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<u>Upcoming Events</u>

*New Life mature* adult dance. Western-style. 7 p.m. Nov. 19 at the Dora Roberts Community Center. Entry fee is \$5 and a snack will be served. Call 517-9097 for more information.

Three Angels Food Pantry food distribution starts Nov. 18 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 4319 Parkway Rd., and the third Thursday of every month after that.

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.

### Darby holds Town Hall at Coliseum State Rep discusses COVID, winter storm, House Dem walkout By ROGER CLINE seats.

Herald Staff Writer

Big Spring's representative in the Texas House of Representatives made a stop in town Monday and held a Town Hall Meeting at Howard College.

Rep. Drew Darby of Texas House District 72 – which includes Big Spring - addressed a variety of subjects including the COVID-19 pandemic, the energy industry and the Public Utility Commission, as well as the Texas House Democrat

of State House and Senate Monday afternoon.



HERALD photo/Roger Cline

here in Big Spring, but she gave it to me between Christwalkout in mid-July and State Rep. Drew Darby visits with local citizens who mas and New Years." the upcoming redistricting attended his Town Hall meeting at Howard College

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# Girl Scout Troop 33918 paying it forward by making care bags for Veterans in honor of Veterans day



**Courtesy Photo** Girl Scout Troop 33918 made 18 care package bags filled with PJs, body wash, lotion, chap sticks, Goody bag with snacks & drink and who can forget 2 boxes of Girl Scout Cookies for our Veteran that reside at our local VA. They will be distributed after the parade.

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# **Commissioners table fire** alarm vote again a Leadership Summit. This is about

#### **By ROGER CLINE** Herald Staff Writer

Howard County Commissioners discussed maintenance on the Howard County Courthouse's fire alarm system for a second meeting before deciding to table the issue once again.

The holdup involves whether or not to wait for pricing on inclusion of a carbon monoxide detector for the system, or to go ahead and order the system without the detector and then add it in once the price and parts are available.

Commissioners and county employees were unclear as to whether the new alarm system's receiver box will have the capacity to incorporate the carbon monoxide detector.

In other business, commissioners approved a resolution to participate in a Howard County Leadership Summit with other government and business leaders from around the county at Howard College.

"Howard College would like to host

all of our suggestions about how the three GEO prison systems is going to affect us, and offer any insight or any information that we have or any help that we can think of," said County Judge Kathryn Wiseman regarding the proposed summit. "They have already scheduled two job fairs at this time, so that's already in the works. In the meantime, she is hoping that we will all meet for a meeting on Dec. 9. It will be at 5:30 p.m. so that the public can attend and each entity will offer something, or their own observations, for how they think it's going to affect the county."

County leaders voted unanimously to participate in the summit.

Commissioners cast 793 votes to elect Scott Emerson to the Howard County Appraisal District board of directors. Local governmental entities each get votes to elect members to the board based on the amount of

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### Yeats to resign at end of 2022 Special to the Herald

118th District Court Judge Tim Yeats has announced that he will not seek reelection to the office, and will finish his



term Dec. 31, 2022. Yeats has served in the position since Jan. 1, 2011. At the end of his current term, he will have served three terms in the post.

"I am honored to have served the citizens of Howard, Martin and Glasscock counties

Yeats

as their district judge for the past 11 years," Yeats said in a released statement. "I appreciate their confidence in electing me to the position and have enjoyed my years of service. I will complete my current term which expires on Dec. 31, 2022, and then will move on to the next chapter of my life."

Yeats' successor will be chosen in the 2022 general election. Primaries will be March 1, 2022, while the general election is scheduled for Nov. 8, 2022.



# **Obituaries**

### Ethel Clark Guthrie



Ethel Clark Guthrie of Tomball, Texas, died on Sunday, Nov. 7, 2021. at the age of 92, from cancer.

Ethel loved champagne, bird watching, sun bathing, and eating cake for breakfast. She was a Hospital Volunteer for over 25 years. Her greatest joy was spending time with her family and friends. Her family will miss her laugh and her ability to make family gatherings so mem-

orable, especially at Cherry Mountain.

She is predeceased by her husband, the Rev. John Allan Guthrie Sr.

She is survived by her three sons, Greg Smith and his wife, Gloria Tobias, of Grapeland, Texas, Brian Smith and Dr. Jeanne Stout of La Porte, Texas, and

### Terri Lee Cate



Terri Lee Cate, 67, of Olden, formerly of Big Spring, was called home on Wednesday, November 3, 2021.

She was born July 10, 1954, in Ranger, Texas, to Bobby and Wanda England. She married Larry Don Cate on August 21, 1972, and they lived in Big Spring for 35 years.

Terri was a longtime resident of Big Spring and had worked for Goliad Middle School Cafeteria for

Deacon Glenn Smith and his wife, Claire Paras, of Bedford, Mass.; her two stepsons, John Guthrie and his wife, Nancy, and Gil Guthrie and his wife, Lizanne; her twin sister, Edna Timmerman; her beloved grandchildren, Thea Junt, Aaron Smith, Christine Pennington, Dr. Ashley Tucker, Dr. Samantha Tutt, Anthony Smith, Alexander Smith, and Rebecca Smith; her step-grandchildren, Robert Guthrie, Elizabeth Guthrie, Kyle Guthrie, Zach Guthrie, Jack Guthrie, and Suzannah Guthrie; and five great-grandchildren.

A Funeral Service will be on Friday, Nov. 12, 2021, at 10 a.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home, 1041 US-79, Rockdale, Texas, with burial in Forest Grove Cemetery in Milam County, Texas.

Calling hours will be held on Thursday from 5-7 p.m.

#### Paid Obituary

over 13 years, and also worked at Walmart Supercenter for many years. She moved to Olden in 2015, where she lived until she was called home.

Survivors include her husband, Larry Cate of Olden; her children, Teria Dedmon of Eastland, Dana Hudgins and husband, Shane Shultz, Bubba Cate and wife, Larea Cate, all of Big Spring, Jennifer Cate, and Scott Hohertz of Medins; 12 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was proceeded in death by her parents; grandson, Hunter Cate; great-granddaughter, Ashley Cate; and two brothers.

Paid obituary

# **Fire/EMS**

Big Spring Fire Department/ EMS reported the following activity:

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

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported on HWY 176 and FM 2599.

• MEDICAL CALL was report-

ed in the 400 block of Donley. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported 10 miles out of N. HWY 87. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1700 block of Alabama. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Cen-

ter.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1400 block of State Park Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

• **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1900 block of Simler Drive. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

# Sheriff

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

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

• **RICHARD DEAN ANDERSON** 54, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of Rider not secured by saftey belt, Failure to maintain financial responsibility, possession of drug paraphernalia, and bail jumping.

• **TAHAR SIMON BOUHALA**, 33, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of Public Intoxication.

• **NICHOLAS NEWTON BRYANT**, 25, was arrested by HCSO on a charge of Theft.

• JOSEPH MATTEW BUCKNER, 25, was arrested by BSPD on a charge of terroristic threat of Public Intoxication. • JOSE ANTHONY CHAVEZ IV, 25, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Striking unattended vehicle. • KAMERON RAY COKER,18, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Fraud. • LORI ANN COKER,38, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Evading Arrest, Tamper with evidence, Fraud. •HUNTER LOGAN COX, 18, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Burglary of Habitation, Harboring runaway child. • BRANDI MARIE FLOREZ, 22, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Driving while intoxicated. • ENRIQUE CASTILLO HERNANDEZ, 19, was arrested bt BSPD, on a charge of possession of Marijuana. • JUAN PABLO HERNANDEZ, 38, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Driving while intoxicated. • GABRIEL ANTONIO LOPEZ, 28, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Parole Violation. • JIMMY LUNA, 31, was arrested by HCSO, on a charge of Possession of a controlled substance, Bail jumping.

• **ANDREW PAUL QUALLS**, 24, was arrested by DPS, on a charge of Driving while intoxicated.

• **TABER M RHEINCKER**,29, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Theft of a firearm, Assault of a Peace Officer x2, Resisting arrest.

• **ROYCE DON ROWDEN**, 75, was arrested by HCSO, on a charge of Bond Violation, Protective order assault.

• **KIMBERLY RENE STARK**, 51, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Driving with license invalid, Possession of marijuana.

• ANTAVIUS JAQUAN TOLER, 23, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Assault with bodily injury against a family member, Parole violation.

• LAURO VASQUEZ, 38, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of No fishing license, Failure to appear, Driving while license suspended, False drug test.

### Larry Oster



Larry Oster, 82, passed away in Big Spring on Thursday, November 4, 2021.

With him went a lifetime of stories, quick humor and a wealth of information about makes and models of airplanes and old cars, names of actors on old TV westerns, numerous sports statistics and cooking tips on various foods. Most of all, we will treasure memories of the love he

showed to his family.

He was raised in Southern Illinois and was an Army veteran of the Korean War.

Relatives remembering him include his wife, Deniece Walker; half-brother, Lynn Oster; son, Brent Oster; daughter, Molly Bynum; stepchildren, Anneke Nagao and Adrian Walker; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. He also had many friends and acquaintances.

A memorial will be held at the Trinity Memorial Park Peace Chapel at 2 p.m. Thursday, November 11, 2021.

Our thanks to Kindred at Home providers, Home Hospice nurses and the VA assistance. Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com *Paid obituary* 

# Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

• **HUNTER LOGAN COX**, 18, of 15108 E county road 70 in Stanton, was arrested on a charge of Burglary of a habitation, and Harboring a runaway child.

• **GABRIEL ANTONIO LOPEZ**, 28, of 500 NW 9th ST, was arrested on a warrant.

• ANTAVIUS JAQUAN TOLER, 22, of 1109 N. Aylesford, was arrested on assault with bodily injury to a family member

• **ROYCE DON ROWDEN**, 75, of 1900 Martin Luther King blvd, was arrested on warrant.

• **UNWANTED SUBJECT** was reported in the 1300 block of Baylor Blvd.

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

• **THEFT** was reported in the 620 block of Colgate ave.

• **ASSAULT** was reported in the 1100 block of N. Aylesford St.



• **TYREN DARNELL YARBROUGH**,25, was arrested by BSPD, on a charge of Theft of a firearm.



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He said the oil and gas industry has had a tough time of it between COVID and the winter storm.

"If you remember, we had complete demand destruction in our oil and gas sector. When you went to negative pricing on oil and gas...never before had we seen that," he said. "That's what we thought we were going to be dealing with, but sometimes the good Lord has other plans for us. That's when the winter storm hit which created a whole different set of challenges facing not only Big Spring and Howard County, but the state of Texas.'

One issue the legislature considered was enforcing separation of energy production, distribution and sales, he said. Part of the attempted fix included tinkering with the makeup of the Public Utilities Commission (PUC).

"We took a look at that, and, as in most cases with a complex issue, a lot of politicians look to take the quick exit and put some lipstick on that pig and trot it out and say 'We fixed it.' That's what I'm afraid happened," Darby said. "We changed the makeup of the PUC. We went from three to five. There were members of the PUC that weren't from Texas...we said 'No, no no! You've got to be from Texas.' So we now have five PUC members that are all from Texas. They don't have to be competent."

Darby said an amendment to the legislation on the House floor would have required competence among commission members.

"There was an amendment on the floor of the Texas House that said – pretty elemental – if you're a member of the PUC, you have to be competent. You can't just be a political appointee," he said. "Sounds right...doesn't it to y'all? It was voted down on the Texas House floor. I voted for that amendment. I think they ought to be competent. I think if you're going to serve on the PUC, they ought to have basic understanding, not just be a political donor. I had the next amendment up, and I said, 'If they're not going to be competent, at least make them rural. You have to have at least one rural member on the PUC. That passed. But it didn't get into the bill."

Another item of discussion in the House's session was winterization of energy production facilities.

"We talked about winterization, what we saw during the storm. We had a lot of infrastructure go down because it wasn't winterized," he said. "Well, how do you accommodate such a widespread, phenomenal event that kept people from actually going to the wellheads to take water off the wellheads to keep them from freezing up? No amount of electricity to that site matters. It takes a person to go open up the valve. We saw that across Texas."

Part of the problem was that the deep winter weather is unusual across most of the state, he said.

"They've built their generating facilities to where they can withstand the heat of the summer. They're by-and-large located in buildings that don't have any sides. They want to keep them as cool as possible in the heat of the summer," Darby said. "So when you had below-zero temperatures as far south as the Valley, then you know, you had gaug-

es freeze up, you had pumps freeze up, you had all kinds of calamities that prevented that generation from happening. And also, that generation where it was being generated - wasn't able to get to the people who needed it because we didn't have enough transmission."

Darby said he introduced a bill to provide more transmission capacity for energy, but it was unsuccessful.

"It was killed by the generators. They enjoy high pricing. They enjoy scarcity pricing. They made billions of dollars during that period of time, so why tinker with it? They might not make as much money," he said. "We all support natural gas, but it's an unregulated commodity."

The unregulated nature of natural gas means that it is generally sold to the highest bidder, Darby said.

"Guess what? People paid more for that commodity than people who were generating the electricity for all of you. It went to industrials, where the people are manufacturing widgets. They got that natural gas for their power generations," he said.. "They got the natural gas, paid exorbitant amounts of money, and then they cut down their load so that they could sell their generating capacity at even higher dollars. They made out like bandits at your expense. Did we change any of that? No, we didn't. So when this happens again, hopefully it won't happen as widespread, or take over the whole state like it did.'

One bright spot: The federal government provided much relief funding between the twin disasters, Darby said.

"The federal government stepped up and paid a lot of money. We had almost \$30 billion that came to Texas," he said. "Part of it came directly to the state, part of it came directly to the schools or cities. We were able to support and fund education. We were able to support and fund almost \$30 billion to the Department of Transportation. We put a lot of money into rural healthcare, rural hospitals. We put money into broadband, telemedicine...all the things that rural Texans depend on out here. We're isolated."

Darby discussed the redistricting efforts, which leaves most of the state's legislative clout in the more densely populated east.

"There's not a lot of representation numerically. I'm one of 17 state representatives that represent two-thirds of the land mass of Texas, that is, west of Interstate 35," he said. "There are 25 state representatives like me that represent Harris County. So right off the bat, we're at a disadvantage, so we have to stand up and represent rural Texas.'

Darby said his district will add one county due to the current redistricting efforts.

"In the next census that we just got back, and we're redistricting, my district stays the same. I keep the same nine counties, but I add Coleman County," he said. "The Senate we've changed. Right now, Kel Seliger's district goes all the way from the Oklahoma Panhandle down to El Dorado, Texas. Forty-six counties. Charles Perry has about the same number. It looks terrible on a map, but

that's the reality."

On July 12, Texas House Democrats traveled to Washington, D.C., during the legislative session in an effort to break quorum in the House of Representatives. In both the state House and Senate, twothirds of the members must be present for the body to be able to conduct business.

"By and large I think it was a productive (legislative session) except for about six weeks where the Democrats went to Washington, D.C., and we weren't able to do our work," he said. "I will tell you, it was a very frustrating time."

Darby discussed the routine during the walkout for the Republican representatives who remained in Austin.

"My work day consisted of getting dressed, meeting at the appointed time - usually 10 o'clock - and we would kick around and see how many we had, see if the Democrats showed up. Then about 10:30 we would pray. We'd pledge allegiance. Sometimes we'd break out in 'America, the Beautiful.' Then we would go up to the front. We'd ask the parliamentarian for a piece of paper that was color coded to the day, and ask for permission to leave the floor of the House, because DPS was stationed at the front and the back entrances, and we could not leave that chamber without that piece of paper. And to get that piece of paper, we had to promise that we'd be back the next day at 10 o'clock. So while we weren't in Washington, we were pretty darn frustrated."

In August the Democratic lawmakers returned to Austin

"When they came back in the second fall session about midway, it was a pretty anxious time. There was a lot of animosity to say the least," Darby said. "Those that had left felt

as though they were righteous in their actions, and they were looking to motivate the federal government to pass a national election law. Those of us that were left behind felt betrayed. There were relationships that were harmed. There were traditional alliances...some of my closest alliances in the House are with South Texas Democrats because they believe in public education, so they're naturally aligned with rural Texans in supporting education. Those were all harmed."

Following Darby's address, members of the audience at the meeting who numbered about 20 - asked several questions before Darby left to head to Glasscock County for his third Town Hall Meeting of the day.

#### MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL 24th & Johnson 267-8288

Larry Oster, 82, died Thursday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Johnny Munoz, 59, died Thursday. Funeral service will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at Mvers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mt. Olive.

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

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tax levies they collect. At a previous meeting, the Howard County leaders nominated Emerson for the position.

copies at the courthouse will be declining in the near future.

"In January, those are going to go down a lot," Zitterkopf said. "Our state mandates what we can charge for copies.

• \$1,080 for case ammunition for the Howard County Sheriff's Department and Jail.

• \$4,349 for library cards, including set up fee and shipping, for the Howard Coun-

The commissioners tabled an item involving a master license and service agreement with Harris Govern for tax software. Howard County Tax Assessor-Collector Tiffany Sayles was not present at the meeting.

County Treasurer Sharon Adams presented her monthly payroll report for October and personnel considerations, both of which were unanimously approved by the commissioners without comment.

County Auditor Jackie Olson presented invoices, purchase requests and budget amendments, which were approved unanimously.

County Road Administrator Brian Klinksiek presented bids for work on County Road 45, and commissioners approved the low bid of \$228,805.45 from Black Jack Energy Services of Snyder.

Klinksiek also presented a revision to his letting schedule for 2022, which was unanimously approved.

Commissioners met in executive session for about 20 minutes to discuss personnel, and took no action on matters discussed during the closed session upon their return to open session.

County Clerk Brent Zitterkopf presented his monthly report, noting that revenue from photo-

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changing it to where, when they send electronically, which is what we do with almost all copies, the first 10 pages are \$1 a page, and then each additional page – per case, or whatever – is only 10 cents. So right now...like, recently we had one that was 322 pages, and we got \$322. Now, we get \$10 plus 10 cents a page for the rest, so \$31 more dollars. So we'll get \$41 instead of the \$322. We don't have many that are that big, but we have a lot of them that are over 10 pages."

Following Zitterkopf's report, commissioners adjourned the meeting.

#### **Requisitions**

• \$3,000 for cleaning supplies at the Howard County Detention Center.

• \$5,000 for inmate supplies, including boots, workforce shirts, pants, food, etc., at the Howard County Detention Center.

\$2,000 for indigent supplies at the Howard County Detention Center.

• \$1,000 for inmate supplies, including blankets, sheets, towels, etc., at the Howard County Detention Center.

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**Citizens Federal Credit Union CLOSED Thursday 11/11** 

**State National Bank CLOSED Thursday 11/11**  ty Library.

• \$10,361 for 50 winter jackets for the patrol division of the Howard County Sheriff's Department.

• \$3,577 for a 10,000 kilowatt generator, department not listed.

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# Sports

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# **Big Spring Steer Tennis team win the Regional Quarterfinal Championship**



Left: The Big Spring Steer Tennis team poses for a picture after a huge victory to win the Regional Quarterfinal Championship. Right: Ethan Urias wins a huge watch to give the Steers the win. **Special to the Herald** 

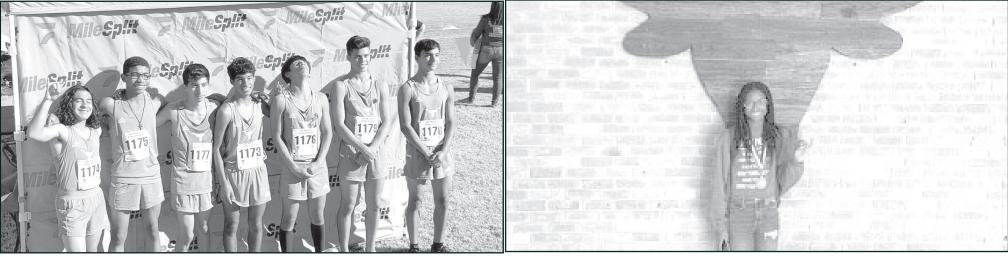
The Big Spring Steer Tennis Team took to the courts against the Brownfield Cubs in Andrews in a matchup between two District Champions for the Regional Quarterfinal crown. Big Spring was even with Brownfield through the first six matches but a hot streak by Brownfield put them ahead 8-3. Big Spring fought back by winning four matches in a row to draw to within 8-7. The first team to win 10 matches would be the Regional Quarterfinal champion.

Big Spring was faced with having to win 3 of the last 4 matches to clinch the

championship. Lexie Rodriguez and Itzel Garcia-Marquez won their matches but Big Spring's No. 5 boy lost. This tied the match at 9-9 with Ethan Urias being the lone competitor remaining. Ethan was down a set but came back to win the second. The third set super-tiebreaker was quickly tied at 9-9 (10 points wins but you have to win by 2). Ethan toughed out the last few points and won the match 12-10 making Big Spring the Regional Quarterfinal champs.

Big Spring will next play at the Regional Tournament at Rose Park in Abilene against state-ranked No. 2 Argyle.

# **Big Spring Steer Cross Country Teams does well at State meet**



**Courtesv Photos** 

This past weekend the Big Spring boys Cross Country team and individual Steer competitor Elisabeth Jones had the chance to compete in the State cross country meet. Jones had a fantastic run to represent the Lady Steers as she finished 99 out of 152. The Boys team put on a great team effort as they fell just short of the podium with a very respectable fourth-place finish. It was an excellent season for all of these athletes congratulations!

# **Bears rookie QB Fields nearly has his moment vs Steelers**

By DAN SCIFO Associated Press

"I was just playing football," Fields said. "I felt line, but couldn't punch it in after a short run and good."

a pair of incomplete passes.

PITTSBURGH - Justin Fields nearly had his moment in the spotlight on "Monday Night Football."

The rookie quarterback guided the Chicago Bears to a go-ahead touchdown against Pittsburgh with 1:46 remaining, but Ben Roethlisberger responded with the 50th game-winning drive of his 18-year career. Chris Boswell hit a 40-yard field goal with 26 seconds left and the Steelers escaped with a 29-27 win.

"For Justin to lead that offense down there and finish with a touchdown was really good, but in the end we didn't finish," Bears coach Matt Nagy said. "We gave them a chance to make that field goal in the end to win it and that's where we're at."

Making his seventh NFL start, Fields completed 17 of 29 passes for a career-high 291 yards with a touchdown and an interception. He also ran for 45 vards, but the Bears lost their fourth straight and fell to 3-6 overall.

Still, the youngster displayed poise and promise in the second half for a Chicago offense — and passing attack — that ranks last in the league.

It was the second straight week of progress for Fields, as the No. 11 overall draft pick described a growing sense of confidence in his own game following an 11-point loss to San Francisco. In that one, the former Ohio State standout threw for 175 yards, rushed for 103 and produced several highlight-reel plays.

One week later, he almost led the Bears all the way back from 14 points down early in the fourth quarter.

Boswell gave Pittsburgh a 26-20 lead when he kicked a 52-yard field goal with 2:52 to play.

That's when Nagy saw something in his new quarterback.

"I looked over at Justin and he had a smile on his face where it was like it was his time," Nagy said. "To see that ... it was like he was almost hoping that this was going to be the situation and for him to follow through, and make the plays he made, it was a really good feeling on the sideline."

On the go-ahead drive, Fields called his own number to convert a third-and-1. He later connected with Allen Robinson for a 39-yard strike down the right sideline on third-and-2 and found Darnell Mooney for a 16-yard touchdown pass on the next play, giving Chicago a 27-26 lead with 1:46 left.

"My mindset was like, it's time ... we're here," Fields said. "You can either be the guy who always gets put in that position and doesn't show up, or you can be the guy who shows up in big moments. I was calm and focused on just showing up."

Fields did more than that. Unfortunately for the Bears, they left too much time on the clock for Roethlisberger and the Steelers.

"We know we're on the brink of being a great offense," Fields said. "We just have to keep working."

Fields led the Bears on a 12-play drive that resulted in a 30-yard field goal at the end of the second quarter, but that was the lone bright spot during a difficult first half, as Chicago trailed 14-3 at the break. On that final first-half series, the Bears were faced with first-and-goal from the 10-yard

The Bears punted on their first two possessions and Fields threw an interception on the third drive, leading to Pittsburgh's second touchdown. After a three-and-out, the Bears moved deep into Pittsburgh territory, but a sack knocked the offense out of field-goal range.

It was a different story after halftime, as Chicago scored on three of six second-half possessions.

Cairo Santos kicked his second field goal on Chicago's opening drive of the second half, but the Bears had a touchdown wiped off the board following a low-block penalty.

Fields brought Chicago back within reach following another Pittsburgh touchdown. The rookie had a pair of completions that went for 20-plus vards, setting up Mooney's 15-yard touchdown run that pulled the Bears to 20-13 early in the fourth quarter.

The offense got help from the special teams unit when DeAndre Houston-Carson returned a fumble 25 yards for a touchdown that made it 23-20.

Boswell's 52-yard field goal made it 26-20 with 2:52 remaining, setting the stage for Fields' goahead touchdown toss to Mooney just inside the left sideline.

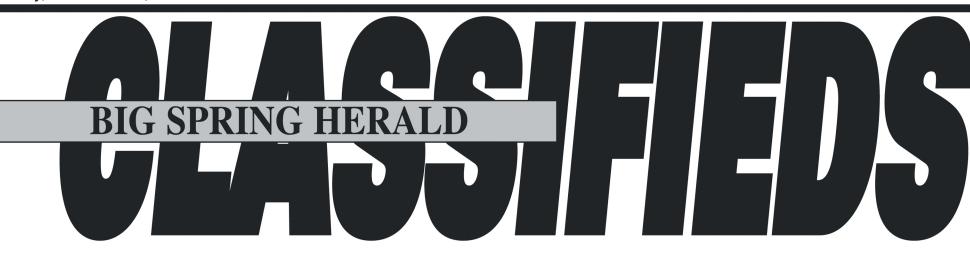
After the Steelers went back in front, the Bears got the ball back with 26 seconds to go and no timeouts. Fields got them to midfield before Santos' 65-yard field goal attempt fell well short.

"When you talk about the growth for him and the offense and our team in general, that's a moment," Nagy said. "But in the end, we lost and when you're in the locker room, this is a team game, and that's what we care about."



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Clue: Organs in chest

#### Β. 11 13 9 26 5

Clue: Air in and out of lungs

#### 17 C. 21 25 13

Clue: Protrusion in center of face

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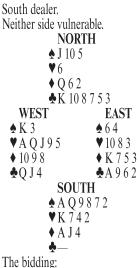
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# The king can do no wrong



best he could when he went up with the ace, ruffed a heart, ruffed a club and ruffed another heart. But all this proved for naught when he eventually lost a spade, a diamond and another heart to go down one. **Declarer did not** give himself the best chance for the contract. His plan to ruff hearts in dummy was certainly correct, but he should have led the king of hearts at trick two, not the deuce!

The bidding indicated that West had the ace of hearts, and South should therefore have aimed to put him on lead with a heart at trick two, rather than East. South could stand a trump shift at trick three far better from West than from East, so he should not have played a heart that would allow East to gain the lead for a trump return. Had South led the king of hearts at trick two, he would have made the contract. West would have won with the ace but would then have found it impossible to stop declarer from scoring 10 tricks. A trump return would cost West his natural trump trick, while any other return would allow South to ruff three hearts in dummy. To give himself the best chance for the contract, South should have made sure that he saddled West with the lead at trick two.

#### Keeping in Touch Is Worth the Effort

**Dear Annie:** This is in response to the letter from someone who said there is no tipping in Europe.

I can categorically say that there is tipping in Europe -- if we accept that Britain is in Europe. I am a 43-yearold Brit, and I tip almost every time I eat at a restaurant, unless the service has been bad. Family and friends do the same.

There are various things like a "service charge" that the restaurant might add, but leaving some cash on the table (say, 10%) is a very common occurrence. Some cof-

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staff, not the owners, get the tips.

We tip the wait staff to help increase their take-home pay, which is low relative to living costs, and to thank them for good service, as has been customary for time immemorial. --Local From Manchester, England

Dear Local From Manchester: Thank you for telling us about tipping in England. I notice you said 10%, which is less than most Americans tip.

Dear Annie: Staying close to family is not easy, but it is really important.

When my mom was younger, I was busy with work, kids, their extracurricular activities, and keeping up with housework and yard work. My spouse worked graveyard shifts for many, many years. And I lived quite far away from my mom, when long-distance

bills were a thing we had to budget for.

Now Mom is in her ninth decade and not in the best health. To my dismay, she rarely answers the phone. I make a point of emailing her every week or so, to send her news of our branch of the family.

We recently moved to a warmer, less expensive community as retirees, and I won't be seeing my adult children and the grandchildren every day. I do try to stay in touch, but I also know they have obligations and responsibilities and very busy lives. They don't often initiate a call. So, I'm learning to be OK with that as well.

I email the adults

letters to share with

their children, and I

children, too. I'm the

one who has the time

and energy to maintain

connection at this point

in our lives, whether it

send "snail mail" to the

is with my mom or my offspring.

It's good to tell people you miss them, but it's critical to cultivate relationships, within the family and within your community, to find ways to be less dependent and more socially self-sufficient. -- Sandwiched

Dear Sandwiched:

Thank you for sharing your experience. You are trying hard to stay in touch with family, and I'm sure your mom and your children appreciate it, even if they are too preoccupied to say so.

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Opening lead — ten of diamonds. **There are many** deals where declarer is in greater danger if one defender rather than the other obtains the lead. A failure to make the necessary adjustment to this problem resulted in South's defeat in today's hand.

South won West's ten-ofdiamonds lead with the jack and, with an eye toward ruffing his heart losers in dummy, led a low heart toward dummy at trick two. East took the heart with the eight and returned a trump. South did the

Tomorrow: A perpetual holdup.

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tip jars to encourage tipping. Ride-sharing and food delivery apps invite you to leave a tip.

> Tipping is even debated in the media, particularly regarding ways to make sure the

> > Countdown to **Thanksgiving** Nov 25, 2021

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### How to approach hosting Thanksgiving during the pandemic

Much like the holidays that preceded it in 2020, Thanksgiving figures to be different this year. An ongoing pandemic has changed the way much of the world lives their lives, including how holidays are celebrated.

As the novel coronavirus COVID-19 spread across the globe beginning in the winter of 2019-20, the World Health Organization recommended a host of behaviors designed to prevent

the spread of the virus and protect those who are most vulnerable to it. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention also noted the importance of keeping distance from others, especially for those who are most likely to get seriously ill if they're exposed to COVID-19, such as the elderly and people with underlying medical conditions.

The WHO and the CDC continue to recommend social distancing, which means Thanksgiving in 2020 will be unlike any other. Families must make their own decisions about getting together this holiday season, but hosts who intend to welcome guests into their homes this Thanksgiving can take certain steps to keep everyone as safe as possible.

· Scale back the guest list. Families accustomed to large Thanksgiving gatherings can scale the festivities back this year in an effort to keep everyone safe. Consider hosting a meal for immediate family members only, as the Environmental Protection Agency notes that COVID-19 may spread more easily in indoor environments via airborne particles. Extended family members can visit each other over the long holiday weekend to ensure everyone still sees each other, but keep such visits

outdoors when possible.

 Consider eating Thanksgiving dinner outside. If the weather permits, consider eating Thanksgiving dinner outside this year. Doing so may limit everyone's exposure to the respiratory droplets that researchers say can spread the virus when inhaled. If necessary, serve the meal earlier than you normally would so everyone can eat in midday when it's still warm outside. Hosts also can consider serving something more convenient than turkey, which takes a long time to cook, and limiting side dishes to one or two items.

• Assign seats. If the meal will be served

indoors, then hosts can assign seats to protect those most vulnerable to serious illness from COVID-19. Instead of cramming everyone in at one table, set up temporary tables and have guests sit in every other seat rather than next to one another. Isolate the vulnerable as much as possible while still ensuring they can engage in conversation.

• Discourage guests from attending if they feel sick. A list of COVID-19 symptoms can be found at www. cdc.gov. In the days prior to Thanksgiving, hosts can share that list with guests via email or social media and discourage guests who are feeling ill on or around the holiday from attending the festivities If necessary, make a to-go plate for ill relatives and drop it off at their homes so they can still enjoy Thanksgiving dinner.

• Stock up on hand soap and hand sanitizer. Hosts should make sure hand soap and sanitizer is readily available throughout their homes. When guests arrive, make sure everyone washes their hands immediately, and encourage guests to continue doing so throughout the day.

Thanksgiving will be different in 2020. Hosts need to adjust their normal Thanksgiving routines to ensure the safety of their guests.

# FEATURES mate.

# Today is Tuesday, Nov. 9, he sisth day of page 77

the 313th day of 2021. There are 52 days left in the year.

#### Today's Highlight in History:

On Nov. 9, 1938, Nazis looted and burned synagogues as well as Jewish-owned stores and houses in Germany and Austria in a pogrom or deliberate persecution that became known as "Kristallnacht."

On this date:

VOD LOOK

HAPPY.

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In 1620, the passengers and crew of the Mayflower sighted Cape Cod.

In 1872, fire destroyed nearly 800 buildings in Boston.

In 1918, it was announced that Germany's Kaiser Wilhelm II would abdicate; he then fled to the Netherlands.

MOM GOT A JOB AT THE WAFFLE WAREHOUSE ! WE

GET FREE WAFFLES!

THAT'S ODD, MR. CAPP. YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE WAS PERFECTLY NORMAL. AND THEN IT **SUDDENLY** SHOT UP

In 1935, United Mine Workers president John L. Lewis and other labor lead-ers formed the Committee for Industrial Organization (later renamed the Congress of Industrial Organizations).

In 1953, Welsh author-poet Dylan Thomas died in New York at age 39.

In 1965, the great Northeast blackout began as a series of power failures lasting up to 13 1/2 hours, leaving 30 million people in seven states and part of Canada without electricity.

In 1970, former French President Charles de Gaulle died at age 79.

In 1976, the U.N. General Assembly approved resolutions condemning apartheid in South Africa, including one characterizing the white-ruled government as "illegiti-

AGNES

THEY ARE A LITTLE RUBBERY FROM BEING ON THE BUFFET ALL DAY, BUT

MOM CONVINCED THEM

TO NOT THROW THEM OUT!

ANDY CAPP

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IT MUST HAVE HAPPENED

WHEN YOU STARTED

GIVING ME ADVICE, DOC.

In 1989, communist East Germany threw open its borders, allowing citizens to travel freely to the West; joyous Germans danced atop the Berlin Wall.

In 2000, George W. Bush's lead over Al Gore in all-or-nothing Florida slipped beneath 300 votes in a suspense-filled recount, as Democrats threw the presi-dential election to the courts, claiming "an injustice upperclaiming "an injustice unpar-alleled in our history."

In 2005, three suicide bombers carried out nearly simultaneous attacks on three U.S.-based hotels in Amman, Jordan, killing 60 victims and wounding hundreds.

In 2007, President Gen. Pervez Musharraf (pur-VEHZ' moo-SHAH'-ruhv) of Pakistan placed opposi-tion leader Benazir Bhutto (BEN'-uh-zeer BOO'-toh) under house arrest for a day

DON'T HATE

ON ME.

IF YOU TELL ME

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and rounded up thousands of her supporters to block a mass rally against his emergency rule.

Ten years ago: After 46 seasons as Penn State's head football coach and a record 409 victories, Joe Paterno was fired along with the uni-versity president, Graham Spanier, over their handling of child sex abuse allegations against former assis-tant coach Jerry Sandusky. Taylor Swift won her second entertainer of the year award at The Country Music Association Awards.

Five years ago: Democrat Hillary Clinton conceded the presidential election to Republican Donald Trump, York that her defeat was "painful, and it will be for a long time." But Clinton told her faithful to accept Trump and the election results, urging them to give him "an open mind and a chance to lead."

One year ago: President Donald Trump fired Defense Secretary Mark Esper, injecting more uncertainty to a rocky transition period as Joe Biden prepared to assume the presidency; Trump said Christopher Miller, director of the National Counterterrorism Center, would serve as acting secretary. Attorney General William Barr authorized federal prosecutors to pursue "substantial allegations" of voting irregularities before the presidential election was certified, despite no evidence of widespread fraud; the action raised the prospect that Trump would use the Justice Department to try to challenge the outcome. The Trump administra-tion blocked government officials from cooperating with President-elect Joe Biden's team on a transition. Georgia's two Republican senators called for the resignation of the state's top election official, Brad

Raffensperger, a fellow

Republican, who had said

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#### **BIG SPRING HERALD** Tuesday, November 9, 2021

there weren't enough doubt-ful votes to tip Georgia into the Trump column.

Today's Birthdays: Baseball Hall of Famer Whitey Herzog is 90. Movie director Bille August is 73. Actor Robert David Hall is 73. Actor Lou Ferrigno is 70. Sen. Sherrod Brown, D-Ohio, is 69. Gospel singer Donnie McClurkin is 62. Rock musician Dee Plakas (L7) is 61. Actor Ion Overman is 52. Rapper Pepa (Salt-N-Pepa) is 57. Rapper Scarface (Geto Boys) is 51. Blues singer Susan Tedeschi (teh-DEHS'-kee) is 51. Actor Jason Antoon is 50. Actor Eric Dane is 49. Singer Nick Lachey (98 Degrees) is 48. Country musician Barry Knox (Parmalee) is 44. R&B singer Sisqo (Dru Hill) is 43 Country singer Corey Smith is 42. Country singer Chris Lane is 37. Actor Emily Tyra is 34. Actor Nikki Blonsky 33. Actor-model Analeigh H'-nuh-lee) Tipton is 33.

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THE TV SAYS IT'LL BE SUNNY AND PLEASANT ALL DAY TODAY! 1 maller 11 hul



#### TUESDAY November 9, 2021

#### Lunar Power Moves

This is the most industrious day of the week, and thanks to the moon in the sign of power moves, the smart way to use this energy will be more apparent. To work hard at useless endeavors is a tragic waste of time and life. What would you do were you a lazier person? It's the trick question that will help you make the most efficient choice.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). The first few bars of a song will take you back in time. It will be lucky for you to treat the memory as an invitation to reconnect. review a lesson or marvel at your iournev thus far.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Within the limitations of these circumstances, you you. You'll return with a fresh take.

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AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). The explorers before you did not know you, but they imagined you. That's why they made maps you could follow. You are fulfilling the destiny of those before you as you use the resources available to you.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). What you expect yourself to handle can be a vote of confidence or a setup for a fall. Be kind in the matter, shooting for a level of stress that invigorates instead of depletes.

#### TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

(Nov. 9). Your power grows as you narrow your focus and home in on your top priority. You'll go for tangible, reasonable goals and wind up with glorious intangibles out of the deal, too, like a feeling of soaring, creative highs, and the sort of bond ed connections that can't be put into words. Funding sources double. Scorpio and Capricorn adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 14, 11, 21, 46 and 3.

**By Holiday** fraction of a dot." -- Scorpio cosmologist, Carl Sagan

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# Newsday Crossword

#### ACROSS

- 1 Optimistic wish 5 Urban area, for
- short **10** Quick haircut
- 14 Surrounded by
- 15 "On the \_\_\_\_\_ hand . . ."
- Sharpen, as a 16 skill
- **17** Had in your hand
- 18 Cheek cosmetic
- 68 Hurricane relief org
- 69 Rocks from a mine 70 German "Thanks!"
- 71 With no air, as a tire

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#### Laughing sounds

- 2 Last Greek letter
- 11 There-and-back flight
  - 12 Rustic lodging
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  - **21** To the <u>degree</u> (highly)
  - Amazon's smart 22 speaker voice 26 Start of a
- valentine
  - phrase 27 Angered
- **ALPHABET INTROS** by Billie Truitt Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com
  - 42 Keep a ship on course
  - 47 Made disapproving sounds
  - 49 When a train is due: Abbr.
  - 52 Woman's name that means 'rose"
  - 54 Unable to be bent

can still construct a life of vour own choosing. Because these surroundings are so familiar to you, it is hard to see all your options. A friend or mentor can help.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21). You will receive a gift, but it won't feel like yours until you use it, test it and experience it as an asset. In time, this could become an indispensable tool.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22). A reputation is a story, and money, in and of itself, is not a story. Reputations can-not be bought, only earned or created. Relatedly, today's financial barriers will be hurdled through nonfinancial means, and to everyone's benefit

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22). The intention to be kind and patient must be reset. Patience in particular will seem connected to a limited reserve and once it runs out. it needs to be restored. A change of scenery can help. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept.

22). You'll witness a moving scene, or maybe it's moving because you are the witness. Your poetic heart will melt as you surrender to the poignant moment. There's no good reason to resist it!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You send out powerful, good energy to your family, and they will handle challenges more easily because of the boost but also because of the tangible support that comes with your intentions. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-

Nov. 21). You want to be in charge, but it's not because vou need to flex or because you think you deserve the role. Leaders can open the doors for others, and you know people who need to come through those doors.

SAGITTĂRIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). There's a mixed bag of tasks before you, and your enthusiasm will ebb and flow. Waning motivation is only temporary. Push on through. You are stronger than you know.

CÁPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Your mood turns restless. There's something to adjust, but first, escape the immediate tension. Sensory input -- like a walk. a meal or music -- will reset

#### COSMIC QUESTION: "I'm

a landscaper by trade and have worked hard all of my life. My family owns several acres of orange groves on the Florida coast. My brothers and I have inherited some of the land, and my younger brother wants to sell his part of it and live in style. My wife wants me to do the same, but it just doesn't feel right to me. This land has been in our family for generations. I would like to have something to pass down to my children if I have children. You should know that my wife is 46 and doesn't want children. This has always been a problem between us. Should I sell the land or keep it? My birthday is 5/14/1965 and I was born at 1 p.m. EST in Key West, Florida.

The fifth house of your astrological chart speaks to your creative talents and powers of imagination. It also has to do with children. You do not have planets in the fifth house, which indicates that this part of your destiny is unwritten; it is completely up to you. Just because you do not currently have direct DNA-related heirs doesn't mean you don't have a legacy. Consider carefully your contributions, what you care about and the values you stand for and would like to see live on past you. With Pisces in the fifth house, you are susceptible to romantic persuasion, but this one is yours to sort out and feel good about.

#### CELEBRITY PROFILES:

"Every teacher of morals, every corrupt politician, every 'superstar,' every 'supreme leader,' every saint and sinner in the history of our species, lived there -- on a mote of dust suspended in a sunbeam ... Think of the rivers of blood spilled by all those generals and emperors so that, in glory and triumph, they could become the momentary masters of a

- **19** Mom's sister 20 Repeatedly
- 23 Lack of danger
- 24 Texter's "Very funny!"
- 25 Subsidiary, for short
- 28 Make warmer
- 31 Curl up cozily 33 Male deer
- 37 Rebounding
- sound
- 39 Canon copier competitor 40 "You might
- consider instead . . ."
- 43 Ambulance wail
- 44 Passport stamp
- 45 Went verv fast **46** Start a new paragraph,
- perhaps 48 Roam around 50 Lieutenant's
  - subordinate: Abbr.
- 51 Belonging to us
- 53 "... have to fear is fear
- 58 "Whatever you'd like me to do"
- 62 Wandering rail rider
- 64 Where sailors go 65 British
- exclamation
- 66 With no tread, as a tire
- 67 Formal decree

- 4 Bauer
- (clothing label)
- Snaky coral-reef 5 fish
- 6 English prep school
- 7 Heavy-landing sound
- Fit for a monarch 8 State south of 9
- Washington 10 Spicy Asian
- cuisine
- 3 Mideast rice dish 29 End of Macbeth or Hamlet
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  - 32 Hardens, as cement
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  - 34 Putting to work
  - 35 Surface for playing poker
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  - **38** Approximately 41 Be a pest to
- 55 Painter's stand 56 Camel's South
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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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