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County to discuss Horseshoe Pavilion today

Commissioners are expected to finalize deal with contractor before meeting

By Joseph Basco
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County commissioners will vote today to approve the contractor that will construct the Horseshoe Pavilion, a 110,000-square-foot project that could potentially bring more special events to Midland.

Monte Jamison, the county's purchasing agent, said negotiations with the contractor are ongoing, so he could not discuss the details of the contract until after the Commissioners' Court meeting. The cost of the extensive project is estimated to be about $25 million, as previously reported.

Precinct 1 Commissioner Jimmy Smith said he, other county staff and the potential contractor met Thursday to discuss ways to save money on the construction without jeopardizing the integrity of the project. He said this project was being funded from the large tax base created by sales tax and hotel and motel tax revenue.

Commissioners and the president of the company that manages the Horseshoe said the pavilion will help bring in more events, including concerts and agricultural shows, and even weeklong events.

And one of the ways the facility will allow for a greater number of events is having one space for events that require dirt, and one space that does not. Up to three events could be staged simultaneously at the pavilion.

"In 2012, we missed about 275 events," said Mike Dooley, president of Dooley Management Co.

Dooley said events never came to the Horseshoe mostly because dates weren't available. Smith said additional reasons events were not booked were lack of hotel vacancies and the time it takes to transfer dirt in and out of the arena.

"With the way Midland's growing, we've outgrown the facility," Smith said.

The Horseshoe has a direct economic impact of $7 million per year, according to data Dooley Management has compiled. Factoring in the business at nearby hotels and restaurants, Dooley said the annual economic impact is about $25 million.

Horseshoe Pavilion is expected to be complete in about 14 to 16 months, Dooley and Smith said.

HOOK, LINE AND SINKER



Tyler White/Reporter-Telegram

Fishing boat captain Warren Sellers, left, answers questions from an attendee about fishing trips to Costa Rica on Saturday during the Great Outdoors Expo at the Horseshoe.

Outdoor expo offers travel, recreation options

By Tyler White
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Fishing boat captain Warren Sellers said a trip to Costa Rica offers three things: "Good surf, good fishing, no people."

Attendees of this weekend's Great Outdoors Expo for fishing, hunting and camping had the opportunity to learn about such trips.

Sellers was one of several vendors who provided information on fishing and hunting trips in locations spanning Texas, New Mexico and even Central America and Africa. He said the expo offers good exposure for his business ventures.

Jack Woolley, of Taos, N.M., also said the expo is a great way to put a face to a name for potential customers, especially because many Texans visit Taos. He and Van Beacham, also of Taos, plan trips for fly fishing enthusiasts.

Beacham said fly fishing is a sport that can be enjoyed throughout the year. He

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Friends of Midland Soccer nears fundraising target

■ Group seeks to transform Beal Park into soccer complex

By Stewart Doreen
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A group looking to provide a major upgrade to soccer facilities in Midland is approaching a fundraising goal that could trigger a city match and make the first phase of a soccer complex that much closer to reality.

Paul Colwell, of the nonprofit Friends of Midland Soccer, said his group has been busy raising funds that will go toward transforming Beal Park into a soccer complex.

When completed, the three-phase plan could bring to Midland's west side 79 soccer fields, including three championship fields and 19 fields that are 60 yards by 40 yards. Smaller fields also will be built to provide a home to soccer leagues for kids of all ages.

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See a master plan of the soccer complex and breakdown of cost, amenities.

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At some point, Colwell said, all soccer games played in Midland, including those at Windlands and Butler fields, could be relocated to Beal Park. The $6.1 million project is made up of three phases and could be completed in three to five years, Colwell said. Phase 1 may soon be a done deal because Friends of Midland Soccer has raised 83 percent of funds.

Colwell said the city of Midland has said it would provide matching funds of $825,000 to complete the $1.65 million first phase, which Colwell said includes 14 fields that measure 60-by-40 yards, 10 40-by-30 fields, 10 30-by-20 fields and six 15-by-10 fields.

"The council feels strongly that we will be funded for 2014," Colwell said. "Our goal is to be playing soccer by 2014."

Colwell said the new facility is modeled after Railroad Park in Lewisville. He said the growing soccer community in Midland needs a facility such as the one Friends of Midland

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MIDLAND 101

By Jimmy Patterson

Midlanders remember 1968 flood

Editor's note: This is Part 2 of a two-part series on the flood of 1968.

Few things seem to stir up memories like shared historic experiences. Thursday was the 45th anniversary of the great flood of 1968, and many people were moved to post their memories of that day online. For many, it seems like the flood was much more recent than it was.

"I remember like it was yesterday," Maranna Horn wrote on the "Remember in Midland When …" Facebook page. "I was a junior at LHS. Walking on top of the fences in the yards surrounding the 'A' Street park, cars washing into the park, skipped school to help with Salvation Army (but they didn't need our help, so we just played), so much destruction. Such a unique thing to experience."

On the same page, another Facebook user remembered something perhaps not many others saw: "I still remember watching our neighbor's backyard wooden fences being washed away,

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This publicity image released by Disney shows Johnny Depp as Tonto, right, and Armie Hammer as The Lone Ranger, in a scene from "The Lone Ranger," opening July 3.

Will Disney's new Tonto be any better than subservient predecessors?

By Felecia Fonseca
Associated Press

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz. — The Hollywood image of Tonto once had the Lone Ranger's sidekick wearing a thin headband and lots of dangling fringes. The latest Disney version has a shirtless Johnny Depp adorned with feathers, a face painted white with black stripes and a stuffed crow on his head.

The character in the upcoming "The Lone Ranger" still speaks broken English and chants prayers. But Depp has said he's less subservient, honors the proud American Indian warrior and displays a dry sense of humor seen throughout Indian Country. The production even hired a Comanche adviser, making it decidedly a Comanche story, and received the blessing of other tribes through ceremonies during filming.

Yet Disney has caught flak for what some say is the perpetuation of stereotypes through a character that lacks any real cultural traits. Moviegoers will have to wait until July 3 to see how all this plays out on screen. For now, they're getting a glimpse through movie trailers that have left them both optimistic and angry, and wondering to what extent the new Tonto portrays actual American Indians.

What has most people scratching their heads is the black crow that appears to hover over Depp's head and the black stripes that run vertically down his painted face. The inspiration came from a painting by artist Kirby Sattler, who said his work isn't specific to one tribe but is modeled after nomadic Plains tribes of the 19th century.

Depp took the image to the film's Comanche adviser, William "Two-Raven" Voelker, to ask if it was far-fetched. His answer: It's not.

"There are a lot of people out there screaming who are not Comanche, as in this story Tonto is supposed to be," Voelker said. "They know nothing of bird culture. When we wear or use those feathers, we're calling on the energy of the entire bird."

Depp's elaborate costumes — as seen in "Pirates of the Caribbean," "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" and "Edward Scissorhands" — are nothing new. Voelker said he never would have agreed to be a consultant on the movie had he not been assured the production team would be sensitive to American Indian culture and committed to at least some historical accuracy.

The teepees used in the movies, for example, have four poles to reflect the way the Comanche built them, not three more commonly seen in movies and that trace back to Cheyenne and Sioux tribes. The production also visited Oklahoma to hear the Comanche language being spoken and worked with Voelker and others to give Depp Comanche lines in the movie.

The story of westward expansion as told from Tonto's perspective isn't entirely accurate historically. Some of the scenes are filmed in Monument Valley on the Navajo Nation, with trains curving around the spires that Navajos believe are petrified deities, and Depp and co-star Armie Hammer looking out beyond the cliffs. Voelker had sought out the sweeping expanses of the southern Plains, home to the Comanche Nation.

Hanay Geiogamah, a member of the Kiowa Tribe of Oklahoma who advised Disney on "Pocahontas," said Depp's Tonto comes off as a mystical, radical modernization of the character played by Jay Silverheels in the 1950s, which is by far the most recognizable.

"You can say, 'well, American Indians are going to like this one more,'" Geiogamah said. "Are they going to respond more positively to the Johnny Depp Tonto? You're still responding to a non-Indian, stereotypical image."

Eileen Maxwell, a spokeswoman for the Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian, said Depp has a tall order to fill if he wants to turn Tonto into a more positive image.

"All of its past iterations have not been good for Native Americans," she said. "They've been stereotypical, one-dimension and not true depictions of the westward expansion, which was devastating to Native America."

Ernest Tsosie, of the Navajo comedy duo, James and Ernie, is looking forward to seeing the movie.

One scene has Tonto and the Lone Ranger atop a train, being held at gunpoint by an outlaw who asked if they're going somewhere. The Lone Ranger says no; Tonto insists they are. His straight-face turns to a smirk as the two are picked off the train by a hook that catches the chains that tie them together.

"It's a real quick moment where I caught it and I kind of chuckled," Tsosie said. "From what I saw, there's some moments in there that are meant to be funny but not outwardly funny. I think most Natives will pick up on it."

Tsosie said other tribes have teased the Comanche for making Depp an honorary member but doesn't believe Depp is ignorant of American Indian culture. Depp was inquisitive about the Navajo language during filming, and the tribal president gave him a Pendleton blanket. T-shirts that Depp has worn have pictures of American Indian warriors in the 1492 version of homeland security and with the letters "AIM" for American Indian Movement, Tsosie said. "I think he knows what's up."

Disney's remake of the "Lone Ranger" has Tonto in the role of coach to John Reid, the idealistic law school graduate played by Hammer, who finds himself out of his depth when he returns to his hometown and eventually becomes the Lone Ranger.

Michelle Shining Elk, a member of the Colville Tribes of the Pacific Northwest who works in the film industry, said the latest depiction will give the wrong perception of American Indians, "that we are uneducated, irrelevant, non-contributors to society living in teepees out on the Plains." She expected Depp to deliver his lines in a more realistic and modern manner, "not like a caricature from a John Wayne movie, or 1920s cartoon," she said.

But as John Wayne was a Hollywood creation, so is Tonto largely.

"I just hope that the other rabble-rousers out there can just sit back and take this in as a piece of entertainment," Voelker said. "It's not ever supposed to be an end-all to our Comanche culture. If they have problems, they can come to us, and I take that responsibility."

STATEBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

ARLINGTON

Fans get to camp in outfield of Rangers Ballpark

About 2,000 campers woke up on Mother's Day morning in what may be the classiest campground in Texas.

The Texas Rangers opened up the outfield grass of Rangers Ballpark in Arlington for its first Fan Sleepover.

While the outfield has been available for scout groups and other small outings, this weekend's campout was the first for the general public, who gobbled up 2,000 tickets so they could plant their sleeping bags on the manicured grass where major league outfielders normally roam, said Sean Decker, director of sales for Texas Rangers Enterprises.

Susan McCutchan, her husband, their two daughters and one of their friends came from Dumas, 350 miles to the northwest in the Texas Panhandle.

"We thought it would be a once-in-a-lifetime trip for the girls," said McCutchan, whose family tries to go to a Rangers game at least once a year.

To help pass the time Saturday night, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported a trailer-mounted big screen televised the Rangers' victory over the Houston Astros a couple hundred miles away.

The campers also got a chance to watch "The Sandlot," a 1993 coming-of-age baseball movie. This year is the film's 20th anniversary and director David M. Evans and Patriok Renna, who played "Hamilton 'Ham' Porter," made an appearance.

"We thought it was a natural fit," Mary Hyink, marketing director for Fox Sports Southwest, the Rangers' TV broadcast network, said. "The movie has a timeless, positive message."

LYTLE

1 vote — the only vote — decides school board race

A school board election for a South Texas district has been decided by one vote:

It was the only vote.

The San Antonio Express-News reported Christina Mercado has won her race as District 1 representative on the Lytle School District by collecting the only vote cast in Saturday's election for the open board seat.

The district about 25 miles southwest of San Antonio serves about 1,730 students on four campuses.

Obituaries



Greta Lee Rodgers Renfro

Greta Lee Rodgers Renfro was born September 5, 1979 in Midland, Texas to Carl Lynn and Betty Lee Rodgers and was raised in Midland. She went home to be with her Lord and Savior on Friday, May 10, 2013. She was always active in athletic activities: 13 years of softball and 20 plus years of bowling.

All of her friends that got to know her over the years loved her for her big heart and fun spirit.

On April 12, 2012, Greta married her soul mate, true love and best friend, Kevin Lynn Renfro. They had only really started their lives together, but it was as though they had been togeth-er forever.

She was employed by Cudd Well Services in Odessa, Texas.

Greta was preceded in death by her grandparents, Jap and Leona McIlvain; grandfather, Bill Rodgers; and father-in-law and mother-in-law, Jimmie Neal and Nellie Jo Ray.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory, husband, Kevin Lynn Renfro; daughters, Katie Lee Rodgers and Kaylee Jo Renfro; parents, Betty and Carl Rodgers of Midland; sister, Sabrina Kay Early and husband James; brother, Chad Lynn Rodgers and wife Vanessa; brother-in-laws, Danny Renfro, Sr. and wife Connie and Robert Renfro and wife Sherry; sisters-in-law, Lena Renfro and Tina Barrandey; grandmother, Della Rodgers of Azle, TX; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

Visitation will be from 6-8pm on Monday, May 13, 2013 at Ellis Funeral Home in Midland. Funeral services will be held at 2:00pm on Tuesday, May 14 at Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 1415 N. Grandview Ave, Odessa, TX 79761. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers will be: Rodney Bates, Jarred Graham, Danny Renfro, Sr., Shane Wagner, Charles Renfro, Kevin Jackson, Roman Baker, and Gilbert Villa. Honorary Pallbearers are: Robert Renfro, David Grant, Scott Pope, Justin Burleson, and David Pope. Online condolences may be made at www.ellisfunerals.com.

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Death Notices

Brad Holcomb

Brad Holcomb passed away May 9, 2013.

He is survived by his loving wife Mary Ann, twin sons Austin and Justin, brother Glynn Holcomb; numerous nieces and nephews; an aunt and uncle; sisters and brothers-in-law; special friends; and his 1st Alarm family; Mom and Dad Longmire of Yuma, AZ; and numerous cousins.

A celebration of his life will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 15, 2013, at First Baptist Church.

Services entrusted to Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home of Odessa.

Selso Montes Subia

Selso Montes Subia, 78, of Midland, passed away May 11, 2013.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 14, 2013 at Sunset Memorial Gardens & Funeral Home. Burial will follow at the Sunset Memorial Gardens & Funeral Home.

Selso is survived by daughters, Patricia Estes, Alicia Sais (David), and Silvia Subia; sons, Selso Subia Jr., Gabriel Subia (Blanca), Rudy Subia (Carol), Steve Subia (Lorenza), and Daniel Subia (Stephanie); 28 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be given to the UPC, at 3111 W. COUNTY RD. 116, MIDLAND, TEXAS 79706.

Funeral arrangements by Sunset Funeral Home.

House, Senate face impasse over budget

By Chris Tomlinson
Associated Press

■ ANALYSIS

AUSTIN — Republicans control both chambers of the Texas Legislature, but that hasn't kept them from reaching an impasse over the state budget.

Lawmakers have plenty of cash to spend after years of slashing spending, but Republicans appear afraid to write the checks, lest their conservative values come into question. Democrats have been fighting to make sure their priorities, such as public schools, don't suffer as Gov. Rick Perry pushes for $1.8 billion in tax cuts.

Republicans in the Texas Senate have chosen to shield themselves from criticism by passing a resolution allowing voters to decide on setting up special funds for water projects, road building and public schools. Senate Joint Resolution 1 would give voters the chance to take $6 billion from the rainy day fund for those purposes.

State Sen. Tommy Williams, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, said the upper chamber wants to keep those funds out of the reach of lawmakers, and that requires a constitutional amendment. But the more pressing issue is a referendum allows Republicans to avoid a vote on busting the constitutional spending cap.

Speaker Joe Straus calls that California-style governing. He insists that if lawmakers think it's important to fund the state water plan and build highways, then they should vote to take the money from the rainy day fund themselves.

That leaves Republicans at an impasse and Democrats with just enough power to swing the vote one way or another. Perry has threatened to veto a budget that doesn't include a tax cut, so he has a say, too.

The next two weeks will see who blinks first. If neither side compromises by May 27, then Perry will have no choice but to call lawmakers back for a special session before the budget expires Aug. 31.

The budget and taxes also happen to be the most important issue for conservative activists, who keep scorecards on lawmakers. Rep. Drew Darby, R-San Angelo, thought he had support last week for raising vehicle registration fees to fund new roads, but soon discovered conservative groups were working against him and threatening retaliation at the ballot box.

Michael Sullivan, the director of Texans for Fiscal Responsibility, used Twitter to mock Darby, saying the bill "smelled" and was an attempt to "pick the people's pockets."

A team of lawmakers from both chambers is trying to negotiate a compromise that most lawmakers can get behind, one that taps the rainy day fund for right-leaning purposes to make busting the spending cap more palatable.

But the conservative Texas Public Policy Foundation is doing its best to influence those talks, issuing a statement along with 12 other groups on Friday saying lawmakers should "neither exceed the state's spending limit—by any amount— nor (spend money) from the state's Economic Stabilization Fund to pay for ongoing government expenses or new programs." In order to do that, lawmakers would either have to forsake the state water plan and new road funding or cut spending for public schools.

50 years on, many find profit in 'truth' on JFK case

By Allen G. Breed
Associated Press

On the very day John F. Kennedy died, a cottage industry was born. Fifty years and hundreds of millions of dollars later, it's still thriving.

Its product? The "truth" about the president's assassination.

"By the evening of November 22, 1963, I found myself being drawn into the case," Los Angeles businessman Ray Marcus wrote in "Addendum B," one of several self-published monographs he produced on the assassination. For him, authorities were just too quick and too pat with their conclusion.

"The government was saying there was only one assassin, that there was no conspiracy. It was obvious that even if this subsequently turned out to be true, it could not have been known to be true at that time."

Most skeptics, including Marcus, didn't get rich by publishing their doubts and theories — and some have even bankrupted themselves chasing theirs. But for a select few, there's been good money in keeping the controversy alive.

Best-selling books and blockbuster movies have raked in massive profits since 1963. And now, with the 50th anniversary of that horrible day in Dallas looming, a new generation is set to cash in.

Of course, the Warren Commission officially concluded in 1964 that Lee Harvey Oswald had acted alone — and issued 26 volumes of documents to support that determination. But rather than closing the book on JFK's death, the report merely served as fuel for an already kindled fire of doubt and suspicion.

Since then, even government investigators have stepped away from the lone assassin theory. In 1978, the U.S. House Select Committee on Assassinations ended its own lengthy inquiry by finding that JFK "was probably assassinated as a result of a conspiracy."

That panel acknowledged it was "unable to identify the other gunman or the extent of the conspiracy." But armed with mountains of subsequently released documents, there has been no shortage of people willing to offer their own conclusions.

Among the leading suspects: Cuban exiles angry about the Bay of Pigs fiasco; Mafiosi enraged by Attorney General Robert Kennedy's attacks on organized crime; the "military-industrial complex," worried about JFK's review of war policy in Vietnam.

One theorist even floated the notion that Kennedy's limousine driver shot the president — as part of an effort to cover up proof of an alien invasion.

Anything but that Oswald, a hapless former Marine, was in the right place at the right time, with motive and opportunity to pull off one of the most audacious crimes in American history.

"As they say, nature abhors a vacuum, and the mind abhors chance," said Michael Shermer, executive director of the Skeptics Society and author of "The Believing Brain," a book on how humans seem hardwired to find patterns in disparate facts and unconnected, often innocent coincidences.

Polls underscore the point

About 6 in 10 Americans said they believe multiple people were involved in a conspiracy to assassinate Kennedy, while only one-fourth think Oswald acted alone, according to an AP-GfK survey done in mid-April. Belief in a conspiracy, though strong, has declined since a 2003 Gallup poll found 75 percent said they thought Oswald was part of a wider plot.

The case has riveted the public from the start. When the Warren Commission report was released in book form, it debuted at No. 7 on The New York Times Best Sellers List.

Two years later, attorney Mark Lane's "Rush to Judgment" dominated the list. The Warren Commission, he argued, "frequently chose to rely on evidence that was no stronger and sometimes demonstrably weaker than contrary evidence which it rejected."

The book has since sold millions of copies in hardcover and paperback, says Lane.

Since then, dozens of books with titles such as "Best Evidence," "Reasonable Doubt," "High Treason" and "Coup D'Etat in America: The CIA and the Assassination of John F. Kennedy" have sought to lay responsibility for JFK's death at the highest levels of the U.S. government — and beyond.

British journalist Anthony Summers, whose BBC documentary became the 1980 book "Conspiracy," said many conspiracy buffs "are fine scholars and students, and some are mad as hatters who think it was done by men from Mars using catapults."

Unlike the later coverage of Watergate, there were no reporters such as The Washington Post's Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein, who were told by their editors, "Get on this and don't get off it," said Summers, whose works focused on people and events largely ignored or treated cursorily by the official investigations. "Nobody went down there and really did the shoe leather work and the phone calls that we're all supposed to do," he said.

For many, the Kennedy assassination has become "a board game: 'Who killed JFK?' So you feel free to sit around and say, 'Oh! It's the mob. Oh! It's the KGB' ... and have no shame," scoffs Gerald Posner, whose 1993 book "Case Closed" declared that the Warren Commission essentially got it right.

The Oswald-as-patsy community has vilified Posner.

But the lawyer said he didn't set out to write a defense of the Warren Commission. Instead, he planned to go back through the critical evidence to see what more could be determined through hindsight and more modern investigative techniques — "and then put out a book that says, 'Read THIS book. Here are the four unresolved issues of the Kennedy assassination, with the evidence on both sides.'"

Halfway through the allotted research time, Posner went to the editorial staff with a new idea: A book that says flat-out who killed Kennedy.

"Who?" one of the editors asked, as Posner retells it.

"Oswald," he answered.

"And who?"

"Oswald," Posner said he repeated. "And they literally looked at me as though I had just come in from Mars. And you could tell there was this feeling of, 'Oh my God. He's read the Warren Commission and that's all he's done.'"

"Case Closed" went on to sell 100,000 copies in hardcover. "I would have never thunk it," Posner said.

Unlike Posner, Vincent Bugliosi, author of 2007's "Reclaiming History: The Assassination of President John F. Kennedy," embarked on his book expecting to vindicate the Warren Commission.

What he didn't expect was for it to balloon into a 1,650-page behemoth — with a CD-ROM containing an additional 960 pages of endnotes — that cost $57.

"STOP writing," he recalls his wife telling him. "You're killing the sales of the book."

The 78-year-old lawyer blames the conspiracy theorists. "We're talking about people," he said, "who've invested the last 15, 20, 25 years of their life in this. They've lost jobs. They've gotten divorces. Nothing stops them."

"Like a pea brain," he said, he responded to all of their allegations. "It's a bottomless pit. It never, ever ends. And if my publisher ... didn't finally step in and say, 'Vince, we're going to print,' I'd still be writing the book."

Despite its girth and hefty price tag, "Reclaiming History" had a respectable first printing of 40,000, said Bugliosi, best known as the former deputy Los Angeles district attorney who prosecuted Charles Manson.

But in a 9,400-word review, Gary L. Aguilar, a director of the Washington-based Assassination Archives and Research Center, wrote that the only thing Bugliosi's book proved was "that it may not be possible for one person to fully master, or give a fair accounting of, this impossibly tangled mess of a case."

Bugliosi omitted or distorted evidence and failed to disprove "the case for conspiracy," Aguilar wrote.

Lamar Waldron is not surprised at the success of people like Bugliosi and Posner.

"The biggest money has been generated for the authors ... who kind of pretend it all was right back in 1964 and nothing really has happened since," said Waldron, who has co-written two books on the assassination. "The large six-figure advances and everything like that don't go to the people who dig through all those millions of pages of files and research for years."

In "Ultimate Sacrifice" and "Legacy of Secrecy," Waldron and co-author Thom Hartmann used declassified CIA documents to make the case that JFK (and later his brother Robert) were killed because of plans to overthrow Cuban dictator Fidel Castro — and the Mafia's infiltration of that operation. Waldron said the books have sold a combined 85,000 copies since 2005.

And now, Leonardo DiCaprio and Robert De Niro are set to star in a feature film version of "Legacy of Secrecy" — with a reported price tag of up to $90 million.

That's one of a pair of major movies — landing on opposite sides of the Oswald-as-lone-gunman debate — due out this year.

Oscar winners Marcia Gay Harden and Billy Bob Thornton have signed on for the Tom Hanks-produced "Parkland," named for the Dallas hospital where Kennedy was pronounced dead. That project, which Hanks' website describes as "part thriller, part real-time drama," is based on a small portion of Bugliosi's magnum opus.

A TV movie is to be made from another new book, "Killing Kennedy," co-written by Fox News host Bill O'Reilly, which had sold 1 million copies within four months of its release in October. In a note to readers, O'Reilly wrote: "In our narrative, Martin Dugard and I go only as far as the evidence takes us. We are not conspiracy guys, although we do raise some questions about what is unknown and inconsistent."

Academy Award winner Errol Morris is working on a documentary about the assassination. He did not respond to an interview request.

One film, critics said, has done more than anything to shape the public's perception of the assassination: That's Oliver Stone's 1991 drama, "JFK."

"He made this kind of paranoid conspiracy theory respectable," said New York writer Arthur Goldwag, author of "Cults, Conspiracies, and Secret Societies."

The movie tells the story of New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison, played by Kevin Costner. Garrison remains the only prosecutor to bring someone to trial for an alleged conspiracy to kill Kennedy.

The film is "a remarkable litany of falsehoods and misrepresentations and exaggerations and omissions," Posner said. "The reason that I'm so hard on Stone is because he's such a good filmmaker. If he was a schlocky filmmaker, it wouldn't matter."

Shermer, of the Skeptics Society, agrees that Stone's role in stirring the conspiracy pot is "huge."

"You tell somebody a good story, that's more powerful than tons of data, charts and graphs and statistics," he said. "And Oliver Stone's a good storyteller. He's biased and he's very deceptive, and I don't trust him at all. But the movie's great."

Stone's publicist said the director had "chosen to pass on this opportunity" to comment.

"JFK" took in more than $205 million at the box office, nearly two-thirds of that overseas, and has since raked in untold millions more in television royalties, pay-per-view, and videocassette and DVD rentals.

In the recent AP-GfK poll, respondents were asked how much of what they knew about the JFK case came from various sources. Only 9 percent cited movies or fictional TV shows, while the greatest portion, 37 percent, said history texts and nonfiction books.

About two dozen JFK-related titles are due on bookstore shelves in coming months, said Patricia Bostelman, vice president of marketing for Barnes & Noble booksellers. Among them is "They Killed Our President: The Conspiracy to Kill JFK and the Cover-Up That Followed," by former pro wrestler and Minnesota Gov. Jesse Ventura.

Other authors are taking advantage of the anniversary to reissue or expand on previous works.

Waldron is working on a book focusing on mob figures who confessed to being part of a conspiracy to kill the president. Summers is publishing a sequel to "Conspiracy," incorporating material released since 1980, while Bugliosi has a "Parkland" paperback to accompany the movie release.

And "Case Closed" will soon appear for the first time as an e-book. Despite the mountains of documents released since its publication, and a mountain of criticism of his conclusions, Posner said there is no plan to update it, other than perhaps including a new foreword.

"I moved on to other subjects," he said.

On Nov. 22, 1963, John Kelin was a 7-year-old second-grader in Peoria, Ill. He said the Kennedy assassination is "my earliest clear memory in life."

But he didn't really give the case much thought until 13 years later, when as a sophomore at Eastern Michigan University he attended a lecture by Mark Lane. It was the first time he saw the Abraham Zapruder film that captured the moment when Kennedy was fatally wounded.

"Using slow motion and freeze frame, Lane made sure that all of us sitting in that hot, poorly ventilated auditorium understood that Kennedy's head and shoulders were slammed backward and to the left and that Lee Harvey Oswald's alleged shooting position was behind the presidential limousine," Kelin wrote in a book, "Praise from a Future Generation," about early critics of the Warren Report. "In a way, that lecture was the genesis of this book."

Kelin bristles at references to a conspiracy theory "industry," preferring to think of himself as part of a grassroots response to the government's "severely flawed, unsatisfactory explanations for what really happened in 1963."

His publisher, Wings Press, has "made intimations" about releasing a digital edition of "Praise" for the 50th anniversary. Meanwhile, Kelin has written another JFK book — a fictional account of how he came to write the first one.

"It's kind of a satire of the present-day research community," he said, "with a love story thrown in to try to broaden the interest level."

The title: "Conspiracy Nut."

Poll: Belief in JFK conspiracy slipping slightly

A clear majority of Americans still suspect there was a conspiracy behind President John F. Kennedy's assassination, but the percentage who believe Lee Harvey Oswald acted alone is at its highest level since the mid-1960s, according to a new Associated Press-GfK poll.

Cheryl Casati, 62, who retired from the Air Force after 20 years, watched it all unfold on television back in November 1963. She said she's "extremely sure" there was a conspiracy. The killing of Oswald, the accused shooter, just days after the assassination is part of the reason why.

"There's too many holes in explanations," the Phoenix-area woman said. "That just could not have happened easily in that time and place. And (Jack) Ruby shooting (Oswald) could not have happened as easily as it did."

Pat Sicinski sees it differently. She and her husband recently visited the Texas School Book Depository in Dallas. Looking out the sixth-floor window from which Oswald allegedly fired on Kennedy's motorcade helped reaffirm the retired school employee's faith in the Warren Commission conclusion that Oswald was the lone gunman.

"Some skepticism is always justified," the 68-year-old Houston-area woman said. "I just think when people take it to extremes, they lose me."

According to the AP-GfK survey, conducted in mid-April, 59 percent of Americans think multiple people were involved in a conspiracy to kill the president, while 24 percent think Oswald acted alone, and 16 percent are unsure. A 2003 Gallup poll found that 75 percent of Americans felt there was a conspiracy.

The Oswald-acted-alone results, meanwhile, are the highest since the period three years after the assassination, when 36 percent said one man was responsible for Kennedy's death.

Robert Mawyer of Blairsville, Ga., is one of them. The 44-year-old IT salesman recently finished reading Bill O'Reilly's "Killing Kennedy." Assuming all of that information is correct, he has no problem accepting that Oswald went solo.

"The Warren Commission says that's what happened, so I tend to believe that, I guess," he said. But, he added, "I don't suppose anybody can be completely positive."

Jon Genova is positive that no one person could have pulled off this crime.

"There are just a number of factors that don't seem to zero out in my mind," the 46-year-old Denver mechanical engineer said. "How some evidence seemed to be suppressed, and the results are sealed for how many years? And the fact that ... it just seemed like the whole political winds change at the point when Kennedy was assassinated, it just seemed as if he was probably an impediment."

Those who were adults in 1963 were almost as likely as younger Americans to say that Kennedy's killing was a conspiracy involving multiple people — 55 percent, compared to 61 percent.

As for who might have been behind a conspiracy, Genova's money is on the Central Intelligence Agency. Casati, who wouldn't divulge her rank or military occupation, was a little more circumspect.

"I will tell you that Jack Kennedy was too much of his own person," she said. "And he made decisions that were not popular with some agencies, as far as I'm concerned."

The Associated Press-GfK Poll was conducted April 11-15, 2013 by GfK Roper Public Affairs and Corporate Communications. It involved landline and cell phone interviews with 1,004 adults nationwide. Results for the full sample have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus 3.9 percentage points; it is larger for subgroups.

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How the poll was conducted

The Associated Press-GfK poll on the assassination of John F. Kennedy was conducted by GfK Roper Public Affairs & Corporate Communications on April 11-15. It is based on landline telephone and cellphone interviews with a nationally representative random sample of 1,004 adults. Interviews were conducted with 601 respondents on landline telephones and 403 on cellular telephones.

Digits in the phone numbers dialed were generated randomly to reach households with unlisted and listed landline and cellphone numbers.

Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish.

As is done routinely in surveys, results were weighted, or adjusted, to ensure that responses accurately reflect the population's makeup by factors such as age, sex, education and race. In addition, the weighting took into account patterns of phone use — landline only, cell only and both types — by region.

No more than 1 time in 20 should chance variations in the sample cause the results to vary by more than plus or minus 3.9 percentage points from the answers that would be obtained if all adults in the U.S. were polled.

There are other sources of potential error in polls, including the wording and order of questions.

The questions and results are available at http://www.ap-gfkpoll.com.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Thing to do

42Five, 7 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center. Info: Live On Stage! Permian Basin series. Individual admission tickets $30.

Meetings today

County Commissioners' Court
9 a.m.
Midland County Courthouse auxiliary courtroom.
500 N. Loraine St.

Community calendar

■ Camp Fire West Texas' annual meeting and recognition dinner is 6:30 p.m. today at Odessa Regional Medical Center, 520 E. 6th St. The guest speaker is Carah-Beth Bass, assistant Midland County attorney.
The event is free and open to the public. For more information, call 570-4144.

■ Midland Quilters Guild will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday and 1 p.m. Wednesday at Alamo Heights Baptist Church.
Program will be on stories about favorite quilts. For more information call 694-0561.

Support groups, club meetings today

■ PFLAG Odessa (Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians & Gays), 7 p.m., Alternative Life Solutions Counseling, 2458 E. 11th St., Odessa; 559-5909 or 432-337-3684, pflagodessa@yahoo.com or www.pflagodessa.weebly.com.

■ Midland Amateur Radio Club, 7:30 p.m., clubhouse, Loop 250 and Lamesa Road; 561-9729.

■ Tall City VFW Post 7208, 1303 E. Taylor, bingo games 7 p.m.

Talk show schedules

News talk
KCRS (AM 550)
6-9 a.m. The Morning Drive with Robert Hallmark and Kurt Verlei
9-11 a.m. Lynn Woolley
11 a.m.-2 p.m. Rush Limbaugh
2-5 p.m. Dave Ramsey
5-6 p.m. Local news reports
6-9 p.m. Roger Hedgecock
9-midnight Hugh Hewitt
Midnight-6 a.m. Coast to Coast with George Noory
Web: http://www.newstalkkcrs.com/

KWEL (AM 1070, FM 107.1)
6-10 a.m. Morning Show with Craig Anderson
10 a.m.-noon, Neal Boortz (till Jan 21, then Herman Cain)
Noon-2 p.m. Glenn Beck
2-5 p.m. Sean Hannity
5-6 p.m. Jason Moore
6-8 p.m., Jerry Doyle
8-11 p.m. Mike Savage.
11 p.m.-6 a.m. The Music of Your Life
Web: http://www.kwel.com

Sport talk
KMND (AM 1510)
6-9 a.m. Mike and Mike in the Morning
9 a.m.-noon The Herd with Colin Cowherd
Noon-3 p.m. The Dan Patrick Show

Other options
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NPR: KOCV (FM 91.3)

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Today in history

Today is Monday, May 13, the 133rd day of 2013. There are 232 days left in the year.

On this date:

In 1846, the United States declared that a state of war already existed with Mexico.

In 1958, Vice President Richard Nixon and his wife, Pat, were spat upon and their limousine battered by rocks thrown by anti-U.S. demonstrators in Caracas, Venezuela.

In 1973, in tennis' first so-called "Battle of the Sexes," Bobby Riggs defeated Margaret Court 6-2, 6-1 in Ramona, Calif. (Riggs had his standing challenge to female players accepted by Billie Jean King, who soundly defeated Riggs at the Houston Astrodome in September.)

In 1981, Pope John Paul II was shot and seriously wounded in St. Peter's Square by Turkish assailant Mehmet Ali Agca.

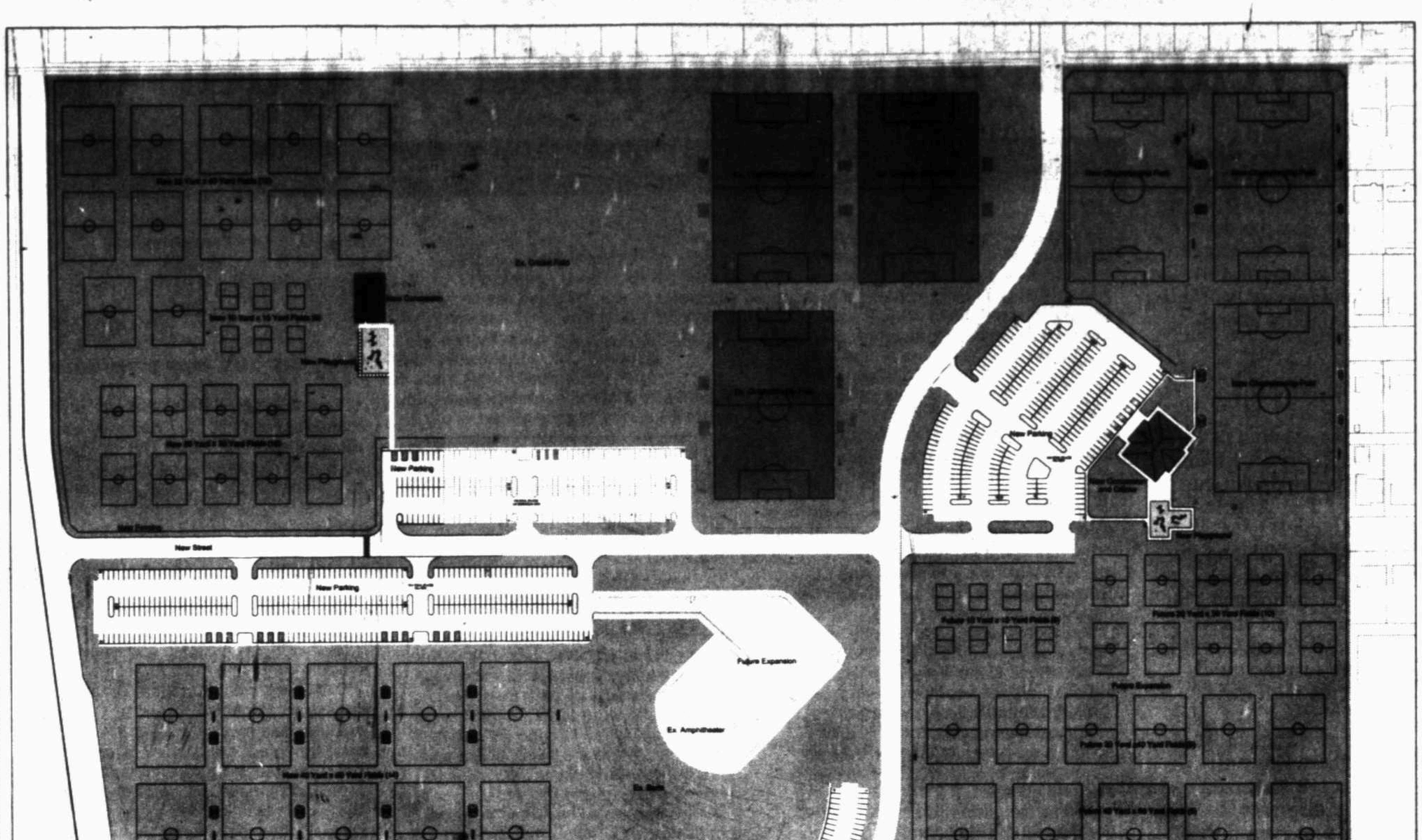
Ten years ago:

A judge ruled that Oklahoma City bombing conspirator Terry Nichols should stand trial in state court on 160 counts of first-degree murder. (Nichols was found guilty on 161 counts; the 161st count was for the fetus of a pregnant victim. Nichols was sentenced to life in prison.)

Today's birthdays:

Singer Stevie Wonder is 63. Actor-comedian Stephen Colbert is 49. Singer Darius Rucker (Hootie and the Blowfish) is 47.

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Beal Park Master Plan

Courtesy of Midland-based KDC Associates

SOCCER

From 1A

Soccer has conceived.

Midland Soccer Association said this month the number of players participating in recreational, competitive and adult leagues have increased to 4,183. That is an increase of almost 1,000 players since 2009.

Those backing the project, according to Colwell, include oil companies such as Concho, Apache, Pioneer and Parsley Energy. Also backing the Beal Park project is the Jim Henry Foundation, Midland Soccer Association and Eddie and Debbie Wallace, who are looking to help Midland's youth.

"Once built, the city would be responsible for maintenance and upkeep," Colwell said.

A soccer complex such as the Friends of Midland Soccer envisions would add another top-notch facility to Midland's roster.

Last month, the Bush Tennis Center had its grand opening in northwest Midland. City of Midland Aquatics also is scheduled to complete the $7 million FMH Foundation Natatorium by 2014.

Proposed soccer complex

Phase 1: $1.65 million (today's dollars)
Fields: 14 (60 yards by 40 yards), 10 (40-by-30), 10 (30-by-20), 6 (15-by-10)

Phase 2: $2.25 million
Fields: Three championship fields, 5 (60-by-40, 6 (40-by-30), 10 (30-by-20), 6 (15-by-10)
Amenities: A pavilion, 8,000-square-foot concession stand/office/community building, playground and parking

Phase 3: $2.2 million
More amenities and lighting

From staff reports



Tyler White/Reporter-Telegram

Bryan Eads, right, of Universal City, shows customers how to sharpen a knife Saturday during the Great Outdoors Expo at the Horseshoe. **See a gallery of expo photos online at mywesttexas.com.**

OUTDOOR

From 1A

said they generally target active sportsmen with these trips, which are to some of the most beautiful places in the country.

The appeal of traveling abroad for fishermen and hunters is that the destinations often are remote and offer large populations of fish and game, said Sellers, who has worked as a charter boat captain for more than 35 years. He takes people to remote areas of Costa Rica because it "is a good way to get in some serious fishing." The locations offer rare opportunities for catching various fish species, he said.

Kim Sansom, Silver Spur Trade Shows coordinator, said this event is a great opportunity for Midlanders to meet vendors face-to-face, especially those interested in traveling for hunting or fishing.

But it wasn't all travel talk at the fourth annual expo. Visitors could purchase camouflage garb, fishing equipment, firearm accessories and holsters.

Children in attendance had the chance to roll around in giant hamster balls and ride water go-carts.

The Texas Junior Anglers hosted a booth for children to go fishing for channel catfish. Vendor Jeff Scott said the booth gives children a "little taste" of fishing and potentially could spark an interest in the sport.

"Fishing is something you can do your whole life," Scott said.

Sansom said the expo's entertainment and kid-friendly activities mesh well for a fun experience for anyone in attendance.

A highlight of the expo occurred Saturday when Jason and Teresa Reynolds of Fetch-N-Fish, of Eufula, Okla., brought out their four Labrador retrievers for a dog show.

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Teresa Reynolds, left, of Eufula, Okla., calms Labrador retriever Slick while children pet him during a dog show at the expo.

The couple offered the audience basic obedience training, which included teaching a dog to retrieve items that are thrown long distances. When they weren't being petted by children, the dogs showed off their ability to jump across water.

The Lone Star Bowhunters Association used the expo to grab the attention of people involved in a "digital culture," according to Pablo Davila, the association's Region 19 representative.

Davila said people who spend time watching TV or playing video games are missing out on outdoor activities, such as bowhunting.

He said some hunters prefer bow and arrows instead of guns because they can watch the arrow travel to its target.

"There's just something about watching the flight of that arrow," Davila said. "It's more of a competition when you use a bow."

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concreted posts and all, a section at a time. Some guy down by Racquet Club actually had one of those Everglade air boats and was running up and down Rio Wadley rescuing people from their cars."

Laura Noland Houston's memories may be even more unusual: "My house was across from Cowden Park, and I'll never forget being placed on the highboy dresser and watching my toy box float down the hall," Houston wrote. "Then, my mother hauled me up the street under one arm, dog under the other arm to get help. She left me with a stranger on the corner. That lady kept me for two days. Vivid memory. Our house was totally flooded."

Marsha Thomas remembers how she, her mother and brother were separated from the rest of her family because her father couldn't get across Wadley to return home. Ann Phipps Oliver said 9 inches of water stood in her family's back bedroom and a box of Barbie dolls that had been stored in the garage floated away in the deluge.

"I never saw those Barbies again," she wrote.

Paul Brown was in the first grade at St. Ann's School and remembers his teacher's car floating away down the street.

"Another thing I recall is that Father. Kelly Nemick, an associate pastor at St. Ann's at the time, was caught out on the streets," Brown wrote. "His Corvair was swept off the road into a ditch. The story among the St. Ann's students was that he was praying the Rosary as he was being swept off the road. He did survive, but I don't recall how much longer he stayed in Midland after that."

Patterson's book, "A History of Character: The Story of Midland, Texas," will be completed this year. Email him at jimmyleepatterson@gmail.com.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Eric Benavidez, 25, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of abandoning or endangering a child with imminent danger to bodily injury.

Paul A. Cortez, 26, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of violation of probation.

Michele E. Erl, 35, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on charges of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and possession of a prohibited substance in a corrections facility.

Derrick A. Morris, 29, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of robbery.

Jesus J. Najera, 53, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated.

Nicholas A. Nett, 28, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of violation of probation.

Taylor Truex, 19, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance between 4 and 400 grams.

Bradley D. Wilkerson, 25, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of assault on a family or household member.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

NATIONBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

NEW YORK

Seth Meyers to replace Jimmy Fallon late at night

Seth Meyers is moving from his "Weekend Update" desk to his own late night show on NBC.

The network said Sunday that the 12-year "Saturday Night Live" cast member will replace Jimmy Fallon at the 12:35 a.m. "Late Night" show next year. Fallon is moving up an hour as Jay Leno's replacement on the "Tonight" show.

Meyers was considered the lead candidate for the "Late Night" job ever since Fallon's promotion was announced. The announcement solidifies Lorne Michaels as the comedy kingmaker at NBC. He'll be the executive in charge of "Late Night," "Tonight" and "Saturday Night Live," which will all originate from New York's Rockefeller Center.

Meyers, 39, has been the head writer at "Saturday Night Live" for eight seasons. He's in his seventh year as "Weekend Update" host, to which he devotes all of his on-air time now.

And like Fallon before him, Meyers is making the move from "Weekend Update" to "Late Night."

The late-night show began with David Letterman in 1982, and its other hosts have been Conan O'Brien and Fallon.

Meyers is a Northwestern University graduate and began his comedy career in Chicago. His chief television competition will by Craig Ferguson on CBS and "Nightline" on ABC. Like television in general, the late-night audience has dispersed in several directions, with DVR viewing of shows taped earlier a big alternative at night.

Late-night comedy is one of the NBC's few strong suits, with "Saturday Night Live" often drawing a bigger audience than most of what the network airs in prime-time. With Meyers' appointment, NBC is hoping for a smooth transition to a younger generation.

CLEVELAND

Women rescued in Ohio are happy to be home

The three women allegedly imprisoned and sexually abused for years inside a padlocked Cleveland house asked for privacy Sunday, saying through an attorney that while they are grateful for overwhelming support, they also need time to heal.

Amanda Berry, Gina DeJesus and Michelle Knight remain in seclusion, releasing their first statements since they were found May 6 when Berry escaped and told a 911 dispatcher, "I'm free now."

They thanked law enforcement and said they were grateful for the support of family and the community.

"I am so happy to be home, and I want to thank everybody for all your prayers," DeJesus said in a statement read by an attorney. "I just want time now to be with my family."

The women, now in their 20s and 30s, vanished separately between 2002 and 2004. At the time, they were 14, 16 and 20 years old.

Investigators said they spent the last nine years or more inside the home of Ariel Castro, where they were repeatedly raped and only allowed outside a handful of times. Castro, 52, is being held on $8 million bond. The former school bus driver was charged with four counts of kidnapping and three counts of rape.

Prosecutors said last week they may seek aggravated murder charges — punishable by death — for allegedly impregnating one of his captives at least five times and forcing her miscarry by starving her and punching her in the belly.

The allegations were contained in a police report that also said Berry was forced to give birth in a plastic kiddie pool inside the home. A DNA test confirmed that Castro fathered the 6-year-old girl, who escaped the house with Berry.

After nearly a decade of being away, the three women need time to reconnect with their families, said attorney Jim Wooley.

Knight, who was the first to disappear and the last of the three released from the hospital, thanked everyone for their support and good wishes in her statement.

"I am healthy, happy and safe and will reach out to family, friends and supporters in good time."

Berry added: "Thank you so much for everything you're doing and continue to do. I am so happy to be home with my family."

MINNESOTA

Ice from lake pushed ashore to doorsteps

LAKE MILLE LACS — Strong winds have pushed huge ice sheets ashore at a northern Minnesota lake and right up to people's doorsteps.

WCCO-TV reported that the ice from Lake Mille Lacs reached the doors and windows at the Izatys Resort on Saturday morning.

National Weather Service Meteorologist Shawn Devinny said 30- to 40-mile-an-hour winds pushed the water into the ice, driving it ashore. He said the winds were lighter Sunday and the shoreline got a reprieve.

The Department of Natural Resources said about 10 miles of shoreline are covered, with some reaching up to 30 feet high.

19 New Orleans shooting victims included 2 kids

By Chevel Johnson
Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — Gunmen opened fire on dozens of people marching in a neighborhood Mother's Day parade in New Orleans on Sunday, wounding at least 19 people, police said.

The FBI said the shooting appeared to be "street violence" and wasn't linked to terrorism.

Many of the victims were grazed and most of the wounds weren't life-threatening, according to authorities, though at least three people had serious wounds. No deaths were reported.

The victims included 10 men, seven women, a boy and a girl. The children, both 10 years old, were grazed and in good condition.

Mayor Mitch Landrieu urged witnesses to come forward with information during a news conference Sunday night at a hospital where gunshot victims were taken.

"These kinds of incidents will not go unanswered. Somebody knows something. The way to stop this violence is for you all to help," he said.

Mary Beth Romig, a spokeswoman for the FBI in New Orleans, said federal investigators have no indication that the shooting was an act of terrorism.

"It's strictly an act of street violence in New Orleans," she said.

As many as 400 people joined in the second-line procession that stretched for about 3 blocks, though only half that many were in the immediate vicinity of the shooting, said Police Superintendent Ronal Serpas. Officers were interspersed with the marchers, which is routine for such events.

Police saw three suspects running from the scene in the city's 7th Ward neighborhood. No arrests had been made as of early evening.

Outside the hospital on Sunday night, Leonard Temple teared up as he talked about a friend of his who was in surgery after being shot three times during the parade. Temple was told the man was hit while trying to push his own daughter out of the way.

"People were just hanging out. We were just chilling. And this happened. Bad things always happen to good people," said Temple, who was at the parade but didn't see the shootings.

In the late afternoon, the scene was taped off and police had placed bullet casing markers in at least 10 spots.

Second-line parades are loose processions in which people dance down the street, often following behind a brass band. They can be impromptu or planned and are sometimes described as moving block parties.

A social club called The Original Big 7 organized Sunday's event. The group was founded in 1996 at the Saint Bernard housing projects, according to its MySpace page.

The neighborhood where the shooting happened was a mix of low-income and middle-class row houses, some boarded up. As of last year, the neighborhood's population was about 60 percent of its pre-Hurricane Katrina level.

The shootings took place about 1.5 miles from the heart of the French Quarter and near the Treme neighborhood, which has been the centerpiece for the HBO TV series "Treme."

Sunday's violence comes at a time when the city is struggling to pay for tens of millions of dollars required under a federal consent decree to reform the police department and the city jail.

Shootings at parades and neighborhood celebrations have become more common in recent years as the city has struggled with street crime. Police say gang turf wars often are the root cause.

Police vowed to make swift arrests. Serpas said it wasn't clear if particular people in the second line were targeted, or if the shots were fired in a random fashion.

"We'll get them. We have good resources in this neighborhood," Serpas said.

2 bodies found after New Jersey standoff; suspect killed

Associated Press

TRENTON, N.J. — Police stormed a New Jersey home early Sunday and fatally shot a registered sex offender who had held his girlfriend's three children hostage, ending their 37-hour ordeal and recovering the bodies of the captives' mother and another sibling, authorities said.

Officers initially went to the home in South Trenton Friday afternoon after a relative of 44-year-old Carmelita Stevens said she hadn't spoken to her in weeks and was worried, authorities said at a news conference Sunday. Upon further investigation, authorities then discovered her children hadn't been to school in 12 days.

Police entered the home through a rear door and smelled an odor consistent with that of a decomposing body, Trenton Police Director Ralph Rivera Jr. said. The officers also noticed maggots throughout the residence.

They found 38-year-old Gerald "Skip" Tyrone Murphy in an upstairs bedroom and he told them he was armed with a gun and explosives and had three children with him, Mercer County Prosecutor Joseph L. Bocchini Jr. said. Officers noticed one of the dead victims before they retreated from the second floor and rescued Stevens' 19-year-old son from the basement, who said he hadn't seen her or his siblings since about April 24.

Homes on the surrounding block were evacuated as a precaution, and police tape cordoned off the street in front of the house. A SWAT team was called, and an arson bomb unit was also on the scene. Police said Murphy could be seen from a window holding a black handgun.

Police remained in contact with Murphy throughout the standoff and passed food into the home through an upstairs window, state police Col. Rick Fuentes said. Murphy kept the captives with him inside the roughly 10-foot-by-11-foot bedroom throughout the standoff, authorities said.

As the standoff stretched into a third day, officers entered the home around 3:45 a.m. Sunday after noting Murphy's "deteriorating state of mind" and deciding it was necessary to enter to help ensure the captives survived, Fuentes said. An officer shot Murphy because he was threatening one of the children, he said.

Murphy was taken to a hospital and later died of his injuries. No law enforcement personnel were injured during the standoff or the confrontation with Murphy.

"This was a very complex matter, considering the space (where the hostages were) and that three children were involved," Fuentes said. "Our mission over those 37 hours was to save innocent lives."

Authorities found the bodies of Stevens and her 13-year-old son in separate bedrooms. Stevens' body was in an advanced state of decomposition, and police said she and her son may have been killed two weeks ago. Police didn't say which of the bodies they had seen inside the home Friday afternoon.

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OPINION

Aftermath makes Benghazi really troubling

■ Attacks can happen on anybody's watch. The cover-your-butt that follows is why people should be angry



KATHLEEN PARKER
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Mistakes were made. This, we are supposed to accept, is the conclusion to be drawn about the terrorist attacks in Benghazi, Libya, despite congressional testimony Wednesday suggesting that significant efforts were made to camouflage those mistakes.

As Democrats and Republicans alike know all too well: It's always the cover-up.

Yet in this case, where so clearly the State Department and others in the Obama administration took extra steps to mischaracterize what happened the night Ambassador Christopher Stevens and three other Americans were killed, Democrats roll their eyes at any suggestion of such.

More or less, most seem to agree with Hillary Clinton's exasperated assessment during her own congressional testimony in January: "What difference at this point does it make?"

I get her meaning. Why people decided to attack the American consulate and CIA annex in Benghazi is far less important than preventing another such attack in the future. Clinton, who at that point in the hearing may have felt badgered, was understandably weary. Four years on the road had taken their toll and she was recently out of the hospital for treatment of a blood clot inside her skull. This tedious review of history put her over the edge.

Her interrogators, apparently intimidated by the sight of an angry woman — or afraid of looking like bullies — immediately assumed the position of a dog whose master is fiddling with his belt buckle.

Before moving along, let's clear some brush:

Is the Obama administration culpable for what transpired in Libya? No. It isn't possible to prevent all eventualities, though in retrospect, it obviously would have been prudent to provide more security in such a volatile place.

Is Clinton to blame for the deaths of four Americans? Of course not. Bad things happen in bad places.

Should we have sent military assistance? If only life were a movie, we could have saved the day. But our military commanders say we couldn't have gotten there in time. Civilians can speculate that they are wrong, but on what basis?

Still, there is much that should give pause to anyone, regardless of political affiliation. Three essential questions have been answered: (1) Was there advance warning of possible terrorist activities in Libya? Yes. (2) Was a request for more security denied? Yes. (3) Did the Obama administration edit the truth? Yes.

Faced with these answers, Democrats are more willing to give their president the benefit of the doubt. Perhaps he was trying to avoid further inflaming a dangerous situation by refusing to repeat his predecessor's incendiary proclamations against Islamist terrorists.

Or, just as likely, he was too close to re-election to risk contradictions to his campaign narrative: He had killed Osama bin Laden and al-Qaida was as good as dead.

What we now know from testimony and other reporting is that Americans on the ground knew the Benghazi attacks were coordinated terrorist assaults and not a street protest over an anti-Muslim video that escalated. Nevertheless, U.N. Ambassador Susan Rice was sent on a tour of five Sunday morning news shows to reiterate the CIA-approved talking points.

On Friday, ABC's Jonathan Karl reported that a review of emails shows that those talking points were the result of 12 different revisions, orchestrated by the State Department, resulting in removal of any reference to warnings or the al-Qaida-affiliated group Ansar al-Sharia.

In one email to White House officials, State Department spokeswoman Victoria Nuland expressed concerns that inclusion of such information "could be abused by members (of Congress) to beat up the State Department for not paying attention to warnings, so why would we want to feed that either?"

These emails directly contradict White House press secretary Jay Carney's remarks in a Nov. 28, 2012, news briefing that the "single adjustment" made to the talking points by the administration was "changing the word 'consulate' to 'diplomatic facility.'"

In another email, Nuland expressed dissatisfaction with some of the tweaks, writing, "These changes don't resolve all of my issues or those of my buildings leadership."

Therein lies a telling clue.

When a "building's leadership" is cited as directing an official narrative, you can be sure that someone is trying to avoid responsibility for something. Otherwise known as CYA (covering your anatomical-posterior).

It is easy to believe that real-time mistakes in Benghazi were honestly made. No one thinks that any president or secretary of state would do less than everything possible to save American lives. But the mistakes made afterward, whether out of embarrassment or political survival, are less easily rationalized. They were, factually and knowingly, dishonest.

And that, Madame Secretary, is what difference it makes.

GUEST VIEW

Go slow and think on U.S. role in Syria

San Antonio Express-News

There are lessons available, learned the hard way, from U.S. combat involvement in Iraq and Afghanistan. Key among them is that a land war that involves U.S. boots on the ground in the Mideast or Asia is ill-advised and fraught with unanticipated twists and turns that have unsettling "endings" (that never seem to end).

Surely, our leaders can recall all this as the clamor grows for an expanded U.S. role in Syria.

The president now faces ridicule as he walks back from that "red line" he drew earlier had the Assad regime deployed chemical weapons. But would we rather have the president save face or lives?

The administration is reportedly mulling options — and enough exist.

The United States might start providing Syrian rebels with lethal arms.

It might start enforcing a no-fly zone over Syria or part of it, as refuge for those fleeing the violence that has claimed an estimated 70,000 lives over two years.

It might use the possibility that Assad's forces have used chemical weapons as leverage to pressure Russia to abandon the regime.

With U.S. involvement in Iraq substantively ended and Afghanistan winding down with a scheduled 2014 departure, the administration reportedly doesn't have an appetite for equally active involvement in Syria.

Those now depicting the president as weak-kneed because of this deliberate approach should recall the rush-to-bad-judgment in the walk-up to the Iraq War. And they should remember also the eyes-off-the-ball approach in Afghanistan, now the longest war in U.S. history.

Diplomacy, no-fly zones and lethal arms for the rebels are viable options, within limits and with international participation. Arms and no-fly zones in particular contain high risk and should be thought through. But beyond that, no.

In Military City USA, Syria is not just some esoteric issue. People here will go there if U.S. involvement escalates.

Go slow. And recall history so fresh that the ink is not even dry on the tally of cost in blood and treasure in those two wars.

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Movies should promote healthy living

■ "Iron Man" appears to be a fine place to start

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Is it just me or is Tony Stark on a health kick?

In the third "Iron Man" — a series that spent its first two installments glorifying the reckless life of a spoiled, rich genius — Stark, the man inside the metallic exoskeleton, seems to have finally taken a turn toward wellness.

No spoiler alerts are needed for me to point out that, though subtle, Stark set beautiful examples of healthful eating throughout this latest episode.

In a scene set in what appeared to be a familiar chain restaurant of the burger, hot wing and beer variety, Stark joked with a pal in front of a lush vegetable plate of carrots, celery and what appeared to be broccoli.

Later in the movie we see him snack on a sliced apple, working in a room with a cart loaded with fresh fruit and juices. In another scene, Stark tells an ex-girlfriend that he ate a gluten-free waffle for breakfast.

At one point, suffering from despair and fatigue, he asks a young co-conspirator to bring him something to eat — "a tuna fish sandwich."

To put it bluntly, I didn't much care for Stark's boozy, womanizing, arrogant persona in the first two "Iron Man" movies and in "The Avengers." Yet there I was last weekend, annoying my popcorn-chomping family members as I shook their shoulders every time the ultra-cool playboy made a healthy food choice.

This might sound trivial to anyone who doesn't agonize over how to slip vegetables and salads onto the weekly dinner menu without inspiring a hunger strike. But I have to feed two boys who have spent their whole lives in a society that not only assumes children won't eat their vegetables but rarely tries serving them at school or in "kid-friendly" restaurants.

These are children who, from preschool, were taught by their academic institutions that "snacks" are vitamin-fortified sugary cereals and cookies, salty pretzels or anything that comes in a cheerfully colored crinkly plastic bag.

So Stark modeling healthy food choices on the big screen? This is huge.

Movies today, specifically the kind that are made to appeal to teens, are generally populated by guys desperate to find their next beer, joint or jumbo coffee — that is when they aren't on an energy drink-fueled quest for junk from the corner store or a fast-food chain.

Hey, I get that the best fiction diligently imitates life. So even though we live in a country where so many children are overweight or obese that federal health officials and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommend universal cholesterol screenings for kids between 9 and 11, what else would you expect to see on the silver screen?

We may be a very long way from a time when every kid-centric TV show, web video and big-budget movie features its stars drinking tap water, snacking on nutrient-rich foods and indulging in only occasional, moderately sized treats. But I believe such a utopian entertainment landscape — you can go ahead and call it propaganda if you'd like — could have a deep impact on how children perceive what they should eat.

Processed and fast-food advertisers get most of the blame for enticing children with truly bad-for-you foods such as candy-flavored cereals, stuffed-crust pizzas, packaged lunch kits and fake juices. But rarely do the shows or videos they accompany get scrutinized for modeling poor eating habits.

As it is, young people who grew up watching tween programming crave the whipped-cream topped coffee drinks, brightly colored smoothie sugar bombs and thin aluminum cans of energy drinks they see their TV and movie counterparts regularly downing without ever gaining a pound or getting sick from being over-caffeinated.

If Hollywood put its mind to combating the country's childhood obesity epidemic, kids across the land might someday beg their parents for greens like the orphan Juan Pablo in the comedy "Nacho Libre," who asked Nacho with weary politeness: "How come we can't ever have just, like, a salad?"

Until that day comes, I have a new rejoinder for the inevitable vegetable complaint on chicken-rice-and-broccoli night: "Well, it's good enough for Iron Man."

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VATICAN CITY

Pope Francis gives church hundreds of new saints

Pope Francis on Sunday gave the Catholic Church new saints, including hundreds of 15th-century martyrs who were beheaded for refusing to convert to Islam, as he led his first canonization ceremony Sunday in a packed St. Peter's Square.

The "Martyrs of Otranto" were 813 Italians who were slain in the southern Italian city in 1480 for defying demands by Turkish invaders who overran the citadel to renounce Christianity.

Their approval for sainthood was decided upon by Francis' predecessor, Benedict XVI, in a decree read at the ceremony in February where the former pontiff announced his retirement.

Shortly after his election in March, Francis called for more dialogue with Muslims, and it was unclear how the granting of sainthood to the martyrs would be received. Islam is a sensitive subject for the church, and Benedict stumbled significantly in his relations with the Muslim community.

The first pontiff from South America also gave Colombia its first saint: a nun who toiled as a teacher and spiritual guide to indigenous people in the 20th century.

With Colombia's President Juan Manuel Santos among the VIPS, the Argentine pope held out Laura, of St. Catherine of Siena Montoya y Upegui, as a potential source of inspiration to the country's peace process, attempted after decades-long conflict between rebels and government forces.

He also canonized another Latin American woman. Maria Guadalupe Garcia Zavala, a Mexican who dedicated herself to nursing the sick, helped Catholics avoid persecution during a government crackdown on the faith in the 1920s.

Also known as Mother Lupita, she hid the Guadalajara archbishop in an eye clinic for more than a year after fearful local Catholic families refused to shelter him.

PAKISTAN

Resounding election victory for former prime minister

LAHORE — Former Pakistani Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif looked poised Sunday to return to office with a resounding election victory — a mandate that could make it easier to tackle the country's daunting problems, including growing power outages, weak economic growth and shaky government finances.

Questions remain, however, about Sharif's stance on another key issue: violent Islamic extremism. Critics have accused his party of being soft on radicals because it hasn't cracked down on militant groups in its stronghold of Punjab.

That could be a concern for the United States, which has pushed Pakistan for years to take stronger action against a variety of Islamic militant groups, especially fighters staging cross-border attacks against American troops in Afghanistan.

As unofficial returns rolled in Sunday, a day after the election, state TV estimates put Sharif close to the majority in the national assembly needed to govern outright for the next five years. Even if he falls short of that threshold, independent candidates almost certain to swing in Sharif's favor would give his Pakistan Muslim League-N party a ruling majority.

BEIRUT

Politics commandeer stage in Middle East version of 'American Idol'

TV singing contests around the world tend to serve up light, glitzy entertainment with a dash of emotional drama. But in the Middle East's version of "American Idol," it's the region's troubles that often take center stage.

Two contestants are from civil war-ravaged Syria, including a singer-composer whose bus was ambushed by gunmen en route to her audition and a music student who brought judges to tears with a song lamenting the devastation of his hometown of Aleppo. A performer from the Gaza Strip has become an audience favorite for singing about the plights of Palestinians under Israeli rule.

"The show has become a platform for Arab Spring youth to express themselves artistically and show the region that there's hope for the future," said Mazen Hayek, the spokesman for the Dubai-based, Saudi-owned MBC Group that broadcasts "Arab Idol" from a studio in the Lebanese capital, Beirut.

The show's producers said political expression is allowed. But in a region where tribal, religious and political affiliations often define identity, performers walk a fine line — especially in a contest where winning is based on popularity.

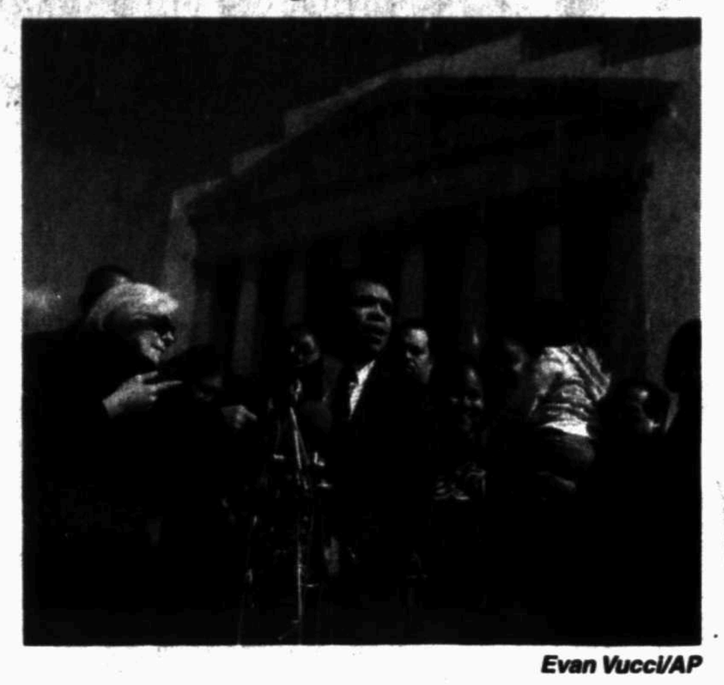
"It's live and people around the region, and Arabs around the world, follow it in real time, posting praise or criticism on Twitter and Facebook, before they even vote for their favorites," Hayek said.

Now in its second season, the show has jumped in the ratings in part because of an eclectic mix of contestants, including several from nations wracked by conflict, such as Syria, as well as those still reeling from the fallout of the Arab Spring.

The current season began in March with 27 contestants from across the Arab world, including Tunisia, Egypt, Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Syria and the Palestinian territories.

In entire court term, justices see 1 black lawyer

By Mark Sherman
Associated Press



Evan Vucci/AP

In this Feb. 27 photo, special counsel of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund, Debo Adegbile, speaks with the media outside the Supreme Court in Washington after presenting arguments in the Shelby County, Ala., v. Holder voting rights case. At the time Adegbile was the first, and as it turned out, the only, African-American to make a high court argument this term.

WASHINGTON — In roughly 75 hours of arguments at the Supreme Court since October, only one African-American lawyer appeared before the justices, and for just over 11 minutes.

The numbers were marginally better for Hispanic lawyers. Four of them argued for a total of 1 hour, 45 minutes.

Women were better represented, accounting for just over 17 percent of the arguments before the justices.

In an era when three women, a Hispanic and an African-American sit on the court and white men constitute a bare majority of the nine justices, the court is more diverse than the lawyers who argue before it.

The arguments that took place from October to April were presented overwhelmingly by white men. Women and minority lawyers whose clients' cases were heard by the court were far more likely to represent governments or be part of public-interest law firms than in private practice, where paychecks are much larger.

The numbers generally reflect the largely white and male upper reaches of the biggest and richest private law firms, where there have been small gains by women and minorities in the past 20 years. A recent survey by the Association for Legal Career Professionals found that more than 93 percent of partners in law firms are white and nearly 80 percent are men.

The statistics from the court term, though, also reveal a lack of African-American and Hispanic lawyers in the elite Justice Department unit that represents the federal government at the Supreme Court.

The top supervisory positions in the Office of the Solicitor General all are held by men, though there are six women in the office who argued high court cases this term.

The office serves as a pipeline to the big firms that dominate the argument calendar at the court. Lawyers in the office make several arguments a term and acquire the experience and ease of standing before the justices that make them attractive to private firms.

The first woman on the court, Sandra Day O'Connor, touched on the importance of diversity at the court in a tribute to the first African-American justice, Thurgood Marshall. O'Connor said Marshall "imparted not only his legal acumen but also his life experiences, constantly pushing and prodding us to respond not only to the persuasiveness of legal argument but also to the power of moral truth."

The justices also benefit from seeing lawyers who don't all look and sound the same, said Alan Jenkins, an African-American former Justice Department lawyer who argued four cases at the Supreme Court. "It's especially true of people who appear before the Supreme Court because the court, as an institution, is intentionally set apart from the day-to-day life of the nation," said Jenkins, executive director of the nonprofit The Opportunity Agenda in New York.

The only minority group that could be said to be overrepresented was lawyers of Asian heritage. Seven men — three in private practice, Deputy Solicitor General Sri Srinivasan and two others at the Justice Department and a lawyer for the American Civil Liberties Union — made 17 arguments to the court. There has never been an Asian-American justice.

In cases before the Supreme Court, there are at least two and sometimes more parties who are granted time to argue their positions. In the current term, the justices heard 193 separate presentations.

When Debo Adegbile stepped to the lectern in defense of a landmark voting rights law in February, he was the first — and as it turned out, the only — African-American to make a high court argument this term.

Adegbile until recently worked for the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, the famed public-interest law firm that mounted generations of civil rights challenges, including the landmark Brown v. Board of Education case that outlawed official segregation in public schools.

Before he became a justice, Marshall was the organization's top lawyer and argued several high court cases.

Adegbile represented six African-American residents of Shelby county, Ala., which is challenging a key provision of federal voting rights law. Following Solicitor General Donald B. Verrilli Jr.'s more legalistic presentation, Adegbile pointed to recent examples of intentional voting discrimination in the South to highlight the ongoing need for the measure.

"This statute is in part about our march through history to keep promises that our Constitution says for too long were unmet," he said.

Voting rights was the second of two high-profile cases about race at the court this term.

In the first, three white men made the arguments when the justices considered the fate of the University of Texas program that takes account of race in admissions.

Civil rights cases have historically given minority lawyers the greatest chance to argue before the court, but those cases have been in decline for some time at the Supreme Court.

"The more problematic question is, why is civil rights litigation one of the few pathways available to African-American litigators when clearly they have distinguished themselves?" Jenkins said.

Women in the legal profession have faced a similar problem, but lately have had more opportunities.

Lisa Blatt of the Arnold and Porter law firm in Washington has written that over the years most women arguing at the court have been public-interest lawyers, public defenders or government attorneys. "Translation: women are doing the same work but for less pay," she wrote in the Green Bag, a legal journal.

This term, Blatt made three arguments, the only woman in private practice to make more than one. There were 10 men in private practice with multiple arguments.

"This is a problem of today but not tomorrow," Blatt said, referring to the many women who are gaining experience representing the government at the court. She said some of them will enter private practice, as she did after many years in the Justice Department.

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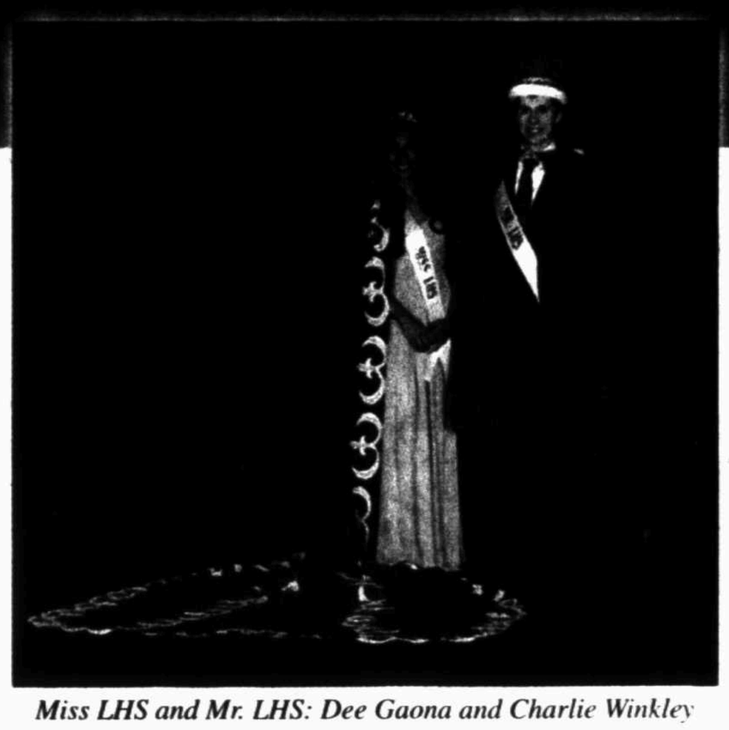
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Miss LHS and Mr. LHS: Dee Gaona and Charlie Winkley



Miss Courteous and Mr. Courteous Madison Green and Jared Harland



Miss Talented and Mr. Talented Cindy Benavides and Brandon Phillips



Miss Congenial and Mr. Congenial Kristen Schlemeyer and Josh Hyatt



Miss Integrity and Mr. Integrity Megan Hodges and Reilly Gwin



Miss Valuable and Mr. Valuable Lexi Neighbors and Ryan Knittle



Miss Academic and Mr. Academic Sydney Ramirez and Jordan Darling

THE COURT

MISS COURTEOUS AND MR. COURTEOUS: MADISON GREEN AND JARED HARLAND

Madison Green is the daughter of Kelly and Rance Green. She has been a member of LHS chorale and Origin for two years, she is a member of National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Senior Girls and the A honor roll. She volunteers with Tutors, Imagine Christmas, Septemberfest, Midland Child Welfare board, Keep Midland Beautiful and Meals on Wheels and is a member of Stonegate Youth Fellowship. She serves as an officer for the LHS choir where she is the chairman of operations. She is a Texas Scholar, recipient of the Texas Music Scholar Award, a four-year academic letterman and served as team captain for her freshman and JV volleyball teams. Madison plans to major in kinesiology at Texas A&M University.

Jared Harland is the son of LaDonna Harland. He is a member of the Mighty Rebel Band and is an athletic trainer. He is a member of the Boy Scouts and his church youth group. He has earned his Eagle Scout badge and has four years of UIL sweepstakes with the Mighty Rebel Band where he served as leader of his section. Jared plans to major in sports medicine at Texas Tech University and participate in the Army ROTC.

MISS TALENTED AND MR. TALENTED: CINDY BENAVIDES AND BRANDON PHILLIPS

Cindy Benavides is the daughter of Gaby and Manuel Benavides. She is a four-year varsity basketball letter winner and a member of the LHS Student Council. She volunteers with Keep Midland Beautiful, Helping Hands and helps out with her younger sister's soccer team. Cindy plans to attend Midland College and become a physical therapist.

Brandon Phillips is the son of Chris Phillips and Kim Hicks. He is a two-year varsity soccer letterman, member of the LHS choir, chorale and Origin and a two-year varsity tennis letterman. He is involved in the Stonegate youth ministry and Interact Club. He serves as the senior class treasurer, is a member of the Student Council, yearbook, principals advisory council and serves as the science club treasurer. He is a three-year member of the all-region choir and three-year member of pre-area choir. Phillips plans to attend Midland College before transferring to Texas Tech or LSU to major in kinesiology and minor in business.

MISS CONGENIAL AND MR. CONGENIAL: KRISTEN SCHLEMEYER AND JOSH HYATT

Kristen Schlemeyer is the daughter of Angela and Race Schlemeyer. She is a member of the varsity softball team, National Honor Society, and the LHS choir, chorale and Origin. She in involved with the Stonegate youth ministry, serves as the varsity softball team captain and was recognized as a Rotary Club student of the week. She was also awarded the Sister's Keeper Award for chorale. Schlemeyer plans to study biochemistry at Texas Tech University.

Josh Hyatt is the son of Dana and John Hyatt. He is a member of the Mighty Rebel Band and was this year's Band Beau. He is a member of the National Honor Society and PALS. He is involved in the First United Methodist Church youth group, was recognized as Rotary Club student of the week and volunteers at Lone Star Sanctuary for Animals. He serves as the first lieutenant of the Mighty Rebel Band and has participated in the last four years of UIL Sweepstakes with the band. Josh plans to study rangeland ecology and management at Texas A&M University.

MISS INTEGRITY AND MR. INTEGRITY: MEGAN HODGES AND

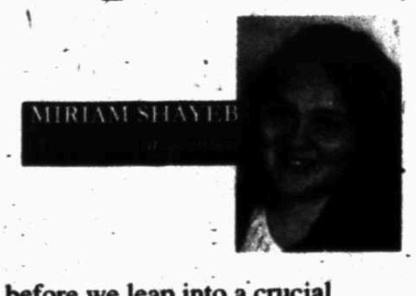
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Wish for high school sophmores: Be wise, be foolish

For as long as I can remember, the transition from April to May has been a crazed and seamless frenzy that has curiously molded the two months together into one whirlwind of spring. The school calendars are brimming with sports events, banquets, proms, the dooming prospect of finals and the graduation of hundreds of seniors across Midland. The year, before we realize it, has vanished from our sight and sits on the brink of hazy summer days. The time to reflect upon the happenings of our lives since August is drawing near.

As a sophomore, I sit in the acknowledged "in-between" of high school. The anxiety of freshman year lies behind us as the seemingly unknown oblivion of junior year lingers too close to our 10th-grade psyches. We are, in a sense, neither here nor there. This year, though fleeting, has been invaluable. We have received the opportunity to explore various facets of knowledge and to discover the surface of our interests and passions



before we leap into a crucial junior year. The etymology of the word "sophomoric" accurately describes the situation of a 10th-grader. From its Greek derivatives, "sophomore" literally means "wise fool." We, as sophomores, are inundated with knowledge while still foolishly gripping onto the childish days of yore.

Next year, many juniors will be looking forward to the SAT and AP exams while feverishly trying to expand their resumes for college applications. This is an inevitable and necessary chapter of many teenagers' lives as we try to advance toward a future whose arrival we (not so) secretly fear. We have a tendency to work and strive and achieve until one day, after looking up, we realize that the time has slipped through our fingers effortlessly. As I watch my senior friends reminisce about their years together, I realize that these memories are too precious to lose.

To my fellow sophomores: In the midst of the May madness that has arrived, in the middle of ceremonies and celebrations and the stress of studying before exams, in the gust of life that has blown into this busy spring, take

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MHS BASEBALL



RIGHT
Midland's JM Hillman warms up before hitting against El Paso in the bi-district playoff round May 3 at Kokernot Field in Alpine.

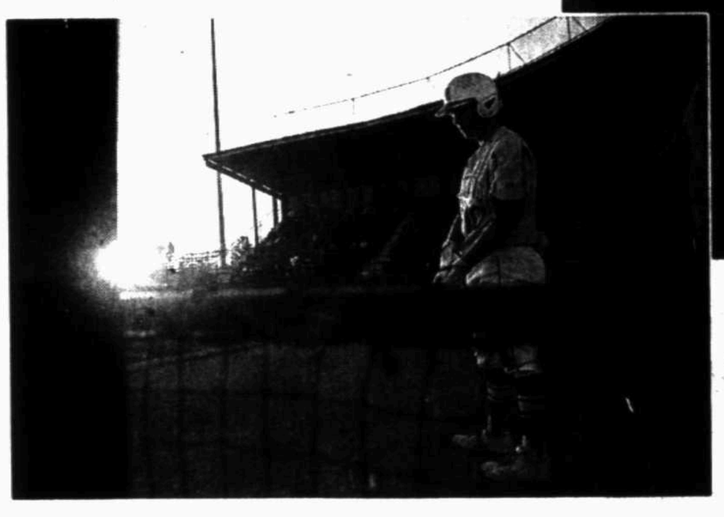
BELOW
The Midland High boys baseball team celebrates outside the dugout during the game against El Paso.

BOTTOM
Midland's Lance White warms up before hitting against El Paso.

BELOW RIGHT
Ryan Whittenberg looks on from the dugout during the game



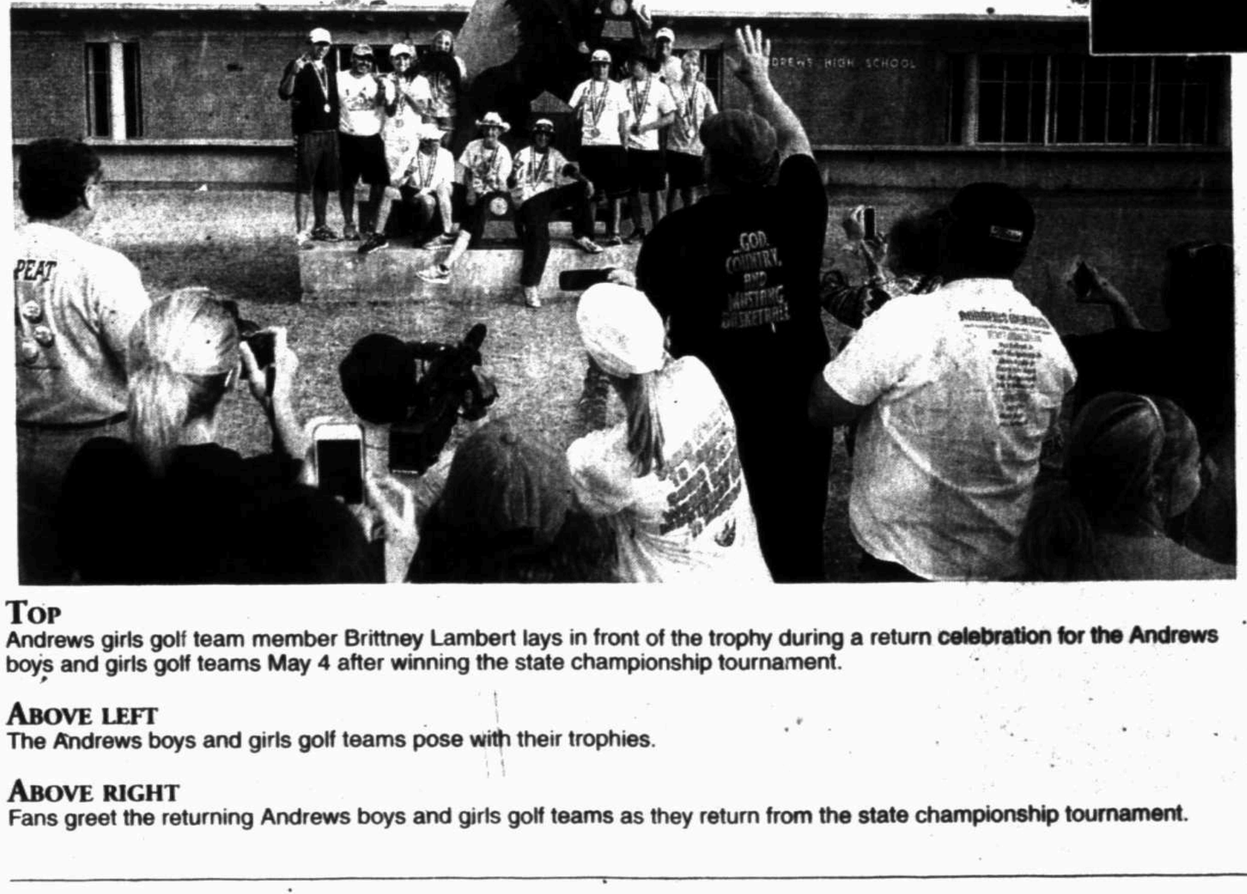


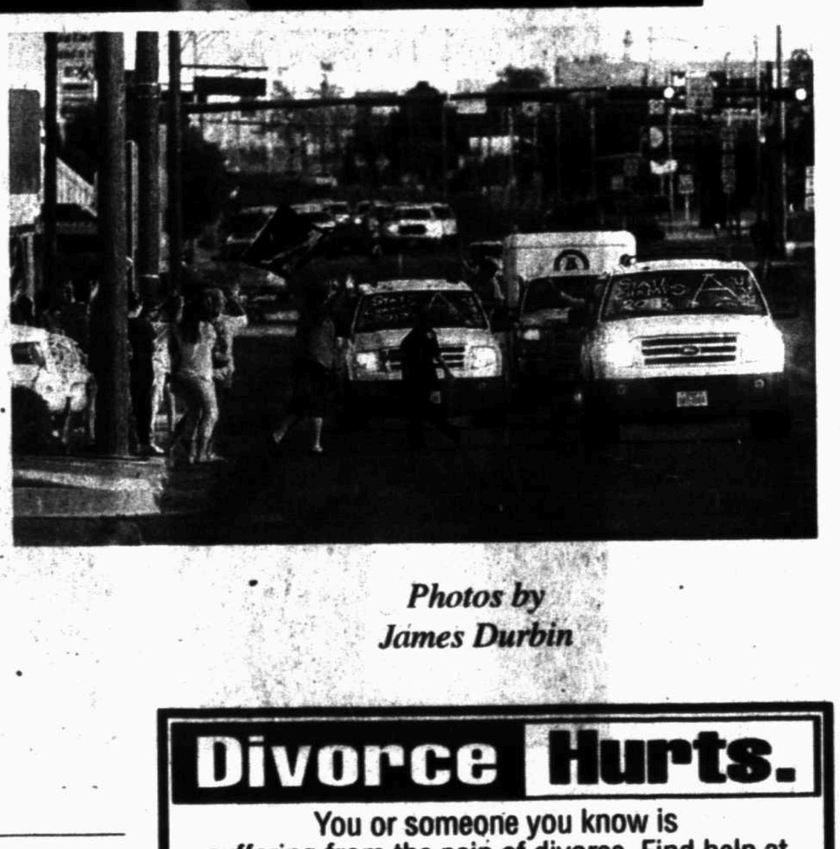


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STATE CHAMPS







TOP
Andrews girls golf team member Brittney Lambert lays in front of the trophy during a return celebration for the Andrews boys and girls golf teams May 4 after winning the state championship tournament.

ABOVE LEFT
The Andrews boys and girls golf teams pose with their trophies.

ABOVE RIGHT
Fans greet the returning Andrews boys and girls golf teams as they return from the state championship tournament.

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SHAYEB

From 1B

time to breathe. Realize the significance of a moment; in a blink it will be gone. In retrospect, this year has truly zoomed past us. It was full of learning, growth and memories. I find it exciting (and unnerving) that we will be walking into the junior nallway in a few months. In the meantime, I hope we'll linger in the bliss of our sophomoric bubble. Tenth grade and beyond, this is my wish for you all: Be wisg. Be foolish.

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"Man of Steel"



"Iron Man 3"



"Monsters University"



First months of summer offer extensive list of movie releases

As the summer of 2013 grows closer, so does the extensive list of films set to release during the always-exciting summer movie season. From the return of animated classics for the whole family, all the way to the reboot of a familiar superhero series, the entire summer season is sure to be jam-packed with films to be remembered for a very long time.

The month of May has historically been the worst month of the summer season, but this year, it appears to be off to an exponentially better start. The two main releases of May were expected to be "Iron Man 3" and "The Great Gatsby," and neither film has let down from the lofty expectations.

Robert Downey Jr. reprises his award-winning role of self-deemed "genius, billionaire, playboy, philanthropist" Tony Stark in the next chapter of the latest Iron Man reboot. While letting down many critics, the film has been a box office success so far, earning more than $174 million on its opening weekend.

The classic American writing of F. Scott Fitzgerald will receive what director Baz Luhrmann calls a "retro-contemporary" twist in the latest theatrical version of "The Great Gatsby." The film stars Academy Award winning Leonardo DiCaprio in the lead role of Jay Gatsby. "The Great Gatsby" was released last week and is expected to be a huge box office hit because of its star-studded cast and stunning theatrics, despite its critical condemnation.

May also will see the release of popular series sequels "Star Trek: Into Darkness" (Friday), "Fast and Furious 6" (May 23), and "The Hangover: Part III" (May 24).

June has its work cut out for it to surpass the highly predicted performance of May. But with the release of anxiously awaited films like "Man of Steel" and "Monsters University," how can one not expect June to be a great month for movie theaters around the world?

The latest DC Comics reboot comes after over a year of anticipation from die heart fans everywhere. When the first "Man of Steel" teaser trailer was initially revealed before the midnight release of "The Dark Knight Rises" last summer, fans in all theatres couldn't resist the urge to stand and clap for the breathtaking 30 seconds of DC heaven. "Man of Steel" will not only have a star-studded cast, with Henry Cavill and Amy Adams playing the main roles, but will also have a possibly even more exciting behind-the-scenes crew. Director Zac Snyder returns to the silver screen after the outstanding success of his last venture, "Watchmen," which he also directed. Christopher Nolan, director of "The Dark Knight" trilogy that concluded last summer and the Oscar-winning "Inception," will be the producer of this "Superman" reboot. With a cast and crew like that, the film is sure to please everyone who walks into the theater. "Man of Steel" will release June 14, with a midnight premiere June 13.

Pixar returns to the theatrical scene with "Monsters University," a prequel to the 2001 Disney/Pixar film "Monsters Inc." Billy Crystal and John Goodman return to reprise their main roles from the first film as Mike and Sulley, respectively. "Monsters University" will be Pixar's first sequel since "Cars 2" in 2010, and just the second sequel to be released by the studio that is not related to "Toy Story." The film is sure to be a huge hit among every member of the family, and is set to be released June 21.

The first two months of the summer are set to be jam-packed with several opportunities for moviegoers. The anticipation is not just hype, as this could be a summer movie season that every member of the family will remember for a long time.

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	C	S	B	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Dancing With the Stars (N)				Castle "Watershed" (SF) (N)		KMID News	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live		(:35) News Nightline
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	7 News	Ent. Tonight	Mother (Q)	Big Bang Theory	2 Broke Girls (N)	Mike & Molly (N)	Hawaii Five-0 "He Welo 'Ohana" (N)		CBS 7 News	(:35) Letterman	Mark Harmon, Luke Bryan	(:35) Late Late (N)
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Seinfeld	Rules "Flirting"	90210 "We All Fall Down" The group comes together again after a traumatic event. (F) (N)				Cops "Busted!"	Sein. "The Keys"	Rules of Engage.	That '70s Show	King of Queens	'Til Death
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Hell's Kitchen "10 Chefs Compete/ 9 Chefs Compete" (N)				The Simpsons	Met Your Mother	Met Your Mother	Loves Ray	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Dr. William	Joe McGee	Update News	Jonathan Hansen	Light of the Southwest				House Call	Mani Erfan	Rabbi Rantz	Y.Salamanca
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	News	The Voice "Live Top 12 Performances" The top 12 artists perform in front of the coaches. (N)				Revolution "The Longest Day" (N)		News-West 9	(:35) Tonight Show J. Leno	Miranda Lambert	(:35) LateNight
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Antiques Rd. "Seattle (Hour One)" (N)		Antiques Roadshow "Vintage Houston"		Independent Lens "The Invisible War" (N)		Sky Island	BBC News	Tavis Smiley	
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Corazon Indomable (SP)		Porque el Amor Manda		Amores Verdaderos		Que bonito amor		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Al Diablo con los Guapos	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Office	30 Rock	SVU "Haystack"		SVU "Infiltrated"		My News	Baggage	30 Rock	Sunny	Scrubs	Access H.
FLIX	340	65		165		(5:05) Monty Pyth...		★★ The Parent Trap Lindsay Lohan.				(:10) ★★ Freaky Friday Jamie Lee Curtis.			★ Heavenly Creat...		
HBO	300	68	14	14		(5:15) ★ The Rundown		Bill Maher				★★★ Bridesmaids Kristen Wiig.			(:15) Thrones		(:15) ★ Die Hard: ...
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(5:30) ★ The Campai...		Family	Veep	Game of Thrones		★ Mary and Martha Sam Claflin.		(:40) ★ Crazy, Stupid, Love.			
HBOS	304	70	16	102		(4:35) ★ Prometheus		The Sopranos				★★ Hanna ('11, Act) Saoirse Ronan.			★★★ The Debt ('11, Thril) Helen Mirren.		
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(4:15) ★ Casino		(:15) ★★★ Election Matthew Broderick.				★★ Cowboys and Aliens Daniel Craig.			(:15) ★ For a Good...		
MAX2	382	72	18	122		Movie	★ The Sitter ('11, Com) Jonah Hill.	★ Seeking a Friend for the En...				(:45) The Erotic Traveler "Lost in Ecstasy"			Movie		
PLEX			96			Movie	(:35) ★★★ Cry-Baby					★★★ Out of Africa ('85, Rom) Meryl Streep.			(:45) ★★ Carrie		
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(5:15) ★ The Woma...		★ Salmon Fishing in the Yemen				The Big C (N)		Nurse J.	The Big C		Borgias
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:40) ★ The Freebie		★★★ Elizabeth ('98, Dra) Cate Blanchett.				(:05) ★★★ Elizabeth: The Golden Age			★ A Room With a ...		
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty	Bates Motel "A Boy and His Dog"		Bates Motel "Underwater" (N)		Bates Motel "Underwater"		Duck Dynasty	Duck Dynasty
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	(4:30) ★ The Usual ...		★★★ Man on Fire ('04, Act) Dakota Fanning, Denzel Washington.						★★ The Marine ('06, Act) John Cena.			
BET	58	26		40		(5:00) 106 & Park (N)		★ Why Did I Get Married Too? ('10, Com) Janet Jackson.						(:05) Game	(:35) Game	(:05) Wendy Williams	
BRAVO	65	63		41		The Real Housewives		Orange County (N)		Real Housewives (N)		Newlyweds (N)		Watch (N)	Real Housewives		Newlywed
CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		Billions Behind Bars		America's Gun		American Greed		Mad Money		America's Gun	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan Live		A. Cooper 360		OutFront		Anthony Bourdain	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced		To Be Announced	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Shake Up	Austin	Dog Blog	★ Radio Rebel Debby Ryan.			(:15) Ferb	Jessie	GoodLuck	Austin	Wizards	Wizards
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	MLB Baseball New York Mets vs. St. Louis Cardinals (L)						Baseball Tonight (L)		SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	NFL Live (N)		30 for 30 "You Don't Know Bo"		Quarter "The Marinovich Project"				ESPN Films		Baseball Tonight (L)	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	Life of the Teenager		American Teen (N)		★★★ Matilda ('96, Fam) Mara Wilson.				The 700 Club		Fresh P.	Fresh P.
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity		On the Record		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners (N)	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Football Preview	SportsDay OnAir	WPT Poker Borgata Open		Preview	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. Oakland Athletics Site: Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum -- Oakland, Calif. (L)					
FX	31	31	59	64	69	2½Men	Two 1/2...	★★★ The Proposal ('09, Com) Ryan Reynolds, Sandra Bullock.						★★★ The Proposal Sandra Bullock.			
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	BradyB.	BradyB.	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Love It or List It		HouseH	House	Love It or List It		Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Pickers "Boys' Toys"		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers		American Pickers	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	(5:00) ★ To Be Announced		★★ Madea Goes to Jail (2009, Comedy) Derek Luke, Keshia Knight Pulliam, Tyler Perry.				★★ How Stella Got Her Groove Back ('98, Dra) Taye Diggs, Angela Bassett.			★★ Madea Goes to Jail Tyler Perry.		
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		All in With C. Hayes		Rachel Maddow	
NBCSN	38	39				F1 36	Auto Racing	Spanish Grand Prix				F1 Extra	F1 36	Cycling		IRB Rugby	
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Sponge	Drake	News (N)	F.House	F.House	F.House	Nanny	Nanny	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	(5:15) ★★★ Transporter 2		★★ The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift						(:20) ★★ Crank 2: High Voltage			
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	(4:30) ★ Star Trek: N...		Defiance		Defiance (N)		Warehouse 13 (N)		Defiance		Warehouse 13	
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Seinfeld	Seinf. "The Comeback"	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Conan		The Office	Conan
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:45) ★ S.O.S. Coast...		★★★ Gigi ('58, Mus) Leslie Caron.				(:15) ★★★★ Yankee Doodle Dandy James Cagney.				Movie	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Pasion Prohibida		La patrona		El señor de los cielos		Al rojo	Decisiones		Decision
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Long Island Medium "Behind the Read"		Long Island	Long Island	Long Island Medium on the Road (N)		Breaking Amish "Nothing to Lose"		Long Island Medium on the Road		Breaking Amish "Nothing to Lose"	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Castle "Slice of Death"		NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)					NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)				
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Family Secret"		WWE Monday Night Raw						(:05) NCIS: Los Angeles "Absolution"		(:05) CSI: Crime "Precious Metal"	
WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.

Newest installment of 'Iron Man' series doesn't disappoint



After the success of last year's "The Avenger's," Marvel Studios has its hands full trying to keep up with its future movies. In the summer, it announced its Phase Two: "Iron Man 3," "Thor: The Dark World," "Captain America: The Winter Soldier," "Guardians of the Galaxy" and, of course, "The Avengers 2." Sending the team out on their own separate missions is hard for Marvel after the momentum it gathered leading up to its 2012 blockbuster, but the release of the third movie for Avengers front man Tony Stark has kicked things back into high gear. Did the newest superhero action flick live up to the rest?

After the battle of New York, Tony Stark (Robert Downey Jr.) can't sleep. He finds himself building suit after suit. (He's already up to the Mark 42.) Stark realizes that compared to aliens and Norse gods, he is no match in his suit. All he wants to do is protect his girlfriend, Pepper Potts (Gwyneth Paltrow), but things get complicated when one of Stark's close friends gets caught up in an attack from the terrorist The Mandarin (Ben Kingsley) who has been plaguing America with bombs. Full of anger, Iron Man invites The Mandarin to his house, and the terrorist takes him up on the offer. Tony is stranded in Tennessee with only Harley (Ty Simpkins), a young boy, to help him fight The Mandarin. Meanwhile, Pepper is dealing with Maya Hansen (Rebecca Hall), an old fling of Stark's who has developed a new technology called Extremis. Her experiments have been picked up by Advanced Idea Mechanics (AIM), run by Aldrich Killian (Guy Pearce), who Tony snubbed several years ago at a party. Rhodey (Don Cheadle) is also back to hunt down The Mandarin in his War Machine armor, now painted red, white, and blue, and redubbed the Iron Patriot.

The performances in this film are amazing. Downey humanizes Stark immensely through his anxiety attacks and his desperation in wanting to protect Pepper. His scenes with the young boy Harley are adorable and one of the highlights of the film. Paltrow is spectacular as the damsel who is not always in distress this time around. While Maya Hansen is an almost thankless role, Rebecca Hall manages to pull off an adequate performance of a scientist who regrets what she has contributed to mankind. Guy Pearce makes a smooth transition from an awkward scientist to a suave businessman, while Kingsley's Mandarin comes off as scary and cocky, immensely terrifying in this post-9/11 era. But of course, Downey steals the show both as Tony Stark and Iron Man.

Marvel has kicked off Phase Two with a bang. From the wonderful characters and story arcs to the intense action scenes, especially with the Iron Legion, "Iron Man 3" is a full two hours and 20 minutes of fantastic scenes. I definitely recommend it to everyone, even if you haven't seen the previous Iron Man films or "The Avengers." Make sure to check out the trailer for "Thor: The Dark World" before the movie starts to get a sneak peek at the next Marvel adventure, and stay after the credits for the traditional bonus scene. Moviegoers: Assemble!

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LEVEL

For each word or phrase below, rearrange the letters to spell two things that are opposite in meaning. For example, FILL EARS can be rearranged to spell FALL, RISE. The first letter of each word is placed to get you started.

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Yesterday's Answer: FAINTLY, FRAILTY, ALIMONY, RIVALRY, TRAITOR, MORTIFY

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REBELEE

From 1B

REILLY GWIN

Megan Hodges is the daughter of Kim and Jimmy Hodges. She is a member of Senior Girls, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society and is a two-year varsity soccer letter winner. She is a member of Young Life, and teaches Sunday school at Crestview Baptist Church. She is a Texas Scholar and was honored as Midland Morning Lion's Club student of the week. Megan plans to major in psychology at Hardin-Simmons University.

Reilly Gwin is the son of Lanae and Terry Gwin. He is a two-year varsity football letterman and a member of the varsity track team. He served as manager of the basketball team, is a member of PALS and the French Honor Society. He is also a member of the St. Paul United Methodist Church youth group. Reilly plans to attend McMurry University to study exercise science and human performance.

MISS VALUABLE AND MR. VALUABLE: LEXI NEIGHBORS AND RYAN KNITTLE

Lexi Neighbors is the daughter of Lisa and Danny Neighbors. She is a two-year varsity volleyball letterman, a member of National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society and LHS choir, chorale and Origin. She volunteers with Tutors and is part of the core team at Stonegate Fellowship. She was recognized as Rotary Club Student of the week and Morning Lions Club Sweetheart. She is an all-region choir member, made 2nd team all district, academic all district and all state academic in volleyball and served as the varsity volleyball captain. Lexi plans to major in premed studies at Texas Tech University.

Ryan Knittle is the son of Susan and Tom Knittle. He is a Texas Scholar who is involved in PALS, is a member of National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, the Lee Rebel soccer team and the Lee Rebel football team. He volunteers with Meals on Wheels, and Helping Hands and is involved in his senior youth group at church. He was recognized on the all district football team with an honorable mention as a punter as well as an honorable mention as a defender for the all district soccer team. Ryan plans to attend Texas A&M University to study industrial distribution.

MISS ACADEMIC AND MR. ACADEMIC: SYDNEY RAMIREZ AND JORDAN DARLING

Sydney Ramirez is the daughter of Lynda Sanchez and Charlie Ramirez. She is a member of the Lee Rebel basketball team, the cross country team, Interact Club and National Honor Society. She volunteers with Helping Hands, Cimmaron House, Keep Midland Beautiful and attends St. Stephen's Catholic Church. She has been recognized as a National Hispanic scholar, served as the varsity basketball captain, secretary of Interact club and was a Texas State piano solo finalist. Ramirez plans to study nursing at Texas State.

Jordan Darling is the son of Kathleen and Rick Darling. He is a member of the debate team, National Honor Society and Interact Club. He volunteers with St. Stephen's Catholic Church and acts as a teen attorney at Midland Teen Court. He also serves as president of National Honor Society and Lincoln Douglas Captain of the debate team and is a member of the newly founded Be the Change Leadership Team. He was recently named Rotary Club student of the week. Jordan plans to attend Texas Tech and study business and corporate law.

MISS LHS AND MR. LHS: DEE GAONA AND CHARLIE WINKLEY

Destyne Gaona is the daughter of Jennifer and Greg Gaona. She is the Student Council secretary, a three-year varsity softball letter winner, a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Interact Club and senior girls. She is involved with St. Stephen's Catholic Church, Young Life and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She is a two-year varsity softball captain, was named as the 2012 LHS Homecoming queen and was Rotary Club student of the week. Dee plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University to study physical therapy.

Charlie Winkley is the son of Melissa and Russell Winkley. He is a member of the LHS choir, chorale and Origin and the National Honor Society. He is active in the Fairmont Church of Christ youth group and has joined them on mission trips to Colorado and St. Lucia. He is ranked No. 4 in the senior class of 2013, was the homecoming king, is a National Merit commended scholar, serves as the choir president and was recognized as the Downtown Lions Club student of the week. Charlie plans to major in music education at Baylor University.

STUDENT BIOS

MIRIAM SHAYEB, 15, is a sophomore at Trinity School.

Interests: Reading, writing, music, clarinet, piano, dance, travel, tennis

Activities/organizations: Varsity tennis, Girl Scouts, Midland Symphony Belles, Trinity Book Club, Trinity International Club, music student, St. Ann's Life Teen Youth Group

Where I see myself in 10 years: Continuing my education and making time to curl up with a good book.

KIRSTEN M. GEDDES, 17, is a homeschooled senior.

Interests: acting, singing, dancing and writing

Activities: Member of the Kaleidoscope Company teen theater troupe of the Permian Playhouse of Odessa

Where I see myself in 10 years: Probably living in Odessa, being either a writer for a newspaper or magazine, or education director for a theater. Or both!

KYLE LOGAN, 16, is a junior at Midland High School.

Activities/Organizations: Academic Decathalon, Model Organization of American States (MOAS), staff reporter for The Bulldog, National Honor Society

Interests/Hobbies: Golf, tennis, watching movies, skiing, spending time with friends, listening to music, traveling, writing, and college football

Where I see myself in 10 years: In 10 years, I hope to have graduated from business school with a degree in finance or entrepreneurship along with a master's in business administration (MBA), and to be working as a financial analyst at an investment bank.

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May 17
- Early College High School graduation @ Chap Center

May 19
- MHS baccalaureate @ MHS auditorium
- LHS baccalaureate @ LHS auditorium

May 23
- Coleman High School graduation @ Chap Center

May 24
- Trinity School graduation @ Trinity School
- Midland Christian School graduation @ Midland Christian School

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- Greenwood High School graduation @ Chap Center

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- Midland High School graduation 4 p.m. @ Chap Center

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Following guidelines important in contact lens safety

Millions of people in the United States and around the world wear contact lenses safely every day. Still, failure to follow instructions for wear and care of contacts could lead to infection, pain and, in extreme cases, loss of sight, say Drs. Blake and Heather Kern Golson of Texas Country Eye Care.

Too often the Drs. Golson see patients, especially teenage girls, who have purchased contacts from unauthorized sellers simply to change the color of their eyes. Often these lenses are sold without the wearer being given any instructions on proper wear and cleaning.

"We've even seen kids trading these lenses among themselves," says Dr. Kern. "Bacteria cling to these lenses—wearing someone else's lenses is very dangerous!"

Untreated eye infections can lead to corneal ulcers—which are literally a hole in the cornea. Untreated, corneal ulcers can rob someone of their eyesight. On the positive side, with antibiotic treatment, little or no harm is usually done. "This is a high price to pay simply to change the color of your eyes," Dr. Kern explains. "If you really want to do that, please see us or another optometrist. There you will be fitted for contacts that conform to the shape of your eyeball, and you will learn how to wear them and how to care for them."

There is no such thing as a non-prescription contact lens. At Texas Country Eye Care they fit two kinds of soft contacts: daily wear and monthly wear. Dr. Golson points out that there are lenses designed to be worn for two weeks at a time, but this schedule tends to be harder to track than changing them every day or on the first of the month, which means the two-week kind are more likely to be worn improperly.



Drs. Blake and Heather Kern Golson at Texas Country Eye Care say it is vital to follow use and care instructions when wearing contacts—and to avoid getting them from unauthorized sellers.

Daily or weekly, the Drs. Golson recommend that you take your contacts out at night, in order for your cornea to get oxygen. This vital part of your eye only gets oxygen from the air, and even permeable contacts interfere with that. Constant wearing of contacts can lead to a condition called "neo-vascularization," in which an oxygen-starved eye grows blood vessels in the cornea to supply that oxygen. These vessels can hurt your vision.

When cleaning contacts, Dr. Kern strongly suggests using only name brand cleaners, and those that use hydrogen peroxide instead of soap. "Soap does kill germs, but it does not rinse off your lenses completely. Soap residue can dry your eyes—and this area's dry climate already causes issues with that." Using name brands is important because some contact wearers are allergic to certain ingredients in cleaners. With brand names it is easier to track ingredients.

Worn properly and cared for carefully, contacts are wonderfully freeing for most types of eye problems, even astigmatism. But care is of the essence!

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Zgardowski



Vargas

GRAND PRAIRIE — Jason Zgardowski pitched a complete-game two-hitter to help Midland College top Temple College, 7-0, in the second round fo the Region V Tournament at QuikTrip Park on Sunday.

Midland College will play for a spot in the Region V championship today when it meets Howard College in the semifinals.

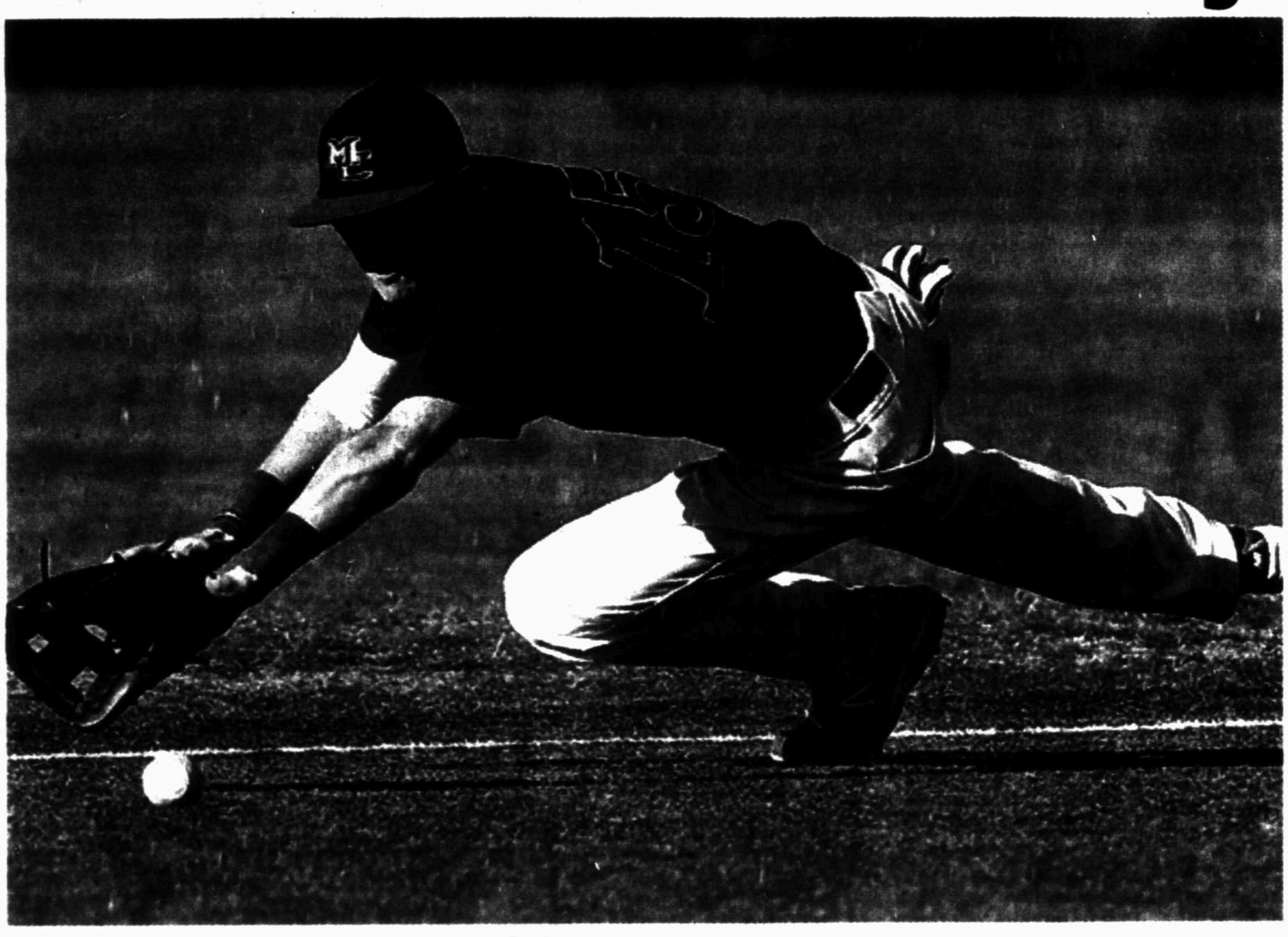
Zgardowski pitched a perfect first four innings and didn't allow a hit until Temple College got one with two outs in the sixth. He also got help from his defense as he was able to go the complete nine innings in just 101 pitches Saturday.

"Zgardowski was able to throw a complete game and save our bullpen," MC coach David Coleman said, "and we turned four double plays and shortened some innings for him."

The Chaps (45-13) gave him plenty of run support, busting open a 1-0 game in the bottom of the fourth thanks to a couple of miscues by Temple College. First, a fielding error allowed Daniel Vargas to reach and Hunter Redman to score before Jay

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Back in the state tourney



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Christian's Daniel Crooks dives for a line drive during an April 18 game at Christensen Stadium. Crooks is hoping to lead the Mustangs to another TAPPS 4A state title this season.

Crooks hopes history repeats itself for MCS

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The Game

TAPPS 4A STATE SEMIFINALS
MIDLAND CHRISTIAN
VS. FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN

When: 2 p.m. today
Where: Waco ISD Field 1

Daniel Crooks wanted to be there, but that didn't stop the nerves from taking over.

Matt Withrow wasn't just a Texas Tech signee and an MLB Draft prospect, and Nikko Velarde wasn't just the son of Midland great Randy Velarde and a Midland College prospect in his own right — the two were faces of a Midland Christian team with state title aspirations.



Crooks

And last year, Crooks — in his first varsity season after playing JV at Midland High as a sophomore — had to step into the spotlight vacated by both due to injury.

The pressure of that task nearly consumed Crooks — until he actually stepped on the mound.

"I've been pitching like my whole life," Crooks said, "so it was kind of just like riding a bike."

Crooks ended up playing a vital role in helping the Mustangs maintain a high level of play during the regular season before Withrow and Velarde returned in a season that ended with a state title.

Now, as Midland Christian prepares for a state semifinal matchup with district rival Fort Worth Christian at 2 p.m. today in Waco, history has already repeated itself, which the Mustangs hope will lead to it repeating itself again at state.

This year, Crooks was the senior leader of the Mustangs' pitching staff, fresh off of his timely contributions to the team in 2012.

"It was huge for us," MCS coach Mike Munguia said of Crooks' performance last year. "A lot of people don't see it, he didn't pitch in the state tournament, but how fresh was Nikko? And (Velarde) pitched the game of his life (in the state championship), and his arm was really, really fresh.

"So, it was huge the innings (Crooks) ate up for us last year."

But, like Withrow and Velarde last season, Crooks was forced out with a nagging injury, his lower back, during the meat of the Mustangs' schedule.

Yet there was a player, just like Crooks, waiting to step up when his name was called.

Unlike Crooks, however, junior Nolan Shattel wasn't nearly as nervous.

"I was just going out there trying to do my job," the laid-back Shattel said, "they want me to come in and get outs, and that's what I tried to do."

Shattel did better than just eat innings. The junior, who starts at catcher when he isn't pitching, blossomed into one of the Mustangs' best arms.

"Nolan came in, and we weren't planning on him being our No. 2 when the season started, and (we) watched him throw in the scrimmages and tournaments and really just didn't have a choice, because he was so effective and has been so effective," Munguia said. "He gave us that No. 2 that you feel like is more of a 1B."

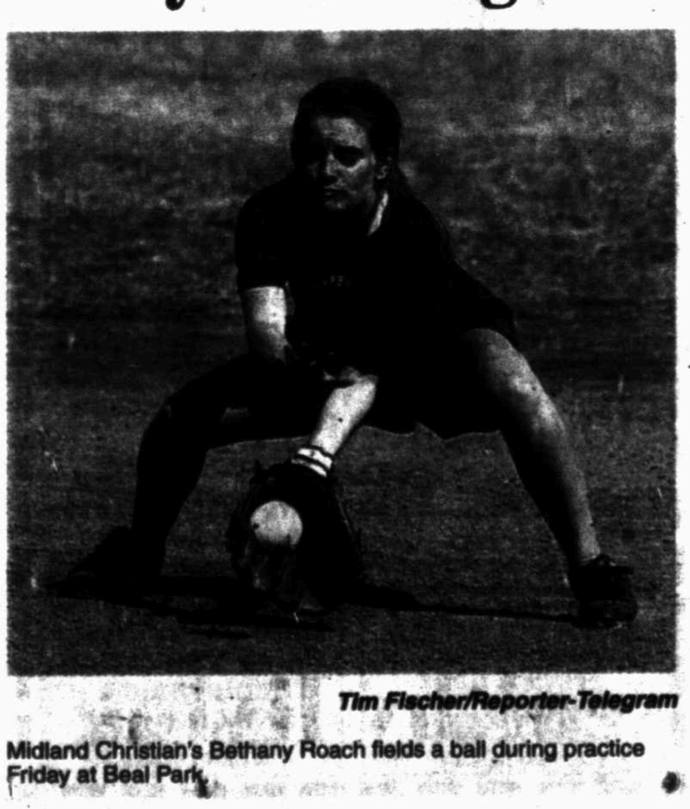
Now, with Crooks back, the Mustangs have a feeling similar to the one they had going into state last season.

"It built a lot of confidence in our team when we had Matt back because we knew that we were winning without him," Crooks said, "and then with him we felt like we couldn't be stopped."

And while Midland Christian will need one of its best performances to avenge two losses to Fort Worth Christian earlier this season, it certainly doesn't hurt knowing it has backup behind its No. 1

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Lady Mustangs overcome road blocks to state



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Midland Christian's Bethany Roach fields a ball during practice Friday at Beal Park.

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The Game

TAPPS 4A STATE SEMIFINALS
MIDLAND CHRISTIAN
VS. FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN

When: 10 a.m. today
Where: Waco ISD Athletic Complex

The road to the TAPPS 4A State Softball Tournament has been filled with so many obstacles for the Midland Christian softball team over the last five years, it was hard to even figure out which ones to tackle first.

The Lady Mustangs haven't been to a state tournament since 2008, and they won it that year. In between, longtime coach Byron Myers resigned to focus on his job as high school principal, and the coach expected to take his place never coached a game.

Judy Hardy was hired, and Hardy's first three years were filled with some struggles in trying to put her stamp on the program and continue to produce the consistent success the program had seen over the previous decade.

This year, though, something finally clicked. With a mixture of savvy veterans, including a senior class that has endured more disappointment in the playoffs than success the last three years, young players and some key transfers, the Lady Mustangs are back in the TAPPS 4A softball final four.

Midland Christian will take on TAPPS 1-4A rival Fort Worth Christian at 10 a.m. today at the Waco ISD Athletic Complex.

"My freshman year when we had Myers and (Randy Tandy),

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BULLDOGS NOTEBOOK

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MHS pushing uptempo style of play

Midland High football practice is running at a much faster tempo, and it's all part of a plan for the future.

Each Thursday when the Bulldogs take the field at Memorial Stadium for an intra-squad scrimmage, one of their main focuses is trying to run as many plays as possible in the 80 to 90 minutes they will spend practicing. The last two weeks, Midland High coach Craig Yenzer said that number has been around 125.

It's all part of the new wrinkle the Bulldogs are trying to add to their multiple formation offense, which will feature much more of a no-huddle look, similar to what you might see run in the college ranks by Baylor or Texas A&M.

"We're trying to push the pace during our scrimmages this spring and trying to see how what we do fits into that pace," Yenzer said. "Sometimes there is going to be more mistakes than with a slower pace, but the ability to keep a defense off balance really makes it worth it."

Yenzer said the motivation for the no-huddle offense came after the Bulldogs took a pounding at the hands of Southlake Carroll, 63-3, last season. Carroll has been running its offense at a rapid pace for more than a decade and Yenzer is hoping to add that dimension to the Bulldogs, as well.

"I think what really motivated us is what we saw Southlake Carroll do with that offense," Yenzer said. "Their quarterback throws it, the receiver catches it, runs, gets tackled and quickly gives the ball back to the referee. And just like that they're already

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REBELS NOTEBOOK

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Bell impressing as receiver

As the Midland High baseball team continues its run in the Class 5A state playoffs, my time at Lee spring football practices remains limited.

But that hasn't stopped certain players from making big impressions in the time I have spent at the Lee practice fields.

Here are five observations from the second week of spring practice.

Alex Bell impressing as full-time receiver

Speaking with members of the Lee coaching staff this offseason, there was a distinct buzz about Bell moving to wide receiver full time after crossing over sparingly from his starting safety position in 2012.

These past two weeks, Bell has shown exactly why.

For starters, Bell has been next to impossible to run with step for step, repeatedly getting behind the defense for easy scores.

But Bell has also been electric in the open field, making him a perfect fit in the new Cliff Watkins-led offense, which relies heavily on wide-receiver screens and short passes.

Running back Jason McAfee was similarly dazzling in spring practice last year, which set him up for a big leap in production in his senior season.

Bell has been every bit as eye-opening this spring, and gives Lee reason to be very excited if he continues to

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set up for their next play. I like that attack mode."

Yenzer admits not everything in MHS' practices are run at that speed, though.

"It's a real philosophical battle," Yenzer said. "We back off of that pace a bit in other drills like with our pass hull. That allows our coaches to take a better look at players and evaluate how they fit into the team."

And that fast tempo is likely going to become a standard for the Midland High offense.

"So far we really like what we see from it," Yenzer said. "It's not perfect by any means, but I think it brings more intensity to our practices. The kids stay engaged more with it. I don't know how much we'll use it this year, but it's something we definitely want to work our way toward using."

YENZER HAPPY WITH PROGRESSION IN WEEK 2: The Bulldogs now have two weeks of spring practice behind them, and Yenzer is pleased with the improvement he saw from the first to the second week.

"I thought our football skills were better," Yenzer said. "We're doing better at concentrating on technique and breaking down. You can tell the kids are starting to really get it. It's the kind of progression you want to see from one week to the next."

One of the biggest areas Yenzer saw progress in was the secondary. The Bulldogs are making a complete move to the 4-2-5 defensive alignment after running a mix of that scheme and the 4-3 last season. The Bulldogs have traditionally played zone in pass defense, but will be shifting to more of a man-to-man look with an emphasis on press coverage.

"Our new defensive philosophy is really coming along," Yenzer said. "Our cornerbacks did a much better job with the press."

STAYING HEALTHY: The Bulldogs were fortunate to stay healthy this week, and actually got all-district receiver DeAndre Goodley back on the practice field after he sat out last week with a tweaked hamstring.

No other athletes who weren't previously injured returned to practice, but the Bulldogs didn't add anyone to the injury list, either.

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develop at this rate.

Aron Dobbins' hands out of the backfield

Someone else who looks like a perfect fit in Watkins' new offense is Dobbins, a shifty running back with good top-end speed who started the Rebels' season finale as a sophomore last season.

The new spread-out offense already catered to Dobbins' strengths as a runner as he shifts gears smoothly and, like McAfee, is at his best in open space.

But what Dobbins has also shown is that he will be a reliable target out of the backfield as his good hands and smooth running style translate well to the passing game.

Dobbins has looked just as comfortable split out wide as he is taking handoffs, and he and the new offense figures to be mutually beneficial in the fall.

Nathan Bailey leads new defensive line

Bailey saw action as a sophomore for Lee in 2011 and has been the youngest member of a veteran defensive line the past two seasons.

Now Bailey, a rangy defensive end, is the lone player on the defensive line with a varsity start to his name.

But while Lee will lose experience, it certainly won't lose size, with players like Relandus Swan (tackle) and Nathan Seay (end) passing the eyeball test as coach James Morton put it.

Nick Gonzales is also a defensive tackle and has been disruptive up front in the first half of spring practice.

Morton also mentioned Chris Prieto (tackle) and T.J. Soto (end) as players expected to be in the defensive line rotation next season.

This unit will be young in 2013 but certainly has the physical tools to maintain a high level of play after nearly all of the 2012 unit graduated.

Emphasis on playmaking in secondary

After rising junior Juwan Lee, an athletic receiver turned cornerback, picked off a pass during an 11-on-11 drill, I heard secondary coach Jeff Pair yell out "19-19!"

It wasn't until the next interception by a Rebel cornerback, to which Pair yelled, "20-19!" that I realized Pair was keeping track of the number of interceptions by the Rebel secondary in a competition between corners and safeties.

Lee clearly doesn't want to wait until its eighth game of the season for its first interception as it did last season and likely wants to exceed its 2012 season total of two.

Defenders dropped a number of interceptions last year, which hurt the defense in the long run as a missed opportunity to get off the field.

And it looks like the Rebels are taking the first steps toward cutting down on these types of missed opportunities this spring.

Kaleb Nunez making early case for varsity role

It's hard not to notice Nunez, a graceful 6-foot-2, 205 pound tight end with great hands who happens to be a dead ringer for his older brother Talor, the Rebels' starting quarterback the last two seasons.

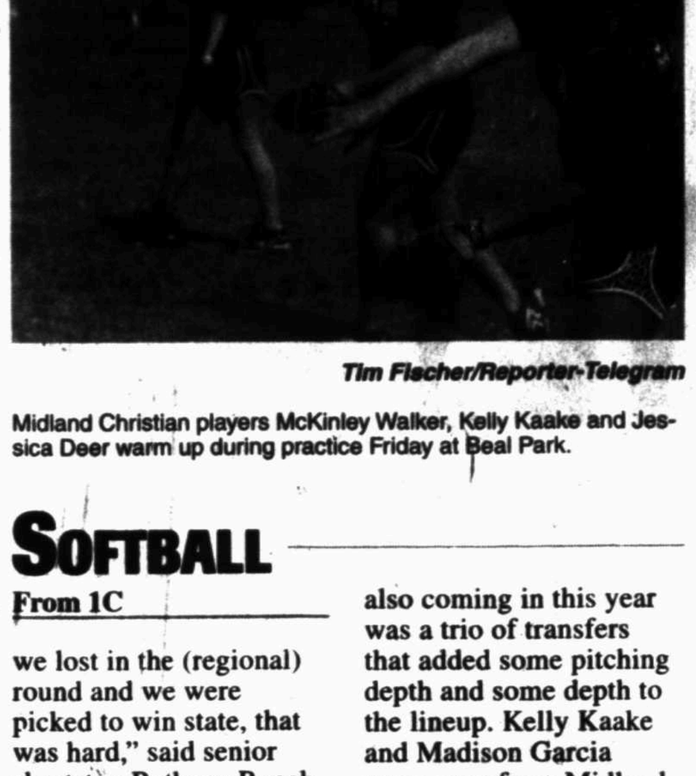
What else is impossible to ignore is the fact that Nunez is often the only player taking first team reps without a jersey number. That's because rising sophomores don't have jersey numbers.

Yet Nunez has hopped right in with the upperclassman and played well with the first-team offense, even catching a touchdown in the first scrimmage of the spring.

Nothing is promised to a rising sophomore, but Nunez, a former quarterback himself, has impressed with his receiving skills, which are a great fit in the new pass-friendlier offense.

If Nunez does make the team he has set himself up well for a prominent role in his first varsity season.

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Midland Christian players McKinley Walker, Kelly Kaake and Jessica Deer warm up during practice Friday at Beal Park.

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we lost in the (regional) round and we were picked to win state, that was hard," said senior shortstop Bethany Roach. "Coming back the next two years, I knew they were going to be rebuilding years, but this year, I knew we had a special team."

In 2009 and 2010, Myers' last two years, Midland Christian was ousted in the regional round In 2011, the Lady Mustangs had a rare first round loss.

They returned to the regional round in 2012, only to fall one more time in that round.

"It's been four years since I been on varsity softball, and I'm a four-year letterwinner in basketball, and I've never made it past that round," Roach said.

The pressure was starting to mount a little bit both on Hardy and the players.

But the players also saw Hardy handle that pressure, and the players have as well, and now it's starting to pay off.

"The first year it was new with a new coaching staff, but we have really grown to love her," said senior center fielder Madison LeRoy. "She's like another mother to us, and really turned the program for good. We've grown over the years to believe together and move on."

Both Roach and LeRoy are part of a senior class that also includes senior pitcher Kadee Vines, who was thrown into the fire as a freshman because of an injury to the team's starting pitcher.

Those three formed the core of the team, but also coming in this year was a trio of transfers that added some pitching depth and some depth to the lineup. Kelly Kaake and Madison Garcia came over from Midland High, while Kaytlyn Neff moved to the program from Lee.

Kaake moved into third and leads the team in RBI, while Garcia has been a spot starter as a pitcher and is also contributing to the lineup. Neff, meanwhile, found a spot behind the plate as former catcher Maranda Galindo graduated, and has also been key in the lineup.

Add all that up and the Lady Mustangs are in position to compete for another TAPPS title.

"It's been pretty fun sitting back and watching them develop into the players they developed into," Hardy said. "It's helped to relieve some stress because we are back there now. I'm going to be proud of the girls either way, but with the way they've got their goals set, they only thing they want is coming home with that state championship."

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TAPPS 4A STATE SEMIFINAL FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN VS. MIDLAND CHRISTIAN

When/where: 10 a.m. today, Waco ISD Athletic Complex

Records: Midland Christian 23-21-2, Fort Worth Christian 14-11

Last game: Midland Christian 6, Waco Reicher 0; Fort Worth Christian 5, Dallas Parish Episcopal 0

Next: Winner will play either Victoria St. Joseph or Fort Bend Baptist in TAPPS 4A State Championships, 10 a.m. Tuesday, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Belton

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just like last year.

"I just feel like we can do a whole lot more, we can accomplish a whole lot more," Shattel said, "and no matter what we've got people to do what we need to do, get stuff done."

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TAPPS 4A STATE SEMIFINALS MIDLAND CHRISTIAN VS. FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN

When/where: 2 p.m. today, Waco ISD Field 1

Records: MCS 25-12; FWC 29-11

Last game: MCS 7, Tyler Grace Community 6; FWC 2, Dallas Christian 0

Last meeting: FWC 2, MCS 1 on March 28

Notes: This is the second time the two TAPPS 1-4A rivals have been two of the last four teams remaining in TAPPS 4A. Last season, Midland Christian defeated Fort Worth Christian, 1-0, in the TAPPS 4A state championship after the teams split the regular season series. Fort Worth Christian swept the regular-season series this year by taking both games in a doubleheader in Fort Worth. Midland Christian held the Cardinals to four runs combined in the two games but only mustered one run in the second game after being shut out in the first. "That was definitely one of the low points of our season," coach Mike Munguia said. "We competed down there, we played hard, we were just in a stretch where we didn't hit the ball." Now, the Mustangs will try to avenge both losses with a win against a similarly-structured team. "They're really similar to us pitching-wise, they've got a 1 and a 1B, and both of those guys are very effective, they have good stuff, they locate the ball extremely well," Munguia said. "We're going to have to have that mentality of knowing what they did to us last time and how to counteract that." ... Midland Christian is coming off of a one-run win on a seventh-inning rally against Tyler Grace Community.

Next: Winner will face winner of Sugar Land Fort Bend-Houston Second Baptist in TAPPS 4A state championship, 2 p.m Tuesday, Mary-Hardin Baylor, Belton

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Gonzales scored on a wild pitch on the next at-bat.

Midland College then went up 4-0 when an error allowed Vargas to score with two outs in the inning.

While Vargas was the only Chap with multiple RBI in the game, four Chaps had multiple hits, including Fagnan (2 for 5), Jay Gonzales (2 for 2, RBI) and Chris Shaw and Redman, who both finished 2 for 4 with a walk and two runs scored.

As impressive as the win was, Coleman said it was just one goal down as the team eyes the Region V title.

"We're really just trying to win each game," Coleman said. "No rotation, each pitcher is on and all hands on deck, and hopefully we win them all."

MIDLAND COLLEGE 7, TEMPLE COLLEGE 0

Temple	000	000	000	—	0	2	3
MC	010	310	20x	—	7	11	0

Mangham, Sheeran (7), Pope (7) and Smith. Jason Zgardowski and Hunter Redman. W — Zgardowski. L — Mangham. 2B — MC: Chris Shaw 2. Jay Gonzales. 3B — MC: Jeremie Fagnan. RBI — MC, Daniel Vargas (2), Matt Reyes, Gonzales, Tyler Barlow

Record: MC 45-13

Next: Midland College vs. Howard College or New Mexico Junior College, 5 p.m. today, Region V Tournament semifinals

NJCAA Region V Tournament at Gulf/Tip Park, Grand Prairie
May 11-15

Saturday

Game 1: (N2) Temple College 6, (W3) Frank Phillips College 6

Game 2: (W1) Midland College 2, (N4) Weatherford College 1

Game 3: (W2) New Mexico Junior College 4, (N3) Cisco College 2

Game 4: (W4) Howard College 10, (N1) Grayson Coditty College 5

Sunday

Loser's bracket

Game 5: Frank Phillips College (34-20) vs. Weatherford College (32-24), late

Game 6: (N1) Grayson County College 8, (N3) Cisco College 3

Winner's bracket

Game 7: (W1) Midland College 7, (N2) Temple College 0

Game 8: (W4) Howard College 2, (W2) New Mexico Junior College 1

Today

Loser's bracket second round

Game 9: (N1) Grayson County College vs. (N2) Temple College, 10 a.m.

Game 10: Game 5 winner vs. (W2) New Mexico Junior College, 1 p.m.

Winner's bracket semifinal

Game 11: (W1) Midland College vs. (W4) Howard College, 5 p.m.

Loser's bracket semifinal

Game 12: Game 9 winner vs. Game 10 winner, 8 p.m.

Tuesday

Loser's bracket final

Game 13: Game 11 loser vs. Game 12 winner, 1 p.m.

Championship

Game 14: Game 11 winner vs. Game 13 winner, 5 p.m.

Wednesday

Championship

Game 15: If necessary, Game 14 winner vs. Game 14 loser, 1 p.m.

Missions power past RockHounds

From staff reports

SAN ANTONIO — The Midland RockHounds were unable to slow down the San Antonio Missions on Sunday, falling 8-3 at Nelson Wolff Stadium.

Midland jumped out an early lead on a two-run shot to right by Anthony Aliotti in the first inning, but San Antonio responded in the bottom of the frame, knotting the score on a two-run single by Jake Blackwood.

Midland cooled off after the fast start, however, and the Missions kept rolling, adding a run on a Jeudy Valdez RBI single in the second then busting the game open in a four-run fourth.

San Antonio quickly loaded the bases on RockHound starter Brett Anderson in that inning before Valdez hit an RBI groundout to push the lead to 4-2.

Two batters later, Kalian Sams cleared the bases with a three-run blast to center field to make it 7-2.

Both teams added a run later in the game, but Midland was never close.

In addition to the Missions' 10 hits, leadoff hitter Rico Noel stole three bases, helping him score twice in the game. San Antonio second baseman Adam Buschini, hitting at the bottom of the lineup,was 3 for 4 with a double and two runs scored.

MISSIONS 8, ROCKHOUNDS 3									
Midland	ab	r	h	bi	San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi
Obercker dh	4	0	1	1	Noel cf	4	2	1	0
Myers cf	3	1	1	0	Valdez ss	5	1	1	2
Aliotti 1b	3	1	1	2	Williams lf	4	1	1	1
Goebbert lf	4	0	0	0	Sams rf	2	1	1	3
Coleman ss	4	0	0	0	Limonta 1b	3	0	0	0
Head 3b	4	0	0	0	Blackwood 3b	4	0	2	2
Whitaker rf	3	0	0	0	Rodriguez c	4	0	0	0
Freitas c	3	0	0	0	Kirby-Jones dh	4	1	1	0
Perez 2b	2	1	0	0	Buschini 2b	4	2	3	0

Totals	30	3	3	3	Totals	36	8	10	2

LOB — Midland 3, San Antonio 7. 2B — Obercker (12), Myers (7), Buschini (3), Blackwood (9). HR — Aliotti (4), Sams (4). SB — Perez (7), Noel 3 (27), Valdez (7), Buschini (1).

Midland	200	010	000	—	3	
San Antonio	210	401	00x	—	8	

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Midland						
Anderson L, 0-1	3.2	6	6	6	4	3
Hernandez	3.1	4	2	2	1	3
Long	1.0	0	0	0	0	3
San Antonio						
Wisler W, 1-0	5.0	2	3	3	3	6
Rearick	2.0	0	0	0	0	4
Lara	2.0	1	0	0	0	2

WP — Anderson.
T — 2:24. A — 3,005.

LATE BOX
GAME 2
MISSIONS 6, ROCKHOUNDS 5

Midland	ab	r	h	bi	San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi
Obercker rf	4	1	2	1	Fuentes cf	2	2	1	1
Myers cf	4	1	0	1	Noel rf	1	0	0	0
Aliotti 1b	2	0	0	0	Limonta 1b	2	0	0	0
Goebbert lf	4	1	2	1	Sams lf	3	0	1	1
Coleman ss	3	1	2	1	Blackwood 3b	3	0	0	0
Whitaker dh	3	0	0	1	Rodriguez c	3	2	1	0
Taylor c	4	0	1	0	Kirby-Jones dh	2	1	0	0
Ladendorf 3b	3	1	2	0	Valdez ss	3	0	0	0
Perez 2b	3	0	0	0	Buschini 2b	3	1	1	3
Totals	30	5	9	4	Totals	22	6	4	5

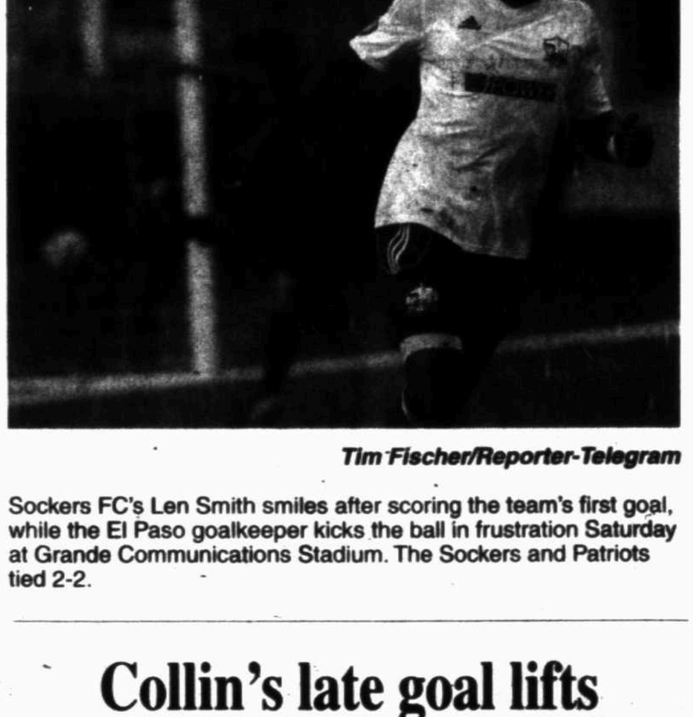
Midland	101	120	0	—	6				
San Antonio	040	011	x	—	6				

E — Coleman (11), Buschini (3). PB—Rodriguez (7). LOB — Midland 9, San Antonio 3. 2B — Rodriguez (8). SB — Coleman (3). HR — Obercker (1), Goebbert (4), Buschini (1). Fuentes (3). SF — Whitaker.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Midland						
Bowman	5.0	3	5	1	4	3
DeMark L, 0-1	1.0	1	1	1	0	1
San Antonio						
Geer	3.1	5	3	2	2	1
Ibarra	0.2	1	0	0	0	0
McBryde	1.0	3	2	2	0	2
Stites W, 2-1	1.0	0	0	0	1	2
Quackenbush S, 5	1.0	0	0	0	1	2

WP — DeMark 2.
T — 2:10. A — 5,468.

Nice goal



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Sockers FC's Len Smith smiles after scoring the team's first goal, while the El Paso goalkeeper kicks the ball in frustration Saturday at Grande Communications Stadium. The Sockers and Patriots tied 2-2.

Collin's late goal lifts Sporting KC past Dynamo

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Aurelien Collin scored in the 73rd minute to lift Sporting Kansas City to a 1-0 win over the Houston Dynamo on Sunday night.

The loss snapped Houston's record 36-game home unbeaten streak, including 30 straight in MLS play. Houston had not lost at home since a 2-0 defeat against Columbus on June 18, 2011.

"Just a little bit unfortunate," Houston midfielder Brad Davis said. "It's a disappointing way to (see the streak) come to (an end). I know we're going to be asked about the streak or whatever, but that's why they're records. They're hard to get."

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NBA Playoffs

(x-if necessary)
(Best-of-7)
CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Miami 2, Chicago 1
Monday, May 6: Chicago 93, Miami 86
Wednesday, May 8: Miami 115, Chicago 78
Friday, May 10: Miami 104, Chicago 94
Today: Miami at Chicago, 6 p.m.
Wednesday, May 15: Chicago at Miami, 6 p.m.
x-Friday, May 17: Miami at Chicago, TBA
x-Sunday, May 19: Chicago at Miami, TBA
Indiana 2, New York 1
Sunday, May 5: Indiana 102, New York 95
Tuesday, May 7: New York 105, Indiana 79
Saturday, May 11: Indiana 82, New York 71
Tuesday: New York at Indiana, 6 p.m.
Thursday, May 16: Indiana at New York, 7 p.m.
x-Saturday, May 18: New York at Indiana, TBA
x-Monday, May 20: Indiana at New York, 8 p.m.
WESTERN CONFERENCE
San Antonio 2, Golden State 2
Monday, May 6: San Antonio 129, Golden State 127, 2OT
Wednesday, May 8: Golden St. 100, San Antonio 91
Friday, May 10: San Antonio 102, Golden State 92
Sunday: Golden State 97, San Antonio 87, OT
Tuesday: Golden State at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 16: San Antonio at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.
x-Sunday, May 19: Golden State at San Antonio, TBA
Memphis 2, Oklahoma City 1
Sunday, May 5: Oklahoma City 93, Memphis 91
Tuesday, May 7: Memphis 99, Oklahoma City 93
Saturday, May 11: Memphis 87, Oklahoma City 81
Today: Oklahoma City at Memphis, 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 15: Memphis at Oklahoma City, 8:30 p.m.
x-Friday, May 17: Oklahoma City at Memphis, TBA
x-Sunday, May 19: Memphis at Oklahoma City, TBA

SATURDAY'S BOX
WARRIORS 97, SPURS 87

SAN ANTONIO (87): Leonard 4-11 3-4 11, Duncan 7-22 5-9 19, Splitter 2-4 1-2 5, Parker 6-17 5-6 17, Da.Green 4-13 0-2 10, Diaw 0-3 0-0 0, Ginobili 8-18 0-2 21, Joseph 1-2 0-0 2, Neal 1-3 0-0 2, Bonner 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 33-93 14-25 87.

GOLDEN STATE (97): Barnes 9-26 7-7 26, Landry 2-9 2-3 6, Bogut 2-5 1-2 5, Curry 7-15 3-3 22, Thompson 5-13 0-0 10, Lee 0-2 0-0 0, Ezeli 0-2 1-2 1, Jack 9-16 5-6 24, Dr.Green 1-3 1-2 3, Biedrins 0-0 0-0 0, Jefferson 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 35-92 20-25 97.

San Antonio	26	19	17	22	3	— 87
Golden State	19	18	23	24	13	— 97

3-Point Goals—San Antonio 7-27 (Ginobili 5-10, Da.Green 2-9, Neal 0-1, Diaw 0-1, Parker 0-3, Leonard 0-3), Golden State 7-18 (Curry 5-10, Jack 1-1, Barnes 1-3, Dr.Green 0-2, Thompson 0-2). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—San Antonio 59 (Duncan 15), Golden State 74 (Bogut 18). Assists—San Antonio 17 (Splitter, Parker, Ginobili, Diaw 3), Golden State 19 (Jack, Curry, Landry 4). Total Fouls—San Antonio 25, Golden State 26. Technicals—Bogut. A—19,596 (19,596).

NHL Playoffs

FIRST ROUND
(Best-of-7)
(x-if necessary)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 2
Wednesday, May 1: Pittsburgh 5, N.Y. Islanders 0
Friday, May 3: N.Y. Islanders 4, Pittsburgh 3
Sunday, May 5: Pittsburgh 5, N.Y. Islanders 4, OT
Tuesday, May 7: N.Y. Islanders 6, Pittsburgh 4
Thursday, May 9: Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 0
Saturday, May 11: Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 3, OT
Ottawa 4, Montreal 1
Thursday, May 2: Ottawa 4, Montreal 2
Friday, May 3: Montreal 3, Ottawa 1
Sunday, May 5: Ottawa 6, Montreal 1
Tuesday, May 7: Ottawa 3, Montreal 2, OT
Thursday, May 9: Ottawa 6, Montreal 1
Washington 3, N.Y. Rangers 3
Thursday, May 2: Washington 3, N.Y. Rangers 1
Saturday, May 4: Washington 1, N.Y. Rangers 0, OT
Monday, May 6: N.Y. Rangers 4, Washington 3
Wednesday, May 8: N.Y. Rangers 4, Washington 3
Friday, May 10: Washington 2, N.Y. Rangers 1, OT
Sunday, May 12: N.Y. Rangers 1, Washington 0
Today: N.Y. Rangers at Washington, 7 p.m.
Boston 3, Toronto 3
Wednesday, May 1: Boston 4, Toronto 1
Saturday, May 4: Toronto 4, Boston 2
Monday, May 6: Boston 5, Toronto 2
Wednesday, May 8: Boston 4, Toronto 3, OT
Friday, May 10: Toronto 2, Boston 1
Sunday, May 12: Toronto 2, Boston 1
Today: Toronto at Boston, 6 p.m.
WESTERN CONFERENCE
Chicago 4, Minnesota 1
Tuesday, April 30: Chicago 2, Minnesota 1, OT
Friday, May 3: Chicago 5, Minnesota 2
Sunday, May 5: Minnesota 3, Chicago 2, OT
Tuesday, May 7 Chicago 3, Minnesota 0
Thursday, May 9: Chicago 5, Minnesota 1
Anaheim 3, Detroit 3
Tuesday, April 30: Anaheim 3, Detroit 1
Thursday, May 2: Detroit 5, Anaheim 4, OT
Saturday, May 4: Anaheim 4, Detroit 0
Monday, May 6: Detroit 3, Anaheim 2, OT
Wednesday, May 8: Anaheim 3, Detroit 2, OT
Friday, May 10: Detroit 4, Anaheim 3, OT
Sunday, May 12: Detroit at Anaheim, late
San Jose 4, Vancouver 0
Wednesday, May 1: San Jose 3, Vancouver 1
Friday, May 3: San Jose 3, Vancouver 2, OT
Sunday, May 5: San Jose 5, Vancouver 2
Tuesday, May 7: San Jose 4, Vancouver 3, OT
Los Angeles 4, St. Louis 2
Tuesday, April 30: St. Louis 2, Los Angeles 1, OT
Thursday, May 2: St. Louis 2, Los Angeles 1
Saturday, May 4: Los Angeles 1, St. Louis 0
Monday, May 6: Los Angeles 4, St. Louis 3
Wednesday, May 8: Los Angeles 3, St. Louis 2, OT
Friday, May 10: Los Angeles 2, St. Louis 1

SUNDAY'S SUMMARIES
RANGERS 1, CAPITALS 0

Washington	0	0	0	— 0
N.Y. Rangers	0	1	0	— 1

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, N.Y. Rangers, Brassard 2 (Moore, Zuccarello), 9:39.
Third Period—None.
Shots on Goal—Washington 8-7-12—27. N.Y. Rangers 12-10-7—29.
Goalies—Washington, Holtby. N.Y. Rangers, Lundqvist. A—17,200 (17,200). T—2:25.

MAPLE LEAFS 2, BRUINS 1

Boston	0	0	1	— 1
Toronto	0	0	2	— 2

First Period—None.
Second Period—None.
Third Period—1, Toronto, Phaneuf 1 (Kadri, van Riemsdyk), 1:48. 2, Toronto, Kessel 3 (van Riemsdyk, Franson), 8:59. 3, Boston, Lucic 1 (Jagr, Chara), 19:34.
Shots on Goal—Boston 8-10-12—30. Toronto 7-9-10—26.
Goalies—Boston, Rask. Toronto, Reimer. A—19,591 (18,819). T—2:33.

Auto Racing

Formula One - Spanish Grand Prix Results
Sunday
At Circuit de Catalunya
Barcelona, Spain
Lap length: 2.89 miles
1. Fernando Alonso, Spain, Ferrari, 66 laps, 1:39:16.596, 115.330 mph.
2. Kimi Raikkonen, Finland, Lotus, 66, 1:39:25.934.
3. Felipe Massa, Brazil, Ferrari, 66, 1:39:42.645.
4. Sebastian Vettel, Germany, Red Bull, 66, 1:39:54.869.
5. Mark Webber, Australia, Red Bull, 66, 1:40:04.559.
6. Nico Rosberg, Germany, Mercedes, 66, 1:40:24.616.
7. Paul di Resta, Scotland, Force India, 66, 1:40:25.584.
8. Jenson Button, England, McLaren, 66, 1:40:36.102.
9. Sergio Perez, Mexico, McLaren, 66, 1:40:38.334.
10. Daniel Ricciardo, Australia, Toro Rosso, 65, +1 lap.
11. Esteban Gutierrez, Mexico, Sauber, 65, +1 lap.
12. Lewis Hamilton, England, Mercedes, 65, +1 lap.
13. Adrian Sutil, Germany, Force India, 65, +1 lap.
14. Pastor Maldonado, Venezuela, Williams, 65, +1 lap.
15. Nico Hulkenberg, Germany, Sauber, 65, +1 lap.
16. Valtteri Bottas, Finland, Williams, 65, +1 lap.
17. Charles Pic, France, Caterham, 65, +1 lap.
18. Jules Bianchi, France, Marussia, 64, +2 laps.
19. Max Chilton, England, Marussia, 64, +2 laps.
Not Classified
20. Jean-Eric Vergne, France, Toro Rosso, 52, retired.
21. Giedo van der Garde, Netherlands, Caterham, 21, retired.
22. Romain Grosjean, France, Lotus, 8, retired.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	23	13	.639	—
Baltimore	23	15	.605	1
Boston	22	16	.579	2
Tampa Bay	19	18	.514	4 1/2
Toronto	15	24	.385	9 1/2
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Cleveland	20	15	.571	—
Detroit	20	15	.571	—
Kansas City	18	16	.529	1 1/2
Minnesota	17	17	.500	2 1/2
Chicago	15	20	.429	5
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Texas	24	13	.649	—
Oakland	19	20	.487	6
Seattle	18	20	.474	6 1/2
Los Angeles	14	23	.378	10
Houston	10	28	.263	14 1/2

Sunday's Scores
Cleveland 4, Detroit 3, 10 innings
Toronto 12, Boston 4
Tampa Bay 4, San Diego 2
Baltimore 6, Minnesota 0
N.Y. Yankees 4, Kansas City 2
Texas 12, Houston 7
Seattle 6, Oakland 1
Chicago White Sox 3, L.A. Angels 0

Today's Games
N.Y. Yankees (D.Phelps 1-1) at Cleveland (Masterson 5-2), 11:05 a.m., 1st game
N.Y. Yankees (Nuno 0-0) at Cleveland (Bauer 1-1), 2:35 p.m., 2nd game
Houston (B.Norris 4-3) at Detroit (Ani.Sanchez 3-3), 6:08 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (H.Santiago 1-1) at Minnesota (P.Hernandez 1-0), 7:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Mendoza 0-2) at L.A. Angels (Blanton 0-6), 9:05 p.m.
Texas (Grimm 2-2) at Oakland (Griffin 3-3), 9:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	21	16	.568	—
Washington	20	17	.541	1
Philadelphia	18	21	.462	4
New York	14	20	.412	5 1/2
Miami	11	27	.289	10 1/2
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
St. Louis	23	13	.639	—
Cincinnati	22	16	.579	2
Pittsburgh	21	16	.568	2 1/2
Milwaukee	15	20	.429	7 1/2
Chicago	15	22	.405	8 1/2
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
San Francisco	23	15	.605	—
Arizona	21	17	.553	2
Colorado	20	17	.541	2 1/2
San Diego	16	21	.432	6 1/2
Los Angeles	15	21	.417	7

Sunday's Scores
Cincinnati 5, Milwaukee 1
Pittsburgh 3, N.Y. Mets 2
Chicago Cubs 2, Washington 1
Tampa Bay 4, San Diego 2
Colorado 8, St. Louis 2
San Francisco 5, Atlanta 1
L.A. Dodgers 5, Miami 3
Philadelphia 4, Arizona 2, 10 innings

Today's Games
Milwaukee (Estrada 2-2) at Pittsburgh (A.J.Burnett 3-3), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Hefner 0-4) at St. Louis (Lynn 5-1), 6:05 p.m.
Colorado (Nicasio 3-0) at Chicago Cubs (Wood 3-2), 7:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Minor 4-2) at Arizona (Miley 3-1), 8:40 p.m.
Washington (Zimmermann 6-1) at L.A. Dodgers (Beckett 0-4), 9:10 p.m.

SUNDAY'S AL WEST BOXES
RANGERS 12, ASTROS 7

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	Houston	ab	r	h	bi
Andrus ss	4	2	3	0	Crowe rf	5	0	1	0
LGarci 2b	6	4	3	1	C.Pena dh	3	1	1	0
Brkmn dh	5	0	1	2	Corprn ph	1	0	0	0
Beltre 3b	5	2	4	4	Altuve 2b	3	0	1	0
JeBakr 3b	0	0	0	0	Pareds 2b	2	1	1	0
Morlnd 1b	4	0	1	0	JCastro c	4	2	2	2
Gentry cf	5	1	1	1	Carter 1b	3	1	1	3
DvMrp lf	4	1	1	2	JMrtnz lf	4	0	0	0
Chirins c	4	0	1	0	RCeden ss	4	0	0	0
LMartn rf	5	2	2	1	Dmngz 3b	4	1	1	0
					BBarns cf	4	1	1	2
Totals	42	12	17	11	**Totals**	37	7	9	7

Texas	104	340	000	— 12
Houston	000	100	042	— 7

E—Beltre (4), J.Castro (2). DP—Houston 2. LOB—Texas 8, Houston 5. 2B—Berkman (9), Beltre 2 (8), Chirinos (1). HR—Beltre (8), Dav. Murphy (4), L.Martin (2), J.Castro (3), Carter (9), B.Barnes (2). SB—L.Garcia (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Tepesch W,3-3	6	4	1	1	1	8
Kirkman	1	0	0	0	0	2
D.Lowe	1	3	4	4	1	1
J.Ortiz	1	2	2	2	0	1
Houston						
Lyles L,1-1	4	11	8	8	3	1
E.Gonzalez	4	6	4	4	1	4
Veras	1	0	0	0	1	0

Balk—Lyles.
T—3:07. A—19,730 (42,060).

MARINERS 6, ATHLETICS 1

Oakland	ab	r	h	bi	Seattle	ab	r	h	bi
Rosales ss	3	0	1	0	MSndrs cf	4	2	2	0
Lowrie 2b	4	0	1	0	Bay lf	4	1	2	1
Cespds cf	4	0	1	0	Seager 3b	2	1	0	1
Dnldsn 3b	4	1	1	0	KMorls dh	4	1	1	3
Montz dh	3	0	1	1	Morse rf	3	1	2	0
Jaso ph-dh	1	0	0	0	Smoak 1b	3	0	0	0
DNorrs c	3	0	1	0	JMontr c	4	0	1	1
Freimn 1b	3	0	0	0	Andino 2b	3	0	0	0
Moss rf	4	0	0	0	Ryan ss	4	0	0	0
MTaylr lf	4	0	0	0					
Totals	33	1	6	1	**Totals**	31	6	8	6

Oakland	010	000	000	— 1
Seattle	300	110	10x	— 6

E—Morse (1). DP—Seattle 1. LOB—Oakland 8, Seattle 6. 2B—Donaldson (12), Montz (3), Morse (3). HR—Bay (4), K.Morales (4). SB—D. Norris (3). SF—Seager.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
Milone L,3-5	5	6	5	5	3	4
Neshek	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blevins	1	1	1	1	0	1
J.Chavez	1	1	0	0	1	2
Seattle						
J.Saunders W,3-4	6 1-3	5	1	1	3	6
Medina	1 2-3	1	0	0	0	1
O.Perez	1	0	0	0	0	3

WP—Milone.
T—2:40. A—27,599 (47,476).

WHITE SOX 3, ANGELS 0

Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi	Chicago	ab	r	h	bi
Callasp 3b	4	0	0	0	De Aza cf	4	0	0	0
Trout cf	3	0	1	0	AlRmrz ss	4	1	3	2
Pujols 1b	3	0	0	0	Rios rf	4	0	1	1
Trumo lf	3	0	0	0	Konerk 1b	3	0	0	0
Hamltn rf	3	0	0	0	Viciedo dh	2	0	1	0
HKndrc 2b	3	0	0	0	Kppngr 3b	4	0	0	0
BHarrs ss	3	0	0	0	C.Wells lf	4	0	1	0
Iannett c	3	0	0	0	Flowrs c	3	1	1	0
LJimnz dh	3	0	0	0	Greene 2b	3	1	1	0
Totals	28	0	1	0	**Totals**	31	3	8	3

Los Angeles	000	000	000	— 0
Chicago	000	000	30x	— 3

E—Al.Ramirez (5). DP—Chicago 1. LOB—Los Angeles 1, Chicago 8. 2B—Al.Ramirez (7), Rios (7), C.Wells (1). SB—Trout (6), Al.Ramirez 2 (6).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Los Angeles						
C.Wilson L,3-2	6 2-3	6	3	3	4	3
Kohn	1-3	1	0	0	0	1
Coello	1	1	0	0	0	2
Chicago						
Sale W,4-2	9	1	0	0	0	7

WP—C.Wilson.
T—2:32. A—22,088 (40,615).

SUNDAY'S LINESCORES
AMERICAN LEAGUE
INDIANS 4, TIGERS 3, 10 INNINGS

Cleveland	002	000	001	1	— 4 8 1
Detroit	020	100	000	0	— 3 9 0

McAllister, Shaw (7), J.Smith (9), R.Hill (10), Allen (10) and Y.Gomes; Porcello, Ortega (7), Coke (7), Benoit (8), Valverde (9), D.Downs (10) and B.Pena. W—J.Smith 1-0. L—D.Downs 0-1. Sv—Allen (1). HRs—Detroit, B.Pena (2).

BLUE JAYS 12, RED SOX 4

Toronto	021	214	002	—12 12 0
Boston	000	101	020	— 4 10 1

Jenkins, Loup (6), E.Rogers (8), Cecil (8), Delabar (9) and Arencibia; Dempster, A.Miller (6), Mortensen (6), Breslow (8), De La Torre (9) and Saltalamacchia. W—Jenkins 1-0. L—Dempster 2-4. HRs—Toronto, Bautista 2 (9), Bonifacio (1), Encarnacion (11), Lawrie (4). Boston, Napoli (7), Ciriaco (1).

YANKEES 4, ROYALS 2

New York	003	010	000	— 4 9 0
Kansas City	100	000	010	— 2 7 2

Kuroda, D.Robertson (8), Rivera (9) and C.Stewart; E.Santana, Collins (7), G.Holland (9) and S.Perez. W—Kuroda 5-2. L—E.Santana 3-2. Sv—Rivera (15). HRs—New York, Cano (10), V.Wells (9).

ORIOLES 6, TWINS 0

Baltimore	211	011	000	— 6 11 0
Minnesota	000	000	000	— 0 8 1

W.Chen, Tom.Hunter (6), O'Day (7), Matusz (8), Strop (9) and Snyder; Diamond, Swarzak (6), Pressly (9) and Doumit. W—W.Chen 3-3. L—Diamond 3-3. HRs—Baltimore, C.Davis (11), A.Jones (5), Pearce (2).

INTERLEAGUE
RAYS 4, PADRES 2

San Diego	000	110	000	— 2 6 0
Tampa Bay	010	002	01x	— 4 7 0

Stults, Brach (6), Thayer (7), Gregerson (8) and Hundley; Ro.Hernandez, McGee (7), Jo.Peralta (8), Rodney (9) and J.Molina. W—Ro.Hernandez 2-4. L—Stults 3-3. Sv—Rodney (6). HRs—San Diego, Amarista (2). Tampa Bay, Loney (3).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
PIRATES 3, METS 2

Pittsburgh	002	000	010	— 3 7 0
New York	010	000	100	— 2 4 1

J.Gomez, Mazzaro (6), Ju.Wilson (6), Melancon (8), Grilli (9) and McKenry; Harvey, Rice (8), Lyon (8), Parnell (8) and Buck. W—Ju.Wilson 3-0. L—Rice 1-2. Sv—Grilli (15). HRs—Pittsburgh, Barmes (2). New York, Duda (8).

REDS 5, BREWERS 1

Milwaukee	000	000	010	— 1 7 2
Cincinnati	031	000	10x	— 5 6 0

W.Peralta, Fiers (7) and Maldonado; Arroyo, LeCure (7), Broxton (8), Chapman (9) and Hanigan. W—Arroyo 3-4. L—W.Peralta 3-3. HRs—Cincinnati, Lutz (1), Paul (2).

CUBS 2, NATIONALS 1

Chicago	000	000	011	— 2 7 1
Washington	100	000	000	— 1 5 1

Feldman, Fujikawa (7), Russell (8), Gregg (9) and D.Navarro, Castillo; G.Gonzalez, Storen (8), R.Soriano (9) and K.Suzuki. W—Russell 1-0. L—R.Soriano 0-1. Sv—Gregg (6).

ROCKIES 8, CARDINALS 2

Colorado	003	002	030	— 8 11 0
St. Louis	000	000	002	— 2 6 0

J.De La Rosa, Brothers (8), Belisle (9) and W.Rosario; J.Garcia, J.Kelly (7), Ca.Martinez (8), Salas (8) and Y.Molina, T.Cruz. W—J.De La Rosa 4-3. L—J.Garcia 4-2. HRs—Colorado, Tulowitzki (8), Blackmon (1).

GIANTS 5, BRAVES 1

Atlanta	000	000	001	— 1 4 2
San Francisco	011	120	00x	— 5 10 1

Medlen, Gearrin (6), Avilan (7) and McCann; Lincecum, Affeldt (8), Kontos (8), J.Lopez (9), Romo (9) and Posey. W—Lincecum 3-2. L—Medlen 1-5. HRs—San Francisco, Belt (4), Sandoval (6), Scutaro (1).

PHILLIES 4, DIAMONDBACKS 2

Philadelphia	000	000	002	2	— 4 15 0
Arizona	200	000	000	0	— 2 7 0

K.Kendrick, Horst (8), Bastardo (9), De Fratus (9), Papelbon (10) and Kratz, Ruiz; McCarthy, Bell (9), Ziegler (9), Mat.Reynolds (10) and M.Montero. W—De Fratus 1-0. L—Mat.Reynolds 0-1. Sv—Papelbon (7). HRs—Arizona, G.Parra (3).

DODGERS 5, MARLINS 3

Miami	000	001	002	— 3 8 0
Los Angeles	010	100	30x	— 5 11 0

Koehler, Webb (6), Rauch (7), M.Dunn (7), Cishek (8) and Olivo; Capuano, Jansen (7), League (9) and Federowicz. W—Capuano 1-2. L—Koehler 0-1. HRs—Miami, Ruggiano (7). Los Angeles, Van Slyke (1).

GOLF

PGA

The Players Championship Scores
Sunday
At TPC Sawgrass
Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
Purse: $9.5 million
Yardage: 7,215; Par: 72
Final

Tiger Woods (600), $1,710,000	70	— 275
Kevin Streelman (230), $709,333	67	— 277
David Lingmerth (230), $709,333	72	— 277
Jeff Maggert (230), $709,333	70	— 277
Martin Laird (110), $346,750	67	— 278
Ryan Palmer (110), $346,750	72	— 278
Henrik Stenson (110), $346,750	72	— 278
Ben Crane (78), $237,500	69	— 281
Sergio Garcia (78), $237,500	76	— 281
Marc Leishman (78), $237,500	72	— 281
Rory McIlroy (78), $237,500	70	— 281
Brandt Snedeker (78), $237,500	70	— 281
Lee Westwood (78), $237,500	72	— 281
Casey Wittenberg (78), $237,500	75	— 281
Brendon de Jonge (58), $156,750	71	— 282
Tim Herron (58), $156,750	68	— 282
Webb Simpson (58), $156,750	70	— 282
Jimmy Walker (58), $156,750	67	— 282
Jason Day (49), $107,214	68	— 283
Luke Donald (49), $107,214	69	— 283
Zach Johnson (49), $107,214	70	— 283
Adam Scott (49), $107,214	71	— 283
Roberto Castro (49), $107,214	71	— 283
Hunter Mahan (49), $107,214	75	— 283
Louis Oosthuizen (49), $107,214	72	— 283
Graham DeLaet (42), $67,450	69	— 284
James Driscoll (42), $67,450	71	— 284
Matt Every (42), $67,450	72	— 284
David Hearn (42), $67,450	70	— 284
David Lynn (42), $67,450	76	— 284
Jeff Overton (42), $67,450	74	— 284
Daniel Summerhays (42), $67,450	72	— 284
Sang-Moon Bae (37), $52,488	71	— 285
Harris English (37), $52,488	71	— 285
Kyle Stanley (37), $52,488	74	— 285
Chris Stroud (37), $52,488	74	— 285
Greg Chalmers (32), $41,800	77	— 286
Charley Hoffman (32), $41,800	71	— 286
Jerry Kelly (32), $41,800	74	— 286
Andres Romero (32), $41,800	74	— 286
Steve Stricker (32), $41,800	76	— 286
Bubba Watson (32), $41,800	73	— 286
Chad Campbell (26), $31,350	70	— 287
Martin Kaymer (26), $31,350	69	— 287
William McGirt (26), $31,350	73	— 287
Sean O'Hair (26), $31,350	77	— 287
John Senden (26), $31,350	73	— 287
K.J. Choi (20), $23,614	72	— 288
Freddie Jacobson (20), $23,614	74	— 288
D.A. Points (20), $23,614	69	— 288
Boo Weekley (20), $23,614	73	— 288
Branden Grace, $23,614	77	— 288
Matt Kuchar (20), $23,614	76	— 288
Davis Love III (20), $23,614	76	— 288
Jason Bohn (13), $21,280	72	— 289
Angel Cabrera (13), $21,280	76	— 289
Chris Kirk (13), $21,280	75	— 289
Justin Leonard (13), $21,280	71	— 289
Charl Schwartzel (13), $21,280	71	— 289
Michael Thompson (13), $21,280	73	— 289
Charlie Wi (13), $21,280	70	— 289
Jason Dufner (8), $20,235	80	— 290
James Hahn (8), $20,235	73	— 290
Josh Teater (8), $20,235	70	— 290
Bo Van Pelt (8), $20,235	68	— 290
Charles Howell III (5), $19,665	76	— 291
Seung-Yul Noh (5), $19,665	74	— 291
Kevin Chappell (2), $19,190	79	— 292
John Huh (2), $19,190	77	— 292
Carl Pettersson (2), $19,190	75	— 292
Rory Sabbatini (1), $18,810	74	— 293
Ricky Barnes (1), $18,430	78	— 294
Brian Davis (1), $18,430	75	— 294
Peter Hanson (1), $18,430	82	— 294
Ben Curtis (1), $17,955	74	— 295
Padraig Harrington (1), $17,955	76	— 295
Jonas Blixt (1), $17,670	76	— 297

MAJOR LEAGUE SOCCER

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
New York	6	3	4	19	15	21
Houston	6	2	3	17	10	20
Sporting KC	6	2	4	15	9	20
Montreal	6	2	2	15	11	20
Philadelphia	4	3	3	13	14	15
Columbus	3	3	4	12	10	12
New England	2	4	4	6	9	10
Toronto FC	1	4	5	11	15	7
Chicago	2	1	6	6	15	7
D.C.	1	1	8	5	19	4
WESTERN CONFERENCE	**W**	**D**	**L**	**GF**	**GA**	**Pts**
FC Dallas	7	3	1	18	11	24
Portland	4	6	1	18	12	18
Real Salt Lake	5	2	5	13	13	17
Colorado	4	3	4	10	9	15
Los Angeles	4	2	3	13	8	14
San Jose	3	5	4	12	18	14
Vancouver	3	3	4	12	14	12
Seattle	3	3	3	10	7	12
Chivas USA	3	2	5	12	18	11

Sunday's Scores
Portland 3, Chivas USA 0
Sporting Kansas City 1, Houston 0

Wednesday's Game
Los Angeles at Philadelphia

SUNDAY'S TEXAS SUMMARY
SPORTING KANSAS CITY 1, DYNAMO 0

Sporting Kansas City	0	1	— 1
Houston	0	0	— 0

First half—None.
Second half—1, Sporting Kansas City, Collin 2 (Sinovic), 73rd minute.
Goalies—Sporting Kansas City, Jimmy Nielsen; Houston, Tally Hall.
Yellow Cards—Collin, Sporting Kansas City, 24th; Driver, Houston, 29th; Rosell, Sporting Kansas City, 41st; Ashe, Houston, 71st.
Referee—Chris Penso. Assistant Referees—Kermit Quisenberry, Mark Cahen. 4th Official—Daniel Fitzgerald.
A—19,004 (22,000)

Lineups
Sporting Kansas City—Jimmy Nielsen, Aurelien Collin, Seth Sinovic, Mechack Jerome, Ike Opara, Jacob Peterson (Kei Kamara, 55th), Paulo Nagamura, Peterson Joseph, Oriol Rosell (Lawrence Olum, 60th), Claudio Bieler (C.J Sapong, 87th), Graham Zusi.
Houston—Tally Hall, Bobby Boswell, Corey Ashe, Kofi Sarkodie (Brian Ching, 77th), Jermaine Taylor (Eric Brunner, 46th), Adam Moffat (Jason Johnson, 77th), Andrew Driver, Ricardo Clark, Brad Davis, Boniek Garcia, Will Bruin.

FISHING REPORT

WEST

ALAN HENRY: Water lightly stained; 59-65 degrees; 11.28' low. Black bass are fair to good on topwaters, spinnerbaits, jigs and drop shot rigs. Crappie are fair to good on live minnows. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

ARROWHEAD: Water off color; 58-63 degrees; 12.63' low. Black bass are slow to fair to good on topwater frogs, spinnerbaits and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers.

COLORADO CITY: 17.68' low. No report available.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water clear; 59-64 degrees; 11.71' low. Black bass are fair on Rat-L-Traps, chatterbaits and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Catfish are fair to good on cut bait.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water off color; 57-64 degrees; 21.27' low. Black bass are good on Zara Spooks, Rat-L-Traps, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and cut bait.

NASWORTHY: No report available.

OAK CREEK: Water stained; 58-63 degrees; 18.42' low. Black bass are fair to good on Yellow Magics, spinnerbaits, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are good on jigs and live minnows over brush piles. Catfish are good on chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

O.H. IVIE: Water stained; 59-64 degrees; 36.77' low. Black bass are good on Zell Pops, Rat-L-Traps, jigs, Rat-L-Traps and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair on slabs and Rooster Tails. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water fairly clear; 59-65 degrees; 10.33' low. Black bass are good on Rat-L-Traps, Stanley Ribbits, medium running crankbaits, drop shot rigs and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Striped bass are fair on live shad. Catfish are fair on prepared bait and nightcrawlers.

SPENCE: 64.18' low. No report available.

STAMFORD: 9.04' low. No report available.

SWEETWATER: Water murky; 58-63 degrees; 19.47' low. Black bass are fair to good on live shiners, spinnerbaits and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are fair on prepared bait and chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers.

WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 53-62 degrees; 30.67' low. No report available.

PANHANDLE

GREENBELT: 43.38' low. No report available.
MACKENZIE: 93.16' low. No report available.
MEREDITH: 99.82' low. No report available.
PALO DURO: 55.67' low. No report available.

SOUTH

AMISTAD: Water clear; 72-76 degrees; 60.20' low. Black bass are good on topwaters, spinnerbaits, crankbaits, and soft plastics. Striped bass are good on Red Fins, crankbaits, and topwaters. White bass are fair on spinnerbaits and minnows. Crappie are slow. Catfish are good on cheesebait, shrimp, and nightcrawlers over baited holes. Yellow catfish are fair on live perch near rockslides. Everyone in a boat must have a Mexico fishing license (if fishing the Mexico side) whether fishing or not.

CENTRAL

BASTROP: Water clear; 69-73 degrees. Black bass are good on watermelon crankbaits, spinnerbaits, and soft plastics. Crappie are good on minnows over brush piles in 20-25 feet. Channel and blue catfish are good on live bait and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are slow.

BELTON: Water clear; 66-70 degrees; 8.01' low. Black bass are slow. Hybrid striper are good on shad and chrome slabs. White bass are good on silver slabs. Crappie are excellent on minnows and white riversides. Channel and blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.

BROWNWOOD: Water stained; 67-71 degrees; 11.57' low. Black bass to 8 pounds are excellent on Bass Hogg Gorilla jigs, green pumpkin soft plastics, and white/chartreuse crankbaits around docks. Hybrid striper are slow. White bass are excellent on minnows and white jigs near Wild Duck Marina under lights at night in 10-20 feet. Crappie are excellent on minnows and white tube jigs over brush piles in 1-8 feet. Channel catfish are slow. Blue catfish to 8 pounds are fair on trotlines baited with live bait. Yellow catfish to 40 pounds are good on trotlines baited with live bait.

BUCHANAN: Water murky; 70-74 degrees; 27.29' low. Black bass are good on white/chartreuse spinnerbaits, watermelon topwaters, and green pumpkin Whacky Sticks with chartreuse tails along lake points in 8-12 feet at first light. Striped bass are fair on topwaters and Rat-L-Traps, and drifting live bait on the surface in 20-30 feet near the Lighthouse. White bass are fair trolling Shad Raps and jigging Pirk Minnows and Tiny Traps over rock piles in 20-30 feet. Crappie are fair on minnows and watermelon tube jigs over brush piles in 12 feet. Channel catfish are good on live bait and cut bait. Yellow and blue catfish are good on juglines and trotlines baited with goldfish and minnows.

CANYON LAKE: Water clear; 70-74 degrees; 9.92' low. Black bass are fair on tomato red JDC grubs, watermelon red Whacky Sticks, and Texas rigged watermelon red finesse worms along bluff ledges in 8-16 feet. Striped bass are fair on silver spoons and 1-oz. Pirk Minnows in 30 feet. White bass are slow. Smallmouth bass are good on root beer/green JDC curl tailed grubs and craws and smoke/red tubes on ball jigheads in 10 feet on main lake points and ledges. Crappie are good on pink tube jigs and live minnows upriver around submerged brush piles over break lines. Channel catfish are slow. Yellow and blue catfish are good on juglines and trotlines baited with live bait.

COLEMAN: Water lightly stained; 68-72 degrees; 14.78' low. Black bass are good on green pumpkin soft plastic lizards and worms. Hybrid striper are slow. Crappie are slow. Channel catfish are good on stinkbait and shrimp. Yellow catfish are slow.

COLORADO RIVER: (At Colorado Bend State Park) No report available.

FAYETTE: Water stained. Black bass are good on watermelon shallow running crankbaits and soft plastic worms in 4-20 feet. Channel and blue catfish are good on juglines baited with shrimp and shad in 10-12 feet.

GRANBURY: Water stained; 70-74 degrees; 6.43' low. Black bass are fair on chartreuse/white soft plastics, crankbaits, and spinnerbaits. Striped bass are fair on white bucktail jigs. White bass are fair on minnows and watermelon spinnerbaits. Crappie are good on minnows and white tube jigs. Catfish are good on stinkbait, liver, and frozen shrimp.

GRANGER: Water stained; 69-73 degrees; 0.35' high. Black bass are slow. White bass are fair on Rat-L-Traps along the roadbed at mid-lake. Crappie are good on watermelon jigs in 4-12 feet. Blue catfish are good on shad and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are very good on trotlines baited with live perch in the river.

LBJ: Water clear; 70-74 degrees; 0.24' low. Black bass are fair on watermelon red JDC Skip-N-Pop topwaters, watermelon Curb's Erratic jigs, and weightless green pumpkin Texas rigged Whacky Sticks along break lines of flats in 6-10 feet. White bass are slow. Crappie are good on minnows and blue tube jigs over brush piles in 15 feet. Channel catfish are good on shrimp and stinkbait. Yellow and blue catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live bait.

NAVARRO MILLS: Water lightly stained; 69-73 degrees; 0.84' low. Black bass are good on green pumpkin soft plastics and spinnerbaits along banks in Liberty Hill Park and near the dam. White bass are good on Charlie slabs and pet spoons. Crappie are fair on chartreuse jigs and minnows. Channel catfish are good on minnows and nightcrawlers. Blue catfish are fair on trotlines and juglines baited with liver and shrimp. Yellow catfish are slow.

PROCTOR: Water lightly stained; 68-72 degrees; 3.94' low. Black bass are fair on pumpkinseed soft plastics, crankbaits, and spinnerbaits. Striped bass are good on shad. White bass are good on minnows and shad colored crankbaits. Crappie are very good on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are very good on shad and shrimp. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live bait.

SOMERVILLE: Water murky; 70-74 degrees; 2.23' low. Black bass are good on watermelon spinnerbaits and Rat-L-Traps. Hybrid striper are good on silver spoons. White bass are good on slabs and spoons. Crappie are good on minnows and white tube jigs. Channel and blue catfish are good on punchbait and liver. Yellow catfish are slow.

HOUNDSWATCH

SUNDAY'S SCORES
San Antonio 8, Midland 3

TODAY'S GAME
Midland at Frisco,
Dr Pepper Ballpark, 7 p.m.
Frisco

RADIO/INTERNET
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RECORDS
Midland 17-19, Frisco 19-17

Friday	Saturday	Today	Tuesday	Wednesday
Midland at San Antonio, postponed	Midland 6-5 San Antonio 2-6		Midland at Frisco, 11 a.m.	Midland at Frisco, 11 a.m.

DAILYRUNDOWN

ON THE AIR

WHAT'S ON TV
CYCLING
Tour of California, stage 2, Murrieta to Palm Springs, Calif., 4 p.m., NBC Sports Network
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
N.Y. Mets at St. Louis, 6 p.m., ESPN
Texas at Oakland, 9 p.m., Fox Sports Southwest
NBA
Playoffs, conference semifinals, game 4, Miami at Chicago, 6 p.m., TNT
Playoffs, conference semifinals, game 4, Oklahoma City at Memphis, 8:30 p.m., TNT

WHAT'S ON DECK

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL
TAPPS State Tournament, MCS vs. FW Christian, 2 p.m., Waco
HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL
TAPPS State Tournament, MCS vs. FW Christian, 10 a.m., Waco
JUNIOR COLLEGE BASEBALL
Midland College at Region V Tournament, Grand Prairie

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Optioned RHP Steve Johnson to Norfolk (IL). Recalled OF Mike Belfiore from Norfolk (IL).
BOSTON RED SOX—Placed C David Ross on the seven-day DL. Recalled C Ryan Lavarnway from Pawtucket (IL).
HOUSTON ASTROS—Designated RHP Philip Humber for assignment. Agreed to terms with RHP Edgar Gonzalez. Assigned OF Fernando Martinez outright to Oklahoma City (PCL).
LOS ANGELES ANGELS—Optioned OF Scott Cousins to Salt Lake (PCL). Selected the contract of RHP Robert Coello from Salt Lake.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Placed INF Eduardo Nunez on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 6. Selected the contract of SS Alberto Gonzalez from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (IL). Transferred 1B Mark Teixeira to the 60-day DL.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Sent LHP Brett Anderson to Midland (TL) for a rehab assignment.
TEXAS RANGERS—Reinstated LHP Martin Perez from the 15-day DL and optioned him to Frisco (TL).
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Announced OF Edgar Gonzalez refused outright assignment and elected free agency.
National League
COLORADO ROCKIES—Placed OF Michael Cuddyer on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 9. Recalled OF Charlie Blackmon from Colorado Springs (PCL).
NEW YORK METS—Placed RHP Jeurys Familia on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 9. Recalled RHP Greg Burke from Las Vegas (PCL). Sent RHP Jenrry Mejia to St. Lucie (FSL) for a rehab assignment.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Placed RHP Jake Westbrook on the 15-day DL, retroactive to May 9.
Atlantic League
LONG ISLAND DUCKS—Released C-1B Anthony Armenio.
Frontier League
GATEWAY GRIZZLIES—Released LHPs Will Casey, Chris Pfau and Logan Mahon, INF Trey Holmes and OF L.J. Watson.
NORMAL CORNBELTERS—Released RHP Selby Brummitt, Keith Greer and RHP Tyler Hanks and OF Manny Ramirez-Osborne.
RIVER CITY RASCALS—Released LHP Tim Dudley and SS Ryan Kaup.
ROCKFORD AVIATORS—Released RHPs Dan Bream, Michael Herrmann, Jake Kemmerer and Charlie Stewart, LHPs Andrew Armstrong and Ziggie VanderWall, C Chris Shuck and INF Yuki Yasuda.
SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS—Released OFs Michael Bolling and OF Blake Helm and RHP Tyler Ware.
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS MINERS—Released 1Bs Alan Cheatham and Dan Kassouf, C Nick Crouse and OF Brian Wheeler.
WINDY CITY THUNDERBOLTS—Released OF Chad Bunting and RHP Logan Dodds.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NBA—Fined Chicago coach Tom Thibodeau $35,000 for comments he made about the officiating following Friday's game.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CHICAGO BEARS—Agreed to terms with DB Maurice Jones.
NEW YORK JETS—Signed DT Lanier Coleman, K Brett Maher, WR Thomas Mayo and OLB Sean Progar Jackson. Released K Derek Dimke, DT Roosevelt Holliday and WR Royce Pollard.

TENNIS

ATP WORLD TOUR/WTA TOUR
Internazionali BNL d'Italia Results
Sunday
At Foro Italico
Rome
Purse: Men, $4.17 million (WT1000); Women, $2.37 million (Premier)
Surface: Clay-Outdoor
Singles
Men
First Round
Alexandr Dolgopolov, Ukraine, def. Michael Viola, Italy, 6-4, 6-3.
Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, def. John Isner, United States, 5-7, 7-6 (5), 6-3.
Kevin Anderson, South Africa, def. Jurgen Melzer, Austria, 6-1, 6-2.
Richard Gasquet (9), France, def. Sam Querrey, United States, 6-2, 7-6 (8).
Grigor Dimitrov, Bulgaria, def. Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, 6-3, 6-4.
Marcel Granollers, Spain, def. Nikolay Davydenko, Russia, 6-3, 6-4.

Mutua Madrid Open Results
Sunday
At Caja Magica
Madrid, Spain
Purse: Men, $5.6 million, (WT1000); Women, $5.3 million (Premier)
Surface: Clay-Outdoor
Singles
Men
Championship
Rafael Nadal (5), Spain, def. Stanislas Wawrinka (15), Switzerland, 6-2, 6-4.
Women
Championship
Serena Williams (1), United States, def. Maria Sharapova (2), Russia, 6-1, 6-4.

Doubles
Men
Championship
Bob and Mike Bryan (1), United States, def. Alexander Peya, Austria, and Bruno Soares (7), Brazil, 6-2, 6-3.

CYCLING

Giro d'Italia Results
Sunday At Florence, Italy
Ninth Stage
106 miles San Sepolcro to Florence
1. Maxim Belkov, Russia, Katusha, 4 hours, 31 minutes, 31 seconds.
2. Carlos Betancur, Colombia, AG2R La Mondiale, 44 seconds behind.
3. Jarlinson Pantano, Colombia, Colombia, :46.
4. Tobias Ludviggsson, Sweden, Androni Giocattolo-Venezuela, :54.
5. Cadel Evans, Australia, BMC, 1:03.
6. Benat Intxausti, Spain, Movistar, same time.
7. Danilo di Luca, Italy, Vini Fantini-Selle Italia, same time.
8. Mauro Santambrogio, Italy, Vini Fantini-Selle Italia, same time.
9. Damiano Caruso, Italy, Cannondale, same time.
10. Vincenzo Nibali, Italy, Astana, same time.
Also
24. Bradley Wiggins, Britain, Sky Procycling, same time.
43. Ryder Hesjedal, Canada, Garmin Sharp, 2:09.
44. Tom Danielson, United States, Garmin Sharp, same time.
95. Taylor Phinney, United States, BMC, 17:23.
104. Peter Stetina, United States, Garmin Sharp, same time.
106. Christian Vande Velde, United States, Garmin Sharp, same time.
117. Danny Pate, United States, Blanco Pro Cycling, 17:30.

Overall Standings
(After nine of 21 stages)
1. Vincenzo Nibali, Italy, Astana, 34:19:31.
2. Cadel Evans, Australia, BMC, :29.
3. Robert Gesink, Netherlands, Blanco Pro Cycling, 1:15.
4. Bradley Wiggins, Britain, Sky Procycling, 1:16.
5. Michele Scarponi, Italy, Lampre-Merida, 1:24.
6. Sergio Henao, Colombia, Sky Procycling, 2:11.
7. Mauro Santambrogio, Italy, Vini Fantini-Selle Italia, 2:43.
8. Przemyslaw Niemiec, Poland, Lampre-Merida, 2:44.
9. Rigoberto Uran, Colombia, Sky Procycling, 2:49.
10. Tanel Kangert, Estonia, Astana, 3:02.
Also
11. Ryder Hesjedal, Canada, Garmin Sharp, 3:11.
26. Tom Danielson, United States, Garmin-Sharp, 5:43.
59. Peter Stetina, United States, Garmin-Sharp, 29:19.
117. Christian Vande Velda, United States, Garmin-Sharp, 1:05:00.
162. Taylor Phinney, United States, BMC, 1:20:11.
177. Danny Pate, United States, Sky Procycling, 1:26:18.

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Friday
At Crocus City Hall, Myakinino, Russia, Denis Lebedev vs. Guillermo Jones, 12, for Lebedev's WBA World cruiserweight title.
Saturday
At Boardwalk Hall, Atlantic City, N.J. (SHO), Devon Alexander vs. Lee Purdy, 12, for Alexander's IBF welterweight title; Lamont Peterson vs. Lucas Martin Matthysse, 12, for Peterson's IBF light welterweight title; Shawn Porter vs. Phil Lo Greco, 10, welterweights.
At The Grand Oasis, Cancun, Mexico, Shane Mosley vs. Pablo Cesar Cano, 12, welterweights; Roberto Manzanarez vs. Oscar Arenas, 10, lightweights.
May 24
At Mohegan Sun Casino, Uncasville, Conn. (ESPN2), Delvin Rodriguez vs. Freddy Hernandez, 10, junior middleweights; Issouf Kinda vs. Chris Howard, 10, junior welterweights.
May 25
At O2 Arena, London (HBO), Carl Froch vs. Mikkel Kessler, 12, for Froch's IBF and Kessler's WBA Super World super middleweight titles; Tony Bellew vs. Isaac Chilemba, rematch, 12, WBC light heavyweight eliminator.
At Bell Centre, Montreal (HBO), Jean Pascal vs. Lucian Bute, 12, for Pascal's NABF light heavyweight title.
June 1
At The BB&T Center, Sunrise, Fla. (FOXSN), Braulio Santos vs. Derrick Wilson, 10, featherweights; Daquan Arnett vs. Irving Garcia, 10, welterweights.
June 7
At Little Creek Casino and Resort, Kamilche, Wash. (ESPN), John Molina Jr. vs. Andrey Klimov, 10, lightweights; Farrah Ennis vs. Anthony Hanshaw, 10, super middleweights.
June 8
At The Bell Centre, Montreal (HBO), Chad Dawson vs. Adonis Stevenson, 12, for Dawson's WBC light heavyweight title; Yuriorkis Gamboa vs. Darley Perez, 10, lightweights.
At Home Depot Center, Carson, Calif. (SHO), Marcos Maidana vs. Josesito Lopez, 12, for Maidana's WBA Inter-Continental welterweight title; Erislandy Lara vs. Alfredo Angula, 12, light middleweights; Sakio Bika vs. Marco Antonio Periban, 12, for the vacant WBC super middleweight title.
June 14
At Sands Casino Resort, Bethlehem, Pa. (NBCSN), Sergey Kovalev vs. Cornelius White, 12, light heavyweights; Bryant Jennings vs. Franklin Lawrence, 10, heavyweights; Ronald Cruz vs. Jaime Herrera, 10, welterweights.
June 21
At the Minneapolis (Minn.) Convention Center (ESPN2) Rances Barthelemy vs. Chiang Mai, Thailand, 12, IBF super featherweight title eliminator; Caleb Truax vs. Don George, 10, middleweights.
June 22
At Barclays Center, Brooklyn, N.Y. (SHO), Paul Malignaggi vs. Adrien Broner, 12, for Malignaggi's WBA World welterweight title; Johnathon Banks vs. Seth Mitchell, 12, for Banks NABO and WBC international heavyweight titles.

Golden State beats San Antonio in OT, evens series, 2-2

By Antonio Gonzalez
Associated Press

Warriors	**97**
Spurs	**87 (OT)**
Series tied, 2-2	

OAKLAND, Calif. — Harrison Barnes had 26 points and 10 rebounds, Stephen Curry scored 22 on an injured left ankle and the Golden State Warriors rallied past the San Antonio Spurs 97-87 in overtime Sunday to even the Western Conference semifinal at two games apiece.

Jarrett Jack added 24 points in reserve and Andrew Bogut grabbed 18 rebounds to help the Warriors overcome an eight-point deficit in the final five minutes of regulation. Golden State scored the first nine points of overtime to whip the yellow-shirt wearing crowd of 19,596 into a frenzy and give this topsy-turvy series another twist.

Manu Ginobili had 21 points and Tim Duncan added 19 points and 15 rebounds for the Spurs, who were outshot 35.5 to 38 percent in what was an ugly offensive game most of the afternoon. The Warriors outrebounded San Antonio 65 to 51.

Game 5 is Tuesday in San Antonio.

The Spurs seized control of a sloppy, slugfest at the start and went cold shooting when it mattered most. Tony Parker, wearing a black sleeve around his bruised left calf, poured in 17 points on 6-of-17 shooting but never broke free the way he did by scoring 32 points the previous contest.

Ginobili hit a mid-range jumper and a 3-pointer, and Kawhi Leonard put back a rebound for an easy layup to out the Spurs ahead 80-72 with 4:49 remaining in the fourth quarter. The home sellout crowd sat down and fell silent for one of the few times in the fourth quarter all postseason with the series slipping away.

Jack hit a pair of difficult pull-up jumpers before Klay Thompson's fadeaway beat the shot clock, and Jack followed with another shot to tie the game in the final minute.

Parker provided another big shot on the other end. He used a screen from Duncan to break free of the dribble, sinking a 15-footer from the wing to put the Spurs ahead 84-82 with 39.2 seconds left.



Marcio Jose Sanchez

Golden State's Stephen Curry (30) shoots against San Antonio's Tim Duncan (21) during the second half of Game 4 of a Western Conference semifinal in Oakland, Calif., on Sunday.

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FROM STAFF REPORTS

USTA 18s National Open
Midland College Tennis Center
Saturday's Results
Boys
Doubles
Round of 16

Brendon Kempin-William Little (2) def.Xavier Gonzalez-Peter Leung, 8-5
Miguel Alda-Henry Gordon def. Matthew McCoy-March Zheng, 8-2
Henry Adams-Kyle Barnes def. Cassell King-Justin Thompson, 8-3
Tate Allwardt-Mcclain Kessler def. Alexander Lebedev-Dennis Wang, 8-2
Bryan Cunningham-James Ponwith (3) def. Andrew Harrington-Austin Williams, 8-5
Will Adkisson-Ian Dempster (1) def. Kenneth Boykin-Mark Ihrig, 8-0
Francisco Colunga-Connor Curry (4) def. Rohan Gupte-David Mitchell, 8-2
Edward Ang-Manpreet Tiwana def. Johnathan Dorman-Austin Hedrick, 8-1
Quarterfinals
Henry Adams-Kyle Barnes def. Francisco Colunga-Connor Curry (4), 8-6
Edward Ang-Manpreet Tiwana def. Brendon Kempin-William Little (2), 8-6
Tate Allwardt-Mcclain Kessler def. Will Adkisson-Ian Dempster (1), 8-3
Miguel Alda-Henry Gordon def. Bryan Cunningham-James Ponwith (3), 8-6

Singles
Round of 32

Tate Allwardt Boca Raton, FL def. Ian Dempster (3) Plano, 6-4, 6-2
Xavier Gonzalez Houston def. Rohan Gupte Las Vegas, NV, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3
Bryan Cunningham (7) Anthony, NM def. Justin Thompson Laguna Niguel, CA, 6-2,7-5
Henry Gordon New Braunfels def. Mark Ihrig Munster, IN, 6-4, 6-2
Connor Curry (5) Wichita Falls def. Manpreet Tiwana Cupertino, CA, 6-2, 6-1
Kyle Barnes Argyle def. Andrew Harrington Millersville, MD, 6-4, 6-4
William Little (2) Joplin, MO def. Mcclain Kessler Calhoun, GA, 6-2,7-6(8)
Brendon Kempin (4) Sandy, UT def. James Ponwith Scottsdale, AZ, 6-4,7-5
Kenneth Boykin Jenks, OK def. Peter Leung Houston, 6-1, 6-4
Dennis Wang Germantown, MD def. Miguel Alda (6) Round Rock, 6-0, 2-6, 6-3
David Mitchell Castle Rock, CO def. Henry Adams New Braunfels, 6-4, 6-4
David Hsu (1) San Jose, CA def. Austin Williams Wichita, KS, 6-2, 6-2
Edward Ang Cupertino, CA def. Will Adkisson Hurst, 6-3, 6-4
Alexander Lebedev Island Park, NY def. March Zheng Leawood, KS, 6-2, 6-1
Matthew McCoy Bloomington, IN def. Austin Hedrick Midland, 6-0, 6-0
Francisco Colunga (8) College Station def. Cassell King Henderson, NV, 6-4, 1-6, 6-3
Round of 16
David Hsu (1) San Jose, CA def. Kyle Barnes Argyle, 6-0, 6-3
Edward Ang Cupertino, CA def. Dennis Wang Germantown, MD, 6-3, 6-2
Xavier Gonzalez Houston def. Francisco Colunga (8) College Station, 6-3, 6-3
William Little (2) Joplin, MO def. Kenneth Boykin Jenks, OK, 6-2, 6-3
Alexander Lebedev Island Park, NY def. Bryan Cunningham (7) Anthony, NM, 6-3, 6-2
Brendon Kempin (4) Sandy, UT def. David Mitchell Castle Rock, CO, 6-2, 6-3
Connor Curry (5) Wichita Falls def. Henry Gordon New Braunfels, 7-5, 6-2
Tate Allwardt Boca Raton, FL def. Matthew McCoy Bloomington, IN, 6-3, 6-2

Girls
Doubles
Round of 16

Camila Wesbrooks-Ellie Zogg (2) def. Haley Cohen-Erica Valimaki, Wo (ng)
Sara Goodwin-Tess Herder def. Chloe Lee-Meghan Lyall, 8-2
Jacqueline Carr-Mary Wright def. Felicity Maltby-Eva Siskova, 9-8 (6)
Caroline Brinson-Kelsey Grambeau (4) def. Alexandra Baer-Marisa Quevedo, 8-1
Elena Muller-Caroline Turner def. Allegra Hanlon-Lauren Reid, 8-4
Rachel Pierson-Madison Westby (1) def. Kathryn Hall-Alex Middleton, 8-3
Summer Brills-Sonya Das def. Racquel Lyn-Madison Tedford, 9-8 (5)
Catherine Orfanos-Karina Traxler (3) def. Aspen Cervin-Chuyang Guan, 8-5
Quarterfinals
Catherine Orfanos-Karina Traxler (3) def. Sara Goodwin- Tess Herder, 8-5
Rachel Pierson-Madison Westby (1) def. Summer Brills-Sonya Das, 8-0
Camila Wesbrooks-Ellie Zogg (2) def. Jacqueline Carr-Mary Wright, 8-1
Caroline Brinson-Kelsey Grambeau (4) def. Elena Muller-Caroline Turner, 8-6

Singles
Round of 32

Caroline Turner (6) Dallas def. Mary Wright Hot Springs, AR, 6-3, 6-1
Camila Wesbrooks McKinney def. Jacqueline Carr Rogers, AR, 6-2, 2-6,7-5
Chuyang Guan (7) San Antonio def. Felicity Maltby Sunnyvale, CA, 6-3,7-5
Meghan Lyall Mesa, AZ def. Haley Cohen Cherry Hill, NJ, 6-1, 6-4
Karina Traxler (5) Rockwall def. Alex Middleton Columbine Valley, CO, 6-0, 6-0
Summer Brills Minneapolis, MN def. Allegra Hanlon Key Biscayne, FL, 7-6 (3), 2-6,7-5
Elena Muller Dallas def. Erica Valimaki Orem, UT, 6-1, 6-1
Eva Siskova Cornwall ON Hudson, NY def. Kelsey Grambeau (8) Dallas, 6-3, 6-4
Rachel Pierson (1) Princeton, NJ def. Sara Goodwin Mission Hills, KS, 6-0, 6-3
Madison Westby (2) Tulsa, OK def. Chloe Lee Albuquerque, NM, 6-1, 6-3
Catherine Orfanos Lake Forest, IL def. Lauren Reid Prosper, 2-6,7-5, 6-4
Aspen Cervin Houston def. Alexandra Baer Virginia Beach, VA, 6-4, 4-6,7-5
Kathryn Hall Greenwood Village, CO def. Racquel Lyn Houston, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4
Caroline Brinson (3) Metairie, LA def. Madison Tedford Dallas, 6-2, 6-3
Marisa Quevedo Tyler def. Sonya Das Arden Hills, MN, 7-5,7-5
Ellie Zogg (4) Dallas def. Tess Herder Lees Summit, MO, 6-3, 6-4
Round of 16
Caroline Brinson (3) Metairie, LA def. Marisa Quevedo Tyler, 6-1, 6-0
Madison Westby (2) Tulsa, OK def. Elena Muller Dallas, 6-1, 6-2
Caroline Turner (6) DALLAS def. Meghan Lyall Mesa, AZ, 6-3, 6-3
Camila Wesbrooks McKinney def. Eva Siskova Cornwall ON Hudson, NY, 7-5, 6-4
Ellie Zogg (4) Dallas def. Catherine Orfanos Lake Forest, IL, 6-2, 6-3
Karina Traxler (5) Rockwall def. Summer Brills Minneapolis, MN, 6-1, 6-3
Rachel Pierson (1) Princeton, NJ def. Aspen Cervin Houston, 6-1, 6-3
Chuyang Guan (7) San Antonio def. Kathryn Hall Greenwood Village, CO, 6-1, 6-1

Sunday's Results
Boys
Doubles
Semifinals

Miguel Alda-Henry Gordon def. Tate Allwardt-Mcclain Kessler, 9-8 (4)
Henry Adams-Kyle Barnes def. Edward Ang- Manpreet Tiwana, 8-3
Boys' 18 Singles (Quarterfinal Round)
Edward Ang Cupertino, CA def. Brendon Kempin (4) Sandy, UT, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4
Connor Curry (5) Wichita Falls def. Tate Allwardt Boca Raton, FL, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4
David Hsu (1) San Jose, CA def. Alexander Lebedev Island Park, NY, 6-0, 6-3
William Little (2) Joplin, MO def. Xavier Gonzalez Houston, 6-2, 6-2

Singles
Semifinals

David Hsu (1) San Jose, CA def. Connor Curry (5) Wichita Falls, 1-6, 7-6 (3), 6-1
William Little (2) Joplin, MO def. Edward Ang Cupertino, CA, 6-2, 6-3

Girls
Doubles
Semifinals

Camila Wesbrooks-Ellie Zogg (2) def. Caroline Brinson-Kelsey Grambeau (4), 9-8 (3)
Rachel Pierson-Madison Westby (1) def. Catherine Orfanos-Karina Traxler (3), 8-1

Girls
Finals

Rachel Pierson-Madison Westby (1) def. Camila Wesbrooks- Ellie Zogg (2), 8-0

Singles
Quarterfinals

Rachel Pierson (1) Princeton, NJ def. Karina Traxler (5) Rockwall, 6-2 7-5
Chuyang Guan (7) San Antonio def. Ellie Zogg (4) Dallas, 6-1, 6-0
Caroline Brinson (3) Metairie, LA def. Caroline Turner (6) Dallas, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4
Madison Westby (2) Tulsa, OK def. Camila Wesbrooks McKinney, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2

Semifinals

Rachel Pierson (1) Princeton, NJ def. Chuyang Guan (7) San Antonio, 6-3, 6-4
Caroline Brinson (3) Metairie, LA def. Madison Westby (2) Tulsa, OK, 6-2, 6-2



Patric Schneider/AP

Texas' Leonys Martin, right, is congratulated by third base coach Gary Pettis (24) after Martin hit a home run in the fifth inning Sunday against Houston in Houston.

Rangers complete sweep against Houston

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

Rangers	**12**
Astros	7

HOUSTON — Texas manager Ron Washington wasn't sure what to expect from a couple of reserves he started on Sunday to give his Nelson Cruz and Ian Kinsler a day off.

The veteran manager was pleasantly surprised.

Leonys Martin and rookie Leury Garcia combined to get five hits, score six runs and drive in two as the Rangers completed a three-game sweep by romping past the Houston Astros 12-7.

Adrian Beltre's three-run homer was one of his four hits, and David Murphy and Martin also homered for Texas.

"The type of team that I have this year, guys have been getting opportunities to play a little more than I have in the past," Washington said. "So I think they're more prepared and more ready to go up there when there's opportunity for them to play and do the job."

He was particularly impressed with Garcia, who had three hits and scored four runs — both career highs — to become the first Texas rookie to record both since Jarrod Saltalamacchia in 2007.

"Leury Garcia was the one guy today that I didn't expect to make a whole lot of contact because he's the one guy that's in that lineup who hasn't been doing a whole lot of playing," Washington said. "He had a good game: scored four runs, got three hits, stole a bag, played good defense. That's what you like to have in extra guys."

Garcia was excited to contribute.

"It was awesome," he said. "I feel really good. I had a few days that I hadn't played but I was waiting for my time and I took advantage of it."

The Rangers set a season high for runs, and did it quickly. Martin led off the fifth with a home run and Beltre connected later in the inning for a 12-1 lead.

Beltre doubled twice and drove in four runs. He homered for the second straight day, hitting a drive that was originally called a double and changed to a homer after the umpires went to video review. Beltre connected off Edgar Gonzalez, signed by the Astros earlier in the day.

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

BLUE JAYS 12
RED SOX 4

BOSTON — Jose Bautista hit two of Toronto's five home runs, and the Blue Jays beat Boston to take two of three in the series.

Emilio Bonifacio, Edwin Encarnacion and Brett Lawrie also homered for the Blue Jays.

YANKEES 4
ROYALS 2

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Vernon Wells homered for the second straight game, Robinson Cano also connected and the New York Yankees beat Kansas City to wrap up a three-game sweep.

Hiroki Kuroda (5-2) won for the fifth time in six decisions.

INDIANS 4
TIGERS 3, 10 INNINGS

DETROIT — Pinch-hitter Mark Reynolds hit a tiebreaking single in the 10th inning, and the Cleveland Indians downed Detroit.

Cleveland tied it in the ninth when Michael Brantley hit a two-out RBI single off closer Jose Valverde. Joe Smith (1-0) pitched the bottom of the inning, and the Indians took the lead in the 10th.

ORIOLES 6
TWINS 0

MINNEAPOLIS — Chris Davis, Adam Jones and Steve Pearce homered and the Baltimore Orioles defeated Minnesota.

Wei-Yin Chen (3-3) pitched five strong innings before leaving with a strained right oblique, and the Orioles won for the sixth time in eight games.

MARINERS 6
ATHLETICS 1

SEATTLE — Joe Saunders won his ninth straight decision at Safeco Field and Kendrys Morales hit a three-run homer, leading the Seattle Mariners over Oakland.

Saunders (3-4) improved to 9-0 with a 1.72 ERA in 13 career appearances at Safeco. He is 3-0 with an 0.94 ERA at home this year, but 0-4 with a 12.54 ERA on the road.

WHITE SOX 3
ANGELS 0

CHICAGO — Chris Sale pitched a one-hitter after being perfect into the seventh inning, and the Chicago White Sox beat the Los Angeles Angels 3-0 on Sunday night to avoid a three-game sweep.

Mike Trout's sharp single to center broke up the perfect game with one out in the seventh, on Sale's 70th pitch.

National League

GIANTS 5
BRAVES 1

SAN FRANCISCO — Pablo Sandoval splashed a home run into McCovey Cove to back Tim Lincecum's strong pitching performance, and the San Francisco Giants beat the Atlanta Braves 5-1 on Sunday to wrap up a 7-3 homestand.

Brandon Belt and Marco Scutaro also homered for the Giants. Lincecum (3-2) struck out seven in seven scoreless innings to end a three-start winless stretch in which he went 0-2. He also stopped a four-start skid against Atlanta, beating the Braves for the first time since April 11, 2010.

ROCKIES 8
CARDINALS 2

ST. LOUIS — Jorge De La Rosa held St. Louis hitless into the seventh and Troy Tulowitzki's three-run homer ended Colorado's scoreless streak at 28 innings.

De La Rosa did not allow a hit until David Freese's two-out single in the seventh, answering a pair of pitching gems by St. Louis over the weekend.

PHILLIES 4
DIAMONDBACKS 2, 10 INNINGS

PHOENIX — Ryan Howard looped a two-run single to right field in the 10th inning after Philadelphia scored twice in the ninth to tie it against Arizona.

PIRATES 3
METS 2

NEW YORK — Pedro Alvarez hit a tiebreaking single in the eighth inning against New York's overworked bullpen, and Pittsburgh got a most fortunate bounce in beating the Mets.

REDS 5
BREWERS 1

CINCINNATI — Don Lutz hit his first career home run, a three-run drive off the right-field foul pole in the second inning that led Cincinnati over Milwaukee for a three-game sweep.

CUBS 2
NATIONALS 1

WASHINGTON — Alfonso Soriano scored the tiebreaking run in the ninth inning on a throwing error by catcher Kurt Suzuki as Chicago rallied to beat Washington.

DODGERS 5
MARLINS 3

LOS ANGELES — Chris Capuano pitched effectively into the seventh inning and Scott Van Slyke homered to lead Los Angeles over Miami.

Interleague

RAYS 4
PADRES 2

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Sean Rodriguez, Yunel Escobar and James Loney drove in late runs for the Tampa Bay Rays as they finished a three-game sweep of San Diego.

HSPAIRINGS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Baseball

REGION I
Class 5A
Area

Southlake Carroll (W4, 28-4) vs. San Angelo Central (T2, 27-9), Concordia University, Austin
Game 1: Carroll 7, Central 4
Game 2: Carroll 2, Central 1, Carroll wins series 2-0.
Midland High (W2, 27-6) vs. Richland (24-10)
Game 1: Richland 5, Midland High 2
Game 2: Midland High 2, Richland 0
Game 3: Midland High 6, Richland 3, MHS wins series 2-1.
South Grand Prairie (F7, 18-17) vs. Flower Mound Marcus (R5, 29-6)
Game 1: Marcus 3, South Grand Prairie 2
Game 2: Marcus 9, South Grand Prairie 3, Marcus wins series 2-0.
Grapevine (W6, 25-8) vs. Mansfield (R7, 19-11)
Game 1: Grapevine 5, Mansfield 3
Game 2: Grapevine 5, Mansfield 0, Grapevine wins series 2-0.
Arlington Martin (W3, 29-6) vs. Lubbock Coronado (R2, 25-10), Hoskins Field, Wichita Falls
Game 1: Martin 5, Coronado 1
Game 2: Martin 2, Coronado 1, Martin wins series 2-0.
El Paso Montwood (W1, 25-5) vs. Keller Fossil Ridge (R4, 25-6), American Legion Field, Odessa
Game 1: Montwood 3, Fossil Ridge 2
Game 2: Fossil Ridge 6, Montwood 0
Game 3: Fossil Ridge 5, Montwood 0, Fossil Ridge wins series 2-1.
Midlothian (W7, 25-7) vs. Colleyville Heritage (R6, 22-13)
Game 1: Midlothian 15, Colleyville Heritage 6
Game 2: Colleyville Heritage 9, Midlothian 0
Game 3: Heritage 8, Midlothian 3, Heritage wins series 2-1
Hurst L.D. Bell, (F6 14-17) vs. Waco Midway (R8, 18-11)
Game 1: Hurst L.D. Bell 10, Midway 9
Game 2: Midway 1, L.D. Bell 0
Game 3: L.D. Bell 4, Midway 3, 8 innings, L.D. Bell wins series 2-1.

Class 3A
Area

Abilene Wylie (W4, 14-14) vs. Perryton (R1)
Game 1: Abilene Wylie 10, Perryton 0, 5 innings
Game 2: Wylie 7, Perryton 2
Wylie wins series 2-0.
Lubbock Cooper (W2) vs. Big Spring (T4, 18-11)
Game 1: Cooper 10, Big Spring 1
Game 2: Big Spring 3, Cooper 2
Game 3: Cooper 10, Big Spring 2, Cooper wins series 2-0.
Liberty Hill (W8) vs. Castleberry (T6), Waco Connally HS
Game 1: Liberty Hill def. Castleberry
Game 2: Liberty Hill 6, Castleberry 5, Liberty Hill wins series 2-0.
Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2*
Kennedale (W6) vs. Brownwood (T8), Glen Rose
Game 1: Kennedale 5, Brownwood 4
Game 2: Brownwood 8, Kennedale 3
Game 3: Kennedale 7, Brownwood 4, Kennedale wins series 2-1
Presidio (W3) vs. Andrews (R2), Kokernot Field, Algoa
Game 1: Andrews 3, Presidio 1
Game 2: Presidio 2, Andrews 1
Game 3: Andrews 6, Presidio 2, Andrews win series 2-1.
Pampa (W1) vs. Sweetwater (R4, 17-15), Lubbock Christian
Game 1: Sweetwater 1, Pampa 0, 8 innings
Game 2: Sweetwater 8, Pampa 6, Sweetwater wins series 2-0.
Alvarado (W7) 3, Mineral Wells (R6) 0
Stephenville (T7) 2, Graham 0

Class 2A
Area

Coahoma (W4) vs. Tulia (T2), Shallowater
Game 1: Tulia 12, Coahoma 6
Game 2: Tulia 10, Coahoma 6, Tulia wins series 2-0.
Littlefield (W2) vs. Idalou (R3) Shallowater
Game 1: Idalou 18, Littlefield 8
Game 2: Idalou 5, Littlefield 0, Idalou wins series 2-0.
Holliday (W5) vs. Tuscola Jim Ned (T6), Graham
Game 1: Holliday 3, Jim Ned 2
Game 2: Holliday 11, Jim Ned 1, Holliday wins series 2-0.
Bangs (W6) vs. Cisco (R7)
Game 1: Bangs 3, Cisco 2
Game 2: Cisco 9, Bangs 4
Game 3: late
Childress (W3) vs. Abernathy (R2), Moegle Field, Lubbock
Game 1: Childress 5, Abernathy 0
Game 2: Childress 4, Abernathy 2, Childress wins series 2-0
Bushland (W1) vs. Floydada (T3), Littlefield
Game 1: Bushland 5, Floydada 3
Game 2: Bushland 14, Floydada 1, Bushland wins series 2-0.
Eastland (W7) vs. Wall (R6), McMurry University, Abilene
Game 1: Wall 9, Eastland 8
Game 2: Wall 8, Eastland 5, Wall wins series 2-0.
Sonora (W5) vs. Henrietta (R8), Hardin Simmons
Game 1: Henrietta 6, Sonora 1
Game 2: Henrietta 6, Sonora 3, Henrietta wins series 2-0.

Softball

REGION I
Class 5A
Regional Quarterfinals
Richland (W4, 30-7) vs. Lubbock Coronado (W2, 34-3)
Game 1: Coronado 2, Richland 1
Game 2: Richland 3, Coronado 2
Game 3: Coronado 2, Richland 1, 10 innings, Coronado wins series 2-1.
Waco Midway (W8) vs. Lewisville (F5, 23-12)
Game 1: Lewisville 5, Waco Midway 0
Game 2: Lewisville 4, Waco Midway 0, Lewisville wins series 2-0.
Midland High (R2, 31-7) vs. Keller (R4, 27-4-1)
Game 1: Keller 5, Midland High 4
Game 2: Keller 6, Midland High 4, Keller wins series 2-0.
Flower Mound Marcus (T5, 27-5-1) vs. Flower Mound (W5, 24-8-1)
Game 1: Marcus 5, Flower Mound 1
Game 2: Flower Mound 5, Marcus 3
--Game 3: Marcus 5, Flower Mound 3, Marcus wins series 2-1.

Class 4A
Regional Quarterfinals
Wolfforth Frenship (W4, 28-7) vs. El Paso Hanks (W2)
Game 1: Hanks 7, Frenship 6
Game 2: Frenship 14, Hanks 6
Game 3: 30 minutes followng Game 2
Trophy Club Nelson (R5, 28-8) vs. Birdville (23-10)
Game 1: Birdville 6, Byron Nelson 3
Game 2: Birdville 8, Byron Nelson 4, Birdville wins series 2-0.
Plainview (F4, 20-14) vs. El Paso Chapin (W1, 31-6)
Game 1: El Paso Chapin 5, Plainview 2
Game 2: El Paso Chapin 10, Plainview 4, Chapin wins series 2-0.
*Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2
Aledo (W7, 24-3) vs. Burleson Centennial (R8, 26-9)
Game 1: Aledo 12, Centennial 11
Game 2: Aledo 7, Centennial 2, Aledo win series 2-0.

CLASS 3A
Regional Quarterfinals
Snyder (W4) vs. Andrews (W2, 29-7)
Game 1: Andrews 2, Snyder 1
Game 2: Snyder 7, Andrews 6
***Game 3: Andrews 3, Snyder 2, Andrews wins series 2-1.**
Iowa Park (W8) vs. Kennedale (W6, 20-10)
Game 1: Kennedale 8, Iowa Park 2
Game 2: Kennedale 14, Iowa Park 0, Kennedale wins series 2-0.
Lubbock Cooper (R2, 24-7) vs. Pampa (W1)
Game 1: Cooper 10, Pampa 8
Game 2: Cooper 8, Pampa 4, Cooper wins series 2-0.
Ennis Lions (R6, 26-11-1) vs. Burkburnett (W5)
Game 1: Burkburnett 7, Mineral Wells 0
Game 2: Burkburnett 5, Mineral Wells 3, Burkburnett wins seies 2-0.

CLASS 2A
Regional Quarterfinals
Coahoma (T4) 7, Colorado City 5
Kermit (R5) vs, Comanche (R7)
Game 1: Comanche 7, Kermit 1
Game 2: Comanche 8, Kermit 0, Comanche wins series 2-0.
Lamesa (R4) 3, Slaton 2
Hawley (W7) vs. Clyde (T7)
Game 1: Hawley 3, Clyde 1
Game 2: Clyde 8, Hawley 7
Game 3: Hawley 9, Clyde 4, Hawley wins series 2-1.
Regional Semifinals
Coahoma (T4) vs. Comanche (R7), TBA
Slaton-Lamesa winner vs. Hawley (W7), TBA

Class A
Regional Quarterfinals
Albany (W4) vs. Forsan (R3)
Game 1: Albany 17, Forsan 3
Game 2: Albany 12, Forsan 2, Albany wins series 2-0.
Windthorst (W8, 18-7) vs. Olney (18, 15-13)
Game 1: Windthorst 6, Olney 3
Game 2: Windthorst 6, Olney 0, Windthorst wins series 2-0.
Westbrook (W3) vs. Haskell (R4)
Game 1: Haskell 6, Westbrook 0
Game 2: Haskell 3, Westbrook 0, Haskell wins series 2-0.
Petrolia (W7, 17-4) vs. Archer City (R8, 21-4)
Game 1: Petrolia 7, Archer City 5, 9 innings
Game 2: Petrolia 6, Archer City 3, Petrolia wins series 2-0.

NHLPLAYOFFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

RANGERS 1
CAPITALS 0

NEW YORK — Henrik Lundqvist stopped 27 shots in earning his seventh NHL playoff shutout, and Derick Brassard scored a second-period goal for the New York Rangers, who stayed alive with a 1-0 victory over the Washington Capitals on Sunday that forced a Game 7 in the first-round series.

Brassard handed Lundqvist the lead at 9:39 of the second period, with a goal that was originally credited to struggling forward Rick Nash.

The reigning Vezina Trophy winner made it stand up, and helped send the series back to Washington for the deciding game Monday night.

The home team has won all six games in the series.

The game ended with a melee in the far left corner in the New York zone after the final buzzer had sounded.

MAPLE LEAFS 2
BRUINS 1

TORONTO — Captain Dion Phaneuf and Phil Kessel scored third-period goals and Toronto edged Boston to send the playoff series back to Boston for Game 7.

Game 7 is Monday night in Boston.

Milan Lucic scored for Boston with 26 seconds left in the third.

The Maple Leafs have momentum after two consecutive wins.

Woods keeps it dry and wins Players Championship

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. — A weekend filled with sharp words between Tiger Woods and Sergio Garcia came down to one last showdown Sunday in The Players Championship, this one staged across the water in a tiny, terrifying section of the TPC Sawgrass.

Tied for the lead with two holes to play, Woods kept his shots on land and made two pars.

Garcia hit three balls into the water for a quadruple bogey-double bogey finish.

If there was special satisfaction in beating Garcia again, Woods kept that to himself. What mattered was having a chance to win, closing it out like he does so often, and capturing the richest prize on the PGA Tour for the first time in a dozen years.

"We just go out there and play," Woods said. "I had an opportunity to win the golf tournament when I was tied for the lead today, and I thought I handled the situation well and really played well today when I really needed to. And that's something I'm excited about it."

Woods allowed the final hour to turn into a tense duel by hooking his tee shot into the water on the 14th hole for double bogey. But his short game bailed him out to save par on the 15th and make a critical birdie on the 16th, and he was solid on the final two holes for a 2-under 70.

If only it were that simple for the Spaniard.

Garcia was standing on the 17th tee shot, staring across to the island green to watch Woods make his par. He took aim at the flag with his wedge and hung his head when he saw the ball splashed down short of the green. Then, Garcia hit another one in the water on his way to a quadruple-bogey 7. The meltdown was complete when Garcia hit his tee shot into the water on the 18th.



John Raoux/AP

Tiger Woods gives a thumbs-up as he holds the trophy after winning The Players Championship at TPC Sawgrass on Sunday in Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.

"It's always nice to have a chance at beating the No. 1 player in the world, but unfortunately for me, I wasn't able to this week," Garcia said.

Woods was in the scoring trailer when he watched on TV as Swedish rookie David Lingmerth missed a long birdie putt that would have forced a playoff. It raced by the cup, and Lingmerth three-putted for bogey.

"How about that?" Woods said to his caddie, Joe LaCava as he gave him a hug.

Woods finished on 13-under 275.

He won The Players for the first time since 2001 and became the fifth multiple winner at Sawgrass since The Players moved to this former swamp in 1982. It was his 78th career win on the PGA Tour, four short of the record held by Sam Snead. And it was his first time winning with his girlfriend, Olympic ski champion Lindsey Vonn, at the tournament.

Lingmerth closed with a 72 and finished two shots behind along with Kevin Streelman (67) and Jeff Maggert, who also was tied for the lead until finding the water on the 17th to make double bogey. The 49-year-old Maggert birdied the 18th for a 70.

Garcia took 13 shots to cover the final two holes — 6-over par — and tumbled into a tie for eighth.

There was a four-way tie for the lead after Woods made his double bogey, and the infamous 17th green took out Maggert and Garcia. After Garcia went into the water twice, Lingmerth missed an 8-foot birdie putt that would have tied him for the lead.

Given their public sniping at each other over the weekend, it was only fitting that Garcia had the best chance to beat Woods.

Their dispute started Saturday when Garcia complained in a TV interview that his shot from the par-5 second fairway was disrupted by cheers from the crowd around Woods, who was some 50 yards away in the trees and fired them up by taking a fairway metal out of his bag. He said Woods should have been paying attention, and it became a war of the words the next two days.

"Not real surprising that he's complaining about something," Woods said.

"At least I'm true to myself," Garcia retorted. "I know what I'm doing, and he can do whatever he wants."

When they finished the storm-delayed third round Sunday morning, Garcia kept at it, saying that Woods is "not the nicest guy on tour."

Woods had the last laugh. He had the trophy.

Garcia, when asked if he would have changed anything about the flap with Woods, replied, "It sounds like I was the bad guy here. I was the victim. I don't have any regrets of anything."

The real villain was the infamous 17th hole.

"When you've got water in front of the green, that's not a good time to be short of the green. You know, it was close," Maggert said. "What can I say? A wrong shot at the wrong time and you get penalized on this golf course."

Alonso thrills home fans with Spanish GP win

By Jerome Pugmire
Associated Press

BARCELONA, Spain — Fernando Alonso gave the home fans exactly the kind of daring and dominant drive they came to see. Keeping them celebrating at the end of the season might be a bit more difficult.

Alonso won the Spanish Grand Prix with a commanding performance Sunday, but then said Ferrari still needs a more pace to beat three-time defending champion Sebastian Vettel in the race for the Formula One title.

Alonso was fifth on the grid but used an aggressive start to take control and beat Kimi Raikkonen of Lotus by nearly 10 seconds, with teammate Felipe Massa 26 seconds behind. More importantly, Vettel was a distant 38.2 seconds back in fourth, meaning Alonso cut the gap to 17 points in the overall standings after five races.

With two Ferrari drivers on the podium and none from Red Bull, Alonso still cautioned that the Italian team hasn't caught up to its main rival.

"Last year we didn't win (the championship). We were one second off (the pace), but we managed to fight until the Brazil race," said Alonso, a two-time former champion. "This year we have a package that is still not the fastest but we are working on it."

Alonso lost out to Vettel by three points last year, but will head to Monaco in two weeks with high hopes.

"We are not the quickest over one lap, we maybe do not set the fastest time in the race, but we have fantastic pit stops, starts, (limited) tire degradation," said Alonso. "Many ingredients to have a competitive car to fight for the championship ... In the four years with Ferrari this is the best (car) we've had."

Ferrari team boss Stefano Domenicali dedicated the day to those working behind the scenes to make Ferrari faster.

"For sure, very, very happy. It was a good day for the team," Domenicali said. "The win was for the people who are working hard at the factory."

The race was once again heavily affected by Pirelli's fast-degrading tires, which forced teams into four-stop strategies when they had planned for three.

"Our aim is to have between two and three stops at every race, so it's clear that four is too many," Pirelli motorsport director Paul Hembery said. "In fact, it's only happened once before, in Turkey during our first year in the sport."

There is no time for Pirelli to make changes in time for Monaco.

"We'll be looking to make some changes, in time for Silverstone," Hembery said. "To make sure that we maintain our target and solve any issues rapidly."

Red Bull struggled a lot more than Ferrari with the tires, and the mood in the team's camp was subdued after the race.

"The first three cars were a little bit too fast for us and regarding looking after the tires, they did a better job," said Vettel, who finished ahead of teammate Mark Webber. "We need to catch up; we're not going the pace of the car, we're going the pace of the tires and obviously we do something to make the tires wear more. The start was good, we then tried to hold on with a three-stop strategy, but had to change to four stops."

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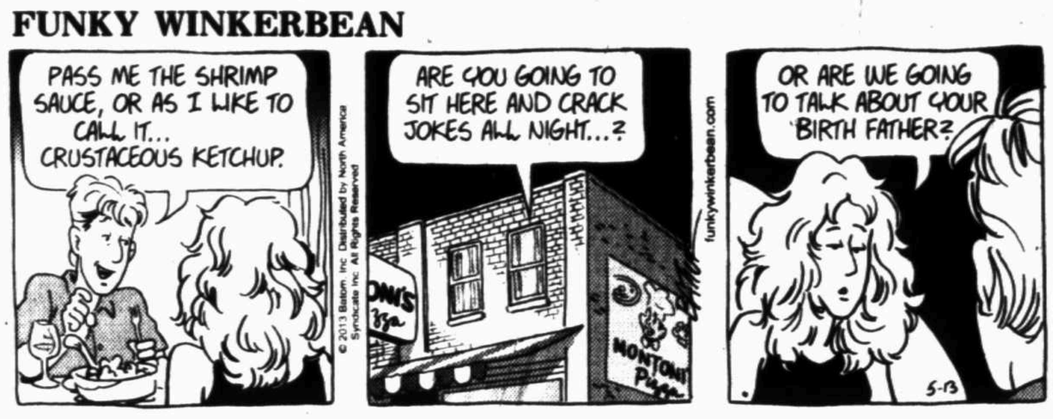
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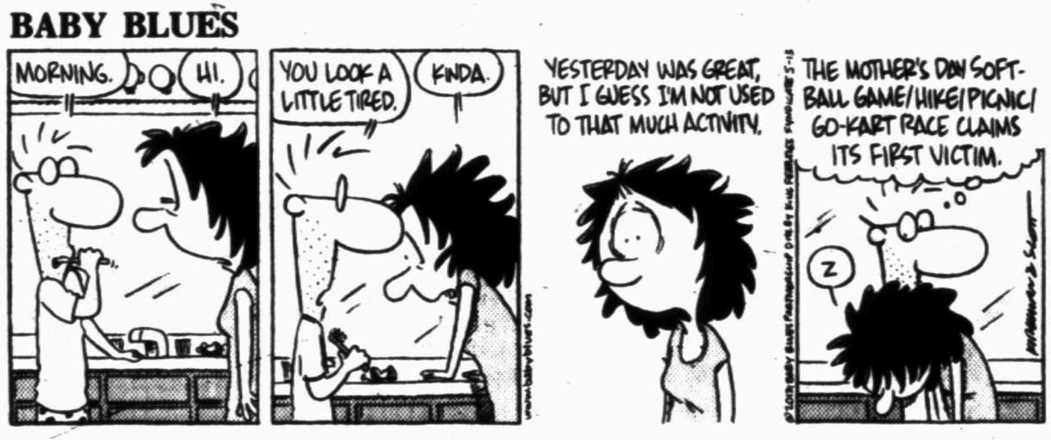
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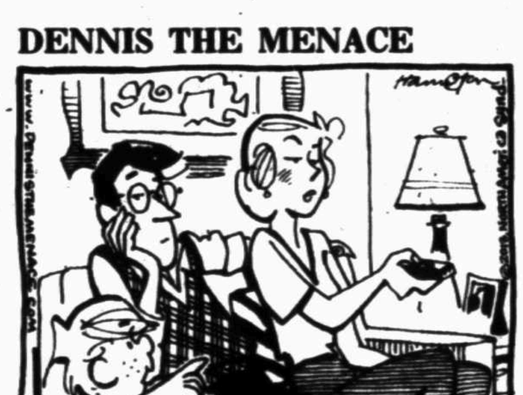


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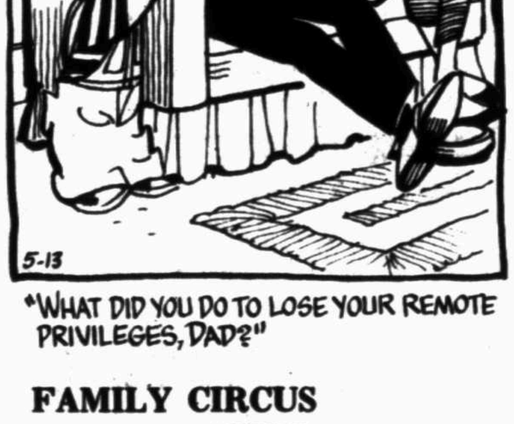


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Local forecast

Expect sunny skies today with a high around 85 and south winds between 5 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions with a low around 60 and southeast winds between 10 and 15 mph.

Tuesday, look for mostly skies with a high around 87 and south winds between 10 and 15 mph. Expect partly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 63 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph. There is a 20 percent chance of isolated showers and thunderstorms.

Wednesday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies during the day, mostly clear skies at night, with a high around 94 and a low around 67.

The high on Sunday reached 80, while the low dropped to 52. The record high for May 12 is 100 set in 2009. The record low is 41 set in 1931 and 1979.

National forecast

Chilly air will spread from the Great Lakes to New England and the Mid-Atlantic states today. Spotty showers will stretch from West Virginia to Maine. High pressure in the Southeast will keep much of the region dry.



Precipitation

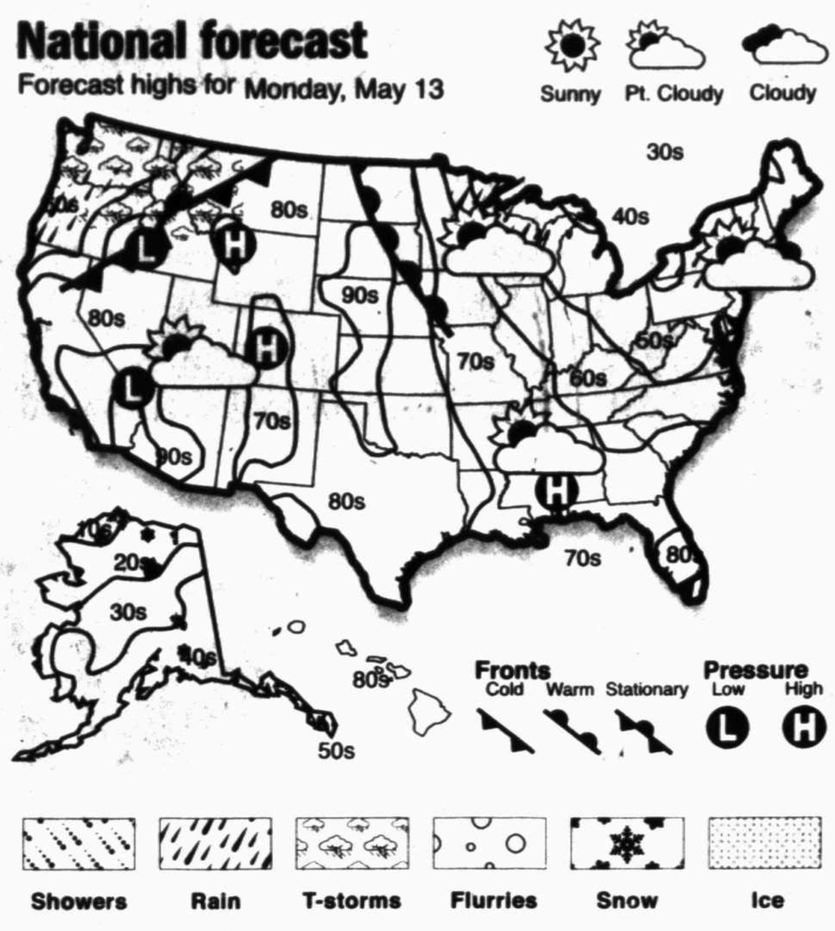
Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.01 in.
Year total	1.54 in.
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Sunday's temperatures

High	80
Low	52
Normal high	87
Normal low	58
Sunrise	6:53 a.m.
Sunset	8:38 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, May 13



Groom, not the bride, is under pressure to change his name

DEAR ABBY



Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: My wife's niece is marrying a wonderful man of Greek descent this summer. Her grandfather insists that his last name is too long and impossible to pronounce. He thinks they need to change the name when they marry. He went so far as to make them call him so he could tell them what he wanted. Then he gave them 10 days to "think about it" and call him back with their answer.

He told the mother of the bride that if they don't change the name, then he's "just not into the wedding anymore," implying that he won't help them pay for the event. Needless to say, this has most of the family shaking their heads and thinking the old man has finally lost it.

We understand that this was common practice for families passing through Ellis Island coming to America a century ago, but have you ever heard of this being done for a wedding? Being a therapist, I thought I'd seen and heard it all — until now. Please give us some insight. I'm hoping his "lady-friend" will read your reply and share it with him. — CAN'T BELIEVE IT DOWN SOUTH

DEAR CAN'T BELIEVE IT: You have described a man who is used to being in control and is not above using his money to manipulate. A century ago when people came to this country through Ellis Island, many of them were escaping discrimination and wanted to leave their past behind them, which is why they Americanized their names.

Others had it done "for" them by government officials who couldn't understand them when they pronounced their names and wrote down what they thought they heard.

(Years ago, in Sioux City, Iowa, my mother knew two brothers who walked through different lines and wound up with the names "Ginsberg" and "Landsberg." I don't know which was correct.) Still others were so eager to become "Americans" that they shortened or changed their names for that reason.

I sincerely hope no one is expecting Granddad to pay for the upcoming wedding. That he would attempt to blackmail the young couple in this way is shameful. Let's hope they are mature enough to ignore him, and that they have a long and happy life together. Opa!

DEAR ABBY: Our youngest daughter will graduate from college next month. The school is 10 hours away by car or a 2 1/2-hour plane ride. There are no direct flights.

My husband and I are excited about this special day, and so is his 82-year-old mother. (I'll call her Ethel.) She mentioned yesterday that she's excited to go.

Abby, Ethel is not a well woman. She has trouble walking, falls occasionally and hasn't been out of this town for 30 years. She is also hypercritical. She does nothing but complain about other people, her health, this country, etc. Looking after her would be a huge burden.

We'd like to attend this milestone event without the added stress of taking care of her. My husband and I have been married 25 years, and Ethel still complains about me. How do we (kindly) tell her that what she has in mind is not going to be possible? — READY TO CELEBRATE IN SAN DIEGO

DEAR READY TO CELEBRATE: You and your husband should tell his mother that graduations in the best of circumstances are stressful events and can be difficult for someone who is unsteady on her feet.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K Q 6 5 4 2 ♡ J 4 ◇ K 10 ♣ K 6 5
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♠	Pass	2♡	Pass
2♠	Pass	3◇	Pass

What do you bid now?
A — With a slightly unbalanced hand facing a partner whose holding is largely unknown, although reasonably strong, don't be in a hurry to declare no-trump with only a single stopper in the unbid suit. For the moment take a false preference to three hearts and await partner's reaction.

Q 2 — As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠ A K J 9 ♡ A J 6 ◇ A K 4 ♣ 7 5 3
The bidding has proceeded:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	Pass	1♠	Pass
1NT	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?
A — This is no time to pussyfoot around. Your wealth of prime cards makes your hand worth nearer 22 than 20. Bid six no-trump. Even a dead minimum opening bid with five diamonds should give you good play for 12 tricks.

Q 3 — As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠ 8 7 5 ♡ A Q 9 6 5 2 ◇ 3 ♣ A K 6
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♡		1♠	2♠

What do you bid now?
A — Partner's cue-bid shows a limit raise or better in your suit. Even if partner is minimum, with the right cards (singleton spade, king of hearts, ace of diamonds and queen of clubs) you have excellent play for slam. Bid three clubs to start a slam probe.

Q 4 — As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠ 9 5 ♡ 8 7 3 ◇ J 10 6 ♣ A Q J 7 6
Partner opens one spade and East doubles. What action do you take?
A — Your hand is neither good nor bad, but the auction does give you the chance to show what you have without exciting partner. Bid two clubs.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, May 13, 2013:

This year you aspire to accomplish certain life goals. A friend or group of friends encourages you during the times when you are not sure of your direction. Express your gratitude. If you are single, you are idealistic about romance. Be careful about putting someone you find appealing on a pedestal, as you would be setting yourself up for disappointment. If you are attached, the two of you might opt to partake in a special activity that fulfills a long-term dream. Remember to stay grounded. CANCER idealizes your stability.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ Tension rises because your vision seems to be in direct conflict with what is really going on. Deal with a domestic situation head-on, as it is taking you away from other important matters. A serious discussion likely will evolve as a result. Tonight: Stay present in the moment.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Someone keeps distracting you. In the middle of a conversation, you could find your mind drifting off to other places. It might take some time, but clear out the distraction as soon as possible. Only then can you be more receptive. Tonight: A partner tries to be easygoing.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★ You might be witnessing the aftermath of a very busy period. For some reason, you can't seem to complete everything that you feel needs to be done. Recognize that you are only human. Consider delegating part of your work. Tonight: Put your feet up and relax.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★★ Your mind might be drifting off to yonder lands, but realize that you need to be present in the moment. Call on your self-discipline. If this wandering continues, you'll want to consider taking a trip with a loved one in the near future. Tonight: Lighten up the moment.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★ Take your time with a decision, especially if it involves family or a loved one. At the present moment, you might not be seeing the situation clearly, or perhaps you just don't have all the information you need and want. Ask questions. Tonight: Weigh the pros and cons.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★★ Zero in on what you need to accomplish. You will want to think through a question more thoroughly. You might not be able to see someone clearly at this point, and you could be wondering what to do. Reach out to others for feedback. Tonight: Where your friends are.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ You could be taken aback by someone's unusual ideas and direction. You might want to proceed in a completely different manner. Honor a change that forces you to rein in your thoughts. Consider being practical for a week or two. Tonight: Out late with friends.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You can let go of a difficult situation if you so desire. Only at that point will you be able to detach sufficiently in order to gain a new perspective. You might want to have a long-overdue discussion once you discover a different answer or solution. Tonight: Brainstorm with a buddy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★★ Deal with a loved one directly, and know full well that you first must get a personal matter resolved in your mind. You do not need to agree, but you do need to understand where the other party is coming from. Be a good listener. Tonight: Keep a conversation going.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★★ Defer to others. You might want some time to explore a unique idea, and you'll want to make some phone calls. A friend could be unusually negative, and, in a sense, you might feel as if this person is trying to rain on your parade. Tonight: Say "yes" to someone's offer.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ You could see confusion developing over a money matter. You might be wondering when would be an appropriate time to establish stronger boundaries. A serious discussion with a respected friend gives you a good sense about which way to go. Tonight: Remain nurturing.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ You might not be ready to see a situation in its cold, stark reality. Make it OK to see only part of what is happening, despite feedback from others. Follow your intuition, and it will guide you. As a result, you will be able to gain some clarity. Tonight: Relax with a loved one.

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BORN TODAY

Political satirist Stephen Colbert (1964), singer/songwriter Stevie Wonder (1950), film director Herbert Ross (1927)

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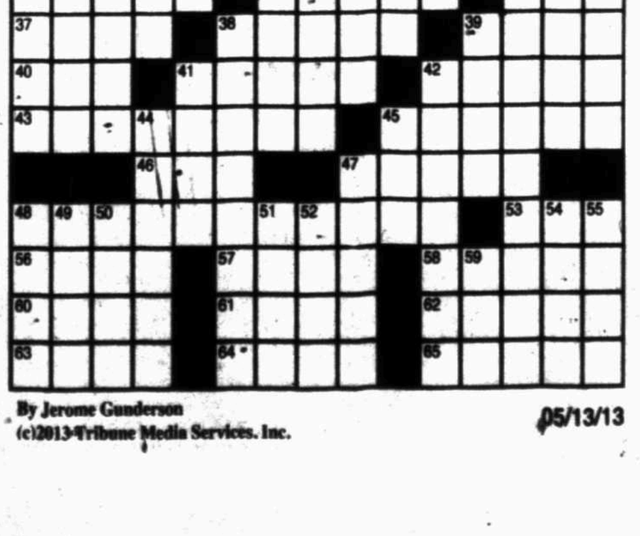
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29 Chewy Nestlé candy bar
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41 Anti-wrinkle treatment
42 Feel one's way
43 Cheap cigar cost, once
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47 The V in PVC
48 *Pretend
53 Nile slitherer
56 Teenager's bumps along the road of life?
57 Taunting remark
58 Pricey fur
60 Farmer's yield
61 Icoo clicker
62 Perfect in every way
63 Alluring
64 Skin ink, for short
65 Work a crossword puzzle

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2 The Body Shop balm
3 "Barack Obama's 2008 opponent
4 Middle name adopted by John Lennon
5 Saved from harm
6 Stroll along
7 April 1st dupe
8 Basic unit of matter
9 Keep in mind
10 A lot of hooey
11 Raring to go
12 Brawny rival
13 Biblical kingdom near the Dead Sea
22 Recipe verb
23 Club sandwich condiment
25 Related (to)
27 Update, as factory equipment
28 Stan's slapstick sidekick
29 Square dancers' neckties
30 Early premium credit card, familiarly
31 "Tag promoting organized labor
32 Arizona city
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The City of Midland, Texas is soliciting bids for the furnishing of materials and labor for the Lamesa Rd Pedestrian Access Improvements together with other miscellaneous and appurtenant work.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held in the basement classroom A of City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 15, 2013.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to condition of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

The contract may be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value to the municipality as referred to in Section 252.043(b) of the Texas Local Government Code.

Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file for viewing in the office of the Purchasing Manager, City Hall, 300 N Loraine, Midland, Texas. The contract documents may be purchased at the office of the Purchasing Manager, second floor, 300 North Loraine Street, Midland, Texas for a non-refundable purchase price of $50.00 per set.

Bids will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas, until 11:00 AM on the 22nd day of May, 2013. Bids will be opened and read aloud at that time.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS

Kimble County Hospital District is accepting sealed bids for three modular buildings located in Junction, Texas. Units are offered "as is" and must be relocated from the present site. Two 24x56, minimum bid $20,000 each; one 14x40, minimum bid $7,500. See information and pictures at www.kimblecountyhospitaldistrict.org Open house May 15, 2013 9-5. Bids must be submitted by May 31, 2013, 3 p.m. to Kimble County Hospital District, 349 Reid Road, Junction TX 76849. The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

#1 2006 Vanguard, 24'x56', steel chassis, wood framing, hardboard siding; Finished interior includes two ADA-compliant restrooms, central A/C with two heat pumps. Minimum bid $20,000

#2 2006 Vanguard, 24'x56', steel chassis, wood framing, hardboard siding; finished interior includes two ADA-compliant restrooms, central A/C with two heat pumps and a kitchen. Minimum bid $20,000

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Additional information and pictures available at KCHD website:
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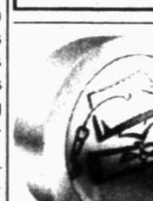
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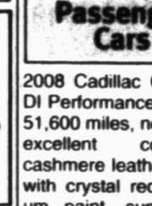
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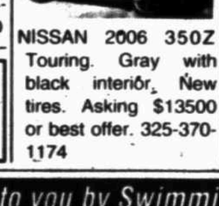
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FORD 2012 F-350, 4 wheel drive welding truck, $55,000, 832-799-8468.

NISSAN 2004 Titan, crew cab, 4x4, lift kit. We finance. B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222

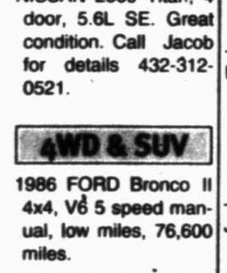
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