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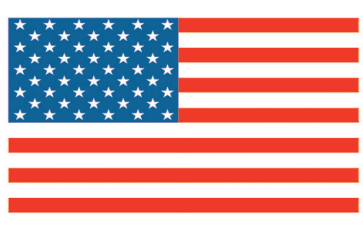
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Goliad Elementary's Turkey Trot will be
 Nov. 19 at 1 p.m. at Blankenship Field.
 Contact the Goliad Main office at 264-4111 for more information.

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The Forsan buffalo marching band performed this past Friday night on their home field. The Forsan band has worked hard all season long and has earned the right to compete in the state finals this Tuesday in San Antonio. Forsan will have a chance to win it all in the Alamodome at 8:15 a.m. It has been a remarkable year for a special group of kids. We wish all of you luck in Tuesday's performance and bring home the State Championship. Go Buffs!

City to consider water & sewer grant application



By **ROGER CLINE**
 Herald Staff Writer

In an emergency measure Tuesday evening, the Big Spring City Council will consider approval of an Economic Development Corporation grant application for "Water and System Expansion."

The council will consider the resolution during its Tuesday evening meeting, which starts at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 307 E. Fourth Street.

The item, to be presented during the meeting by EDC Director Mark Willis, will request \$1,250,000 from the federal Economic Development Administration. The resolution, included in the meeting's agenda, states that the city will commit "...up to \$500,000 from its General Fund as cash contribution toward the construction, engineering, and administration of the Water and Sewer Enhancement Project. These funds are available, unencumbered, and committed to the project."

The "emergency" designation of the item would suspend the requirement that the item be read at two separate council meetings. According to the text of the resolution, "...time is of the essence to apply for the grant, and therefore the City Council hereby considers this an emergency measure, so as to not require two readings before the resolution is adopted."

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You Can Get there from Steer: Chip "Scoop" Sweeney

By **GEORGE BANCROFT**
 Special to the Herald

Chief Operating Officer and Producer - Chip "Scoop" Sweeney graduated from Big Spring High School in 1964. While growing up on Douglas Street, he attended Park Hill Elementary and Goliad Junior High before entering BSHS. Today Scoop makes his home in Austin where he serves as the Chief Operating Officer and Producer for the Plutopia News Network.



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Chip "Scoop" Sweeney is the Chief Operating Officer and Producer for the Plutopia News Network

Which teacher had the greatest impact on your life and learning?
 Coach R.C. Moore
 What can you tell us about that relationship?
 Coach Moore gave me a grade in P.E. that was lower than expected. I asked him why my grade was lower and he

said it was due to an unexcused absence. I knew that was not true and asked for a private meeting to discuss the grade. I explained to Coach Moore that I provided written excuses from my parents for any absences. He asked what I wanted him to do. I replied, "Change the grade."

I was surprised when he immediately agreed. He surprised me again when he shook my hand and praised me for standing up for myself. He told me, "You showed a lot of courage by coming in here and questioning your grade. I won't even check on the written notes. Your word is good enough for me." He changed the grade. That experience has stayed with me throughout my life. I had been taught not to question my elders but Coach Moore taught me that I should never fear standing up for myself.
 Reflecting on your days as a Big Spring

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Obituaries

Kathryn C. Chadwell



Kathryn C. Chadwell, 65, of Big Spring, Texas, passed away on Wednesday, November 3, 2021.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Tuesday, November 9, 2021, at First Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Monday, November 8, 2021, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Cathy was born on September 17, 1956, in Big Spring, Texas, and married James Chadwell on July 21, 2005. She passed from this life on November 3, 2021, surrounded by those who loved and adored her.

Cathy graduated from Big Spring High School in 1974. She attended Howard College, Texas A&M University, Bauder Fashion College, and Angelo State University. She served as the secretary for First Baptist Church and retired from Green and Fillingim Accounting Firm.

Cathy was the life of any party! She loved her fam-

ily and her animals, swimming, reading, and traveling. Her and James loved to dance and entertain their many friends. She dearly loved her church and singing in the choir. When you met Cathy, she was an instant friend.

Cathy was preceded in death by her parents, Dr. Floyd R. Mays Jr. and Polly Mays.

She is survived by her husband, James Chadwell; her brother, Doug Mays of Big Spring; her daughter, Jessi Williams of Big Spring; son, Trey Tipton of San Antonio, and son, Jay Chadwell and wife, Lisa, Chadwell of Big Spring; her grandchildren, Ana Marie, Elliott, and Tip Williams, Zoe Tipton, and Brylee and Jaxon Chadwell; her mother-in-law, Betty Alexander and Max Tillman of Big Spring; sisters-in-law, Regina Gooch and husband, Earl, and Karla Woolf-Wilson and husband, Steve, of Stephenville; her nieces and nephews, and numerous friends.

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

Paid obituary

Johnny H. Munoz

Johnny H. Munoz, 59, of Big Spring died Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021, at his home.

Visitation will be 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. with a prayer service at 7 p.m. Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Service will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mt. Olive Cemetery.

Johnny was born on March 30, 1962, in Big Spring to Santiago and Ramona Munoz. He was a lifetime resident of Big Spring and a member of Living Waters Church.

Johnny cooked at Herman's for 35 years.

Johnny is survived by one brother, Esmael Munoz (Linda) of San Angelo; six sisters, Amelia Rodriguez of Big Spring, Linda Galan of Big Spring, Eva Foster (Daniel) of Big Spring, Cindy Lozano of Big Spring, Ramona Goff (Clifford) of Big Spring, and Rosita Martinez of Big Spring; and 21 nieces and nephews.

Johnny is preceded in death by his parents, Ramona Hilario and Santiago "Jimmy" Munoz; his wife, Martha Peacock; and two brothers, Benjamin Munoz and Joe Luis Munoz.

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

Patsy Miranda

Patsy Miranda, 91, of Big Spring died Friday, Nov. 5, 2021. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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.

Support Groups

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.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible? There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

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

Submit your Support Group information to be included or updated. Email information to editor@BigSpringherald.com or call 432-263-7331.

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

• Weight Watchers meets at 6 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m. Weigh-in is confidential and you don't have to talk if you don't want to. Flexible payment options.

• Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder support group meeting is at 6:30 p.m. at the VA Medical Center Veteran's Healing Center.

• Bring Everyone Into The Zone, or BEITZ Support Group, is a veteran-based peer group. The purpose of the group is to provide peer-to-peer support to service members, veterans and families, especially those suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), military sexual trauma (MST) and other traumatic events in their lives. BEITZ meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. at 501 Birdwell Lane. For more information, email francisco.garza@wtcmhmr.org, or call 432-268-3003.

• GriefShare is a biblical support group that focuses on helping people who are dealing with a loved one's death. Each DVD session features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by small group discussion about the topics presented (with workbook support); there is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held three times per year on Thursday evenings, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Visit the GriefShare Ministry of TBC Facebook page. You can also call Vivian Gordon at 432-466-3583 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

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Take Note

• Food distribution at Three Angels Food Pantry is held every third Thursday of the month at the Big Spring Seventh-Day Adventist Church, located at 4319 Parkway Rd. Food is provided by the West Texas Food Bank. People will need to bring ID and plastic bags, and answer a few questions to pick up food. The food pantry also has a Facebook page where they will post any updates. <https://www.facebook.com/healthynuggetsofgold44>.

• Senior Citizens Dances are held every other Friday at 7 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Community Center. The next dance is Nov. 12. Music will be Western style. Entry fee is \$5 and includes a snack. For more information contact Cotton Mize at 270-5060.

• The Big Spring Art Association is looking for community businesses to display pieces of their artwork. In an effort to build awareness for the importance of the arts and highlight local talent, the Big Spring Art Association displays different art pieces across the community. If you would like a piece of art work displayed in your business lobby contact any member of the Big Spring Art Association.

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Take Note

• The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, 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 November featured artist/special speaker will be Denise Malm. The next meeting is Nov. 20.

• The Big Spring Symphony is celebrating 40 years. Shows remaining this season include: Dec. 8 "Holiday Spectacular"; Jan. 22: 'The Music of Queen'; Feb. 19 "Winter Wonderland"; and Spring Pops Concert on April 23. The remaining concerts will all take place at the Big Spring Municipal Auditorium. Tickets can be purchased in season passes or per concert. For updates and general information, follow The Big Spring Symphony Facebook page or go to www.bigspringsymphony.org.

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

• Howard County Community Health Center is offering the Moderna – a two dose and Janseen – a single dose, Covid-19 vaccine to those over

the age of 18. Businesses, churches, groups or organizations of 10 members or more who would like the vaccine can schedule a time to have a mobile vaccine clinic. The staff will to the business, church, or organization to administer the vaccine. For ore information, call 806-894-7842 ext 178 or 124 or e-mail Covid19@sprhs.org

• Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the fit for you.

Duties include working in the gift shop, delivering newspapers to inpatients, hospitality services, popcorn and more. To find out more about opportunities available with the SMMC Auxiliary, contact Amy Miramontes at 268-4809 or April Arms at 268-4907.

• St. Vincent de Paul food distribution will take place the second Thursday of each month from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and other assistance will take place the third Thursday of each month from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. Both distributions will take place at 1009 Hearn at SVDP Building.

• Interim HealthCare is looking for volunteers. Those who would like to find out more about becoming a volunteer can cal 432-263-5999.

SCOOP

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ISD student, what is one of your favorite memories?

One of my favorite memories is that fateful day in fifth grade when the principal introduced our substitute teacher for the week...my mother! That was a very long week for me but I was impressed that my mother didn't do what most substitutes had

done in the past. Past subs had given us reading assignments and served as baby sitters. Mom came prepared to teach and followed our teacher's lesson plans.

What do you consider to be your greatest professional and/or personal accomplishment(s) to date?

I have been very lucky. I dreamed about being on the radio, working as a news reporter or DJ. I applied for a DJ position at KBST but the job had

been filled. Fortunately, the station's Program Director and News Director, Bob Lewis (aka Tumbleweed Smith), asked if I would like to intern in the news department. There was no pay involved but he would teach me skills I would need to become a radio news reporter. That bit of good fortune would start me on a path that led me to pursue a career in media. I worked as news director, DJ, editor for a national radio news service,

artist manager, concert production manager, record producer, and now, co-founder and Chief Operating Officer of a social media production company.

What advice do you have for today's students at Big Spring High School?

Follow your dreams. You'll never know if they are impossible dreams until you try.

CITY

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As usual, the meeting will begin with an invocation, Pledge of Allegiance, and a time for public comment, either in person or by phone.

Following public comment, Allan Johnson will give a presentation from the Howard County Resource Center, and Jim Little will give a presentation from Hangar 25 Air Museum.

City Manager Todd Darden will give his regular report, including information about the Nov. 17 plans for the District 5 Large Item Pickup; the city's annual holiday schedule; employee recruiting; and an update on backfills and street patching.

The sole item on the meeting's Consent Agenda is approval of the minutes of the Oct. 26 regular City Council meeting.

In Old Business, the council will consider on final reading an ordinance consolidating rules governing the Convention and Visitors Bureau Board into Chapter 2 of City Code, as part of its ongoing campaign to collect rules for all city boards and committees into a single chapter of the code.

Council will consider approval of vouchers in the about of \$513,660.62 for Oct. 28, and of \$1,792,678.14 for Nov. 4.

In New Business, the council will acknowledge receipt of the CVB Committee's minutes of its regular Oct. 6 meeting, and of the Big Spring EDC Board's minutes of its regular Sept. 21 meeting.

EDC Director Willis will lead a discussion regarding a proposed Howard County Leadership Summit concerning "Communication and Cooperation of Business and Governmental Leaders," according to the agenda; before presenting the EDC grant resolution mentioned earlier.

Council will consider how to cast the city's votes to elect directors to the Howard County Appraisal District board for 2022 and 2023. According to the resolution printed along with the meeting's agenda, the city is authorized to cast 414 votes, based on its tax levy for 2020. Nominees for the board are Mark Barr, Mike Dawson, Scott Emerson, Noel Hoff, Jordan Partee and Craig Wyrick.

In other business, the Council will consider amending the city's budget to include bathroom renovations at Fire Station No. 2. According to the ordinance presented in the agenda, the item would increase the city's Building Maintenance fund by \$45,000. "The net increase will be funded through the existing fund balance," the item states.

A memo from Fire Chief Craig Ferguson to City Manager Todd Darden included in the agenda states, "We have an immediate need for repairs at fire station 2 (18th and Main). The bathroom plumbing is backing up and the electrical is in need of update. While we are doing the plumbing I am asking to go ahead and put new tile and floors since we must jack hammer the floor up. I am asking for a budget amendment of \$45,000 to building maintenance so we can update the restroom and shower."

Continuing with its campaign to consolidate board and committee rules into a single chapter of City Code, council members will next take steps to move the Airpark Development Board's rules into Chapter 2 "Administration."

The council will also consider authorizing Mayor Shannon Thomason to officially extend the city's agreement with Texas Communities Group LLC for one year. According to its website texascg.com, Texas Communities Group LLC's "...mission is to increase our current tax values by impacting a city's lowest valued properties in a positive manner. We do so by implementing an effective plan to address dilapidated and abandoned structures, to creatively market your inventory of trust property, and to utilize acquired properties to meet the housing needs of our residents."

The council will consider action on a corrective warranty deed with Life Church. According to the correction deed provided with the agenda, the correction is to a General Warranty Deed dated March 23, 2009, in which Life Church sold three small tracts of land to the city - two 0.138-acre street easements comprising the west 40 feet of Lot and of Lot 4, Block 90, in the Original Town of Big Spring; and a 0.96-acre street easement comprising the west 40 feet of Lot 1, Block 97, in the Original Town of Big

Spring.

The council will canvass the returns of the Nov. 2 election, in which voters decided the fate of 21 propositions to amend the city's Charter.

Unofficial election results indicated that 17 of the 21 propositions met the voters' approval and passed, while four failed to garner enough votes to be enacted.

The final item in the New Business portion of the agenda involves appointments by Council members to seats on boards and committees.

The Traffic Commission has one nomination - Sharon DeAnda (nominated by District 1 Councilman Nick Ornelas).

Two nominations will be made to the Zoning Board of Adjustments - Sherry Wigginton (District 4 Councilwoman Gloria McDonald) and Veronica Zuniga (District 5 Councilman Troy Tompkins).

One nomination will be made to the Board of Adjustments and Appeals - John Flores (Ornelas).

The Convention and Visitors Bureau Board will get one new nomination - Sheila Crocket (Ornelas).

The Animal Rescue and Adoption Committee will get one new nomination - Tiffany Ramone (McDonald).

Open positions are listed for the Traffic Commission (1), Zoning Board of Adjustments (1), Board of Adjustments and Appeals (2), Planning and Zoning Commission (1), Animal Rescue and Adoption Committee (2), and the McMahon/Wrinkle Airpark Development Board (1).

Following the business portion of the meeting, Council members will have the opportunity to provide input about topics of importance to them before the meeting adjourns.

Members of the public may attend the meeting in person, or view it on Local Channel 17 through Suddenlink or online at myspringspring.com/224/Channel-17-Live

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Larry Oster, 82, died Thursday. Graveside memorial service will be at 2:00 PM Thursday at Trinity Memorial Park.

Johnny Munoz, 59, died Thursday. Visitation will be 9 AM until 9 PM with a prayer service at 7 PM Monday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral Service will be 10 AM Tuesday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mt. Olive Cemetery.

Patsy Miranda, 91, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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Big Spring Steers and Forsan Buff's both make playoffs



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Top Left: Major Stockton Hands ball of to Chris Mendez in a game earlier this season against the McCamey badgers. Top Right: Gabriel Baeza scores a touchdown at Memorial Stadium. Bottom Left: The Steers' defense lineups to keep the Fort Stockton Panthers out of the endzone. Bottom Right: Major Stockton runs the ball for the Forsan Buffs. Congratulations to both teams as they will continue their football season. The Steers will take on El Paso Riverside this Thursday in Fort Stockton at 7:00 p.m. The Forsan buffs will be in Brownwood to take on Goldthwaite on Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Broncos beat Cowboys 30-16 as 6-game Dallas win streak ends

By SCHUYLER DIXON

AP Pro Football Writer

ARLINGTON, Texas — Jonathon Cooper and the Denver defense pestered Dak Prescott a lot more than the rookie's first two sacks in the NFL showed.

The final score wasn't much of a reflection of the Broncos' dominance either.

Teddy Bridgewater threw for a touchdown and had a sneak for another, and the Broncos stymied the NFL's No. 1 offense when it mattered in a 30-16 victory Sunday, ending the Cowboys' six-game winning streak.

Prescott returned after missing a game with a strained right calf but couldn't get the Cowboys (6-2) moving until two meaningless late touchdowns that merely avoided what would have been their worst shutout loss at home since 1985.

"Those guys had the right mindset, which you have to when you're playing against an offense that's that good," Denver coach Vic Fangio said. "They bought into what we had to do to have a chance to slow them down. We did more than slow them down."

Beyond Cooper's pair of sacks, the Broncos (5-4) made Prescott uncomfortable in their first game since trading star pass rusher Von Miller — and with new team sacks leader Malik Reed (hip injury) inactive.

Denver also began without left tackle Garrett Bowles (ankle) and lost right tackle Bobby Massie and right guard Graham Glasgow to ankle injuries. Glasgow was taken off on a cart with an air cast on his lower left leg on the final play of the first half.

Still, the Broncos got their offense moving with the running game. They handed Dallas its first double-digit deficit of the season at 13-0 on Bridgewater's 41-yard touchdown pass to Tim Patrick, who beat NFL interception leader Trevon Diggs at the goal line.

The lead reached 30-0 in the Broncos' seventh consecutive victory in the series, a streak that goes back to 1995. Prescott threw two touchdown passes

to Malik Turner in the final five minutes.

"The message is don't take the cheese, and frankly we were outcoached, we were outplayed all the way through," Dallas coach Mike McCarthy said. "This is the first time I've felt clearly our energy didn't exceed our opponent. That's disappointing."

Even when the frustrated Cowboys thought they had something going right, they didn't. Turner blocked a punt to start the second half, but Dallas didn't take over inside the Denver 20 because rookie Nahshon Wright touched the loose ball beyond the line of scrimmage and Denver recovered.

The Broncos got to start over at their 19 and drove to a 19-0 lead on the last of three field goals from Brandon McManus, who earlier had bounced back from his first missed extra point of the season to nail a 53-yarder.

The Cowboys were 0 for 4 on fourth downs, including failures on their first two possessions. Receiver Amari Cooper had his first drop of the season to force one of those failed fourth downs and Dallas finished with a season-low 290 yards — about half with the game decided.

"You take the field with a little anger, honestly," Bridgewater said, referring to Dallas' early fourth-down tries. "They're saying our offense is not going to score. We talked about it in the huddle and we used it as motivation."

Prescott, the NFL leader in completion percentage at better than 73%, was 19 of 39 for 232 yards as his franchise-best, four-game run with at least three touchdown passes ended.

Bridgewater finished 19 of 28 for 249 yards with several big throws that helped the Broncos convert 8 of 15 third downs.

Javonte Williams had 17 carries for 111 yards, including a 20-yarder to kick-start Denver's first scoring drive, which ended on Melvin Gordon's 3-yard run. Gordon had 80 yards as the Broncos ran for 190 against the league's sixth-best run defense.

PREGAME COVID-19 SCARE

Denver had a pregame scare when quarterback

Drew Lock was ruled out because of COVID-19 protocols, and there was an error in Bridgewater's test that forced him to delay his warmup routine. Ultimately, the Broncos didn't lose anyone else for the same reason and managed multiple lineup changes for injuries.

Patrick, who had four catches for 85 yards, was helped off after an incompleting in the third quarter. Defensive tackle McTelvin Agim didn't return after injuring a knee, and rookie cornerback and first-round pick Pat Surtain II also injured a knee.

SLOWED ELLIOTT

Cowboys running back Ezekiel Elliott appeared slowed by a right knee injury that has bothered him this season. He limped off after one of his 10 carries (for 51 yards) and went to the sideline again a play after taking a screen pass 21 yards. Elliott was still playing with the game out of reach late. When he wasn't playing, Elliott had a large covering on the knee.

"Something I've been dealing with the past couple of weeks," he said. "It helped to just keep it warm."

ANOTHER LINE SHUFFLE

The Cowboys also had a retooled offensive line with left tackle Tyron Smith (ankle) inactive. Terence Steele moved across the line to his spot and RT La'el Collins started for the first time since the opener. Collins didn't get his job back from Steele after serving a five-game suspension for violating the NFL's substance-abuse policy.

UP NEXT

Broncos: Denver tries to go 3 for 3 in consecutive weeks against the NFC East. After beating Washington and Dallas, the Broncos get Philadelphia at home next Sunday.

Cowboys: Atlanta at home next Sunday.

Taylor returns, yet isn't enough to help Texans end slide

By TIM REYNOLDS

AP Sports Writer

MIAMI GARDENS, Fla. — Houston quarterback Tyrod Taylor had an excuse waiting if he wanted one. He could have blamed his numbers Sunday on the fact that he had missed nearly two months because of a hamstring injury and that he wasn't in any sort of game rhythm.

Instead, he took ownership.

Taylor threw three interceptions for just the second time in his college and pro career Sunday, part of another dismal day for the Texans (1-8). Despite forcing five turnovers, they lost 17-9 at Miami and had their losing streak reach eight games.

"We didn't execute," Taylor said. "That falls on me."

His only other game as a pro with three interceptions was Sept. 20, 2015, for Buffalo against New England, and even that one comes with a bit of an asterisk since his final giveaway that day skipped off the fingers of a receiver as the Bills tried to complete a frantic comeback down the stretch.

Otherwise, every other game in his NFL career, before Sunday, saw him throw no more than one interception. He never had more than two in any game in college at Virginia Tech, either.

"This week we wanted to put the pressure on Tyrod," Dolphins safety Eric Rowe said. "Once you see an offense and they can't figure it out, you keep running it. That's our mindset, get pressure on these quarterbacks."



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To: James Floyd,

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Brandy Guzman

Vs.

James Floyd

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Injury/damage-motor Vehicles as is more fully shown by the Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

Issued and given under my hand seal of said court at office on this the 15th day of October, 2021.

JOANNA GONZALES District Clerk of Howard County, Texas

By: /s/, Deputy

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8:AM			FamFeud				Light of Southwest	Sesame Elinor	CBS7 Wake Up	Mauri	Broke Girl Broke Girl	Charmed		SportsCenter	Golf Life	Chicago P.D.	Parking	Fast N' Loud
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South dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
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♠ J 2
♥ J 8 5 3
♦ Q 8 7 4
♣ 9 5 2
WEST
♠ K 8 5 3
♥ 10 7 6
♦ J 9 2
♣ 8 7 6
EAST
♠ 10 9 6 4
♥ Q 9 2
♦ 10 6 5 3
♣ 4 3
SOUTH
♠ A Q 7
♥ A K 4
♦ A K
♣ A K Q J 10

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3♣ Pass 3♦ Pass
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Opening lead — six of clubs.
This deal occurred in a national pairs championship. Most players have probably never held a hand containing 30 high-card points, but South had them on this occasion.
The bidding went as shown when Phil Feldesman and Ira Rubin held the North-South cards. Two clubs was an artificial strong bid, and two diamonds was negative. Three clubs identified a genuine club suit, and three diamonds (theoretically artificial) was a second negative response.
Tomorrow: The king can do no wrong.
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Suicide Is Never the Answer

Dear Annie: I am a 43-year-old woman who has had severe treatment for resistant bipolar depression, with psychotic features, my whole life. At 10, I tried to hang myself. At 16, I attempted suicide with pills and alcohol, and again at 25.

I am an only child, and my parents were all I had. I lived with them for a large part of my adult life because I was so sick. They were and are my everything. My mother died seven years ago of brain cancer. My father died suddenly of COVID-19 18 months ago.

I am unable to work because of my illness, yet I keep getting denied disability because it is a mental health issue.

The family friends who were the executors of my father's estate royally screwed up my trust fund and cost me tens of thousands of dollars on expenses they never gave me the price for. Now I am in a very bad place. My health is bad be-

cause I self-medicate since meds don't work. I've tried transcranial magnetic stimulation, electroconvulsive therapy and talk therapy. NOTHING works.

I do not leave my bed. I have been suffering bone-crushing depression my whole life and can honestly say that my life has been a horror show because the chemical imbalances in my brain keep me locked in a cycle of depression, mania and delusions.

Suicide is the only answer.

Everyone says it's selfish, but I think THEY are the selfish ones for wanting to torture me just so they won't miss me.

How can I express that, by guilt me into staying alive, they are putting me through unbearable hell? -- Ready to Die

Dear Ready to Die: Suicide is NOT the answer. Please go to this site <https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/help-someone-else/>. Please call 800-273-8255. The fact that you wrote

your letter tells me that a part of you wants to live. Your father's sudden death was a great shock to your system, and with professional help, you will be able to process the loss and move forward with less pain and depression. You don't want to die; you want the pain to die.

Dear Annie: I am curious about your thoughts and advice on a moral issue that my friends and I are debating.

The issue is that a woman was sleeping with a married man. After a few years, they ended things amicably. Now, a year later, the "other woman" is struggling with the question of whether she should apologize to the wife for her actions and tell her what happened. She is torn.

Her wanting to do this is based on self-giveness, sympathy for the wife, not knowing or a sort of anger that the man "got away with it," despite things ending on friendly terms.

Half of us think she should tell the wife.

The wife should know the kind of man she is married to. The other half say "ignorance is bliss" and she could be ruining a marriage for -- at this point -- nothing really, other than her own conscience, which may be selfish in considering how this revelation could impact the wife in many ways.

Both sides seem to have valid points, so we are divided. -- Wise or Ignorant

Dear Wise or Ignorant: It sounds like half the town knows about the affair. I'm not sure how "amicable" the breakup was if the "other woman" is willing to jeopardize her ex-partner's marriage. I vote for silence.

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 - INHALE
 - LARYNX
 - LUNGS
 - MEATUS
 - NARES
 - NOSE
 - OBSTRUCTION
 - OXYGEN
 - PHARYNX
 - PULMONARY
 - RESPIRATION
 - SEPTUM
 - THORAX
 - TRACHEA

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

FEATURES

Today in History

Today is Monday, Nov. 8, the 312th day of 2021. There are 53 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 8, 2000, a state-wide recount began in Florida, which emerged as critical in deciding the winner of the 2000 presidential election. Earlier that day, Vice President Al Gore had telephoned Texas Gov. George W. Bush to concede, but called back about an hour later to retract his concession.

On this date:

In 1793, the Louvre began admitting the public, even though the French museum had been officially open since August.

In 1864, President Abraham Lincoln won re-election as he defeated Democratic challenger George B. McClellan.

In 1889, Montana became the 41st state.

In 1923, Adolf Hitler launched his first attempt at seizing power in Germany with a failed coup in Munich that came to be known as the "Beer-Hall Putsch."

In 1950, during the Korean War, the first jet-plane battle took place as U.S. Air Force Lt. Russell J. Brown shot down a North Korean MiG-15.

In 1960, Massachusetts Sen. John F. Kennedy defeated Vice President Richard M. Nixon for the presidency.

In 1966, Republican Ronald Reagan was elected governor of California, defeating Democratic incumbent Pat Brown.

In 1972, the premium cable TV network HBO (Home

Box Office) made its debut with a showing of the movie, "Sometimes a Great Notion."

In 1974, a federal judge in Cleveland dismissed charges against eight Ohio National Guardsmen accused of violating the civil rights of students who were killed or wounded in the 1970 Kent State shootings.

In 2002, the U.N. Security Council unanimously approved Resolution 1441, aimed at forcing Saddam Hussein to disarm or face "serious consequences." President George W. Bush said the new resolution presented the Iraqi regime "with a final test."

In 2010, former kidnap victim Elizabeth Smart took the stand in Salt Lake City on the first day of testimony in the trial of Brian David Mitchell, the man accused of abducting her in June 2002 when she was 14.

In 2012, Jared Lee Loughner

was sentenced to life in prison without parole for the January 2011 shootings in Tucson, Arizona, that killed six people and wounded 13 others, including Rep. Gabrielle Giffords.

Ten years ago: An asteroid as big as an aircraft carrier zipped by Earth in the closest encounter by such a massive space rock in more than three decades. Voters re-elected Kentucky's Democratic governor, Steve Beshear, and picked a new governor in Mississippi, Republican Lt. Gov. Phil Bryant. Bil Keane, 89, creator of the comic strip "Family Circus," died in Paradise Valley, Arizona. Rapper Heavy D, 44, died in Los Angeles.

Five years ago: Republican Donald Trump was elected America's 45th president, defeating Democrat Hillary Clinton in an astonishing victory for a celebrity businessman and political novice. Republicans kept their majorities in the Senate and

House.

One year ago: World leaders cheered Joe Biden's election as U.S. president as a chance to enhance cooperation on climate change, the coronavirus and other problems after four years of President Donald Trump's rejection of international alliances. Utah Gov. Gary Herbert declared a state of emergency and ordered a statewide mask mandate in an attempt to stem a surge in coronavirus patient hospitalizations that tested the state's hospital capacity. Jeopardy! host Alex Trebek died at his Los Angeles home after battling pancreatic cancer for nearly two years; he was 80.

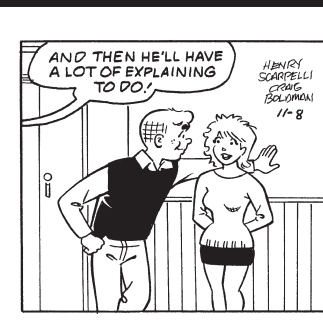
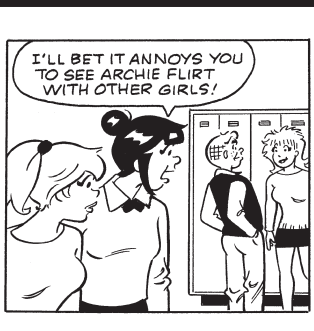
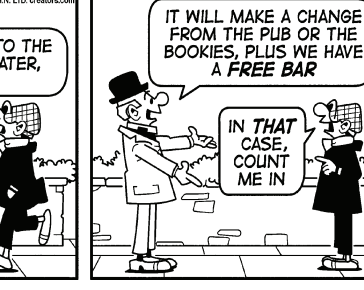
Today's Birthdays: Actor Alain Delon is 86. Singer-actor Bonnie Bramlett is 77. Singer Bonnie Raitt is 72. TV personality Mary Hart is 71. Former Playboy Enterprises chairman and chief executive Christie Hefner is 69. Actor Alfre Woodard is 69. Singer-songwriter Rickie Lee Jones

is 67. Nobel Prize-winning author Kazuo Ishiguro is 67. Rock musician Pearl Thompson (The Cure) is 64. Singer-actor Leif Garrett is 60. Chef and TV personality Gordon Ramsay is 55. Actor Courtney Thorne-Smith is 54. Actor Parker Posey is 53. Actor Roxana Zal is 52. Singer Diana King is 51. Actor Gonzalo Menendez is 50. Rock musician Scott Devendorf (The National) is 49. Actor Gretchen Mol is 49. ABC News anchor David Muir is 48. Actor Matthew Rhys is 47. Actor Tara Reid is 46. Country singer Bucky Covington is 44. Actor Dania Ramirez is 42. Actor Azura Skye is 40. Actor Chris Rankin is 38. TV personality Jack Osbourne is 36. Actor Jessica Lowndes is 33. R&B singer SZA is 32. New York Yankees outfielder and designated hitter Giancarlo Stanton is 32. Singer-actor Riker Lynch is 30. Country singer Lauren Alaina is 27. Actor Van Crosby (TV: "Splitting Up Together") is 19

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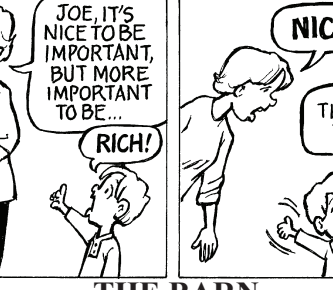


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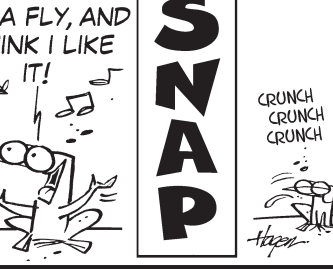


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Horoscopes By Holiday

MONDAY NOVEMBER 8, 2021

Lunar Love Affair

If you've ever been content to leave the house one way, then seen someone at the grocery store who made you wish you'd worn something different, you know the self-consciousness of status comparisons. The connection of Venus and the Capricorn moon is the sort that has us looking at ourselves differently.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). It is too early to put your project out into the world. Work in private. Steer clear of the seduction of "likes" and ratings. Don't let outside opinions intrude on your self-concept.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You have many friends who do not share your interests. A diverse group has more to teach you than a homogenous one, yet it will amplify your vitality to find people who like what you like.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). A second opinion can be helpful at times, but right now, you don't need someone looking over your shoulder and rating your performance. Stay away from those who judge and correct. This is something best figured out on your own.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Beauty impresses you. You'll find it today in the qualities of honest people. Instances of honor and loyalty may just take your breath away. Goodness is all around you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). It is possible to be happy while trying to make others happy, but it can also be a rather complicated and roundabout route. You'll bring more joy to all by pursuing your original aims and letting the rest fall into place naturally.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). It's easy to love cheerful, helpful, attractive, agreeable and interesting people. The karma points come from loving the difficult and unpleasant who show no signs of loving you back.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Just as one person's trash is another's treasure, someone's worst nightmare is just the challenge you live for. Stay solid in your preferences and let no one's opinion taint your utter enjoyment of them.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Thinking too far ahead can have a paralyzing effect. Instead, walk in faith. You're going in the right direction, so you don't need to worry about too much else for now.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You can be hard on yourself. You can't see what you could be giving yourself credit for. For instance, you're willing to try new things. You have no idea how many people are afraid to take the chances you take regularly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). There are many

ways to speak love, but none of them are quite as effective as simply showing up to the daily actions with something slightly more than was expected.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). What you're doing feels like it's in the right ballpark, but perhaps you'd be better suited to another position on the team. Investigate to find out what else may be available to you.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You're not just passively hearing what someone says. You honor their expression by bringing your curiosity and imagination into play, reflecting an interpretation and dancing with the ideas.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Nov. 8). You'll master the art of getting to know people. You'll read them well, learn them quickly and respond so effectively you'll win friends, jobs and trusted roles. Quality time with your favorites will be a highlight. The key is to make plans often and far in advance. A new interest has you developing your mind and memory. Cancer and Pisces adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 30, 11, 24 and 17.

COSMIC QUESTION: "I hinted around that I wanted to get married, and he broke up with me, saying that we just weren't in the same place. He told me that I deserved better. Honestly, I don't see how it could get any better than my Capricorn guy. He's gorgeous with a great personality, tons of friends and serious swagger. He has a good job and he's got his head on straight. I think I'd better figure out how to get him back before he gets snatched up. How should I go about it? I'm a Gemini."

You don't think it could get any better than being with a man who doesn't adore you or want to marry you? That's a stumper because, to me, it sounds like a setup for misery. Move on from this. Wanting to be with someone who isn't interested in you is a form of self-punishment you don't deserve. Start planning enjoyable events with friends; looking forward to them will be half the fun. Also, join groups and pursue special interests. Getting more serious about work is another way to build your confidence, but you really need to spread the energy around several parts of your life right now. You don't even realize how damaging it has been to misplace your love like this, but when you start caring more about yourself, you'll look back and say, "What was I thinking?"

CELEBRITY PROFILES: The Scorpio energy of transformation can be applied to many disciplines. Famous chef and television personality Gordon Ramsay gives his Scorpio powers to turning ordinary ingredients into food magic. Ramsay was born when the sun, Venus and Neptune were

in passionate Scorpio. His quest for culinary perfection has garnered him Michelin stars and restaurants around the world.

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Newsday Crossword

REPETITIVE PAIRS by Sally R. Stein
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Ruckuses
 - 6 Moving slightly, while in bed
 - 11 Keep from happening
 - 12 Accumulate, as awards
 - 14 Eventually
 - 15 Tediously without stopping
 - 17 Mural or sculpture
 - 18 Feel poorly
 - 19 Edition of a magazine
 - 20 Long-tailed rodents
 - 22 Kettle to brew your pekoe
 - 26 Young- (kids)
 - 27 Pretzel shapes
 - 29 Practices punching for a bout
 - 30 Employee badges: Abbr.
 - 31 Car horn honks
 - 33 Office neckwear
 - 34 Part of TGIF
 - 35 Absolute, in a bad way
 - 38 Little mischief maker
 - 40 Impress greatly
 - 41 Distorts, as data
 - 44 ___ in a million (rare)
 - 45 Lip-shine cosmetic
 - 47 Gives off, as heat
 - 49 Rowboat implement
 - 50 Fully prepared
 - 52 Stretch across, as a bridge
 - 53 Publicity guy, for short
- DOWN**
- 1 "The thing you mentioned as well"
 - 2 Be the proprietor of
 - 3 Father, to a baby
 - 4 Circle a planet
 - 5 Hairdresser's creations
 - 6 Long ___ (in the past)
 - 7 ___ Diego, CA
 - 8 Characteristics
 - 9 Rural hotels
 - 10 Diamonds or hearts, in a card deck
 - 11 Dictator
 - 13 Boxing match periods
 - 14 Tree's outer layer
 - 16 Loch ___ monster
 - 21 Bend down low
 - 23 Suitability for a situation
 - 24 Picked up the check
 - 25 Triple-decker cookies
 - 28 Trio after R
 - 32 Delay intentionally
 - 34 Lines on a list
 - 36 Army truant: Abbr.
 - 37 Luau instrument, for short
 - 38 Consecutively
 - 39 Mythical woman/fish
 - 42 Help with the dishes
 - 43 Maintain the ___ quo
 - 44 Clumsy person's comment
 - 45 Much-honored Mahatma of India
 - 46 Antiviral fluids
 - 48 Break sharply
 - 51 Subject being discussed
 - 54 Cost to get a poker hand
 - 56 Nickname for Grandma
 - 59 "Wait just a ___!"
 - 60 Rock in a mine
 - 62 Neither here ___ there

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Level: Beginner

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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CROSSWORD Today's Answers

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