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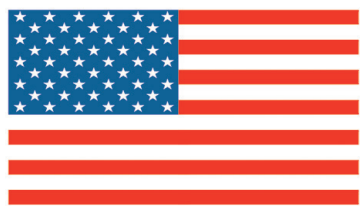
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COVID vaccines and Flu shots

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 2503 Gregg St.
 Hosted by
 Shannon Clinic*

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 Oct. 1 and 2
 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
 Sale to include Art Association art and dedication of Computer Lab at 10 a.m. Oct. 1*

*Don't Litter Pet Vaccine Clinic
 Oct. 9 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. 600 E. Third St. Suite B.*

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Flu and Covid vaccine clinic to take place Friday

Drive-thru clinic offered 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Special to the Herald

Flu season is upon us and the pandemic continues, as we wind down the year.

Shannon Clinic Big Spring is hosting a drive-thru flu shot clinic on Friday, Oct. 1 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The event will be in the parking lot of the clinic at 2503 Gregg Street.

Flu shots will be available for patients of all ages; families are encouraged to come together to receive their vaccines. The clinic will accept and file insurance, or patients may pay \$35 per flu shot. High dose flu vaccines are available upon request and will cost \$80. COVID vaccines will also be available for ages 12 and up and will be given at no charge. Patients are asked to bring their insurance card and wear a mask to receive their shot. No appointment is necessary.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommends that people receive their flu vaccine as soon as the vaccine becomes available in their community. Vaccination before December is best since the timing ensures that protective antibodies are in place before flu activity is typically at its highest.

The flu shot is approved for people ages 6 months or older, including healthy people as well as those with chronic medical conditions such as asthma, diabetes or heart disease. COVID vaccinations are only available for those ages 12 and above.

In addition to the Shannon Clinic drive-thru vaccine clinic, other local health care providers are also offering the vaccine upon request. Covid-19 IV treatments are also available locally. According to statistics released by Governor Greg Abbott, Covid cases across the state continue to decline and the number of people vaccinated is increasing.

For more information, please call Shannon Clinic Big Spring at 432-606-5178.

Forsan crowns Homecoming Royalty



Courtesy photo

Forsan High School crowned the 2021 Homecoming Queen and King before the Buffaloes took on the Eagles last Friday. The Homecoming Queen is Reagan Phillips and Homecoming King is Sawyer Stallings.

Friends of the Library book sale opens with ribbon cutting celebration Friday morning

By AMANDA DUFORAT

Managing Editor



HERALD file photo

The Friends of the Library book sale will be taking place this weekend, beginning Friday at 9 a.m.

The cooler temperatures are rolling in and the weather is becoming conducive for cuddling up and reading a good book. The Friends of the Library is gearing up for the bi-annual sale, Oct. 1 and 2 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

"We raise money for library projects through this sale, so all of the money goes back into the library. The past couple of years, the pandemic has impacted our sales. This year we have opened all three rooms in the library basement because of social distancing," Tammy DePauw, with Friends of the Library, said.

According to DePauw monies from the 2019/2020 book sales, along with grants and their read-a-thon, the How-

ard County Library was able to completely redo their computer lab. They were also able to purchase 16 new computers, tables, and chairs, repaint their walls, and replace their carpet.

"With the book sale, we always purchase the McNaughter series (new bestsellers and award winning books) and e-readers. We use the money to support the children's summer reading program and literacy program," DePauw said.

In addition to the book sale, there will be a ribbon cutting on Oct. 1 at 10 a.m. to officially unveil the renovated computer lab. The computer lab updates were the result of a community effort, according to DePauw.

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Prairie Dog Fly-In returns Saturday with a movie

Tom & Jerry will be featured, family activities begin at 5 p.m.

By ROGER CLINE

Herald Staff Writer

It's almost time again for the annual Prairie Dog Fly-In and Movie.

No, they're not bringing more prairie dogs into Howard County by air. Local residents will be familiar with the fly-in - now in its 15th annual iteration - in which aircraft owners from around West Texas and Eastern New Mexico will fly in to Big Spring's McMahon-Wrinkle Airport

on Saturday, Oct. 2.

That morning, visitors to the airport will have the opportunity to eat breakfast with pilots who have flown in for the day. While the pilots will eat for free, breakfast for other guests will be \$5. Door prizes will be awarded.

That evening, the Prairie Dog Fly-In will feature a free Family Movie Night at the Hangar 25 Air Museum from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. The event will feature

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The Prairie Dog Fly-In will take place Saturday morning, with the movie showing at Hangar 25 Saturday night.

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Obituaries

Janet Linn Abner



Janet Linn Abner, 62, of Big Spring, Texas, passed away Sept. 23, 2021, surrounded by family and friends in Big Spring, Texas.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 30, 2021, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Family will receive friends from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Museum, 510 Scurry St., Big Spring, Texas.

Janet was born Sept. 11, 1959, in Houston, Texas, to Betty Petty and Roy Loftin.

Janet married Richard Abner on Nov. 7, 1982. They had two amazing daughters, Chelsea and Katlin.

She graduated from Forsan High School in 1979 and worked at the Big Spring State Hospital for many years and drove back and forth to Odessa pursuing her bachelors and master's degrees in psychology from the University of Texas of the Permian Basin. She obtained her degrees and was a Psychologist.

Janet, Rich and the girls were involved with softball in every aspect of the game. As the girls grew more competitive in the sport you would find them on the road every week to a tournament all over the state. This love for sports was a center of their lives all the way through high school and in college. It was always softball for Chelsea and for Katy it grew into volleyball, softball and pole vaulting. That competitive spirit was a driving force for many years. Once the girls graduated, Janet and Rich decided they were better friends and went their separate ways.

Once the girls graduated, she started her second career as a Behavior/Life skills Special Education Teacher for Coahoma, ISD. Her students became her life then. She worked so hard to make sure that they have every opportunity just like everyone else. They had a program where the students would

make homemade cinnamon rolls and coffee and go around and deliver it to all the teachers on campus.

In her free time, she worked at the Heritage Museum in the archives, and helping with special events. Her favorite event of the year was the Christmas Tree Forest, she would coordinate all the trees being decorated and she would even decorate the most beautiful trees. She would enlist Chelsea, Kelsey, Katy, Robert, Aubrey and Kaden to come and dress up for the theme of the forest.

When she was not teaching or organizing, she enjoyed spending time with her grandkids and nieces. She loved getting to watch Aubrey play softball and volleyball and Kaden play soccer and football. When Hagen came this year, she loved just getting to hold and love him. Sam, she helped navigate through her first year in college, and Gracie with her education.

Janet is best remembered as one of the most selfless loving people in this world who was a mother, Nonie, sister, aunt, teacher and a friend to all. She would give you the shirt off her back and would do anything to make sure life was just a little bit better for everyone she touched.

Survivors include: two daughters: Chelsea and daughter-in-law Kelsey Abner, Clovis, N.M., and Katlin and son-in-law Robert Strickland, Big Spring, Texas; grandchildren: Aubrey, Kaden, Hagen of Big Spring, Texas; sister: Nancy and brother-in-law Hugh Raney Big Spring, Texas, and nieces: Samantha Raney, Fort Scott, Kan., and Gracie Raney, Big Spring, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Betty Petty; her father, Robert Loftin; and brother, Bobby Loftin.

The family suggests memorials to The Heritage Museum of Big Spring, 510 Scurry St. Big Spring, Texas, 79720.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com

Paid Obituary

James Eric Trevino

James Eric Trevino, 29, passed away Sunday Sept. 19, 2021.

Rosary will be Friday, Oct. 1 at 7 p.m. at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home Chapel. A private family viewing will be held.

He is survived by his wife, Ana Trevino; four sons, Armando Trevino, Jovani Trevino, James Trevino and Adrian Trevino; his mother, Lucia Sanchez; one brother, Marcus Mijango; two sisters, Gloria Silva and Kim Garcia and two nieces and one nephew.

Emzie Woodard, Jr

Emzie Woodard, Jr., 64, of Big Spring, passed away Saturday, September 25, 2021. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **ALFREDO HINOJOS HARPER**, 32, of 1002 N. Main Street, was arrested on a charge of theft of property less than \$2,500 – two or more conviction all other (x2).

• **MARIO ILDEFONSO SALAZAR**, 32, of 1405 Park Street, was arrested on a charge of theft of property between \$100 and \$750 all other.

• **BRANDEE LEANN CASTILLO**, 24, of 1404 Tucson Street, was arrested on a warrant from other agency (x8).

• **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 1000 block of N. Main Street.

• **WELFARE CONCERN** was reported in the area of 4th and Aylseford.

• **BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE** was reported in the 300 BLOCK OF E. I-20.

• **THEFT** was reported two miles west of 2599; 3300 block of W. CR 46; area of Hwy 176 and 2599; 1900 block of Todd Road.

Sara Guerra

Sara Guerra, 58, of Big Spring, Texas, passed away Friday, Sept. 24, 2021 in Odessa, Texas. Services are pending at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory.

Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 100 block of Washington Blvd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1100 block of S. Main Street. One person was transported to

Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 300 block of E. 3rd Street. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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

• **NATURAL VEGETATION FIRE** was reported in the 400 block of Donley. The fire was contained.

Sheriff

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

Note – Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 103 inmates at the time of this report.

• **MORGAN DIONE AUSBIE**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of criminal trespass.

• **ANGELA VIOLA GARRARD**, 47, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of MTA/Forgery financial instrument.

• **FRANCISCO VALDEZ LICON**, 34, was arrested

by BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid (DWLI) and failure to appear.

• **SHIMEON RASHAD MAGERS**, 37, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of terroristic threat of family/household.

• **CAMPA ANTHONY PETE**, 51, was arrested by DPS, on a charge of driving while intoxicated third or more and terroristic threat against public servant

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Obituaries

Jody Kyle Rogers

Jody Kyle Rogers, 62, of Big Spring died Monday, Sept. 27, 2021. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Mount Olive Memorial Park with Brad Daniels officiating.

Jody was born May 20, 1959, in Big Spring to Nell and Guy Rogers. He served in the U.S. Army, worked for oil companies, and also drove a truck until his health failed. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and was a lifetime resident of Big Spring.

Jody is survived by his mother, Nell Rogers of



Big Spring; father, Guy Rogers of San Angelo; sister, Leslye Rogers of Big Spring; aunt and uncle, Dr. J. Gale and Susie Kilgore of Big Spring; three aunts, Wanda Wolf (John) of Big Spring, Virginia Parkhill of Big Spring; and Gloria Rogers Swift of El Dorado. Left behind to honor his memory are his pets: Poo Bear, Buddy and Ami.

Jody was preceded in death by his half-sister, Tina Rogers; grandparents, Lum and Rosa Harris and Leona Leland; aunts, Ruthie Harris Elsberry and Dorothy Harris Rodriguez.

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

Paid Obituary

Felipe "Phil" J. Shober

Felipe "Phil" J. Shober, 17, of Big Spring died Sunday, Sept. 26, 2021. A graveside service will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Mount Olive Chapel.

Phil was born Nov. 30, 2003, in Big Spring to John Shober and Cindi Herrera. He was senior at B.S.H.S.

Phil loved Batman, anime cartoons and skateboarding. He loved making friends; he would do anything for anyone, could not say "no" to anyone.

Phil is survived by his mother, Cindi Herrera of Big Spring; father, John Shober of Big Spring; one sister, Alicia Herrera of Big Spring; maternal grandparents, Susan and Richard Moren of Big Spring; two aunts, Josie Shober of Big Spring and Dawn Garrett of Big Spring; two uncles, Nathan Menges of Big Spring and Nick Hinklin of Big Spring; two great-grandmothers, Olnee Menges of Big Spring and Elizabeth Moren of Big Spring.

Phil is preceded in death by his grandmother, Dolly Shober.

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



Paid Obituary

Take Note

• Shannon Clinic of Big Spring will be hosting a drive-thru clinic for flu shots and Covid vaccines, on Oct. 1 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The clinic will be in the parking at 2503 Gregg Street.

• Don't Litter Vaccine Clinic will take place Oct. 9 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., at 600 E. Third Street, Suite B, next to Boyd's Auto Glass. The clinic will be cash only and will include rabies, rabies/DAPP, Rabies/DAPP/Bord for dogs and rabies and rabies/FVRCP/FELV for cats. The Home Again microchip will also be offered and spay/neuter appointments can be made with a cash deposit.

• The Friends of the Library will be holding the annual book sale on Oct. 1 and Oct. 2. The sale will take place from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. There will be a dedication ceremony at 10 a.m. Oct. 1 for the Computer Lab. The computer lab is one of the areas that Friends of the Library book sale funds has supported in the past couple of years. In addition to the book sale, the Art Association will have pieces on display and for sale.

• September 30, Burke's Outlet will be holding a job fair at the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce building, located at 215 W. Third. The job fair will take place from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Masks will be required. For more information, call Rayo Rodriguez at 432-634-9269.

• District 4 Large/Bulk Item pickup will take place Oct. 20. Those residents in District 4 wishing to have items picked up will need to schedule a pick up by Oct. 18 at 5 p.m. More information can be found by visiting mybigspring.com. To schedule a pick up call 432-264-2501.

• Community blood drive is set to take place Oct. 15 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the City Council Chambers. Chambers are located at 3047 E. 4th Street. To schedule an appointment e-mail sking@mybigspring.com or call 432-264-2347. Walk in appointments are welcome, but appointments are strongly encouraged.

• City of Big Spring offices remain open by appointment and electronic means only. These offices include: City Hall (432-264-2401); Finance Department (432-264-2513); Public Works Department (432-264-2501); Human Resources Department (432-264-2346); Code Enforcement/Permits (432-264-2504); Water Utilities (432-264-2392); Community Services Office; Convention and Visitors Bureau (432-263-8235); facilities (432-264-2322); Cemetery (432-264-2323); Police Department (432-264-2550); Fire Department (432-264-2304); Municipal Court (432-264-2530). Citizens who have an appointment in a City office will be asked to wear a face covering and present valid identification upon arrival. The identification can be as simple as a utility bill. The City of Big Spring Water Office is open to the public; no appointment is necessary. The Big Spring Senior Center remains closed to congregate meals, but those who wish to pick up a to go order can call 432-267-1628, for more information. Rentable facilities including the Dora Roberts Community Center will remain open, however, users are requested to maintain social distancing and other COVID-19 precautions. For any questions or concerns please contact the City Manager's Office at 432-264-2401.

• 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. 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.

• 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 purchased in season passes or per concert.

BOOK

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According to DePauw, the Friends of the Library has received hundreds of new books to be added to the sale, including movies, audiobooks and other items, and encourages the

community to come browse the shelves.

Founded in 1947, the Friends of the Library Association is dedicated to improvement and expansion of the Howard County Library. The book sale typically happens on an annual basis.

Anyone who is interested in becoming a member of the

Friends of the Library Association or would like to donate to the Friends of the Library can contact Tammy DePauw at 432-935-0057 or stop by the Howard County Library located at 500 Main Street.

FLY

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the movie Tom and Jerry, released in February of this year. Games and family fun will begin at 5 p.m., while the movie itself will kick off about 7:30 p.m. Free popcorn and bottled water will be provided, though movie goers should bring their own chairs and blankets.

The event is sponsored by the City of Big Spring, the Big Spring Convention and Visitor's Bureau, McMahon-Wrinkle Airpark, Delek, JB Graphics, Star Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram, H-E-B, and Advanced Plumbing.

For more information visit PrairieDogFlyin.com, search for Big Spring Prairie Dog Fly-in on Facebook; or contact Andriana Olvera at 432-264-2362. Hats and T-shirts commemorating the event are available to purchase through the website.

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Brady chases all-time yards passing record in reunion game

By JOSH DUBOW

AP Pro Football Writer

Sometimes in the first half Sunday night, Tom Brady should add another record to his already impressive haul of them.

It couldn't come in a more appropriate location.

With 68 yards passing in his return to New England, Brady will surpass Drew Brees' mark of 80,358 yards that stand as the most ever in the regular season.

Brady will add that to his long list of NFL records that already includes most TD passes (591), most wins as a starting quarterback (232), most Super Bowl titles (seven) and most conference championships (10).

No quarterback in NFL history has played more or produced more in a single venue than Brady has at Gillette Stadium. Since first appearing there when it opened in 2002, Brady has made 157 starts in the regular season and playoffs there, winning 134 of them while throwing for 41,285 yards and 304 TDs.

Those marks are all records with Brees ranking second in yardage (38,192) and TDs (301) at the Superdome, Brett Favre standing at No. 2 in starts (130) at Lambeau Field, and John Elway ranking second in wins (104) at Mile High Stadium.

Those are some of the many stagger-

ing numbers when it comes to Brady's success and longevity. His teams had a 232-70 record in his starts, making him more games over .500 than all QBs outside of Peyton Manning (186), Favre (186) and Brees (172) have total wins.

His longevity might be his most impressive trait, as he is still playing at a high level at age 44 after winning the Super Bowl in his first year in Tampa last season.

Brady's 11 TDs passing and rushing so far this season are tied with his most ever after three games, and his 1,087 yards rank fourth-most in his career.

Barring injury, Brady should, at some point later this season, throw enough TD passes to give him more in his 40s (155 so far including playoffs) than he had in his 20s (167).

In fact, Brady's 115 TDs in the regular season and playoffs since turning 41 are more than every other QB combined at that age.

His 336 TDs since turning 35 would rank 12th overall, ahead of Hall of Famers like Elway (327 in his career) and Joe Montana (318).

BRADY VS. BELICHICK

Brady and Patriots coach Bill Belichick will be the seventh Super Bowl-winning coach and quarterback duo to face off after they went their separate ways, with the most recent

coming in 2008 when Brady Johnson and the Cowboys beat Jon Gruden and Tampa Bay 13-9.

The winning QB is 4-2 in the first matchup with his old coach, with Joe Montana topping George Seifert, Jeff Hostetler beating Bill Parcells, and Troy Aikman besting Jimmy Johnson for the other wins.

Favre lost his first start to Mike Holmgren, and Trent Dilfer lost his to Brian Billick.

Belichick will be the 109th coach that Brady has started a game against and he has won against 99 of them, led by 12 wins against Rex Ryan. He has lost to 47, with the most coming against Mike Shanahan (five).

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

For the second straight season, the New York Jets and Giants opened the season with three straight losses.

The skid stretched to five games last year for the Giants and 13 for the Jets as part of a stretch of horrid New York football.

Since the start of the 2017 season, the Giants and Jets are tied for the worst record in the NFL with 18-49 records.

TURNAROUND TEAMS

There are five remaining undefeated teams after Week 3 and only the Rams are coming off a playoff season.

Las Vegas, Denver, Carolina and Arizona have all won their first three

games after missing out on the post-season in 2020.

Since the start of the eight-division format in 2002, this is just the third time that at least four teams started a season 3-0 after missing the playoffs the previous year. It also happened in 2013 with Miami, New Orleans, Kansas City and Chicago, and in 2003 with Denver, Carolina, Kansas City, Seattle and Minnesota.

JUST FOR KICKS

Baltimore's Justin Tucker set the record for the longest field goal ever with his game-winning 66-yarder against Detroit. It was 2 yards longer than the previous mark set by Matt Prater for Denver in 2013.

That is one of 11 games so far this season in which the winning score has come in the final minute of regulation or in overtime, one shy of the NFL record through three weeks set in 2013.

Before Tucker's kick, Prater attempted an even longer one on Sunday but missed from 68 yards for Arizona on a kick that Jacksonville's Jamal Agnew returned 109 yards for a TD at the end of their first half. Prater made a 62-yarder in Week 2.

There has only been one season, in 2012, with three field goals of at least 60 yards with David Akers (63 yards), Jay Feely (61) and Greg Zuerlein (60) all doing it.

Torrey Pines goes to Saturday finish to get off NFL Sunday

By DOUG FERGUSON

AP Golf Writer

The Farmers Insurance Open at Torrey Pines had an ideal spot on the West Coast Swing as the weekend between the NFL conference championship games and the Super Bowl. That changed when the NFL added a game to its regular season.

That led the tour to adapt by starting the tournament a day earlier, on Saturday, and giving CBS a prime-time finish for most of the country on Saturday, a day ahead of the NFC and AFC title games.

The Farmers Insurance Open now will be Jan. 26-29.

CBS has the AFC championship on Jan. 30. The tour said Golf Channel would broadcast the Wednesday and Thursday rounds, while CBS would broadcast the tournament on Friday and Saturday, with both rounds scheduled for an 8 p.m. EST finish.

The last PGA Tour scheduled for a Saturday finish was the 1996 Phoenix Open, the year the Super Bowl was played in Tempe, Arizona.

Now the Waste Management Phoenix Open embraces Super Bowl weekend, even when the NFL championship is played down the road from the TPC Scottsdale.

The 17-game NFL schedule already led to one change. The West Coast Swing typically goes from Phoenix to Pebble Beach to Los Angeles. The extra game means the tour will go from Torrey Pines to Pebble Beach to Phoenix to Los Angeles.

"We appreciate Farmers Insurance's collaboration and innovative thinking with this shift in competition days," said Tyler Dennis, president of the PGA Tour. "The PGA Tour's first network event of 2022 wrapping up on Saturday, combined with football games the following day, will create an action-packed weekend for sports fans."

There still will be golf at Torrey on Sunday.

The diversity-focused Advocates Pro Golf Association Tour will be expanded to 36 holes. The first round will be on the North Course on Saturday, while the final round will move to the South Course on Sunday and be televised live on Golf Channel.

It will be the first time an APGA event is shown on live TV.

STRICKER'S REIGN

One of the more important conversations Steve Stricker had with Paul Azinger was about creating a good environment. Azinger, who reshaped Ryder Cup qualifying for the Americans and won as captain in 2008, told him it was important to find the mood that works best.

Stricker is more about preparation than inspiration. In fact, too much inspiration can lead to too much pressure.

Whatever he's doing, it's working. Stricker was at the helm of the Presidents Cup team in 2017 that played so well it almost clinched the cup before the final session. And then he got the best players to deliver top performances in a record win over Europe at the Ryder Cup.

If the Americans cared about winning, they would consider bringing him back for Italy in 2023.

"It was a very similar position as far as the dominance goes," Jordan Spieth said in comparing Stricker's two times as U.S. captain.

The Ryder Cup is the only team event that doesn't have repeat captains.

Jack Nicklaus and Fred Couples, Gary Player and Nick Price, they all were captain for successive years in the Presidents Cup. Juli Inkster did it three times in a row at the Solheim Cup (going 2-1) and Catriona Matthew just won her second straight.

At the amateur level, the Walker Cup and Curtis Cup have a history of captains serving consecutive times.

The Ryder Cup hasn't had that happen since Bernhard Gallacher in 1995. Davis Love III did it twice in three Ryder Cups.

"I don't think it's going to happen. It's mapped out and there's guys in positions to be the next captains," Stricker said. "It was an unbelievable experi-

ence, don't get me wrong. I'm glad it's over."

FILLING THE FIELD

Olympic gold medalist Xander Schauffele and Collin Morikawa, who narrowly missed out on the bronze, are headed back to Japan next month.

Schauffele, Morikawa and Masters champion Hideki Matsuyama of Japan are among five players who have committed to play the Zozo Championship on Oct. 21-24 at Accordia Golf Narashino outside Tokyo.

Rickie Fowler and Tommy Fleetwood also are playing on sponsor exemptions.

The PGA Tour wanted to get out word as further affirmation the tournament is taking place.

COVID-19 forced two events on the Asia Swing to relocate last year — the Zozo Championship went to Sherwood Country Club in California and the CJ Cup of South Korea went to Shadow Creek north of Las Vegas.

The Zozo Championship returns to Japan — defending champion Patrick Cantlay has not indicated if he will be going — while the CJ Cup returns to a different golf club in Las Vegas.

The difficulty of Japan is that the PGA Tour has consecutive tournaments in Las Vegas before going to Japan, and the following week it is in Bermuda.

Matsuyama was always going to play in his native country. He was in the final group at the Olympics and missed out on the 7-for-1 playoff for the bronze medal.

Schauffele returning was not a surprise, either.

"Everybody knows of the close affinity that my family and I have with Japan due to our heritage and the fact that my grandparents live over there," he said. "Winning the gold medal in Tokyo in July has only reinforced my love for Japan and I look forward to coming back."

The Zozo Championship has a 78-man field and a \$9.95 million purse.

NICKLAUS-JACKLIN AWARD

Dustin Johnson and Sergio Garcia came away with individual honors in the ultimate team event at the Ryder Cup. They were selected to receive the inaugural Nicklaus-Jacklin Award.

The award is for players who best embody the spirit of when Jack Nicklaus conceded a short putt to Tony Jacklin to conclude the 1969 Ryder Cup in a tie (the Americans retained the cup as defending champions).

Johnson teamed with Collin Morikawa three times and Xander Schauffele once and then won his singles match to go 5-0, the first American to win all five matches since Larry Nelson in 1979.

Garcia won three matches with Jon Rahm and lost in singles to Bryson DeChambeau. He was selected as much for his teamwork and sportsmanship, two attributes identified by sponsor Aon, for encouraging Rory McIlroy after the four-time major champion was 0-3 in team play.

"I love the Ryder Cup," Garcia said. "We all know about the beautiful moment that happened more than 50 years ago between Nicklaus and Jacklin. I'm proud to be the first to win this award and thankful to Aon. I enjoyed this week and I thought we played with good energy, which is important to show the young players that you can play with respect and have fun, even in defeat. I love my team. I'm so proud of all of them."

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Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

The rule of eleven

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The bidding: East South West North Pass 1 NT Pass 3 NT Opening lead — seven of hearts.

The Rule of Eleven is a marvelous tool, but, like any other rule, it must be applied with discretion. Let's say you're East and partner leads the seven of hearts, which you assume is his fourth-best heart. Dummy follows low, and you have to choose between playing the jack or the ace. By applying the Rule of Eleven, you know that South has precisely one card higher than the seven. (You deduct seven, the card led, from 11. This tells you that there are four

hearts higher than the seven in the North, East and South hands. Since you see one of them in dummy and two in your hand, South must have exactly one.) South's heart higher than the seven cannot be the queen. If declarer had that card, West would have the 10-9-8-7 and would have led the ten, not the seven. Declarer therefore has the ten, nine or eight, so your partner has the queen. It doesn't follow, however, that you should play the jack merely because you know it will win the trick. This would be a shortsighted view. Instead, you weigh the advantage of winning with the jack against the advantage of winning with the ace and returning the jack in order to establish partner's suit. On balance, the odds strongly favor playing the ace followed by the jack. In the actual deal, this method of defense succeeds when West overtakes the jack with the queen and forces out the king. Eventually, South goes down one. But note that if you play the jack at trick one — paying blind obedience to the Rule of Eleven — declarer easily makes the contract after driving out the ace of diamonds. You win the initial battle, but you lose the war.

Tomorrow: Sylvia confounds the experts.

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Annie's Mailbox

Screen-Addicted Husband

Dear Annie: I find your column to be informative and entertaining.

One subject that emerges often is the grieving of a loved one. I agree that acknowledging and allowing loss is an individual process and our pace should not be judged by others, except in the matter of compassion and support.

My personal concern is with grieving the loss of a loved one through dementia.

In many ways, my husband, mate, best friend, even handyman, is gone. He is not coming home from his long-term care residence, yet he is physically fit, present, healthy, sociable, fun and engaging.

Friends and acquaintances see me as "just dandy" as I suit up, put on a happy face and participate in social activities, but I am not OK.

Having fun and being happy are surrounded by guilt.

It's not the same as grieving the loss of a parent or grandparent.

Sometimes people say, "Oh, yes, my grandfather had dementia." There is an

expectation that our aging relatives have some degree of diminished ability. They are loved, respected and accepted.

But I have lost my hugs, foot-warmer, protector and friend, only to take on trying to do everything as before and trying to do more with less. I don't fit in the "singles" or "couples" category. The COVID-19 pandemic has added to this isolation.

I could use a helping hand with heavy lifting, auto and yard maintenance, and financial planning. Sure, there are goods and services available for these things, but not all of us have an unlimited expense account.

I hope my letter enlightens hearts and minds. -- Dancing in the Rain

Dear Dancing in the Rain: Thank you for your beautiful letter. Your situation is difficult but not uncommon. My hope is that your message will help others know that they are not alone in the grief they feel for the person they once knew.

Dear Annie: Please tell me, how do I deal with my husband's depression and phone addiction? It's starting to hurt my self-esteem, leaving me feeling as if

I'm incapable of making him happy.

He has never been medically diagnosed but says depression runs in his family. His mom and all of his siblings have been diagnosed and take antidepressants. He can easily switch from being a fun-loving husband to a very crabby one in less than a minute. I constantly feel like I'm walking on eggshells because I don't know if what I'm going to say next might trigger him.

Sometimes it could be something as small as my not wanting fish for dinner. Then he gets upset and doesn't talk to me for days. Days! I ask him what's wrong, and he says he needs his space from me and our girls; hence, he escapes into his phone or video games.

He spends countless hours on his phone. He hides in the restroom with his phone. He wakes up and goes to bed with his phone.

I try to be the fun girl I used to be. I schedule camping trips and little outings to give us something fun to look forward to as a family. I try to run my household as smoothly and neatly as possible by adopting a minimalist lifestyle so he can unwind from a long day at work and not come home to a

chaotic household, and he simply resorts to his phone once again.

I'm emotionally drained. I don't fit in his virtual world, and when he's not on the phone, he's depressed. -- Living with Grumpy

Dear Living with Grumpy: You are doing a wonderful job trying to create a loving, adventurous and nurturing household -- all while living with a man who is unhappy and needs professional help for his depression. It can be hard to tell whether too much video game and phone time is making him depressed, or if his depression is making him self-medicate by withdrawing from the family with his phone, video gaming and temper. Regardless of which came first, he needs professional help.

Try to focus on your daughters and yourself while he gets treatment. Don't allow his sadness to take away your joy.

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