to a fairy and use the materials you collected to build a dwelling. It can be open and airy like a little nest, or covered. It can be as elaborate as the children want to make it. This activity engages the imagination and tunes in the senses to the wonders of nature that may normally go unnoticed. You don't have to live near a garden or forest either -- city fairies need houses, too! As for your children getting along, they will do much better together when they are in their teenage years. In fact, they will likely be so close that they will conspire to keep one another's secrets from you -- something to watch out for!

**CELEBRITY PROFILES:** Known as the "world's most beloved tenor," Andrea Bocelli has reached legendary career heights, including over 45 million records sold and numerous music industry awards to his name. Though certainly harmonious, this baby born on the cusp of Virgo and Libra is solidly a Virgo with the sun,

Mercury, Venus and Pluto are all in the hard-working sign. Moon in Capricorn shows relentless drive.

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## Newsday Crossword

## SOMETHING'S MISSING by Mark McClain

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Healthful resort
  - 4 Tennis star
  - 9 Rafael
  - 9 Took a photo of
  - 13 Fraction of a day
  - 15 Suspect's cover story
  - 16 Toy brick brand
  - 17 Interstellar region
  - 19 Deserve to receive
  - 20 Codes of conduct
  - 21 Helps do the dishes
  - 22 Incoming plane stat.
  - 23 First part of a two-part turn
  - 24 Burden
  - 27 Hard-to-escape predicament
  - 34 Annoying person
  - 35 Cylindrical sandwiches
  - 36 Smoked salmon
  - 37 Therefore
  - 38 Complains loudly
  - 39 Not quite a half-dozen
  - 40 Nest egg acronym
  - 41 Trumpets and bugles
  - 42 At any time
  - 43 Source of conflict between societies
  - 46 Take it easy
  - 47 Barnyard bird
  - 48 Barnyard beast
  - 50 Ties up to a pier
  - 53 College eatery
  - 59 Coin in Cannes
  - 60 Employment opportunity
- DOWN**
- 1 Small store
  - 2 Decant
  - 3 Showroom vehicle
  - 4 Daytona 500 organization
  - 5 Purina alternative
  - 6 Clock face
  - 7 The basics
  - 8 False story
  - 9 Santa's transportation
  - 10 Unruly pile
  - 11 Mythical monster
  - 12 Lots and lots
  - 14 Makeup exams
  - 18 Go bad
  - 21 Clever people
  - 23 Closes, as some coats
  - 24 Of vision
  - 25 India's first prime minister
  - 26 Customary
  - 28 In the know
  - 29 Come with
  - 30 Lightweight modeling wood
  - 31 Salad oil source
  - 32 Enjoys very much
  - 33 Put forth, as effort
  - 38 Needing patching
  - 39 React to yeast
  - 41 Gradations of color
  - 44 Tossed (away)
  - 45 Settle up in advance
  - 49 Grabbed lunch
  - 50 Prefix meaning "huge"
  - 51 What we own together
  - 52 Metallic rocks
  - 53 Brown soft drink
  - 54 Assist in a crime
  - 55 Typeface selection
  - 56 It's very funny
  - 57 Concerning, in a memo
  - 58 Stored to improve
  - 60 Taxiing vehicle

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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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1	2	1	6	4	9	5	7	3

Level: Intermediate

## CROSSWORD Today's Answers

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# SMU, TCU get 100th edition of rivalry after waiting a year

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Sports Writer

FORT WORTH, Texas — Regardless of why SMU and TCU couldn't find a way to pull off the 100th meeting between the Dallas-Fort Worth rivals last season, it's happening a year later.

Maybe it was a big deal last year because it was just the second time in almost 100 years the schools didn't meet when they could have (SMU didn't play football in 1987-88 because of sanctions from the NCAA's so-called death penalty).

Maybe the "Iron Skillet" game needed a little spice, which Mustangs receiver Rashee Rice provided. Spurned in recruiting by the FBS school closest to his high school campus north of Fort Worth, Rice said the Horned Frogs were afraid to play the team that wanted him.

TCU offensive lineman Wes Harris isn't buying that, but the senior does remember the most recent meeting. SMU beat then-No. 25 TCU 41-38 in September 2019, ending a seven-game skid in the series with just the third win for the Mustangs over the Frogs since 1998.

"It was tough because it was the first time since I was here that we lost to SMU and it was the first time I've seen TCU lose to SMU in a while, too," Harris said. "I think most of our roster probably wasn't even here yet because we got a lot of young guys. We've definitely been thinking about it awhile and we're excited to go out there and getting a shot to bring the Skillet home."

TCU couldn't play its opener and only scheduled non-conference game last year because of COVID-19 issues throughout the program. The schools tried to reschedule it, but ultimately had to issue a joint statement saying they couldn't make it happen.

Now SMU is trying to build on a third consecutive 3-0 start under coach Sonny Dykes while seeking back-to-back victories over TCU (2-0) for the first time since 1992-93.

It's the first meeting with a Big 12 opponent for SMU since the American Athletic Conference member wasn't among the four teams invited to join the Big 12. The league decided to expand after Texas and Oklahoma said they were bolting for the SEC.

"When you play a team that's in the Big 12, that helps, but the most impor-

tant thing is figuring out how to win football games and the longer you do that, the more respect you get," Dykes said. "If you want to be a big-time program, you've got to win some big-time games, so that's what we're striving to do."

## THE OTHER INTERRUPTION

TCU coach Gary Patterson was in his sixth season in charge of the Horned Frogs when the rivalry was skipped in 2006. Other than the two "death penalty" years, the two interruptions under Patterson are the only ones since 1925. TCU leads the series 51-41-7. A third straight victory to start this season likely would get TCU back in the Top 25.

"For us, it's to get to 3-0, keep climbing the mountain, the goals of getting where we want to get to as a football program," Patterson said. "And so SMU is the next one."

## NATIONAL TD PASS LEADER

SMU quarterback Tanner Mordecai leads the nation with 16 touchdown passes, capped by his 33-yard Hail Mary to Reggie Roberson Jr. on the final play for a 39-37 victory at Louisiana Tech, where Dykes' college head coaching career started in 2010.

"I don't care too much about all of those stats," said Mordecai, an Oklahoma transfer who played high school football in Waco, about 100 miles south of Dallas. "I wouldn't care if we had 16 rushing touchdowns right now. All that matters is we're 3-0, and I think we're building as an offense and we're going in the right direction."

## DUGGAN'S REVENGE?

TCU quarterback Max Duggan became just the second true freshman to start at quarterback in Patterson's 21 seasons as head coach in the 2019 loss to SMU. While he completed just 44% of his passes (16 of 36), Duggan threw for three touchdowns, a career high he matched for the second time in the 34-32 victory over California two weeks ago.

## ADIOS, NON-CONFERENCE

It's the final non-conference game for both teams. SMU is trying to extend an 11-game non-conference winning streak in the regular season. It's the longest since the Mustangs won 17 in a row in the "Pony Express" days, from 1979-85. Two of Patterson's four non-conference home losses in 21 seasons have been to SMU.

# Prescott, Cowboys' No. 4 offense face Eagles' 4th-ranked D

By The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA (1-1) at DALLAS (1-1)

Monday, 8:15 p.m. EDT, ESPN

OPENING LINE: Cowboys by 3½, according to FanDuel SportsBook.

AGAINST THE SPREAD: Eagles 1-1, Cowboys 2-0.

SERIES RECORD: Cowboys lead 70-54.

LAST MEETING: Cowboys beat Eagles 37-17 on Dec. 27, 2020, at Dallas.

LAST WEEK: Eagles lost to 49ers 17-11; Cowboys beat Chargers 20-17.

EAGLES OFFENSE: OVERALL (15), RUSH (2), PASS (22), SCORING (21).

EAGLES DEFENSE: OVERALL (4), RUSH (T-18), PASS (3), SCORING (T-2).

COWBOYS OFFENSE: OVERALL (4), RUSH (7), PASS (6), SCORING (15).

COWBOYS DEFENSE: OVERALL (27), RUSH (8), PASS (31), SCORING (15).

TURNOVER DIFFERENTIAL: Eagles even; Cowboys plus-4.

EAGLES PLAYER TO WATCH: Rookie WR DeVonta Smith has eight catches for 87 yards and one TD in two games. The Eagles traded up two spots with Dallas to take the Heisman Trophy winner from Alabama at No. 10 overall. The Cowboys have allowed three receivers to reach 100 yards in the first two games.

COWBOYS PLAYER TO WATCH: After trading down with the Eagles, the Cowboys drafted LB Micah Parsons at 12th overall. He essentially replaced injured star pass rusher DeMarcus Lawrence against the Chargers, getting his first career sack and a game-high four QB hits. With DE Randy Gregory returning after missing a game because of COVID-19, the intrigue builds on how Dallas will use Parsons.

KEY MATCHUP: Cowboys QB Dak Prescott, in his first home game since the gruesome ankle injury last October at AT&T Stadium, leads the No. 4 offense in the NFL against the fourth-ranked defense. The Eagles neutralized Prescott the previous time they saw him in 2019, a 17-9 Philadelphia victory in Week 16 when Dallas could have clinched the NFC East. Before that, Prescott had beaten his division rival four consecutive times, with three straight 100-plus passer ratings.

KEY INJURIES: Eagles Pro Bowl DE Brandon Graham ruptured an Achilles tendon against the 49ers and will miss the rest of the season. ... Three-time Pro Bowl RG Brandon Brooks will miss at

least three weeks after going on injured reserve with a strained right pectoral muscle. ... Cowboys WR Amari Cooper sustained a rib injury against the Chargers. ... Depth on the Dallas defensive line was already a concern, and coach Mike McCarthy said DT Carlos Watkins (knee) and DE Dorance Armstrong (ankle) won't play against the Eagles.

SERIES NOTES: The home team has won five consecutive games in the series, matching the most from 1961-63. ... The teams have played 11 times on Monday night, with Dallas holding a 7-4 edge. ... Dallas and Philadelphia have split 12 regular-season games at AT&T Stadium. The Cowboys lead 7-6 overall because of a wild-card win during the 2009 season, when the \$1.2 billion retractable-roof facility opened.

STATS AND STUFF: The Eagles are 9-3 on Monday night since 2013 and 13-6 in prime-time games since 2017. ... Philadelphia has allowed just 23 points, second fewest in the NFL. ... The Eagles have rushed for more than 150 yards in consecutive games for the first time since 2017. ... QB Jalen Hurts is one of four QBs with 500-plus total yards and zero giveaways. He has a team-high 144 yards rushing and is making his second start against the Cowboys in his home state after last season's blowout loss. ... RB Miles Sanders has 240 scrimmage yards and two rushing TDs in his past two games against Dallas. ... WR Quez Watkins had a career-best 117 yards receiving last week, including a 91-yard catch. ... Three-time All-Pro C Jason Kelce will start his 108th consecutive regular-season game, longest by any NFL center since Chris

the two-time rushing champion since the start of the 2020 season (17 games). ... WR CeeDee Lamb is tied for second in the NFL with four catches of at least 20 yards. Seattle's Tyler Lockett has five. ... LB Leighton Vander Esch made his first sack of the season against the Chargers. The fourth-year player hasn't had more than one in a season. ... The Cowboys lead the NFL with six takeaways and CB Trevon Diggs has an interception in each of the first two games. The last Dallas player with a pick in three consecutive games was Terence Newman in 2007.



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