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# 191 study: Cities must work together

## *Cooperation between Midland and Odessa critical for development projects*

**By Kathleen Petty**
*Staff Writer*

A system of backage roads that allows for easier access and multifaceted construction that's concentrated in a few nodes of development are among the future visions for the Highway 191 corridor.

Ideas for development over the next 25 years, as well as transportation and zoning initiatives the cities of Midland and Odessa could consider, were presented Thursday as part of a final town hall meeting on the State Highway 191 Corridor and Access Plan.

"We're suggesting the cities work together on some of the industrial areas," said Craig Farmer, a senior planner with Freese and Nichols, which led the study. "The reality is, as a region they compete favorably with the entire state and maybe the nation."

Tim Dolan, executive director of the Midland-Odessa Transportation Organization (MOTOR Metropolitan Planning Organization), said the report presented Thursday was the culmination of about a year of work. It's meant to provide a comprehensive planning tool for decades to come and was commissioned by MOTOR MPO's policy board.

"A metropolitan transportation plan is a long-range plan," he said.

So far, Midland and Odessa have done a good job of developing either end of Highway 191, Farmer said. However, he said there is need for some controls between the two cities.

Some areas lack of curbs. In other parts of the corridor, the absence of roads has led to vehicles driving across medians or on the shoulder of the one-way access road along Highway 191.

As part of the corridor plan, it was recommended the cities look to establish evenly spaced driveways along the access road, as well as uniformity in driveways, curbs and other additions.

Studies show accidents increase when

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# Crude Fest kicks off

*Photos by Cindeka Nealy/Repoter-Telegram*

**TOP:** Brandon Rhyder Band guitar player Matt Powell plays during a mic check Thursday before the band's performance during the Crude Fest 2012 music festival.

**ABOVE:** Nathan Jackson plays a game of washers with a group of friends Thursday during Crude Fest.

### All the details

**Where:** 5209 South County Road 1270

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**Ticket prices:** Tickets are $45 three-day pass; $40 two-day-pass (today and Saturday): And $33 Saturday only. All sales are final. No refunds.

**Note:** In addition to the music, the event hosts the TanMar Championship Cook Off.

# United Way to track community progress with assessment

**By Kathleen Petty**
*Staff Writer*

Although data shows Midland is well-above the state average in economic stability and jobs, it falls below what's typical in education achievement and in access to primary health care, among other things.

Those are some of the outcomes discovered through an opportunity assessment conducted for the United Way of Midland by the Austin-based Center for Public Policy Priorities. Don Baylor Jr., senior policy analyst, gave presentations to nonprofit leaders and the United Way board Thursday about the assessment.

He said his organization studied 58 primary indicators in categories including primary and secondary education, health care, economic indicators and credit and debt levels. Focus groups also took place with nonprofits and community members about needs they see in Midland that might not easily be represented through data.

Affordable housing, for example, is difficult to quantify through the data points the policy center use, Baylor said, but it clearly is an issue in Midland and has a ripple affect on education and other areas.

"A lack of income-appropriate housing is something we heard everywhere we went," he said.

Alice Freidline, United Way's director of Community Impact, said the board and staff will take the data and identify specific issues the organization wants addressed through programs or initiatives in the nonprofit community. With the data presented Thursday, the United Way then have a baseline from which to compare future numbers and determine whether progress has been made.

"Our intent this time by going through this assessment is to have some things we can track on an annual basis," Freidline said.

Baylor said the center's research shows limited access to state-administered programs is an issue. The renewal rate for the Children's Health Insurance Program in Midland County is about 48 percent.

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Sen. Jeff Wentworth, R-San Antonio, speaks during a news conference where he announced he was filing a libel and slander lawsuit against his opponent Elizabeth Ames Jones on Thursday in San Antonio. A recent radio ad from the Jones campaign suggests Wentworth illegally double-bills the state and his campaign for the same travel expenses, a potential felony.

# Libel lawsuit latest in nasty Senate campaign

*Associated Press*

AUSTIN — A bitter Republican fight for a Texas Senate seat took a new legal turn Thursday when incumbent Sen. Jeff Wentworth filed a libel lawsuit against opponent Elizabeth Ames Jones.

A recent radio ad from the Ames Jones campaign suggests Wentworth illegally double-bills the state and his campaign for the same travel expenses, which is a potential felony.

Wentworth denies the allegation and said he has records dating back several years that back him up. Wentworth filed his lawsuit in San Antonio.

"It's one thing to engage in the sort of standard misrepresentation and distortion of facts," Wentworth said. "But to accuse your opponent of committing a crime goes way across the line. I'm not going to put up with that."

The Ames Jones campaign stood behind the ad, saying state and campaign expense records show a pattern of Wentworth billing the state and his campaign for hundreds of travel expenses, including gasoline and airfare.

"Sen. Wentworth needs to explain each of those discrepancies to taxpayers," Ames Jones said in a statement.

Wentworth said he can and has the cancelled checks to prove it.

When traveling on state business, Wentworth said he uses a personal credit card for expenses and pays the bill using campaign money. He then bills the state, which sends the money to his personal account. From there, the money is used to reimburse his campaign account, which Wentworth said is legal and a common practice by state lawmakers.

"If you are honest, you reimburse your account. That's what I've been doing for 20 years," Wentworth said.

Wentworth said he filed the libel lawsuit because, as a former member of the Texas House of Representatives, Ames Jones would have known his actions were legal and that the radio ad is false. Ames Jones served in the House from 2001-2005 before she was appointed by Gov. Rick Perry to the Texas Railroad Commission.

Early voting for the May 29 primary election began Monday.

Wentworth wants Ames Jones to stop running the ad and apologize.

State lawmakers are sensitive to the "double-dipping" charge after Rep. Joe Driver, R-Garland, pleaded guilty last year to using tens of thousands of taxpayer dollars to reimburse himself for travel expenses that his campaign had already funded. Driver could have faced up to 10 years in prison for third-degree felony abuse of official capacity, but received five years' probation instead.

The Republican campaign for Senate District 25, which stretches from San Antonio to South Austin, has been one of the most contentious of the primary election.

Wentworth, an attorney and 19-year Senate veteran, has been targeted by Texans for Lawsuit Reform — one of the state's most powerful conservative lobbies, which has spent tens of thousands of dollars supporting Ames Jones. Physician Donna Campbell also is running for the GOP nomination.

# White powder case costs millions

*Associated Press*

DALLAS — Federal authorities are tracking what they call the most prolific mailer of white powder in U.S. history with an eye toward solving a case that has tied up first responders and cost taxpayers millions of dollars.

Officials with the FBI and the U.S. Postal Inspection Service believe the same person has sent nearly 400 letters containing nontoxic white powder across the U.S. and abroad from Texas.

A day after upping the reward in the case from $100,000 to $150,000, officials stressed that each incident diverts police, fire personnel and other valuable resources from genuine emergencies, increasing the urgency of finding the perpetrator.

"We're certainly hopeful that someone will do the right thing and come forward, even if it's just to allow these first responders to do what they're supposed to do," said Amanda McMurrey, a spokeswoman for the U.S. Postal Inspection Service.

Authorities increased the reward in the ongoing investigation after the suspect sent out another batch of letters, some targeting schools. However, McMurrey said two suspicious letters reported Thursday in the Dallas area, including one at the federal court house, weren't connected to the case.

According to the FBI, the computer-generated letters can be linked through similar phrases, including repeated references to subjects such as al-Qaida and the Nazi SS, apparently for shock value. However, the author has taken steps to hide his identity, including avoiding leaving fingerprints, the FBI said.

# TEXAS ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

LUBBOCK

## More Texas land out of worst drought stage

Recent rainfall across much of West Texas has diminished to less than 2 percent the area of the state in the worst drought stage.

Records show that hasn't happened since March 2011.

The U.S. Drought Monitor map released Thursday shows 1.4 percent of the state in exceptional drought. The map from March 29, 2011, had none in the worst stage. The dryness in West Texas has lingered longer than other areas.

National Weather Service meteorologist Victor Murphy said the improvement stems from most of the state's major cities so far this year getting more rain than in all of 2011.

Last year was the driest on record for Texas, compounded by blistering temperatures and windy conditions. The drought cost record agriculture losses — an estimated $7.6 billion.

LUBBOCK

## Woman collides with bus carrying Iowa track team

Lubbock police say a woman has died after crashing her car into a bus carrying the Iowa Western Community College track team.

Twenty-one-year-old Emily Leatherwood, of Brownfield, was pronounced dead Wednesday.

Lubbock Police Captain Roy Bassett told KCBD that the track team's bus was stopped at a railroad crossing. Police said Leatherwood failed to control her car's speed and collided with the back of the bus.

Iowa Western squad was in town to compete in the National Junior College Athletic Association outdoor meet.

Two of the bus's 11 occupants sustained minor injuries that did not require medical attention.

HOUSTON

## Rapper charged with killing another

Houston police say a 19-year-old rapper charged with killing another earlier this month is in custody.

A Houston police statement Thursday said Jordan Q. Wilson was arrested Tuesday in Corpus Christi after a traffic stop and will be returned to Houston. Court records didn't list an attorney.

Police said he was wanted in the May 4 death of 20-year-old Toyurean Young. Witnesses said Wilson approached Young in the parking lot of a fast food restaurant and the two began fighting, Wilson then took out a gun and shot Young before fleeing.

Court documents indicate Wilson and Young were in a rap group together before Wilson went out on his own. A witness told police Wilson grew increasingly jealous as Young's success grew.

MCALLEN

## Former guard indicted on federal bribery charge

A South Texas man has been arrested on a federal bribery charge for smuggling a cell phone into a detention center where he worked as a guard.

Federal prosecutors announced that an indictment was unsealed against 21-year-old Jorge Luis Sandoval on Thursday after his arrest. Sandoval had worked at the East Hidalgo Detention Center in La Villa, which houses federal detainees for the U.S. Marshals Service. It was not immediately known if Sandoval had retained an attorney.

The indictment alleges that in early 2010, Sandoval demanded and accepted a cash payment to smuggle the phone from an individual on behalf of an inmate.

Sandoval was scheduled to be arraigned today in McAllen.

HOUSTON

## Gas prices fall by nickel this week across Texas

Retail gasoline prices across Texas continue their slide by declining by a nickel a gallon this week.

AAA Texas on Thursday reported the average price statewide has slipped to $3.56 per gallon.

Gas prices nationally also continue to slide, down 2 cents this week to settle at $3.72 per gallon.

The association survey finds that Amarillo has the least expensive gasoline in Texas, at $3.43 per gallon. El Paso has the most expensive gasoline, going for $3.69 per gallon.

AAA said declining crude oil prices and renewed global economic concerns have sent retail gasoline prices down in the past month.

NEW MEXICO

## Police shoot suspect in alleyway

CLOVIS — Authorities say a suspect is in critical condition after a Clovis police officer shot the suspect fleeing from a scene.

State officials said Paul Villanueva was shot once Wednesday in an alleyway and was transported to the Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis. The 23-year-old Clovis resident is recovering at a Texas hospital.

The Clovis officer, whose name was not released, has been placed on administrative leave pendinga multi-agency investigation into the shooting.


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# STATE BRIEFS

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TIMPSON

## 4.3 magnitude earthquake rattles East Texas

A moderate earthquake rattled an area in East Texas near the Louisiana border.

National Earthquake Information Center geophysicist Amy Vaughan said the quake happened at 3:12 a.m. Thursday and had a magnitude of 4.3. It was centered near Timpson.

Shelby County sheriff's dispatcher Jacob Allen said the only injury report they've received is an elderly woman who fell out of her bed and cut her arm. Allen said the quake caused broken windows and fallen dishes, but no major damage has been reported.

Vaughan said the quake was felt within 75 miles of its epicenter. She also said the same area was the site of a 3.9 magnitude quake on May 10.

HOUSTON

## Sextuplets improving, 3 breathing on own

A hospital official says three of the premature sextuplets born last month in Houston now are breathing on their own.

Christy Brunton with Texas Children's Pavilion for Women said Thursday that all six babies are stable and improving.

Lauren Perkins, of Pearland, on April 23 delivered three girls and three boys. Brunton said some of the babies, born about 10 weeks premature, could go home by mid-June if they continue to do well in intensive care.

SAN ANTONIO

## Street racing blamed for death

San Antonio police say street racing has led to the death of a driver whose truck went off a road, fell more than 40 feet and crashed into a creek.

The name of the man who died was not released Thursday. Police are looking for the driver of a car involved in Wednesday night's wreck.

Sgt. Mark Hubbard said the two vehicles apparently were racing when they collided and the pickup driver lost control. That vehicle smashed through a bridge guardrail and tumbled into the creek. The victim was dead at the scene.

# Battleship Texas still afloat century after mishap

*Associated Press*

LA PORTE — Barely a month after the Titanic sank on its maiden voyage in the North Atlantic, another vessel touted as the world's most powerful warship slid down a giant ramp at a Newport News, Va., shipyard and into the water.

On Friday, exactly 100 years to the day, the Battleship Texas remains afloat — albeit barely — so unlike with the Titanic no remote-controlled camera or deep-sea underwater vehicle will be needed to wander its decks.

"It is amazing when you think about it," said Andy Smith, manager of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department battleship site east of Houston. "From what still exists, the bulk of the ship is still the same."

Authorized in 1910, Battleship Texas got its name officially when it was launched May 18, 1912. Texas formally joined the Navy two years later when it was commissioned.

It's now the only remaining U.S. battleship to survive World Wars I and II and the oldest of the eight existing and obsolete battlewagons.

Texas voters some five years ago approved a bond package that included money to save the deteriorating ship and ensure its long-term future along the Houston Ship Channel across one of the world's largest petrochemical complexes. Work on developing that plan is ongoing, and officials hope to settle on a design that will accommodate a $29 million budget. Construction bidding is anticipated within a couple of years and the target date for completion of the project is 2017.

Associated Press

The Battleship Texas is berthed along the Houston Ship Channel in La Porte on Monday. Today marks the 100th anniversary of the day the ship entered the water at the Newport News Shipbuilding construction site in Virginia. Now part of the Texas state parks system and awaiting a restoration project, it's the oldest surviving U.S. battleship and the only American battleship to participate in World War I and World War II.

The storm surge from Hurricane Ike in 2008 lifted the ship and allowed silt to fill its slip. When the water went down, the ship then rested on the bed of new silt. That muddy quicksand-like material actually has helped ease some of the flooding that requires removal of about a ton of water each day by pumps, down from the nine tons before the hurricane.

The plan now being considered would construct a berm around the ship and include a cofferdam to isolate it from the channel. Workers would get under the ship and dredge out the silt, replace it with granulated, controlled sand atop the natural clay bed, then level it out and drain the berth so the ship rests on the sand.

"The point is to put her in a condition where you stabilize her and quit the deterioration of her being in a brackish water environment and you can make repairs in your time frame," Smith said.

He hopes to be able to find out early next month if the plan, known as a dry berth, will fit the budget. A project on this scale never has been tried.

A birthday celebration was planned for Saturday at the ship with invitations sent to as many as 500 crewmen believed still alive.

Someone who joined the Navy at 16 in 1945 and was assigned to the Texas now would be in his 80s. At its peak, the ship had a crew of 1,800.

"At the end of the day this is a hunk of steel, it's a shared piece of our heritage," Smith said. "But what really makes it alive is those men who served aboard ... We've lost all the World War I vets. We've come across few guys in the (later) war years but they're passing. We're losing that direct connection between its active life and its inactive life."

In 1948, Battleship Texas was decommissioned and came under care of the state. A berth at the San Jacinto Battleground was carved out of a swamp that empties into the Houston Ship Channel.

The Texas is the last of the Super Dreadnought class of battleships, patterned after the British battleship that featured unprecedented speed and armaments at the turn of the 20th century.

In World War I, the Texas served as U.S. flagship in the British Grand Fleet. In 1940, it was named flagship of the U.S. Atlantic Fleet and participated in D-Day in 1944. It experienced casualties when hit by German artillery off France, then provided support for World War II battles at Iwo Jima and Okinawa in the Pacific, using its main battery of 10 14-inch guns to fire 1,500-pound shells up to 12 miles.

About 100,000 visitors a year visit the Texas, including more than 4,000 who participate in a program where they sleep overnight aboard the ship.

# Army generals probed for cartel ties

*Associated Press*

MEXICO CITY — A federal judge in Mexico has ordered two army generals placed under a form of house arrest pending an investigation for possible links to the Beltran Leyva drug cartel, authorities said Thursday.

The Attorney General's Office said in a statement that the generals will remain under arrest at least 40 days while prosecutors strengthen their case.

The investigation against retired Gen. Tomas Angeles Dauahare and Gen. Roberto Dawe Gonzalez is based on a case from 2009 that includes "the testimony of several people on trial, including some soldiers," the office said.

An official at the Attorney General's Office says generals protected members of the Beltran Leyva group, which has been battling the Sinaloa drug cartel since 2008, when they ended an alliance. He spoke on condition of anonymity because he is not allowed to discuss the case.

Soldiers detained the officers on Tuesday.

President Felipe Calderon named Angeles Dauahare as assistant defense secretary in 2006. He left the post in 2008, when he retired. He is the highest ranking military official to be linked to drug traffickers during the current administration.

Dawe Gonzalez is currently assigned to a military base in the western state of Colima.

Angeles Dauahare's lawyer, Alejandro Ortega, told The Associated Press Thursday he hasn't been given access to court files or allowed to talk to his client. He said the general told his wife he is being accused of taking money from associates of Edgar Valdez Villareal, who was the top hit man for Arturo Beltran Leyva, who was killed in 2009. Valdez Villareal was arrested in 2010.

Ortega said the general supports himself with army pension and owns a house and an apartment. He said the general's wife also owns a house she inherited.

# Fired officer's acquittal sparks protest

*Associated Press*

HOUSTON — More than 200 people marched in front of the Harris County criminal courthouse to protest the acquittal of a fired Houston police officer in the alleged beating of a teenage burglary suspect.

The protesters alleged racism was behind the Wednesday acquittal of Andrew Blomberg by an all-white jury.

However, Blomberg's attorney Dick DeGuerin told the Houston Chronicle that jurors told him no single element of the case decided their verdict. He said at least two jurors said they believed Blomberg did not stomp 15-year-old Chad Holley's head as prosecutors alleged.

Houston black community activists appealed to protesters to vote and answer calls to serve on juries. The crowd chanted "No more all-white juries" as it marched.


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# TODAY IN MIDLAND

### Things to do

■ Crude Fest 2012 — Texas Music Festival, 5209 South County Road 1270. Online: www.thecrudefest.com

■ Collaboration 2012: The 46th annual West Texas Jazz Party at MCM Elegante, Odessa. For reservations, call Margaret Gillham, 552-8962, or Charlene Waddill 683-2026.

■ Celebration of the Arts at Midland Center, Centennial Plaza and the Yucca Theatre

■ Comedy night at the Velvet Room, Midtown Hotel, 3100 W. Wall St. Tickets: $10

■ "Larry's Best Friend," 8 p.m., Mabee Theatre II, Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. Tickets are $18 adults and $12 for ages 18 and younger. For reservations call 570-4111.

■ "Lion in Winter," 8 p.m., Permian Playhouse, 310 W. 42nd St., Odessa. Tickets: $12 for adults, $10 for seniors and students, $7 for ages 12 and under at the door or online at permianplayhouse.com.

### Community calendar

■ Teen Challenge's annual pancake jamboree is 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday at 6901 S. County Road 1200 (at the southernmost end of Cotton Flat Road). The event is free, although donations will be accepted.

The event will include a softball and volleyball tournaments, jumpers for the kids, live music, a monster truck show, a classic car show, fire trucks and face painting.

■ Midland Memorial Hospital is hosting its annual stroke walk 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday at Wadley-Barron Park.

There is no registration fee. For more information, call 685-1541.

■ The Opportunity Club from Midland High School will host a silent auction from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday in the school's Bulldog Room.

More than 75 items including food coupons, art, purses and salon services were donated for auction.

Money raised will go into the Opportunity Club's general budget and be used for running the school's Dawg House spirit store, supporting Life Skills Prom and Senior Fun Day, said club sponsor Steve Darst.

■ Texas Comptroller Susan Combs will be speaking 3 to 4 p.m. Monday in Meeting Room 2 in the lower level of Midland Center. She will discuss the facts, figures and trends fueling the state's economy. The presentation is free to the public.

■ The annual Todd Edwards Sunshine Golf Classic is 8 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday at Hogan Park.

The event benefits an endowment fund and the Texas Iota Chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity at Texas Tech University and memorializes Tech student Todd Edwards, who died three years ago in an auto accident. Entry fee is $75 a person for four-person teams.

For more information, call 634-1716.

### Early voting information

**Voters Thursday 510:** (Christ Church 35, Cogdell Learning Center 20, Elections Office 415, Midland College 9, Manor Park 31)

**Voters through Thursday:** 2,058 (Republican primary voters 1,963, Democratic primary voters 95)

**Polling Places**

Christ Church, 5501 N. Midkiff Road

Cogdell Learning Center, 211 W. Florida Ave.

Manor Park, 5212 Sinclair Ave.

Midland College, 3600 N. Garfield St.

Voting hours today: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Midland County Elections Office, 2110 N. "A" St.

Voting hours today: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information, visit www.co.midland.tx.us/elections

### Gas prices in Midland

**Cheapest gas in Midland:** $3.60 (Murphy USA, Belmont/Longview; Stripes, Rankin Highway/I-20)

**Most expensive gas:** $3.72 (Fina, Business 20/SCR 1257)

**Most common prices:** $3.62, $3.69

**Cheapest gas in West Texas:** Lubbock $3.20, Abilene $3.33, San Angelo $3.36, Odessa $3.57, Midland $3.60)

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| Thursday | $3.660 | $3.537 |
| Last week | $3.694 | $3.544 |
| Last month | $3.820 | $3.797 |
| Last year | $3.883 | $3.820 |

*Source: TexasGasPrices.com*

### Water worries

Based on limits set by the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the amount the city can take from the Paul Davis water fields, city officials expect water delivery to be limited to 18.5 million gallons. Using more than that figure consistently could result in the city halting outdoor watering.

**Wednesday's total:** 13,444,000 gallons

**Previous three Wednesdays**

May 9: 13,065,000 gallons

May 2: 14,588,000 gallons

April 25: 14,314,000 gallons

### It's your birthday

**Awbrey Lezae Ochoa**, of Midland, turns 11 today.

**Christie Davis**, of Midland, turns 18 today.

### Lottery

**Pick 3 day:** 1-7-0
**Pick 3 night:** 9-8-8
**Daily 4 day:** 9-9-1-8
**Daily 4 night:** 8-8-4-4
**Cash Five:** 11-16-30-32-35
**Texas Two Step:** 7-13-15-17 BB: 11

### Today in history

**On this date**

In 1896, the Supreme Court, in Plessy v. Ferguson, endorsed "separate but equal" racial segregation, a concept renounced 58 years later in Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka.

# Hospital opts to seek apartments for new nurses

**By Audrie Palmer**
*Staff Writer*

Midland Memorial Hospital staff never before had this problem. Last year, housing wasn't the issue it is now when they recruited new nurses in the Versant Nursing Program.

"We are in unusual times, which has caused us to be proactive in our approach because of our economy," said Cory Edmondson, vice president of support services. "We're not in the housing business, but we don't want to turn a blind eye."

Approximately 15 new nurses, many from out of state, will arrive in June to begin the program.

When hospital staff realized there potentially could be nowhere for the nurses to live, they began to look at options.

One of those options, which since has been placed on the "back burner," was to build temporary housing at the West Campus facility. At its April 25 meeting, the Midland County Hospital District board approved a $300,000 budget to allow development to begin.

But staff have looked at other options and decided to seek apartments instead. As of Monday, the hospital secured at least four apartments that will be available when the nurses arrive and has been put on waiting lists for other units.

He said it's very likely the nurses will have to room together until they are able to find their own apartments. The deposit put on the apartments is refundable if the hospital doesn't end up leasing the space. The nurses will pay back the hospital and will have the lease transferred to their names when they move in.

Edmondson said one of the reasons for not pursuing the temporary housing project is to preserve the capital dollars involved in such an undertaking.

"We've had decent luck (in securing apartments) and thought we might be able to solve our problems doing that," he said.

Edmondson said the hospital usually doesn't secure housing for recruits but did it this time because of the circumstances.

"We're hoping that this solves the problem and that we can secure enough apartments. We're going down a good track right now," he said.

After talking with local developers, he said he believes the housing and apartment community will begin to correct itself in the next year to 18 months.

"There's no need for us to invest in something permanent even though the housing at West Campus was to be temporary," he said.

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*Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram*

## TOOTSIES GET TENDER CARE

Michelle Adams, RN, works on one patient's feet as others soak in soapy water Thursday at Casa de Amigos. Members of St. Joseph's Home Health were at Casa to help area residents with proper foot care.

# Man gets 8 years for indecency with a child conviction

*From staff reports*

A 47-year-old Odessa man was sentenced to eight years in prison Thursday after he was found guilty of exposing and touching himself in front of Midland children.

Edward Fernandez Medrano was sentenced late Thursday on four charges of indecency with a child by exposure after a Midland County jury found him guilty Wednesday.

The incidents took place on two separate occasions in 2008.

The first incident occurred on June 13 and involved three children, ages 8, 9 and 15. Officials said the children were walking through the parking lot of the "Way Out West" restaurant on Andrews Highway after returning from playing at Cowden Park.

The second incident happened on Nov. 21 when Medrano exposed himself to a 15-year-old girl at a convenience store at Front and Garfield streets. Officials said Medrano followed the victim as she walked home from school.

Midland police arrested Medrano in March 2009 while he was sitting in his pickup at the same location as the November incident.

The children identified the defendant after he was caught and when they testified against him at trial, according to a press release.

Medrano was given three-year sentences for two of the charges and two-year sentences for the other two charges.

Senior Judge Robert Moore, of Big Spring, ordered the sentences to run consecutively for three charges. The fourth charge was probated, and Medrano will be on probation for 10 years after his release from prison.

He also is required to complete a sex offender treatment program and other requirements of community supervision.

The case was prosecuted by Midland County district attorneys Tim Flathers and Jane Belazi. Medrano was represented by Odessa attorney Michael McLeaish.

# Suicide Prevention Coalition will use summer to learn, plan

**By Meredith Moriak**
*Staff Writer*

After a few minor setbacks, members of the Permian Basin Suicide Prevention Coalition plan on using the summer to regroup, educate themselves and plan communitywide events for the fall.

During Thursday's meeting, President Christian Nichles spoke to the 18 attendees about establishing a solid foundation for the group so they can move forward and promote mental health throughout the Permian Basin.

"This coalition began under fire with a lot of people who are passionate about doing something in the community to address this problem," Nichles said, referring to the more than 50 people who attended the first few meetings. "I want to make sure we don't lose that passion because in the big scope of things, the health of our community helps us all."

Nichles said the coalition needs to work to bring in people from different areas of the community.

Coalition members agreed they want to spend the summer receiving educational training so all members understand the organization's role and the mental health issues they are dealing with.

The coalition is working to provide Mental Health First Aid or QPR (question, persude, refer) training programs to its members and the public.

The group, which began meeting in January, is continuing to establish its 501(c)3 status, recently received its tax exempt number and will establish a bank account at Security Bank. The coalition is working in committees to talk about future fundraisers and events.

Coalition members expressed a desire to host a public event and bring to the Permian Basin a prominent figure who has dealt with suicide or depression and who can speak about how they've overcome it.

Also at Thursday's meeting, the coalition elected Tom Schmidt as the new vice president after Nichles was promoted to president when Charisse Rook resigned from the coalition because of a job change.

Schmidt, who is pastor at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Midland, said he believes serving the committee would be a positive way to serve the community.

The coalition's next meeting is 6:30 p.m. June 14 at the Region 18 Education Service Center.

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# Midland Memorial Hospital to host annual stroke walk

**By Audrie Palmer**
*Staff Writer*

**Want more info?**

**For more information about the event, contact Sherron Meeks at 685-1111, ext. 7434.**

Stroke is the fourth leading cause of death in the United States and the second leading cause in the world, which is why staff at Midland Memorial Hospital want to educate individuals about warning signs and risk factors.

"We're just trying to raise awareness. There are many treatments we can do but they're based on time," said MMH stroke coordinator Sherron Meeks. "The sooner they recognize they're having symptoms, the better the outcome and availability to treat."

The hospital is hosting its second annual Stroke Walk, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Saturday at Wadley-Barron Park on A Street.

The event is free and open to anyone who wants to learn more about strokes.

Last year, more than 50 walkers participated in the event. Signs listing symptoms and stroke effects will be placed along the walking path for participants to read.

Walkers can walk one lap or as many as they wish during the two-hour event. Meeks said the hospital is not raising money during the event, but individuals must register to walk.

She said staff just want to get the word out that if someone is experiencing what they believe is a stroke-like symptom, to go to the hospital in a timely manner. Only 10 percent of the patient population do, she said. The other 90 percent take an aspirin and lay down hoping to feel better.

"They absolutely need to understand that tomorrow is too late. They need to at least be checked out," Meeks said.

"The best thing to happen is for us to tell you you're not having a stroke and for you to go home."

Strokes are the No. 1 cause for long-term disabilities in adults in the United States. Meeks said that last year, $80 billion was spent on wheelchairs and therapy associated with the disease.

While women are more likely to die from a stroke and men are more likely to have one, officials said strokes can happen to anyone of any age.

That's why Meeks believes raising awareness is important to helping people gain knowledge about the disease.

"We just want people to come out and learn about it. It's a huge issue and we need to stop it in its tracks," she said.

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# PROGRESS

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while statewide it's more than 63 percent.

Out of 18 kindergarten through grade 12 education data points studied, Midland was above the state average on only five. The assessment looked at TAKS scores, dropout rates, success rates of economically disadvantaged students and SAT/ACT participation.

On the positive side, Baylor said Midland has a great system in place for connecting students at Midland Independent School District with Midland College. Its rate of graduating students who attend a two-year school also is above the state average. About 45 percent of students enroll in a two-year institution, compared with 35 percent statewide.

In looking at goals, Baylor said one of the organization's key recommendations includes establishing a program that would allow students who don't intend to enroll in higher education to learn a trade while still in public school.

Part of promoting student stability — which can be a factor in test scores and success rates — also could include tackling the affordable housing issue, he said.

If affordable rental units could be constructed through a general obligation bond program backed by the city, families could afford to stay in one place and, therefore, keep their kids in the same schools. A bond program has been used in Austin and San Antonio to address the need for long-term affordable housing and could be something that helps Midland, Baylor said.

Other recommendations included encouraging tax time savings through the VITA program; encouraging work-based savings, which could be done through a match-type program; and working to establish a "Healthy Midland" initiative.

Because so many people in Midland are working, Baylor said now is the time to look at financial programs that could encourage and promote savings so those families have a base on which to rely later.

The report discussed Thursday will be available on the United Way of Midland's website and is meant to provide insight to other organizations, as well as to the United Way, Baylor said.

Freidline said they've typically conducted needs assessments every five to seven years. The intent with this data-driven study was to allow the United Way to look at progress on a yearly basis rather than having to wait for the next assessment.

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# Obama administration orders prison rape reform

*Associated Press*

WASHINGTON — The Obama administration ordered federal, state and local officials Thursday to adopt zero tolerance for prison rape as it issued mandatory screening, enforcement and prevention regulations designed to reduce the number of inmates who suffer sexual victimization at the hands of other prisoners and prison staff.

The rules have been under development since Congress passed the Prison Rape Elimination Act in 2003 to fight rape and sexual victimization in the nation's prisons, jails and halfway houses. The regulations were announced only minutes after the Justice Department unveiled a new survey of former state and local prisoners that showed that almost one in every 10 reported at least one incident of sexual victimization by prison staff or other inmates.

The regulations are immediately binding on federal prisons. States that don't fall in line face a loss of 5 percent of their Justice Department prison money unless their governor certifies that the same amount of money is being used to bring the state into compliance.

## STUDY

From 1A

more driveways are added on streets, Farmer said, so they also want to see businesses share driveways or create cross-access systems.

The city of Midland already has annexed property on either side of Highway 191. Farmer said they're recommending the city annex even farther back.

If both cities could control about 1,800 feet on either side of Highway 191, Farmer said they could help implement plans for backage roads while also passing zoning that would require certain setbacks for buildings, pump jacks and other additions that could help the aesthetics of the corridor.

The addition of backage roads would be key to future development, Farmer said. Under the current setup, individuals have to go several hundred feet on a one-way access road before being able to turn around in some instances. If a backage road system were established behind those businesses, it would allow for easier access and two-way traffic.

When it comes to housing and commercial development, Farmer said typically it's more successful when concentrated.

The corridor study — which included input from government officials, city planners and several professionals — recommends one development area be concentrated around the CEED building at Highway 191 and Farm-to-Market Road 1788.

Ideally, the area would include office space, urban housing targeted at singles and seniors and, farther back, single-family homes. Down the center of the proposed "village center," Farmer said planners picture a lane that eventually could be used by the bus system to connect individuals from Midland to the CEED area and then to Odessa.

A hike-bike lane or trail also would be feasible in that development node, he said.

"We looked at what types of buildings create long-term value," he said, explaining that varied development is more beneficial in the long run.

Throughout several parts of the corridor, Farmer said a new thoroughfare plan is needed to aid in the future development of roads.

The city of Midland already is working on an amended thoroughfare plan that will incorporate the suggestions made through the 191 corridor study, said Cameron Walker, planning division manager.

Walker said some of the changes are significant because they would require land owners to give up additional property for the creation of backage roads. But, he said, so far most property owners have been receptive to the idea of a two-way backage road.

"They see the value of it," he said, adding the city council could consider the plan by late June.

Robin Donnelly, county commissioner and vice chairman of the MOTOR MPO, said a new thoroughfare plan also would help the county in that it would give them a way to encourage certain development. The county doesn't have any specific zoning controls, he said.

"What can we do as a county to promote this development?" Donnelly said.

Farmer said it could take decades for the plan to come to fruition. However, he said, having a plan and blueprint for where to go is helpful in spurring along specific types of development.

A final corridor plan is expected to be complete in June, Farmer said. It will incorporate any feedback received at Thursday's meeting.

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## Colorado wildfire grows amid erratic wind gusts

*Associated Press*

FORT COLLINS — Hundreds of firefighters worked Thursday to combat a growing blaze that was scorching terrain around a scenic canyon in northern Colorado.

Ground efforts were being supported by a heavy air tanker and helicopters that together are capable of dropping thousands of gallons of fire retardant and water on the spreading flames.

U.S. Forest Service officials said the blaze about 20 miles northwest of Fort Collins grew from about 1.5 square miles to more than 11 square miles Thursday amid erratic wind gusts of up to 50 mph. The fire was approaching the city of Greeley's Milton Seaman Reservoir on Thursday night, but city officials said Greeley's water supply hasn't been affected.

Authorities ordered mandatory evacuations of about 80 homes near Poudre Canyon earlier in the day, even going door to door to issue warnings.

Residents of about 65 of those homes were allowed to return by early evening, with instructions to be ready to leave again if conditions change.

Officials think human activity started the blaze, which was first reported Monday, but they still are investigating.

The Colorado fire was one of several burning in the West on Thursday.

A fire in northern Arizona that led to the evacuation of a historic mining town grew to more than 10 square miles even as the outlook improved from earlier in the week.

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# Opinion

## Why Obama has trouble defending gay marrige

■ Is is about empathy or rights? The president has because he's been all over the place when it comes to the issue.

CHARLES KRAUTHAMMER
*Washington Post Writers Group*

There are two ways to defend gay marriage. Argument A is empathy: One is influenced by gay friends in committed relationships yearning for the fulfillment and acceptance that marriage conveys upon heterosexuals. That's essentially the case President Obama made when he first announced his change of views.

No talk about rights, just human fellow feeling. Such an argument is attractive because it can be compelling without being compulsory. Many people, feeling the weight of this longing among their gay friends, are willing to redefine marriage for the sake of simple human sympathy.

At the same time, however, one can sympathize with others who feel great trepidation at the radical transformation of the most fundamental of social institutions, one that was heterosexual in all societies in all places at all times.

The empathy argument both encourages mutual respect in the debate and lends itself to a political program of gradualism. State by state, let community norms and moral sensibilities prevail. Indeed, that is Obama's stated position.

Such pluralism allows for the kind of "stable settlement of the issue" that Ruth Bader Ginsburg once lamented had been "halted" by Roe v. Wade regarding abortion, an issue as morally charged and politically unbridgeable as gay marriage.

Argument B is more uncompromising: You have the right to marry anyone, regardless of gender. The right to "marriage equality" is today's civil rights, voting rights and women's rights — and just as inviolable.

Argument B has extremely powerful implications. First, if same-sex marriage is a right, then there is no possible justification for letting states decide for themselves. How can you countenance even one state outlawing a fundamental right? Indeed, half a century ago, states' rights was the cry of those committed to continued segregation and discrimination.

Second, if marriage equality is a civil right, then denying it on the basis of (innately felt) sexual orientation is, like discrimination on the basis of skin color, simple bigotry. California's Proposition 8 was overturned by a 9th Circuit panel on the grounds that the referendum, reaffirming marriage as between a man and woman, was nothing but an expression of bias — "serves no purpose ... other than to lessen the status and human dignity of gays and lesbians."

Pretty strong stuff. Which is why it was so surprising that Obama, after first advancing Argument A, went on five days later to adopt Argument B, calling gay marriage a great example of "expand(ing) rights" and today's successor to civil rights, voting rights, women's rights and workers' rights.

Problem is: It's a howling contradiction to leave up to the states an issue Obama now says is a right. And beyond being intellectually untenable, Obama's embrace of the more hard-line "rights" argument compels him logically to see believers in traditional marriage as purveyors of bigotry. Not a good place for a president to be in an evenly divided national debate that requires both sides to offer each other a modicum of respect.

No wonder that Obama has been trying to get away from the issue as quickly as possible. It's not just the New York Times poll showing his new position to be a net loser. It's that he is too intelligent not to realize he's embraced a logical contradiction.

Moreover, there is the problem of the obvious cynicism of his conversion. Two-thirds of Americans see his "evolution" as a matter not of principle but of politics. In fact, the change is not at all an evolution — a teleological term cleverly chosen to suggest movement toward a higher state of being — given that Obama came out for gay marriage 16 years ago. And then flip-flopped.

He was pro when running for the Illinois Legislature from ultra-liberal Hyde Park. He became anti when running eight years later for U.S. senator and had to appeal to a decidedly more conservative statewide constituency. And now he's pro again.

When a Republican engages in such finger-to-the-wind political calculation (on abortion, for example), he's condemned as a flip-flopper. When a liberal goes through a similar gyration, he's said to have "evolved" into some more highly realized creature, deserving of a halo on the cover of a national newsmagazine.

Notwithstanding a comically fawning press, Obama knows he has boxed himself in. His "rights" argument compels him to nationalize same-sex marriage and sharpen hostility to proponents of traditional marriage — a place he is loath to go.

True, he was rushed into it by his loquacious vice president. But surely he could have thought this through.

## GUEST VIEW

## *Willett, Medina make sense for Supreme Court*

*Houston Chronicle*

In Texas' bifurcated state judicial system, the Supreme Court is the last venue of appeal for civil cases large and small. The nine-member court in Austin chooses to hear roughly 10 percent of the cases presented to it for consideration. These are typically cases involving questions about substantial matters of law or procedure.

The cases all have come through the lower courts — usually starting with the district court trial benches, then moving to the state's 14 courts of appeals, the rung below the Supreme Court.

It's another peculiarity of the Texas judicial system that the 14 courts of appeals, sited around the state, hear appeals of both civil and criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals, also in Austin, is the Supreme Court's counterpart on the criminal side.

Voters in the Republican primary will be asked to choose among state Supreme Court candidates in two contested races this election season. We encourage a vote for the well-qualified incumbents in both races: Justice Don Willett for Place 2 on the court, and Justice David Medina for Place 4.

Willett, who was appointed to the Supreme Court bench in 2005 by Gov. Rick Perry, and won election in 2006, is an independent legal thinker, a judicial conservative and a gifted writer.

The Baylor and Duke Law School graduate has a growing reputation for scholarship, not only in Texas, but across the nation.

Respected conservative columnist George F. Will has drawn on Willett's writings to buttress important legal points on two occasions, the most recent touching on perhaps the most significant issue to come before the U.S. Supreme Court in a generation, the constitutionality of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, widely referred to as Obamacare.

Willett has overwhelming support across the bar and from former chief state Supreme Court justices.

Justice David Medina was appointed to the state Supreme Court by Perry and elected to a full term in 2006.

Before his service on the bench, Medina served for two years as Perry's general counsel, as a Harris County district judge and as a litigator for Cooper Industries, the Houston-based global manufacturer of electrical components and tools.

This range of professional experience gives Medina the clear nod over his two Republican primary opponents.

The Galveston native, who received his undergraduate education at Texas State University in San Marcos, got his law degree from South Texas College of Law while working full-time at Cooper.

A judicial conservative, Medina says that one of the definitions of a good judge is knowing when not to make a decision — when to leave it for the Legislature to decide.

In his tenure on the high court, Medina has written his share of majority opinions, but is especially proud of his authorship of the dissenting opinion in a high-profile case involving the Texas Open Beaches Act.

Neither Willett nor Medina would have a Democratic opponent in the November election.

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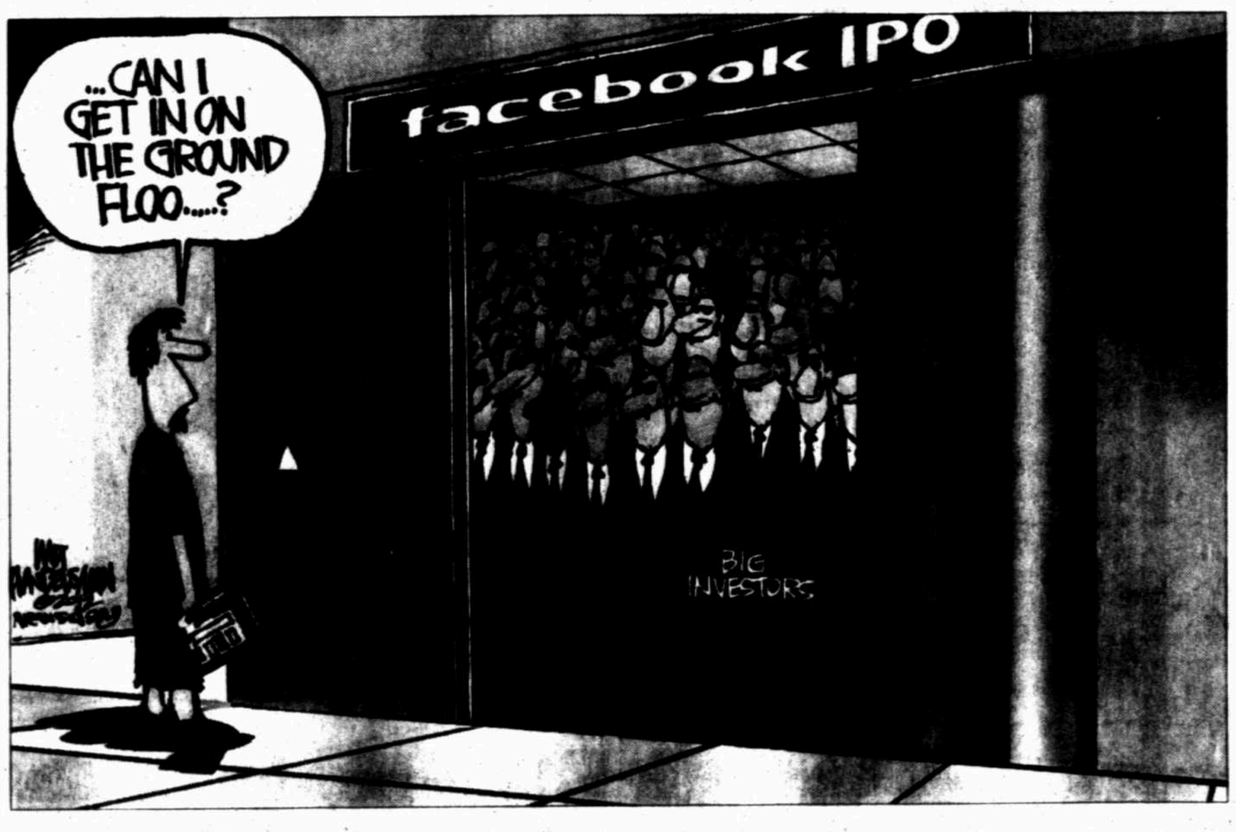


## Meet Obama, the first female president

■ No applause line was too cheap when providing the commencement speech to graduates of a northeastern women's college.

DANA MILBANK
*Washington Post Writers Group*

The current issue of Newsweek has a photo of President Obama with a rainbow-colored halo superimposed over his head and the title "The First Gay President."

Nonsense. Obama is not the first gay president. He is the first female president.

Consider his activities on Monday: He sat down to tape a session with the ladies of ABC's "The View" — his fourth appearance on the talk show by women and for women. He accepted an award from Barnard College and gave the commencement speech to graduates of the women's school. Heck, he even appeared in public wearing a gown.

Obama was still early in his address when he acknowledged that his praise for the young generation of women is "a cheap applause line when you're giving a commencement at Barnard."

But Obama was being modest. He didn't deliver a cheap applause line. He delivered an entire speech full of them. His re-election campaign has been working for months to exploit the considerable gender gap, which puts him far ahead of likely GOP rival Mitt Romney among women. But Monday's activities veered into pandering, as Obama brazenly flaunted his feminine mystique.

He speculated that "Congress would get a lot more done" if more women were there. He speculated that, although no women signed the Constitution, "we can assume that there were founding mothers whispering smarter things in the ears of the founding fathers."

He announced that "more and more women are out-earning their husbands. You're more than half of our college graduates and master's graduates and Ph.D.s." He told them that they are "poised to make this the century where women shape not only their own destiny but the destiny of this nation and of this world."

And they can look good doing it. "You can be stylish and powerful, too," he said. "That's Michelle's advice." The first lady, the couple's two daughters, and the president's mother and mother-in-law had recurring roles as "strong, remarkable women" in the speech.

There were some ironies in the appearance. When the White House asked Barnard for the commencement speaking role, the college dumped its original speaker, Jill Abramson. In addition to being an actual woman, Abramson is the first of her sex to become executive editor of the New York Times.

Obama made no mention of Abramson, but he did mention that he knows the past three Barnard commencement speakers, including Hillary Rodham Clinton, whose presidential aspirations Obama dashed. Obama was moved to paraphrase an old adage: "Keep your friends close and your Barnard commencement speakers even closer."

In making the appearance on the Manhatten campus, Obama risked confirming that he is the coastal elitist he's often accused of being. On that score, it perhaps didn't help that he shared the stage with fellow honoree Evan Wolfson, founder of Freedom to Marry. The president nodded as Wolfson was hailed for fighting the Boy Scouts' ban on gay scoutmasters.

Barnard President Debora Spar, bestowing a medal on Obama, lauded his support of same-sex marriage and his furthering of "a whole lot smarter world." More helpful to Obama's theme was Spar's praise of his appointment of a "long list of gifted and remarkable women leaders."

Obama had a list of his own — an itemization of the various things he has done for women, from signing the Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act to his appointment of Susan Rice as ambassador to the United Nations. He said that his labor secretary was told by her high school guidance counselor that she "should think about becoming a secretary. ... And, lo and behold, Hilda Solis did end up becoming a secretary."

The young women applauded and cheered lines about "equal pay for equal work," controlling "decisions about your own health" and many others. "We are better off when women are treated fairly and equally in every aspect of American life," Obama told them, urging them to "fight for a seat at the head of the table."

Obama made a fair and at times inspirational argument, but the tone seemed more suited to campaign than campus, particularly when he, toward the end, lifted lines from his stump speech.

The president departed — he had to get to Barbara, Whoopi, Joy, Elisabeth and Sherri — but not before sharing hugs and kisses with the other women onstage.

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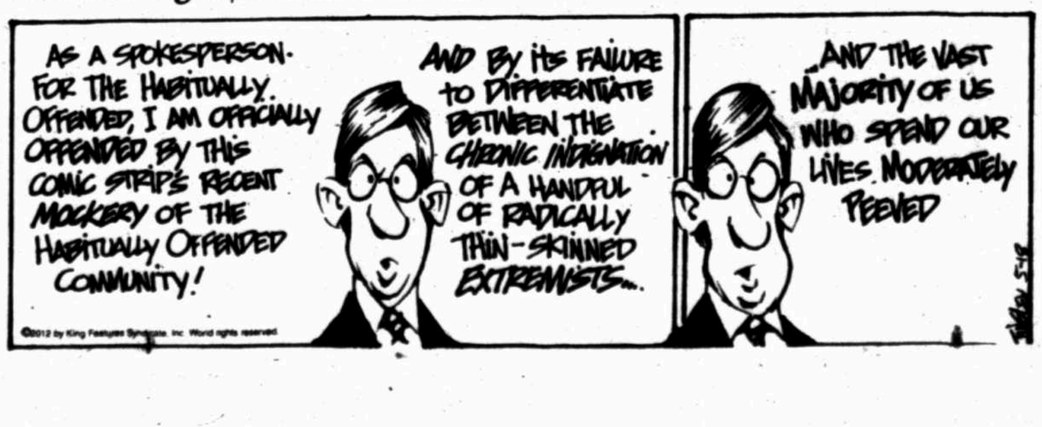

# 'Ring of fire' eclipse visible from China to Texas

*Associated Press*

LOS ANGELES — Sunrises and sunsets often dazzle, but they'll have a special ring to them in a few days for people in the western United States and eastern Asia: The moon will slide across the sun, blocking everything but a blazing halo of light.

It's been almost two decades since a "ring of fire" eclipse was visible in the continental United States. To celebrate the end of that drought, nearly three dozen national parks in the path of the eclipse will host viewing parties.

The solar spectacle is first seen in eastern Asia at dawn Monday, local time. Weather permitting, millions of early risers in southern China, northern Taiwan and southeast Japan will be able to catch the ring eclipse. Then it creeps across the Pacific with the western U.S. viewing the tail end.

**Coming up**

Read about what local activities are scheduled for viewing the "ring of fire" eclipse in Sunday's edition.

The late day sun will transform into a glowing ring in southwest Oregon, northern California, central Nevada, southern Utah, northern Arizona and New Mexico and finally the Texas Panhandle where it will occur at sunset on Sunday. For 3 1/2 hours, the eclipse follows an 8,500-mile path. Viewing, from beginning to end, lasts about two hours. The ring phenomenon lasts as long as 5 minutes depending on location.

Outside this narrow band, parts of the West, Midwest and South — and portions of Canada and Mexico — will be treated to a partial eclipse. The Eastern Seaboard will be shut out, but people can log online to sites such as the Slooh Space Camera, which plans to broadcast the event live.

A ring eclipse — technically called an annular solar eclipse — is not as dramatic as a total eclipse, when the disk of the sun is entirely blocked by the moon. As in a total solar eclipse, the moon crosses in front of the sun, but the moon is too far from Earth and appears too small in the sky to blot out the sun completely.

"A bright ring around the sun at mid-eclipse is still pretty cool," Geoff Chester of the U.S. Naval Observatory said in an email.

Asia is abuzz over the event. In Japan, cable cars will run early to give tourists an unobstructed view from the mountains. Ferries will make special trips so that others can enjoy the scene offshore. The Taipei Astronomical Museum will open its doors at dawn while Hong Kong's Space Museum will set up solar-filtered telescopes outside its building on the Kowloon waterfront.

The last time this type of eclipse was seen in the U.S. was in 1994. This year's solar show offers ringside seats at 33 national parks along the eclipse path including the Grand Canyon and Bryce Canyon. A partial eclipse can be viewed from another 125 national parks.

Wherever you are, do not look directly at the eclipsed sun or you can get a serious eye injury.

# Crime organization members sentenced

*From staff reports*

Two members of the Barrio Azteca were sentenced Thursday on federal drug and racketeering charges.

A federal jury convicted both men on Feb. 22 on one count of conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute more than 5 kilograms of cocaine, as well as marijuana; one count of violating the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organization statute; and one count of conspiracy to violate the RICO statute.

Judge Robert Junell sentenced Santos Almanza, 33, to life imprisonment on the drug charge, plus 30 years for each of the RICO charges.

Miguel Nieto, 32, was given three 30-year sentences, to run concurrently, for each charge.

Co-defendants Venessa Rico Flores, Federico Dunn, San Juan Barboza-Rodriguez, Stephen Corona, Juan Cortez and Benito Gonzalez already have been convicted and sentenced to federal prison terms ranging from 33 to 77 months.

Co-defendants Christopher Gilbertson, Carlos Hernandez, Ramon Morales and Marcus Calderon are scheduled to be sentenced over the next two weeks.

According to testimony in the February trial, since January 2006, the defendants had conspired to carry out the mission of the Barrió Azteca criminal organization through smuggling and distributing cocaine and marijuana, robbery, extortion and violence and intimidation in and around Midland-Odessa.

Testimony also showed that Morales and Almanza were leaders of the enterprise and that members attempted to murder a Midlander on Oct. 20, 2009.

The racketeering activity also included a series of home invasions and robberies in Midland, officials said.


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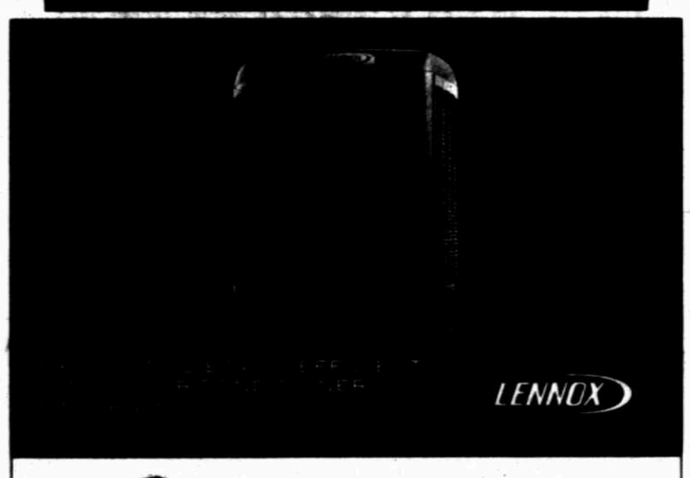


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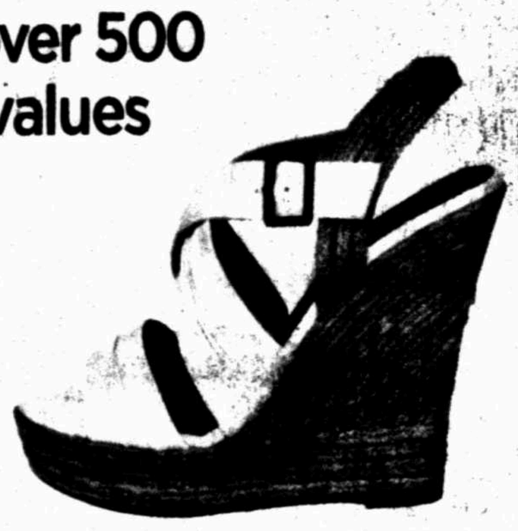

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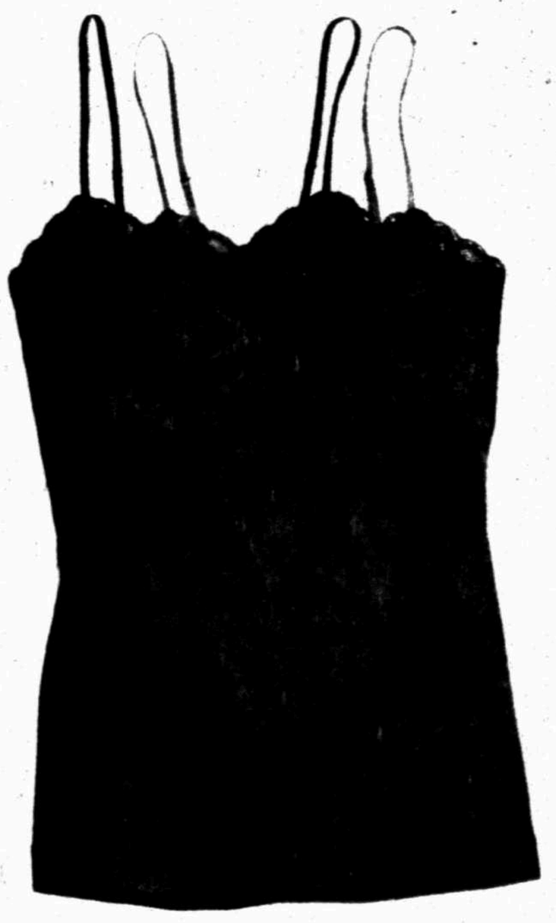

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# Religion

## PROTEST FOR NUNS

Bridget Hyde, Chris Laufer and Liz Zenteno held up signs of protest Tuesday at L Street and Illinois Avenue in response to the Vatican's recent crackdown on the Leadership Conference of Women Religious, which represents more than 80 percent of nuns in the U.S. The Vatican's Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith called for reform in April, saying the group's leadership has deviated too far from the Church in theology and doctrine. Though the Vatican's doctrinal assessment noted the group's accordance on social justice issues, it claims the organization has been too quiet on abortion issues and has suggested dissent from the Church on issues of sexuality. The ecumenical group of protestors said nuns have influenced their lives in a variety of ways, and argued the Church should spend its resources helping the oppressed instead of arguing over doctrinal issues. "To me, nuns are like St. Francis (of Assisi)," Hyde said. "Preach gospel wherever you go, and speak when you have to."

*Sara Higgins/Reporter-Telegram*

## Rabbi to speak on New Testament in Midland, Odessa

**By Sara Higgins**
*Staff Writer*

It may seem odd for a Jewish professor to specialize in teaching the New Testament, but Rabbi Michael Cook considers the Gospels a necessary tool in Jewish education.

Cook, who teaches Judeo-Christian studies at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinatti is the only rabbi in America with a full-professorial chair in the New Testament. He will share his insights during a "Scholar in Residence" weekend today through Sunday at three lectures hosted at Temple Beth El in Odessa, 1501 Grandview, and Unitarian Universalist Church in Midland, 3301 Neely Ave. The lectures are free and open to the public, and followers of all faiths are welcome to attend the events.

Though Jews generally shy away from studying the New Testament, Cook tries to convince them to use it as a way of understanding how the Gospels shaped Christian atti-

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# representing CHRIST

## More than 1,100 participate in GiveLife service day

**By Sara Higgins**
*Staff Writer*

Members and newcomers to CrossRoads Fellowship boarded buses as relative strangers and came back as a family after a massive community outreach effort Sunday, church leaders said.

More than 1,100 people signed up to volunteer at about 30 different projects to serve the needs of Midland, Odessa and Monahans as part of the church's "GiveLife" service event.

"We're very active in our outreach and we do that physically, prayerfully and financially," outreach pastor Stephen Hill said. "One of the things we're trying to instill in our church body is we represent Christ when we're out serving others."

Volunteers served between 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. after brief times of worship at the church's three regularly scheduled services. Projects include giving a facelift to Dowling Elementary School in Odessa, painting and replacing windows at women's shelters, and cleaning the grounds at Bynum School, where volunteers also helped install playground equipment that had been donated to the school.

Members of the church also could be found at Rosa's Cafes and 7/11 convience stores handing out gift cards and coupons and greeting customers.

"What amazed me is we had some first-time visitors that Sunday who changed their clothes, got on a bus and went to serve," said Tami O'Bannion, the church's director of communications. "To me, that was extraordinary."

Some volunteers said the event was not only a way to bond with friends and family, but it also showed them how a simple act of kindness can have an impact.

"It was absolutely amazing seeing the elderly smile, seeing their faces light up with the simple gift of a water bottle," said Amanda Beaman, who volunteered at three different nursing homes with her family. "It was an amazing

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Volunteers from Crossroads Fellowship work on various projects around Midland, Odessa and Monahans Sunday.

*Courtesy photos*

## Future uncertain for diocese leadership

**By Sara Higgins**
*Staff Writer*

As Bishop Michael Pfeifer celebrates his 75th birthday today, his letter of resignation from the San Angelo Diocese will be making its way to the Pope in Rome.

That doesn't mean he'll be leaving anytime soon; it's considered Church policy for bishops to send their resignation when they reach the age of 75. The letter will embark on an arduous journey through delegates and Church representatives before being presented to Pope Benedict XVI, who can make a variety of decisions from accepting the resignation immediately to rejecting it. The process could take weeks or months, and Pfeifer theoretically could have a few more years left with the diocese, depending on the decision.

"The Church doesn't move too quickly," Pfeifer admitted.

Each resignation is examined in regard to issues like health and ability to serve on a case-by-case basis.

Sometimes a bishop will be called to stay with the diocese in a different capacity while the deci-

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Bishop Michael Pfeifer and nearly 100 other catholics pray the rosary outside Planned Parenthood on the anniversary of Roe vs. Wade in this 2011 file photo.

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1001 S. Main St.
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4401 Cardinal Lane
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2311 Elizabeth Ave.
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2901 W. Kansas
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12144 E. Hwy 158, Gardendale, TX
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9541 W. 57th St., Odessa, TX
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**St. Mark's United Methodist**
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**First United Methodist Church**
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432-682-3701

**First United Methodist Church**
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432-272-2544

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4200 W. Illinois, Suite 280
432-694-4233

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**Solid Rock Fellowship Outwest**
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432-664-4279

**St. Paul C.M.C. Church**
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432-682-0010

**Teen Challenge Services**
6901 S. CR 1200
432-687-0348

**Teen Flow Service**
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432- 686-2525

**Templo Jerusalem**
1205 S. Belmont
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**The World Wide Church of God Bible**
1207 W. 10th St., Odessa, TX
432-381-8352

**True Lite Christian Fellowship Church**
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432-741-1040

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**Lighthouse Pentecostal Church**
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**The Pentecostals**
5110 W. Illinois Ave.
432-697-4007

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**First Presbyterian Church**
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**Grace Presbyterian Church**
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**Iglesia Amistad Cristiana**
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3114 Travis
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# Obituaries

## Jacoby Jade Ramirez

Jacoby Jade Ramirez, 22, of Midland, went home to be with his Heavenly Father, on Tuesday, May 15, 2012. He was born to Salvador Ramirez, Jr. and Beatrice Ann Villa on January 9, 1990, in Midland. He was also raised and educated in Midland, where he attended Crockett Elementary, Goddard Junior High, and Midland Lee High School.

Jacoby was a loving and caring son, brother, uncle, nephew, and friend. He touched the hearts of those he came across with his bright smile and his generous spirit. Jacoby was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need. He had an immeasurable love for his family and friends; never leaving without giving a hug or saying the words "I Love You" as he walked out the door. During his last days, Jacoby reached out to our Heavenly Father and renewed his vows of baptism. He will be missed greatly by all his family and friends.

Jacoby leaves his family behind to cherish his memories: parents, Beatrice and David Sanchez of Arlington and Salvador Jr. and Eva Ramirez of Midland; brothers, Jon Gabriel Ramirez, Jonathan Cory Ramirez, Salvador Patrick Ramirez, III and Christian "Milkweed" Scott Ramirez; and his sisters, Jinger Ramirez Meraz and Jerrie Frances Ramirez, all of Midland. He is also survived by his grandparents, Frank and Frances Villa of Midland and Eufemia Ramirez of Carlsbad, NM; numerous step-brothers, step-sisters, aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends. Jacoby was preceded in death by his grandfather, Salvador Ramirez, Sr.

A rosary will be held tonight at 7:00 p.m., at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Chapel. Funeral mass is set for Saturday, May 19, at 1:00 p.m., at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, with Father Edward de Leon, OMI officiating. Interment will follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers for the service will be Gabriel Ramirez, Jonathan Ramirez, Salvador Ramirez, Christian Ramirez, Stephen Mancha, David Sanchez, Trey Evans, and Kiel Colborn. Honorary pallbearers are Michael H. Perales, Jr., Austin and Anson Villa, Ryan Polk, and Carlos Hinojos.

Funeral mass is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: pipkin@nts-online.net.

Lewallen Garcia Pipkin Funeral Home
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## Jane Huestis

Jane Huestis, passed away Tuesday, May 15, 2012, at Midland Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., on Saturday, May 19, 2012, at McNett Funeral Home Chapel in Andrews, with Rev. Thomas Schmidt of the Unitarian Universalist Church of Midland officiating. Burial will follow at Andrews Old Cemetery, under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

Jane was born on March 20, 1937, in Cisco, Texas, to J. L. Elmore and Dorothy Bonner Free. She graduated from Andrews High School in 1955, got married, and then attended Odessa College and Texas Tech University, prior to moving to Salinas, California, with her husband, who was stationed there.

In 1959, Jane returned to Texas to start her family, and when her children were preteens, she began a long and satisfying career in the oil and gas industry. Jane never retired, and her family offers their most sincere thanks to her last employer, Horseshoe Operating, Inc.

Jane enjoyed working, watching procedural dramas, and Dancing with the Stars, and reading suspense novels. She also liked traveling. She particularly enjoyed visiting Big Bend National Park, Lake LBJ near Austin, and Houston, where her sister lives. But Jane's greatest joy was time spent with her daughters and their families.

Jane was preceded in death by her parents and by her former husband, Theodore Donald Huestis.

She is survived by three daughters, Dorothy Jean Huestis of Austin, Ann Huestis of Fort Worth, and Jan Huestis Favier of Midland; one sister, Betty Lowther of Houston; two grandchildren, Tristan Lane Sheppard and Taryn Jane Sheppard; one god-grandchild, Nicole Lee Christensen; and two nephews.

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## Kelly Grover

Kelly Grover, 42, beloved mother, wife, daughter, sister, and friend, passed away on Wednesday, May 16, 2012. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, May 18, 2012, at Stonegate Fellowship, with Pastor Mike Goeke officiating.

Cherished memories of her remarkable life will remain with her husband, David Grover; her three daughters, Riley, Colby and Landry; her parents, H.L. "Dusty" and Barbara Rhodes, all of Midland; her sister, Leslie Rhodes, of Lubbock; her father- and mother-in-law, Arden and Rosalind Redfern Grover, of Midland; her brothers-in-law, Arden "Tex" Grover, Jr. and Jeff Grover; her sister-in-law, Rosson Grover; her nephew, Kapps Killingstad; and her niece, Rosalind Killingstad, all of Dallas.

Kelly was a 1987 graduate of Lee High School in Midland, and a 1993 graduate of Texas Tech University. She married the love of her life, David, on April 30, 1997, in Carmel, California.

Kelly loved the Lord her entire life. One of her greatest pleasures was sharing her faith with her precious girls and the people who God sent to Kelly for encouragement. She earnestly believed in God's ability to perform miracles in each of our lives and especially hers. And, she had the clarity to see miracles others might miss. Certainly, she knew that the greatest miracles God ever sent were her three radiant daughters, whose lights will always shine to the glory of God and their momma.

Kelly and David's home was and will continue to be the "fun" house; the house where all the kids play. Kelly was the quintessential "Kool-Aid Mom," opening her heart and her home to her daughters' friends, their moms, and anyone else who needed a shoulder or a smile. It abounded with patience, love, laughter, happy dogs, and a pantry full of after-school snacks and a driveway arrayed with scooters and soccer balls.

Throughout her life, Kelly was a loyal, caring and true friend. In the past several months, her friendship was repaid many times through the selfless devotion of her closest friends and the support she and her family received from the families, faculty and administration of Trinity School, and the greater Midland community as a whole. The Grover and Rhodes families wish to thank Sally Agar, Manisha and Anand Cholia, Christine Foreman, Degan Fricker, Caroline Hinson, and Jane Shepperd, particularly for their love and support for Kelly and her family.

In remembrance of Kelly, the family suggests memorials be made to the Kelly Rhodes Grover Endowment Fund at Midland Memorial Hospital or to a charity of your choice.

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

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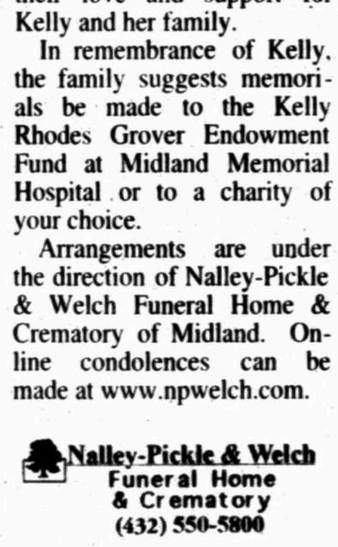

## Janie Olgin Fields

Janie Olgin Fields, after a brave battle with cancer, passed into the hands of the Lord, Tuesday, May 15, 2012, surrounded by her loving family. Janie was a devoted mother, spouse, sister, and friend. She will always be remembered as a caring and giving person, who loved to laugh and brought smiles to those around her.

She was born June 18, 1953, in Midland, Texas, and graduated from Midland High School in 1972. Janie worked at Arco Oil and Gas / BP for 31 years, then at Pioneer Natural Resources for 10 years.

She was preceded in death by her father, Alonso Urias Olgin from Midland, TX. She is survived by her mother, Sarita Silva Olgin; husband, Monty Ed Fields; son, Jon Michael Fields; and daughter, Sarita Ann Fields, all of Midland TX. She is also survived by brothers, Guadalupe Olgin, Jesse Olgin, Alonzo Olgin, and Eduardo Olgin, all of Midland, TX; and sisters, Virginia Olgin of Reno, NV, Gloria Ramirez of Indio, CA, Sarita Flotte and Carol Olgin, both of Midland, TX. She is also survived by one grandson, several nephews, nieces, great-nephews, and great-nieces.

Rosary services will be held at 7:30 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2012, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Midland. Funeral mass will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, May 19, 2012, at St. Stephen's Catholic Church in Midland, with Monsignor James Bridges, officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials be made to Hospice of Midland, P. O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas 79702 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN. 38105.

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

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## Death Notices

### Kathryn Gesell

Kathryn Gesell, 82, of Midland, passed away Thursday, May 17, 2012.

Her services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

### Samuel J. Mania

Samuel J. Mania, 96, of Midland, passed away Wednesday, May 16, 2012.

Funeral mass will be held at 10:00 a.m., Monday, May 21, 2012, at St. Stephen's Catholic Church. Interment will be held at 12:00 noon, Tuesday, May 22, 2012, at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland.

### Tommye Sue Crain

Tommye Sue Crain, 66, of Midland, passed away Thursday, May 17, 2012, in a Midland hospital.

Memorial services will be 2:00 p.m., Monday, May 21, 2012, at the Bailey Howard Funeral Home Chapel. Cremains will be interred in Ross Cemetery Annex at a later date.

# OBIT BRIEFS

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TENNESSEE

## Influential banjo player Doug Dillard passes away

Doug Dillard, an influential banjo player who helped shape rock 'n' roll and introduce the nation to bluegrass music during a popular run on "The Andy Griffith Show," died Wednesday in Nashville. He was 75.

Lynne Robin Green, president of Dillard's publishing company, said he died due to a lung infection.

Dillard, a founding member of family band The Dillards out of Salem, Mo., was influential in several ways. Dillard, his brother Rodney and two band mates moved west in 1962, rather than taking the usual route to Nashville. They discovered the burgeoning folk scene in Southern California and helped inspire the country rock movement. They were among the first to attempt to modernize bluegrass music, electrifying their instruments and experimenting with rock elements.

Dillard also helped introduce bluegrass to TV viewers as a member of the unusual family band "The Darlings," who made multiple appearances on "The Andy Griffith Show" in the mid-1960s. He split with the band in the late '60s and eventually began a solo career.

The Dillards were inducted into the Bluegrass Hall of Fame in 2009.

The group influenced and worked with key members of the Southern California rock scene who spread their ideas to bands like The Eagles, The Byrds, The Flying Burrito Brothers and The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band. John McEuen of The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band was 16 when he first met Dillard.

FLORIDA

## Archie Peck, competitive croquet star, dies at 76

WEST PALM BEACH — Archie Peck, who reinvigorated competitive croquet in the U.S. in the 1970s and 1980s, winning seven national championships and earning a place in the World Croquet Federation Hall of Fame, died Wednesday at a hospice in West Palm Beach. He was 76.

The cause of death was tongue cancer, said David McCoy, general manager of the National Croquet Center in West Palm Beach, where Peck was the director. He had struggled with cancer off and on over the past decade.

Sporting a deep tan and wearing crisp whites, Peck strutted unto the Palm Beach croquet scene in the 1970s and became one of the most successful players to ever pick up a mallet. Though it had fallen from popularity as a competitive sport, Peck's acumen and suaveness helped elevate it once again from the time the U.S. Croquet Association began its national championship in 1977.

Peck was the national singles champion in American-style croquet in 1977, 1979, 1980 and 1982 and won doubles championships in 1977 and 1979 with Jack Osborn. He won another doubles championship, in international-style croquet in 2007 with Stewart Jackson.

When he was inducted into the United States Croquet Hall of Fame in 1984, no words were minced in honoring him.

"Baseball may have its Babe Ruth, football may have it O.J. Simpson, golf has its Jack Nicklaus and tennis has its Rod Laver," the citation read. "That is all right because we have our Archie Peck."

John Archibald Peck was born Oct. 10, 1935, in Norwalk, Conn., and grew up in Palm Beach. He served in the Marines, was once a television cameraman and ran a real estate office. Peck played jai-alai professionally before discovering croquet and was an accomplished surfer.

# Disco Queen Donna Summer dies at 63

*Associated Press*

*AP file photo*

Donna Summer performs at the conclusion of the Nobel Peace concert in Oslo, Norway, in 2009. Summer, the Queen of Disco who ruled the dance floors with anthems like "Last Dance," "Love to Love You Baby" and "Bad Girl," has died. Her family announced her death in a statement Thursday. She was 63.

NEW YORK — Like the King of Pop or the Queen of Soul, Donna Summer was bestowed a title fitting of musical royalty: the Queen of Disco.

Yet unlike Michael Jackson or Aretha Franklin, it was a designation she wasn't comfortable embracing.

"I grew up on rock 'n' roll," Summer once said when explaining her reluctance to claim the title.

Indeed, as disco boomed then crashed in a single decade in the 1970s, Summer, the beautiful voice and face of the genre with pulsating hits like "I Feel Love," "Love to Love You Baby" and "Last Dance," would continue to make hits incorporating the rock roots she so loved. One of her biggest hits, "She Works Hard for the Money," came in the early 1980s and relied on a smoldering guitar solo as well as Summer's booming voice.

Yet it was with her disco anthems that she would have the most impact in music, and it's how she was remembered Thursday as news spread of her death at age 63.

Summer died of cancer Thursday morning in Naples, Fla., said her publicist Brian Edwards. Her family released a statement saying they "are at peace celebrating her extraordinary life and her continued legacy."

It had been decades since that brief, flashy moment when Summer was every inch the Disco Queen.

Her glittery gowns and long eyelashes. Her luxurious hair and glossy, open lips. Her sultry vocals, her bedroom moans and sighs. She was as much a part of the culture as disco balls, polyester, platform shoes and the music's pulsing, pounding rhythms.

Summer's music gave voice to not only a musical revolution, but a cultural one — a time when sex, race, fashion and drugs were being explored and exploited with freedom like never before in the United States.

Her rise was inseparable from disco's itself, even though she remained popular for years after the genre she helped invent had died. She won a Grammy for best rock vocal performance for "Hot Stuff," a fiery guitar-based song that represented her shift from disco to more rock-based sounds, and created another kind of anthem with "She Works Hard for the Money," this time for women's rights.

Elton John said in a statement that Summer was more than the Queen of Disco.

"Her records sound as good today as they ever did. That she has never been inducted into the Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Fame is a total disgrace especially when I see the second-rate talent that has been inducted," he said. "She is a great friend to me and to the Elton John AIDS Foundation and I will miss her greatly."

Summer may not have liked the title and later became a born-again Christian, but many remembered her best for her early years, starting with the sinful "Love to Love You Baby."

Released in 1975, a breakthrough hit for Summer and for disco, it was a legend of studio ecstasy and the genre's ultimate sexual anthem. Summer came up with the idea of the song and first recorded it as a demo in 1975, on the condition that another singer perform it commercially. But Casablanca Records president Neil Bogart liked the track so much that he suggested to producer Giorgio Morodor they re-record it, and make it longer — what would come to be known as a "disco disc."

Summer had reservations about the lyrics — "Do it to me again and again" — but imagined herself as a movie star playing a part as if she were Marilyn Monroe. So she agreed to sing, lying down on the studio floor, in darkness, and letting her imagination take over. Solo and multitracked, she whispered, she groaned, she crooned. Drums, bass, strings and keyboards answered her cries. She simulated climax so many times that the BBC kept count: 23, in 17 minutes.

What started as a scandal became a classic. The song was later sampled by LL Cool J, Timbaland and Beyonce, who interpolated the hit for her jam "Naughty Girl." It was also Summer's U.S. chart debut and the first of 19 No. 1 dance hits between 1975 and 2008 — second only to Madonna.

Summer, real name LaDonna Adrian Gaines, was born in 1948 in Boston. She was raised on gospel music and became the soloist in her church choir by age 10.

"There was no question I would be a singer, I just always knew. I had credit in my neighborhood, people would lend me money and tell me to pay it back when I got famous," Summer said in a 1989 interview with The Associated Press.

# THE WEEK AHEAD

*Religion opportunities in the Permian Basin May 18-24*

## SATURDAY

### Banquet

ODESSA — The Business and Professional Women's Ministry of St. James Missionary Baptist Church will host "You Don't Know My Story," the 12th annual Mother and Daughter Banquet 7 p.m. Saturday at the Ector Junior High School dining area, 809 West Clements St. Guest speaker will be Debra Greene, minister at Greater St. Luke AME Church in Midland. Admission is $25.

## SUNDAY

### Activities

Midland Center for Spiritual Living, 2311 Elizabeth Ave., will host the following activities Sunday:

9:45 a.m.: Visioning

10:30 - 10:45 a.m.: Meditation service

11a.m.: Children's/youth program

11a.m.: Sunday service. May's theme is "Make Every Moment a Genius One!" The Rev. Jerry Fetterly's talk is titled, "My Unique Ability." Musician is Marty Banner. Fellowship and refreshments after service.

For more information, contact the Rev. Jerry Fetterly, 301-3205 or Kitt Merritt, 553-1031 or visit http://Midland.csl.org.

### Sunday school class

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, 1412 West Illinois Ave., will offer a new Sunday school class "Twelve Extraordinary Women: How God Shaped the Women of the Bible and What He Wants to Do with You," 9 a.m. through Sunday in the parish hall. The class will be taught by Anna Chester.

### Annual event

The sixth annual Midland Interdenominational Minister's Wives & Widows Day will be 3 p.m. Sunday at Alexander Temple C.O.G.I.C., 200 N. Tyler St. The Rev. Tommy Hudson Jr. will be the speaker. The theme is "Standing Firm In Difficult Times."

Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center, 2300 Butternut Lane. For more information, call 238-3529 or 238-7896.

### Luncheon

The June Midland/Odessa Christian Women's Connection "Flag Day Luncheon" will be 11:30 a.m. June 5, at Ranchland Hills Golf Club. Speaker is Lisa Blake from Amarillo, who will talk on trust. Tickets are $16 and are available at the door. Reservations must be made by May 31.

Call Alva at 520-4502 or email jehillredbird@aol.com.

### Pastor anniversary

The congregation at Macedonia Baptist Church is celebrating the third anniversary of its pastor, the Rev. Woodrow Bailey III and his wife, Ana Bailey, with a service 11 a.m. June 10. The theme is "Reflections for the past, visions for the future: God's man executing God's plan through God's people." (Ephesians 4:11-12, 16; Philippians 1:3-6) Guest speaker is the Rev. Rahsaan Dawson of Dallas.

### Literary anthology

The Unitarian Universalist Church is accepting submissions from West Texas writers for publication in an anthology as part of a Summer Arts and Film Festival at the the church. Poems, short stories, essays, articles, memory pieces and excerpts from longer works are welcome. Manuscripts do not have to be religious and there is no length requirement.

Writers whose works are published in the book are invited to participate in a public reading in August, at which they read from their work and respond to questions or comments from the audience. They also will receive two copies of the book, with additional copies available.

Written work may be sent as an email attachment to the editor at tparks9@suddenlink.net or mailed to The UU Church of Midland, 3301 Neely Avenue, Midland, 79707.

## FUTURE

### Clothing give away

Harvest Time Church is hosting a free community-wide clothing give away 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. June 2 at

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tudes toward Judaism in his recent book, "Modern Jews Engage the New Testament: Enhancing Jewish Well-Being in a Christian Environment." Cook serves on many advisory boards in Jewish-Christian relations, and was one of seven scholars selected in 2003 by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops to review the advance script for Mel Gibson's "The Passion of the Christ."

Rabbi Holly Cohn of Temple Beth El in Odessa studied with Cook at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, and said it's especially important to bring his viewpoint to areas like the Permian Basin with a large Christian majority. Being able to better understand the beliefs of Christians will help facilitate more understanding between the religions, Cohn noted.

"It's important to promote understanding among all the diversity and to take a look at different perceptions," she said.

Cohn added that having knowledge of the New Testament's dynamics and language allows followers of Judaism to more easily communicate with their Christian peers on issues of faith.

"It helps us use the language to talk knowledgeably about how to answer their questions," she said.

Just as Jews will learn from the lectures about how their history fits into the New Testament, organizers of the weekend's lectures hope Christians also will be able to better see how their faith fits into a more historical context with the Hebrew Scriptures.

Members of the Unitarian Universalist Church try to stay cognisant of traditional Scripture, said the Rev. Thomas Schmidt, and engage insights of the present and past to create their foundational beliefs on issues such as social justice.

"We look to Hebrew Scripture as much as we look to Christian scripture or any other Scripture," he said.

Schmidt and Cohn came to Midland within a few months of each other last year, and have worked to facilitate interfaith activities and promote awareness of religious diversity, Schmidt said.

"Interfaith work and cooperation is primary to who we are," Schmidt said. "It's a great opportunity for us to work together and to create those connections. It really connects some dots; diffferent faith traditions have a lot to teach each other."

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### LECTURE SCHEDULE:

**Friday at 8 p.m.**: "Jews, Jesus and the Gospels: Why the future's no longer what it used to be" at Temple Beth El (1501 Grandview, Odessa)

**Saturday at 10 a.m.**: "If Jewish history goes in cycles, where are we now with Christian denominations and Islam?" at Temple Beth El (1501 Grandview, Odessa)

**Sunday at 11 a.m.**: "Jewish symbols in famous Christian renaissance art: Why they're there and what they mean" at Unitarian Universalist Church (3301 Neely St., Midland)


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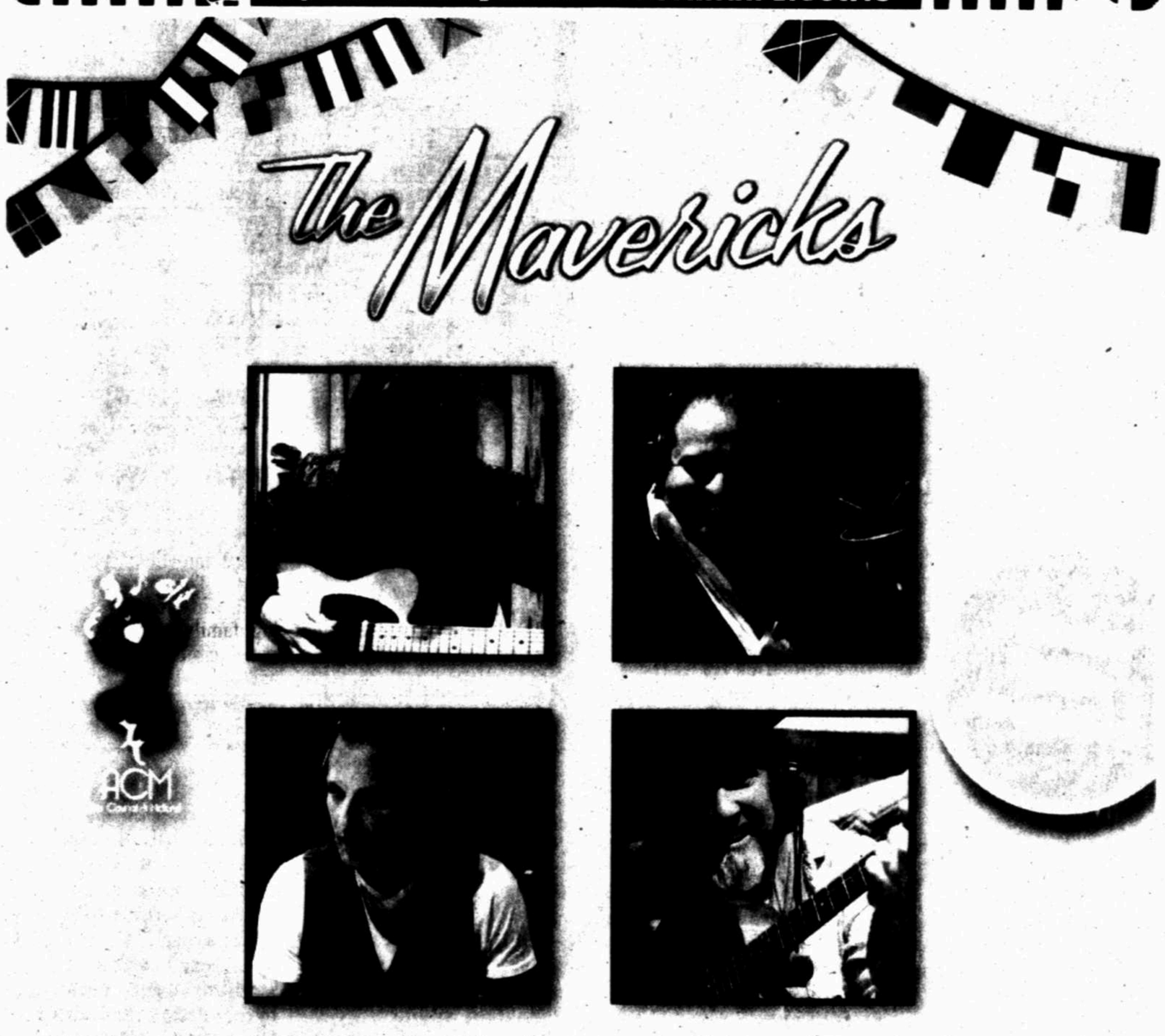


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experience, and I'm glad God used my family to bless those people and show them someone is thinking of them."

The outreach effort was CrossRoads Fellowship's first large church-wide service day, and leaders said the turnout encouraged them to plan more for the future. The church continues to grow five years after it first opened its doors, and a $6.5 million expansion will help provide more room for the church's children's and student ministries. Church leaders said they plan to break ground this summer, with a grand opening scheduled by the time Christmas arrives.

"A lot of churches are churches in the community, but we want to be a church of the community, actively involved in the Permian Basin," Hill said. "We believe that begins with serving and loving others as Christ loved us."

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# Young Muslims seeking to reclaim Islam's image in US

**By Lomi Kriel**
*Houston Chronicle*

Over the past several months, frequenters of the Main Center mosque at the Islamic Society of Greater Houston, the nation's largest Islamic community organization, have reported strange, slightly paranoid and often incoherent sermons from their head imam.

In April, for instance, leading Friday prayers in front of hundreds of Muslims, Omar Inshanally warned against a "global population reduction plan" and the dumping of fluoride, Prozac and lithium in the water "to control populations," according to Aziz Gilani, a 31-year-old venture capitalist in attendance.

Shocked and disturbed that his top imam was offering views Gilani regarded as "obviously fringe," he recorded part of the sermon and emailed the organization to complain, noting Inshanally's sermon or khutba, "comes in a long series of khutbas that make me very concerned."

Inshanally himself responded, defending his viewpoints in a long email, noting, "EVERY PROPHET faced the accusation that he was MAD."

Rather than accept the teachings of their imam in public and quietly disagree, as is traditional, several young Muslims complained. Others switched mosques. Last Ramadan, there was talk of a petition against 57-year-old Inshanally. The reaction, experts say, mirrors a trend across the country where young Muslims increasingly are speaking out against perceived blots in their community.

"People are allowed to have unusual beliefs," Gilani said. "But when he speaks for Houston Muslims, saying the government and non-Muslims are doing things they're clearly not, we would hate for people to think that's what the normal Houston Muslim thinks."

Growing up in the shadow of 9/11, with the hate crimes and stereotypes that followed, young Muslims in particular are intensely aware of how their faith is regarded by outsiders and feel a need to self-police their own community, experts say.

"They went from being this hidden minority group to being a group where their every movement was scrutinized," said Lori Peek, a sociologist at Colorado State University and author of "Behind the Backlash: Muslim Americans after 9/11." In her study of young Muslims, Peek found many recoiled at first, keeping a low profile. Some even rejected their faith.

But then increasingly, they galvanized, she said, seeking to reclaim Islam's image in America, correct misconceptions about their faith and root out bad apples in their community. Forty percent of suspected foiled domestic terror plots since 9/11 were brought to the attention of authorities by Muslims, according to a February study by The Triangle Center on Terrorism and Homeland Security in North Carolina.

Peek said young Muslims are saying, "If people are going to be policing our actions, we have to turn inwards and police our own community. It's the only way we can ever fight back against these stereotypes."

In Houston, Sameer Soleja, a 31-year-old software entrepreneur, attends the Main Center mosque near West Alabama Street and Kirby Drive several times a month but avoids Inshanally's sermons, about which he has complained.

"There's a perception among Muslims that the FBI and CIA are sitting in the audience listening," Soleja said. "Not only do I not want to hear what he's saying, I also don't want to be perceived as someone who agrees."

Saleha Rehman, a dentist who works downtown, called Inshanally's sermons "very skeptical and paranoid kind of talk. 'People are spying on you and people are against you' ... they are putting stuff in the water."

In fact, they made Rehman, a 30-year-old Houston native, so uncomfortable she decided to change mosques and now makes the longer commute to one on Almeda.

Certainly, Inshanally's sermons are not anti-American; indeed, it was he who helped pioneer a YouTube video channel to coincide with the 10th anniversary of 9/11, reaching out to Muslim youth vulnerable to extremism.

Rather, they reflect a rambling sort of paranoia. In emailed defenses of his sermons, he rails against a "global population reduction plan advocat(ing) mass sterilization and the murder ('abortion') of infants up to three-years-old." He notes, "cities all across the United States and Canada are banning fluoridating of drinking water."

Inshanally did not return messages. Aziz Siddiqi, president of the organization, said, "You're not going to hear that anymore. We talked with him, and we told him he should not be discussing any of those things."

He said Inshanally, who has a master's degree in science education and worked as a software engineer at Compaq, was "just citing certain theories he read on the Internet."

The Guyana native, who has been in Houston since 1999, has previously faced backlash at mosques in New York and Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Siddiqi said Inshanally is unfairly targeted because of his aggressive preaching style, insisting, "He's the most qualified person for the job."

Still, the complaints against him reflect a trend experts say is unfolding across the nation as younger Muslim-Americans identify less with immigrant imams. Such a culture clash is natural, said Mustafa Carroll, executive director of the Council of American Islamic Relations' Houston chapter.

"What they consider to be very religious versus what a younger person growing up in America considers to be very religious is probably very different," he said.

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sion is made to appoint another bishop. The bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Tyler was reappointed by the Pope last year to a diocese in Puerto Rico, but opted to remain the apostolic administer for the diocese until a new bishop is appointed. The position has been considered vacant since September.

Pfeifer said he will remain focused on his duties and shy away from speculation as he awaits an answer from Rome, but hopes the church will receive a new bishop quickly if the decision is made for him to retire.

**"The way I look at it is, I really don't know what the future holds, but I know the hands of the one who holds the future and that's enough for me," he said. "I know there's plenty of work to do today, and I think the future will take care of itself."**

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| BROADCAST | KMID ABC | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | Jeopardy! | Wheel of Fortune | Shark Tank (SF) (N) | Primetime: What Would You Do? | | 20/20 | | KMID News | (:35) News Nightline | Jimmy Kimmel Live | |
| | KOSA CBS | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | CBS 7 | Ent. Tonight | Undercover Boss | CSI: NY "Officer Involved" | | Blue Bloods "Black and Blue" | | CBS 7 News | (:35) David Letterman | (:35) Late Late (N) | |
| | KWWT CW | 5 | 14 | | 5 | 14 | Seinfeld | Seinf. "The Frogger" | Nikita "Homecoming" (SF) (N) | Super. "Survival of the Fittest" (SF) (N) | | Cops | 'Til Death | 'Til Death | That '70s Show | That '70s Show | SouthPk "Volcano" |
| | KPEJ FOX | 8 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 3 | Big Bang Theory | Big Bang Theory | Kitchen Nightmares "Michon's" | Kitchen Nightmares "Park's Edge" | | The Simpsons | Met Your Mother | Met Your Mother | Loves Ray | Law & Order: Criminal Intent | |
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| | KWES NBC | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | News-West 9 | Be Millionaire | Think You Are "Paula Deen" (SF) (N) | Grimm "Woman in Black" (SF) (N) | | Dateline NBC | | News-West 9 | (:35) The Tonight Show With Jay Leno | (:35) Game | |
| | KPBT PBS | 13 | 13 | | 13 | 8 | PBS NewsHour | | Washing-ton Week | Need to Know | Great Performances at the Met "The Enchanted Island" Lovers from 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' are shipwrecked on the island of 'The Tempest.' (N) | | | | | Tavis Smiley | |
| | KUPB UNI | 4 | 4 | | 4 | 16 | Una familia con suerte | | | Abismo De Pasion | | La Que No Podia Amar | | Noticias Tejas | Noticiero noctu. | Hasta que el dinero nos separe | |
| | KOSA MNT | 16 | 16 | | 16 | | Office | 30 Rock | MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. Houston Astros (L) | | | | | My News | Monk | | Monk |
| PREMIUM | FLIX | 340 | 65 | | | 165 | (5:10) ★★ Grind | | | ★★ Abandon Katie Holmes. | | (:40) ★ Dirty Dancing: Havana ... | | (:10) ★★★ Igby Goes Down. | | | |
| | HBO | 300 | 68 | 14 | 14 | | (4:30) ★ Robin Hood | | FaceOff | Fight | Gervais | Life Short | Bill Maher | Bill Maher | | Gervais | Movie |
| | HBO2 | 302 | 69 | 15 | 101 | 23 | (5:05) ★ Unknown | | Veep | Veep | Veep | ★★★ Inception ('10, Act) Joseph Gordon-Levitt. | | | | Game of Thrones | |
| | HBOS | 304 | 70 | 16 | 102 | | (:15) ★ Un novio para mi mujer ('08, Comedy) | | | Game of Thrones | | ★ Green Lantern ('11, Act) Ryan Reynolds. | | | Girls | ★ Devil | |
| | MAX | 380 | 71 | 17 | 120 | 24 | ★ The Rite ('11, Dra) Colin O'Donoghue. | | | ★★ Speed ('94, Act) Keanu Reeves. | | | | Guide (N) | ★ Lady Chatterley ... | Movie | |
| | MAX2 | 382 | 72 | 18 | 122 | | ★★★ Sanctum ('11, Act) Rhys Wakefield. | | | ★ The Pool Boys | | | ★★ The Nutty Professor | | (:10) ★ The Accused | | |
| | PLEX | | | 96 | | | Movie | ★★ Billboard Dad | | ★ The Man From Left Field | | | | (:40) ★★★ Home Alone Macaulay Culkin. | | Movie | |
| | SHOW | 320 | 66 | 19 | 140 | 25 | Movie | ★★ Barbershop Ice Cube. | | | (:15) ★ The Mechanic Jason Statham. | | | ★★ Four Island Lucy Hale. | | Movie | |
| | TMC | 336 | 67 | 22 | 155 | 26 | (:20) ★★ The Final Cut Robin Williams. | | | ★ Hotel California Erik Palladino. | | | | (:40) ★ As Good as Dead | | (:15) ★★ Godzilla | |
| CABLE | A&E | 27 | 32 | 28 | 35 | 47 | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars | Storage Wars |
| | AMC | 40 | 21 | 23 | 42 | 51 | (4:00) ★ A League of... | | | ★★★ O Brother, Where Art Thou? George Clooney. | | | | ★ Sahara ('05, Act) Matthew McConaughey. | | | |
| | BET | 58 | 26 | | 40 | | (5:00) 106&P | ★ Motives ('04, Thril) Vivica A Fox. | | | | | ★★ I Think I Love My Wife ('07, Com) Chris Rock. | | | Wendy Williams | |
| | BRAVO | 65 | 63 | | 41 | | Housewives Atlanta | | To Be Announced | | | To Be Announced | | | | Wedding | Wedding |
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| | CNN | 43 | 24 | 51 | 30 | 56 | OutFront | | A. Cooper 360 | | Piers Morgan | | A. Cooper 360 | OutFront | | Piers Morgan | |
| | DISC | 50 | 20 | 31 | 24 | 42 | D. Catch "The Hook" | | Deadliest Catch | | D. Catch "Vital Signs" | | Alaska: Ice Cold | | D. Catch "Vital Signs" | Alaska: Ice Cold | |
| | DISNEY | 56 | 27 | 36 | 25 | 36 | (:55) A.N.T. | (:45) ★★ Race to Witch Mountain | | | TRON | | Austin | GoodLuck | Austin | Austin | Austin | Shake Up |
| | ESPN | 32 | 29 | 48 | 31 | 30 | Count | NBA Basketball Playoffs (L) | | | | NBA Basketball Playoffs Semifinal Game 3 (L) | | | | | SportsC. |
| | ESPN2 | 34 | 28 | 49 | 32 | 31 | NCAA Softball Division I Tournament (L) | | | Boxing Friday Night Fights (L) | | | | SportsCenter | | SportsC. | Tonight |
| | FAMILY | 53 | 54 | 34 | 42 | 33 | (3:00) ★ Harry Potte... | | ★★★★ Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban | | | | | 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 | BestAte | BestAte | Diners | Diners | Diners | Diners | Diners | Diners | Diners | Invention | Diners | Diners |
| | FSSW | 37 | 43 | 50 | 45 | 29 | UEFA Magazine | Astros Pre-game (L) | MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. Houston Astros Site: Minute Maid Park -- Houston, Texas (L) | | | | | Astros Live (L) | SportsDay OnAir | Action Sports World Tour Championships | |
| | FX | 31 | 31 | 59 | 64 | 69 | 2½Men | ★★ Tropic Thunder ('08, Com) Jack Black, Ben Stiller. | | | | Ultimate Fighter (N) | | UFCPrime | ★★★ Superbad Jonah Hill. | | |
| | HALLMARK | 54 | 49 | 58 | | 34 | Little House Prairie | | Little House "Love" | | Little House Prairie | | Frasier | Frasier | Frasier | Frasier | G. Girls | G. Girls |
| | HGTV | 63 | 50 | 26 | 48 | 44 | House | House | Million Dollar Room | | For Sale | HouseH | HouseH | House (N) | House | House | For Sale | HouseH |
| | HISTORY | 71 | 62 | 29 | 50 | 43 | Pickers "Boys' Toys" | | American Pickers | | You Don't Know Dixie | | | | 10 Things | 10 Things | American Pickers | |
| | LIFETIME | 28 | 25 | 25 | 28 | 48 | America's Most Wanted | | America's Most Wanted | | America's Most Wanted | | America's Most Wanted | | America's Most Wanted | | America's Most Wanted | |
| | MSNBC | 47 | 51 | | 49 | 73 | Hardball | | The Ed Show | | Rachel Maddow | | Lockup | | Lockup | | Lockup | |
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| | SYFY | 66 | 64 | 41 | 57 | 67 | (5:00) ★ Death Proof | | WWE Smackdown! (N) | | | Dream Machines | | | Fact or Faked | | Lost Girl | |
| | TBS | 25 | 11 | 44 | 66 | 41 | Seinfeld | Seinf. "The Big Salad" | House of Payne | House of Payne | House of Payne | House of Payne | ★★ Lake Placid ('99, Act) Bridge Fonda, Bill Pullman. | | | (:50) ★★ Rogue ('07, Hor) Michael Vartan, Radha Mitchell. | | |
| | TCM | 41 | 61 | 24 | 63 | 66 | (5:00) ★ Mr. Deeds ... | | ★★★★ American Graffiti | | | | ★★ Rock Around the Clock | | | ★★ Go, Johnny, Go | | |
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| | TLC | 51 | 33 | 32 | 38 | 52 | DC Cupcakes "Mommy's Birthday" | | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Say Yes to (N) | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress | Yes to the Dress |
| | TNT | 24 | 23 | 40 | 26 | 50 | Law & Order "Savages" | | Law & Order "Shangri-La" | | ★★ Obsessed (2009, Thriller) Idris Elba, Ali Larter, Beyoncé Knowles. | | | | ★★ Obsessed (2009, Thriller) Idris Elba, Ali Larter, Beyoncé Knowles. | | | |
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| | USA | 26 | 30 | 42 | 27 | 49 | Law & Order: S.V.U. "Hammered" | | Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Cold" | | Fairly Legal "Shattered" (N) | | Common Law "Ride-Along" (N) | | Suits "The Shelf Life" | | Fairly Legal "Shattered" | |
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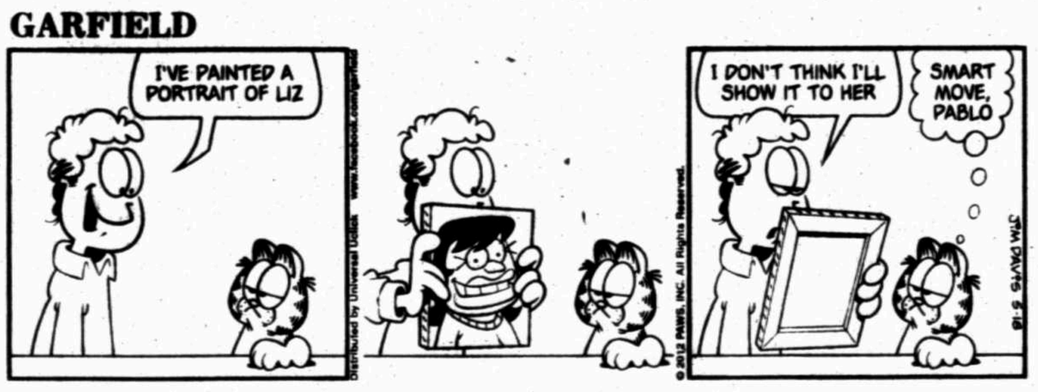


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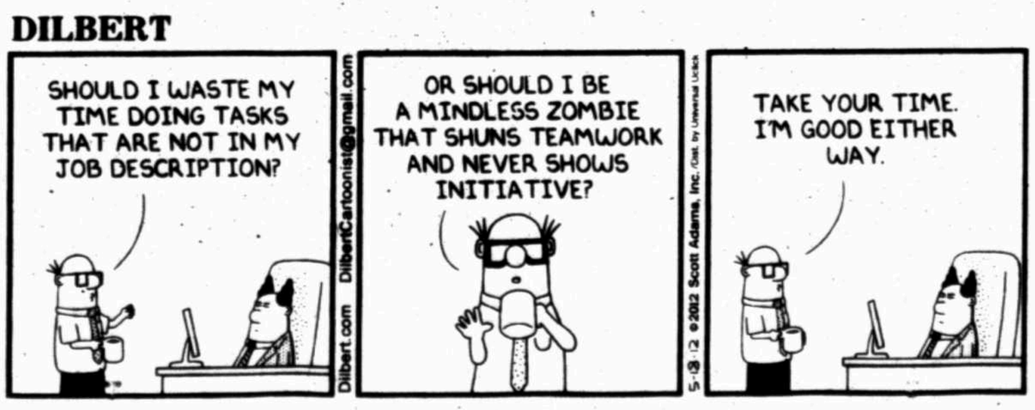


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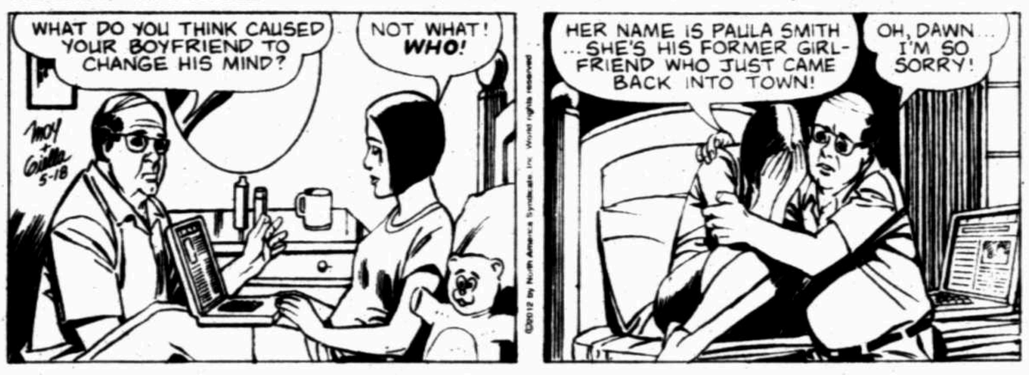


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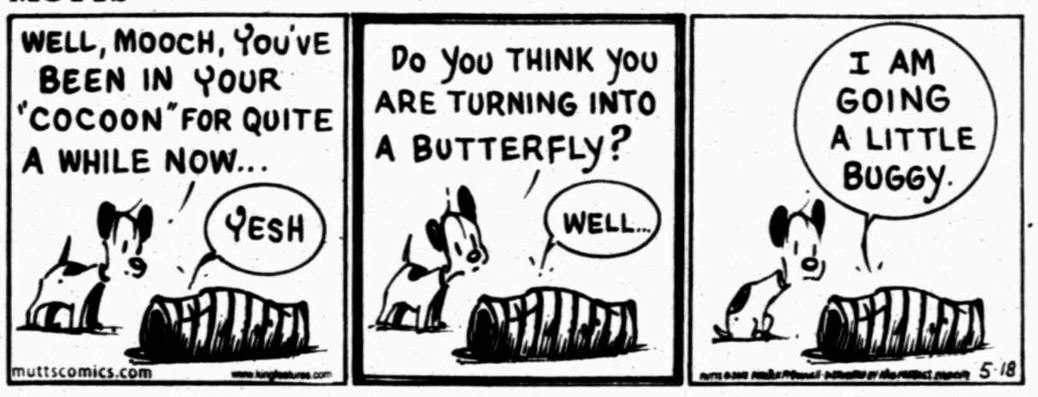


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## DENNIS THE MENACE

"I SUPPOSE YOU WOULDN'T KNOW HOW THIS GUM GOT INTO MY STETHOSCOPE, WOULD YOU?"

## LOCKHORNS

"I'M AFRAID ALL MY USED CLOTHING IS STILL IN USE."

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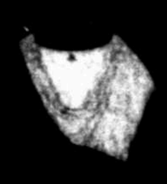

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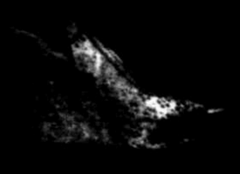

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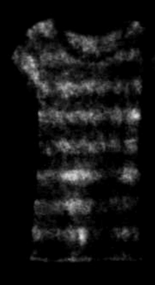

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# Sports

## Chaps shoot a 315, fall to 6th place after 3rd round

*From staff reports*

NEWTON, Kan. — The Midland College golf team failed to deal with a hectic wind during the third round of the NJCAA Division I Men's National Championship at Sand Creek Station in Newton, Kan. on Thursday and tumbled down the standings as a result.

The Chaparrals had their worst round of the tourney, collectively shooting 315 Thursday for a three-day total of 903. This drops the Chaps to sixth place in the team standings after starting the day in third. Indian Hills (Iowa) Community College is first at 882 — 19 strokes better than MC.

Richie Farmer and Tyson Turnbow were the only two Chaps to post individual rounds under the 80 mark with Farmer shooting 79 and Turnbow 76.

"Richie and Tyson played well, but the other guys really struggled," MC coach Delnor Poss said. "The winds were really high and we didn't handle the pressure well. We need to come back (today) and play extremely well."

Turnbow

Farmer

Two of Midland College's Western Junior College Athletic Conference foes are in front of the Chaps with Western Texas College sitting in second at 890 and Odessa College in fourth at 895. MC began the day with a one stroke lead on OC and trailed Western Texas by a shot. Now the Chaps are 13 strokes behind Western Texas and eight shots behind Odessa.

"(Thursday) is usually moving day on the leaderboard," Poss said. "We moved the wrong di-

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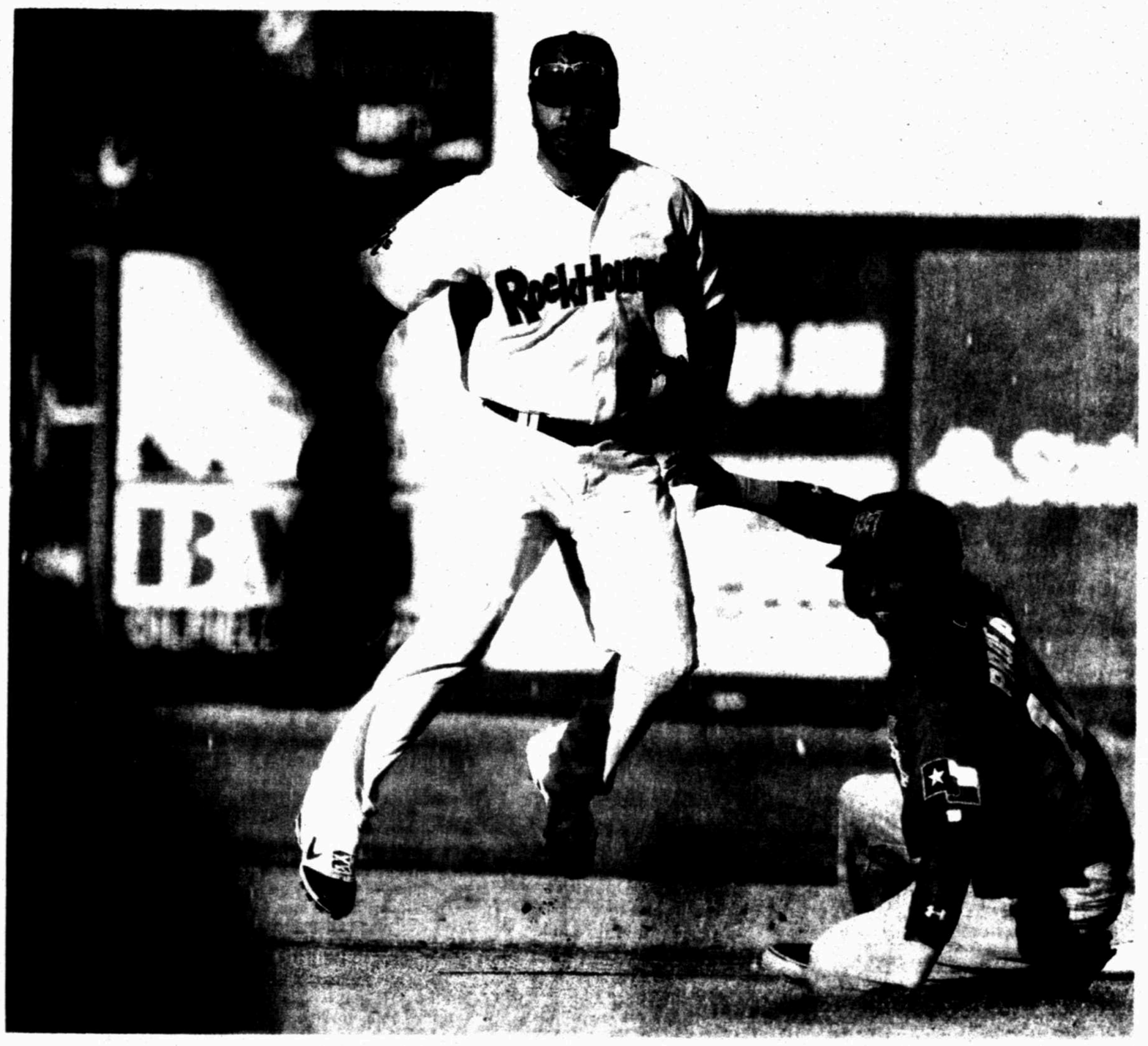
**NJCAA Division I National Tourney**

**Team standings**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Indian Hills CC | 292-294-296 | 882 |
| 2. Western Texas | 292-295-303 | 890 |
| 3. Meridian CC | 299-296-297 | 892 |
| 4. Odessa College | 297-292-306 | 895 |
| 5. Darton CC | 300-295-304 | 899 |
| **6. Midland College** | **292-296-315** | **903** |
| McLennan CC | 299-292-312 | 903 |
| 8. New Mexico JC | 304-294-308 | 906 |
| 9. Central Alabama CC | 305-285-318 | 908 |
| 10. Dodge City CC | 305-285-306 | 910 |
| 10. Brevard CC | 302-298-310 | 910 |

## Midland takes series



*Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram*

Midland's Tyler Ladendorf looks to first for a the double play after a force out on Frisco's Jurickson Profar at second base Thursday evening at Citibank Ballpark. The RockHounds beat the RoughRiders 8-3.

## 'Hounds use big 4th inning to top RoughRiders

**By Oscar LeRoy**
*Sports Writer*

Midland catcher Ryan Ortiz has been working very hard with the RockHounds' coaching staff on his hitting but hasn't always seen the results he wanted.

On Thursday, Ortiz finally saw some of his hard work pay off against the Texas League South Division leading Frisco RoughRiders.

Ortiz helped to jump-start a five-run fourth inning with an RBI single and later added a two-run home run as the RockHounds defeated Frisco 8-3 in front of 4,951 fans at Citibank Ballpark.

With the victory, the RockHounds (21-19) took three out of four from the RoughRiders (24-16) and are now just three games back of the leaders.

"It's huge," said Ortiz of the series victory. "We lost a series at their place and they're a good team with a good staff and good hitters."

Midland manager Steve Scarsone said after his team got used to the wind and the environment at Citibank, the RockHounds are really starting to use the ballpark as their home advantage.

"I think they're feeling it and it's exciting to play well at home and get the fans involved," Scarsone said. "This Frisco team has been dominant so far and it's nice to take three out of four. I'd like to see the remainder of this homestand remain this positive, so we can take it on the road."

**RockHounds** .....8
RoughRiders .....3

With the RockHounds trailing 2-1 in the fourth inning, Michael Choice started a string of three consecutive hits against Frisco starter Tim Murphy (1-4), who had only allowed just two hits prior to that frame. Then with the bases loaded and one out, Ortiz punched a single into left field to score Choice to tie the game at 2.

"I'm just trying to put the ball in play — get a sac fly or a base hit," said Ortiz, who finished the night 2 for 4 with his home run, three RBI and two runs scored. "I got a good hit and got it through the hole."

Then Dusty Coleman followed with the big hit of the inning when he singled to right field to score two more runs, which gave the RockHounds the lead for good. Conner Crumbliss (3 for 5) and Josh Horton also added RBI singles to give Midland a 6-2 advantage.

"It's nice to see everybody pile up on some hits," Scarsone said. "Anytime you get baserunners on and can't get them in, it's frustrating, so it was nice to see the inning continue with good at-bats. That really made the difference in the game."

That lead helped to give Midland starter Gary Daley Jr. (5-2) some breathing room.

Even though the right-hander wasn't as sharp on this night, Scarsone said he was proud of the way he was able to keep battling and last through the five innings.

"He put himself into some tough situations, but he kept it from being a big inning and minimized the damage," Scarsone said. "At the end of the day, he got out of it without being really beat up. There's some good to take away from his outing."

After the RoughRiders cut the lead to 6-3 with a run in the fifth, Ortiz gave the 'Hounds some added cushion when he hit a two-run homer off the left field foul pole in the seventh inning.

"It's a good feeling to finally get a hold of one," said Ortiz, who hit his second homer of the season. "I got a good pitch to hit and I did something with it."

Ortiz came into the game hitting .160 but he said that after working with RockHounds hitting coach Tim Garland and Oakland A's minor league roving hitting instructor Todd Steverson, he's starting to get that good feeling at the plate again.

Scarsone said even though Ortiz's average is not where the young catcher would like, he is still putting together good at-bats and has 18 walks on the season.

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## Streaking Spurs go up 2-0 on Clippers

**By Paul J. Weber**
*Associated Press*

SAN ANTONIO — Tony Parker scored 22 points on his 30th birthday. Tim Duncan had 18 and the San Antonio Spurs beat the fading Los Angeles Clippers 105-88 on Thursday night, pushing their winning streak to 16 and taking a 2-0 lead in their Western Conference semifinal series.

Chris Paul responded to his awful Game 1 with only a slightly better encore, scoring 10 points as the Clippers now head home desperate to steer out of what's starting to get the feel of a sweep.

Blake Griffin led the Clippers with 20 points. His plan to manage his ailing knee so the All-Star would have enough steam for the fourth quarter proved moot, as both teams emptied their benches with another Spurs blowout assured.

**Spurs** .....105
Clippers .....88
San Antonio leads series 2-0

Game 3 is Saturday night in Los Angeles.

The All-Star matchup of Paul vs. Parker went from a Game 1 bust to a lopsided mismatch that may have proved Paul is hurting more than he's letting on. Clippers coach Vinny Del Negro says his star is still struggling with an aching hip and groin, even as Paul insists he's OK.

He again looked anything but. While Parker — the last of the Big Three to finally hit the big 3-0 — celebrated by more than tripling his seven points and dreadful 1-for-9 shooting in Game 1, Paul shot 4 of 9 and had just five assists.

At halftime, the third-place finisher in league's MVP voting had more personal fouls (3) than point (2), assists (2) or rebounds (2).

Duncan, on the other hand, stayed in a playoff time warp. At 36 years old and playing in his 182nd postseason game — and with no contract beyond these playoffs — Duncan turned in another solid performance that sometimes recalled the former MVP who was going for his championships in his prime rather than the old-timer who's chasing a fifth ring now.

He scored 14 points in the first half — almost as much as the rest of the starting lineup — and finished 9-of-14 shooting. Points in the paint weren't even close: the Spurs had 50, and the Clippers 18.

Boris Diaw added 16 points and Danny Green had 13 for the Spurs. Manu Ginobili scored 10 and was held scoreless in the second half.

Randy Foye was the Clippers' only other player in double digits, scoring 11.

If this keeps up, a near-historic postseason for the Clippers will end this weekend unless they figure out a plan fast.

This is only the third time in the woeful 41-year history of the franchise that Los Angeles' long-maligned "other" team has survived to the second round. Their momentum started with a stunning 27-point comeback on the road against Memphis in their playoff opener, but the Clippers haven't made a rally stick in San Antonio.

## A's overcome disputed call to beat Rangers

**By Schuyler Dixon**
*Associated Press*

ARLINGTON — Brandon McCarthy thought he had a double play. Instead, the Texas Rangers had a successful squeeze bunt and the lead, and the Oakland A's had a mess on their hands.

**Athletics** .....5
Rangers .....4 (10)

The A's bounced back from the disputed sequence that ended with manager Bob Melvin ejected and McCarthy in the dugout, and Kila Ka'aihue had a tiebreaking single in the 10th inning to give Oakland a 5-4 victory against Texas on Thursday.

After Mitch Moreland's second home run off McCarthy tied the score in the sixth inning, the Rangers took the lead when speedster Craig Gentry broke from third as Elvis Andrus popped up a bunt between the mound and home plate. McCarthy thought he caught the ball on the fly and threw to third for what he figured would be a double play, but home plate umpire Laz Diaz ruled he trapped it. Gentry was ruled safe for a 4-3 Texas lead, and Oakland didn't get anybody out.

Melvin ran from the dugout to argue, gesturing repeatedly at Diaz before he was finally thrown out. Replays were inconclusive.

"I threw the ball to third. Then he said I trapped it. I said, 'What?' and sort of flew off the handle," McCarthy said. "I was pretty furious once the disbelief set in."

Reliever Grant Balfour replaced McCarthy after the disputed bunt and didn't give up a run even though the Rangers had men at second and third with one out. Oakland then tied the score again in the seventh on Josh Reddick's 10th home run. The shot

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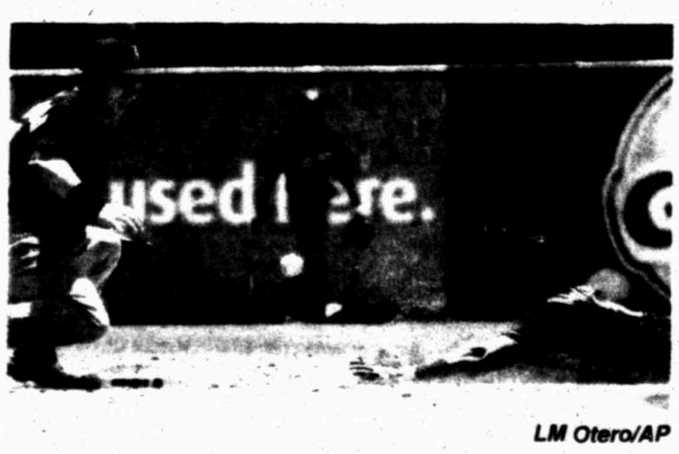


*LM Otero/AP*

Oakland Athletics shortstop Cliff Pennington (2) waits for the throw as Texas' Elvis Andrus (1) tries to steal second base Thursday during the first inning Arlington. Andrus was safe on the play but the Rangers lost to the Athletics, 5-4, in 10 innings.

# 3 Chaps make 1st team All-WJCAC

*From staff reports*

Bateman

Fagnan

Salois

The Midland College baseball team had three players make the first team of the 2012 All-Western Junior College Athletic Conference Baseball Team just released.

Sophomore infielder Nick Salois, freshman first baseman Jeremie Fagnan and freshman pitcher Jake Bateman were named to the all-conference team.

Salois, a Lee grad, hit .397 with three home runs, 20 doubles (second best in the WJCAC) and 24 RBI.

Fagnan, from Calgary, Alberta, Canada, led the Chaparrals with a .403 batting average, was the WJCAC co-leader with 10 home run to go with four triples, 16 doubles and a team-high 50 RBI.

Bateman, from Dallas, was a valuable member out of the Chaps' bullpen as he went 5-1 with a 1.71 ERA (ranked No. 18 in the NJCAA) with three saves for the Chaps, which finished with a 33-23 overall record and an 18-14 mark in the WJCAC.

Garnering honorable mention from MC were sophomore catcher Steel Russell, freshman second baseman and Midland High grad Matt Reyes, freshman outfielder and Midland Christian grad Steve Withrow, and freshman pitcher Jeremy Filipek.

WJCAC champion Howard College dominated the all-conference list and also took home all three superlatives. Jordan Allen was named Most Valuable Player, Logan Ehlers was named Most Valuable Pitcher and head coach Britt Smith is the WJCAC Coach of the Year.

**2012 WJCAC Baseball All-Conference**

Most Valuable Player — **Jordan Allen**, Howard College

Most Valuable Pitcher — **Logan Ehlers, Howard College**

Coach of the Year — Britt Smith, Howard College

Outfielders — **Jordan Allen, Howard College; Alex Howe, Clarendon College; Johnny Garrett**, New Mexico Military Institute; Antonio Ramirez, Clarendon College; Omar Gomez, New Mexico Junior College

Infielders — Edwin Gomez, Odessa College; Paul Hendrix, Howard College; **Jeremie Fagnan, Midland College;** Christian Vazquez, New Mexico Junior College; **Nick Salois Midland College;** Reed Gordy, New Mexico Junior College

Catchers — Wigberto Nieves, Clarendon College; Mario Cardona, El Paso Community College

Pitchers — Logan Ehlers, Howard College; Sam Street, New Mexico Junior College; **Jake Bateman, Midland College;** Brad Weick, Frank Phillips College

Designated Hitter — Elliot Richoux, Howard College

**Honorable Mention (local colleges only)**

Midland College — Steel Russell, Matt Reyes, Steve Withrow, Jeremy Filipek

Howard College — Brett Bell, Hector Lorenzana, Todd Ritchie, Colt Bickerstaff, Reed Seeley, Dexter Kerstad, Nick Sawyer, Reid Scoggins, Clayton Crum, Dominic Moreno

Odessa College — Derek Loera, John Peralta

# Several Rangerettes earn 4-3A honors

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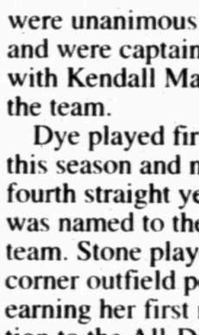
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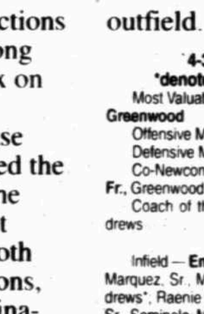
Kraft

Thompson

After finishing second in District 4-3A this season, the Greenwood softball team found itself well represented on the league's All-District team with two sisters highlighting the selections.

Kendall and Kassie Maddox each received superlative awards on the 4-3A All-District team with Kendall taking Most Valuable Player honors and Kassie being named Co-Newcomer of the Year.

Kendall Maddox capped her career at Greenwood with a strong senior season, playing a pivotal role in the pitcher's circle for the Rangerettes' 21-11 overall record. This is the fourth year she was named to the All-District team after making first-team pitcher as a sophomore and junior and receiving Newcomer of the Year honors as a freshman.

Her younger sister, a freshman, duplicated those Newcomer of the Year honors. Kassie Maddox shares the award with Seminole freshman pitcher Susan Reimer. Maddox manned shortstop for a majority of Greenwood's games, but relieved her older sister in the pitcher's circle at times this season.

The Rangerettes had three players named to the first team, including seniors Emily Dye and Ambrey Stone. Both players were unanimous selections and were captains along with Kendall Maddox on the team.

Dye played first base this season and marked the fourth straight year she was named to the first team. Stone played both corner outfield positions, earning her first nomination to the All-District team. Also joining Dye and Stone on the first team was junior Mayson Thompson as a utility player and junior catcher Cassie Kraft.

Sophomore second baseman Sawyer Cobb and sophomore center fielder Kambree Ebenstein each garnered second-team nominations while sophomore Airielle Urias and junior Bailey Morgan each received honorable mention for their work in the outfield.

**4-3A All-District team**
***denotes unanimous selection**

Most Valuable Player — **Kendall Maddox**, Sr., Greenwood

Offensive MVP — Kristi Moralez, Jr., Seminole

Defensive MVP — Nikki Neel, Sr., Andrews

Co-Newcomers of the Year — **Kassie Maddox, Fr.**, Greenwood; Susan Reimer, Fr., Seminole

Coach of the Year — Prescilla Ramirez, Andrews

**First team**

Infield — **Emily Dye, Sr., Greenwood***; Gabbey Marquez, Sr., Monahans*; Karina Juarez, Sr., Andrews*; Raenie Wright, Jr. Andrews*; K.K. Horton, Sr., Seminole. Mia Duarte, Jr., Fort Stockton

Outfield — Dinessah Fuentez, Jr., Fort Stockton*; Sidney Freeze, Sr. Monahans*; Allison Florez, Soph., Andrews*; Liz Aimee Gueiara, Jr. Andrews*; **Ambrey Stone, Sr., Greenwood***; Maribel Mendoza, Soph., Seminole*

Pitchers — Shannon Hobbs, Soph., Andrews*; Katy Singh, Sr., Fort Stockton

Catchers — Melena Lopez, Fr., Seminole. **Cassie Kraft, Jr., Greenwood**

Utility — **Mayson Thompson, Jr., Greenwood**

**Second team**

Infield — Bailey Pasqua, Jr., Fort Stockton. Jensen Phipps, Sr., Monahans. **Sawyer Cobb, Soph., Greenwood**; Kayla Bruton, Jr., Andrews. **Jaden Shoutts, Fr., Greenwood**; Ally Leal, Soph., Monahans

Outfield — Baily Slade, Soph., Monahans. Cecilia Santbanez, Soph. Andrews. Rebecca Villareal, Jr. Seminole. Eva Reimer, Fr. Seminole. **Kambree Ebenstein, Soph., Greenwood**; Alyssa Urias, Jr. Fort Stockton

Pitchers — Judy Lopez, Fr. Seminole. Adriana Flores, Soph. Monahans

Catchers — Nikki Salazar, Soph. Monahans. Abnanna Murphy, Fr. Fort Stockton

Honorable mention — **Airielle Urias, Soph., Greenwood; Bailey Morgan, Jr., Greenwood**

# Velarde named TAPPS 1st-team All-State

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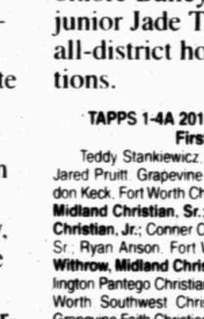
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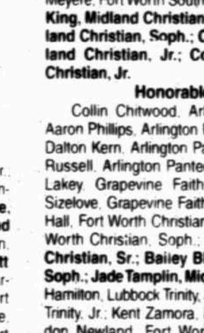
Withrow

Velarde

Midland Christian senior Nikko Velarde was named to the TAPPS All-State First Team and was one of four Mustangs to be selected to the all-district first team.

Velarde, a four-year starter, was the only Mustang to earn first-team honors on the all-state team after pitching a complete-game shutout in the Mustangs' TAPPS 4A state title win.

Velarde was joined on the All-District First Team by teammates Daniel Crooks and Matt Withrow, both second-team all-state selections, and Caleb Thomas, an all-state honorable mention.

The Mustangs had four selections on the all-district second team including senior Casey King, juniors Christian Whigham and Colton Chalker and sophomore Elias Aguirre. Sophomore Bailey Blain and junior Jade Tamplin were all-district honorable mentions.

**TAPPS 1-4A 2012 All-District Team**
**First team**

Teddy Stankiewicz, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. Jared Pruitt, Grapevine Faith Christian. Sr. Brandon Keck, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. **Nikko Velarde, Midland Christian. Sr.; Daniel Crooks, Midland Christian. Jr.**; Conner Cross, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. Ryan Anson, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. **Matt Withrow, Midland Christian, Sr.**; Zach Carter, Arlington Pantego Christian. Soph. E.K. Everett, Fort Worth Southwest Christian. Sr. Brance Kahle, Grapevine Faith Christian. Sr. Brandon Searle, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. Sterling Maness, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. **Caleb Thomas, Midland Christian, Jr.**; Tyler Bull, Fort Worth Southwest Christian. Sr.

**Second team**

Blake Cox, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. Trae Patterson, Fort Worth Christian. Jr. Justin Davis, Grapevine Faith Christian. Sr. Bryce McPhail, Arlington Pantego Christian. Sr. Hill Alexander, Arlington Pantego Christian. Fr. Tate Sawyer, Arlington Grace Prep. Sr. Nate Hodapp, Arlington Grace Prep. Jr. Nate Waller, Arlington Grace Prep. Jr. Kale Wilsford, Lubbock Trinity. Soph. Tyler Lewis, Fort Worth Southwest Christian. Sr. Garrett de Meyere, Fort Worth Southwest Christian. Sr. **Casey King, Midland Christian, Sr.; Elias Aguirre, Midland Christian, Soph.; Christian Whigham, Midland Christian, Jr.; Colton Chalker, Midland Christian, Jr.**

**Honorable Mention**

Collin Chitwood, Arlington Grace Prep. Sr. Aaron Phillips, Arlington Pantego Christian. Soph. Dalton Kern, Arlington Pantego Christian. Jr. Ben Russell, Arlington Pantego Christian. Sr. Garrett Lakey, Grapevine Faith Christian. Jr. Pierson Sizelove, Grapevine Faith Christian. Sr. Jonathan Hall, Fort Worth Christian. Sr. Brett Jackson, Fort Worth Christian. Soph. Jake Phains, Fort Worth **Christian, Sr.; Bailey Blain, Midland Christian, Soph.; Jade Tamplin, Midland Christian, Jr.**; Josh Hamilton, Lubbock Trinity. Jr. Matt Havens, Lubbock Trinity. Jr. Kent Zamora, Lubbock Trinity. Jr. Brendon Newland, Fort Worth Southwest Christian. Soph

**Midland Christian 2012 All-State**
**First Team**

Nikko Velarde, IF/P, Sr.

**Second Team**

Daniel Crooks, IF/P, Jr

Matt Withrow, IF/P, Sr

Honorable Mention

Caleb Thomas, IF/P, Jr

# HSPLAYOFFPAIRINGS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

## Baseball

**Class 5A**
**(x-if necessary)**
**Regional Quarterfinals**

**Arlington Martin** (W4, 29-3) vs. Lubbock Coronado (W2, 23-8)

Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Hunter Field, Abilene

Game 2: Noon Saturday, Hunter Field, Abilene

Game 3 (if necessary): 30 minutes following Game 2

Hurst L.D. Bell (T6, 19-10) vs. Plano East (T8, 21-14)

Game 1: L.D. Bell 7, Plano East 4

Game 2: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Coppell HS

Game 3 (if necessary): 1 p.m. Saturday, Coppell HS

El Paso Americas (T1, 24-6) vs. El Paso Montwood (W1, 32-2)

Game 1: late

Game 2: 11 a.m. Saturday, Cohen Stadidum, El Paso

Game 3 (if necessary): 30 minutes following Game 2

Southlake Carroll (W7, 21-9) vs. Flower Mound (R8, 27-8), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Colleyville Heritage HS

**CLASS 4A**
**(x-if necessary)**
**Regional Quarterfinals**

Denton Ryan (W4, 22-9) vs. Lake Dallas (T4, 22-11)

Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday, Lewisville HS

Game 2: 1 p.m. Saturday, Lewisville HS

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Waco Midway (W8) vs. Crowley (R7, 20-9)

Game 1: Waco Midway 8, Crowley 5

Game 2: 7 p.m. Friday, Midway HS

x-Game 3: 2 p.m. Saturday, Waxahachie HS

Wichita Falls Rider (F4, 20-7) vs. Canyon Randall (T3, 23-12)

Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday, Driggers Field, Abilene

Game 2: 11 a.m. Saturday, Driggers Field, Abilene

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Cleburne (W7, 22-7) vs. Stephenville (R8, 21-11)

Game 1: Cleburne 3, Stephenville 2

Game 2: 7 p.m. Friday, Stephenville HS

x-Game 3: 1 p.m. Saturday, Veterans Field, Waco

**Class 3A**
**(x-if necessary)**
**Regional Quarterfinals**

Levelland (T2, 25-8) vs. Lubbock Cooper (W2, 27-4), TBA

West (W8, 25-6) vs. Burleson Centennial (R7, 18-17)

Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Centennial HS

Game 2: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Waco Connally HS

x-Game 3: 1 p.m. Saturday, Centennial HS

Lubbock Estacado (R2, 17-15) vs. Andrews (R4, 21-12)

Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Mustang Baseball Complex, Andrews

Game 2: 1 p.m. Saturday, Estacado HS

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Mineral Wells (W7, 19-8) vs. Abilene Wylie (W5, 18-5)

Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday, Eastland HS

Game 2: 1 p.m. Saturday, Eastland HS

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

**Class 2A**
**(x-if necessary)**
**Regional Quarterfinals**

Alpine (W4, 20-4) vs. Abernathy (W2, 18-3)

Game 1: 6 p.m. Friday, Christensen Stadium

Game 2: 3 p.m. Saturday, Christensen Stadium

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Cisco (R5) vs. Sonora (R7)

Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday, Big Spring

Game 2: TBA, Saturday, Big Spring

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Floydada (R2, 18-7) vs. Bushland (W1, 23-4)

Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Wilder Park, Canyon

Game 2: 1 p.m. Saturday, Wilder Park, Canyon

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Wall (W7) vs. Blanco (R8)

Game 1: Blanco 16, Wall 2 (5)

Game 2: 1 p.m. Saturday, Llano HS

Game 3 (if necessary): 30 minutes following Game 2

**CLASS A**
**(x-if necessary)**
**Regional Quarterfinals**

New Deal (W4, 19-6) vs. Miles (W2)

Game 1: 6 p.m. Friday, Hermleigh HS

Game 2: 10 a.m. Saturday, Hermleigh HS

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Stamford (W8) vs. Hamlin (T8)

Game 1: 5 p.m. Friday, Stamford

Game 2: Noon Saturday, Hamlin

Game 3 (if necessary): 30 minutes following Game 2

Winters (R2, 19-6) vs. Fort Hancock (W1, 16-6)

Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday, Robert Ryan Field, Seminole

Game 2: Noon Saturday, Robert Ryan Field, Seminole

x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2

Electra (W7) vs. Seymour (R8), TBA

## Softball

**CLASS 5A**
**Regional Semifinals**

Lubbock Coronado (W2, 34-3) vs. Plano East (W8, 32-3), Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 3 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Wells Field, Abilene

El Paso Americas (W1, 28-5) vs. Lewisville Hebron (R8, 25-11), Game 1: 6:30 p.m. Friday, Game 2: 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Rocky Johnson Field, Lubbock

**CLASS 4A**
**Regional Semifinals**

Wichita Falls Rider (W4, 29-5) vs. Waco Midway (W8), Game 1: 5 p.m. Friday, Rider HS; Game 2: 3 p.m. Saturday, Gatlarman Field, Waco; x-Game 2: 30 minutes after Game 2

Wolfforth Frenship (W3, 29-7) vs. North Richland Hills Birdville (W5), Game 1: 4:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 10:30 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Graham HS

**CLASS 3A**
**Regional Semifinals**

Lubbock Cooper (W2, 31-3) vs. West (W8), Game 1: 5:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Wells Field, Abilene

Pampa (W1) vs. Kennedale (R8), Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 10 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Wichita Falls.

**CLASS 2A**
**Regional Semifinals**

Alpine (W4, 26-6) vs. Blanco (W8), Game 1: 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 1 p.m., Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Angelo State Softball Complex

Colorado City (W3) vs. Hawley (W5), Game 1: 7:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2: 4 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Forsan HS

**CLASS A**
**Regional Semifinals**

Haskell (W4) vs. Petrolia (R7), Game 1: Petrolia 7, Haskell 5; Game 2: 6:30 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2. All games at Graham HS

Albany (R4) vs. Seymour (W7), Game 1: Seymour 5, Albany 4; Game 2: 6:30 p.m. Friday, Jacksboro HS; x-Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2.

# MIDLAND

From 1C

"It's not like he's just flailing at pitches," Scarsone said. "You go back and look at a lot of his at-bats, he was fouling off good pitches, he was taking borderline stuff and working the counts. It was nice to see today he was kind of putting the ball in play and getting the hits for it. Obviously that last at-bat he got a really good pitch to hit and didn't miss it. Hopefully that's the kind of stuff that carries over and builds his confidence where he works hard and feels like he's going to get rewarded afterward."

The eight runs were more than enough for the RockHounds' bullpen of Paul Smyth and Sean Doolittle, who combined to work four perfect innings and strike out five.

"They've been huge," said Ortiz of the bullpen. "From the back end with (Jonathan) Ortiz and through today with Smyth and Sean Doolittle, they have been really good. This is the first full season (for Doolittle as a professional pitcher) and he's lights out."

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**'HOUND BITES:** Frisco's Jurickson Profar extended his hitting streak to 27 consecutive games with a single to left in the third inning and his on-base streak to 36 straight games was extended when he walked in the first inning. Each streak for the 19-year-old are the longest in all of minor league baseball. ... Frisco's 2B Guilder Rodriguez made a great play to get Tyler Ladendorf out at second base. On a ball hit by Josh Horton, Rodriguez dove to his left to make the stop. Then he somehow made the turn to second base from his knees to get the lead runner Ladendorf. ...Ladendorf only had one official at-bat on Thursday with a pop-up to second base but reached base four other times thanks to walks. ...The RockHounds turned three double plays on the night and Mike Olt hit into two of them.

**TODAY'S PROBABLES:** The RockHounds welcome Corpus Christi to Citibank Ballpark at 7 p.m. today to begin a four-game series. Midland is expected to send RHP Dan Straily (1-4, 4.37 ERA) to the mound against Hooks RHP Jake Buchanan (1-2, 4.75).

## TL Standings

**First Half**
**North Division**

| Team | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tulsa | 24 | 16 | .600 | — |
| NW Arkansas | 23 | 17 | .575 | 1 |
| Springfield | 17 | 23 | .425 | 7 |
| Arkansas | 16 | 24 | .400 | 8 |

**South Division**

| Team | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Frisco | 24 | 16 | .600 | — |
| Midland | 21 | 19 | .525 | 3 |
| San Antonio | 18 | 22 | .450 | 6 |
| Corpus Christi | 17 | 23 | .425 | 7 |

**Thursday's Scores**

Midland 8, Frisco 3

San Antonio 11, Corpus Christi 4

Northwest Arkansas 2, Tulsa 1

Arkansas 9, Springfield 8

**Today's Games**

Corpus Christi at Midland, 7 p.m.

San Antonio at Frisco, 7 p.m.

Tulsa at Springfield, 7:05 p.m.

NW Arkansas at Arkansas, 7:10 p.m.

**ROCKHOUNDS 8, ROUGHRIDERS 3**

| Frisco | ab | r | h | bi | Midland | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Beltre cf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Crumbliss lf | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Profar ss | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Ladendorf 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Olt 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Horton 3b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Hawpe dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Choice cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| McGuiness 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Spina 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Strausberger lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Barfield rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Prince rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Aliotti dh | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Zane ss/c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Ortiz c | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Rodriguez 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Coleman ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| **Totals** | **32** | **3** | **9** | **2** | **Totals** | **35** | **8** | **12** | **7** |

**Frisco** 103 010 000—3

**Midland** 100 500 20x—8

DP — Midland 3. LOB — Frisco 6, Midland 7. 2B — Beltre (7), Olt (9). HR — Ortiz (2). SB — Beltre (14).

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **SO** | | | | | |
| **Frisco** | | | | | |
| Murphy, L 1-4 | 3.1 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 2 2 |
| Wolf | 2.2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 3 |
| Boscan | 2.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 1 |
| **Midland** | | | | | |
| Daley W 5-2 | 5.0 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 3 1 |
| Smyth | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 2 |
| Doolittle | 2.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 3 |

PB — Zaneski. WP — Murphy. HBP — by Daley (Prince).

T — 2:49. A — 4,951

# LOCALSPORTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

**2012 JUDY RANKIN INVITATIONAL**
**Thursday's Results**
**Championship Flight**

Gross — 1: Marian Barker-Lacy Gasser; 2: Jane Jones-Connie Crossland

Net — 1: Susan Roberts-Tracy Youngs; 2: Stacy Reed-Carolyn Greene

**President's Flight**

Gross — 1: Susie McGowan-Bev Wright; 2: Merlyn Westbrook-Jennie McIlvain

Net — 1: Alice Watkins-Pat Barton; 2: LaCretia Defoor-Judy Hilliard

**First Flight**

Gross — 1: Janell Burnett-Mary Robinson; 2: Christy Brinnstool-Callie Stevens

Net — 1: Margaret Lange-Barbara McIntosh; 2: Eve Parmelly-Cheryl Foster

**Second Flight**

Gross — 1: Mary Brown-Joy Stark; 2: Sarah Lands-Judy Hunnicutt; 2: Kim Barnes-Mary Mason; 2: Carol Whitsitt-Donna Winborn

# CHAPS

From 1C

rection. We got our directions mixed up."

The Chaps can expect similar windy conditions at Sand Creek Station for today's final round, which is a situation the Chaps should be familiar with handling.

"We need to keep our composure better," Poss said. "The wind will blow again (today). We should be acustomed to playing in the wind, but it ate us up (Thursday). If we can make some adjustments, we should be OK."

**NJCAA Division I Men's National Championship at Sand Creek Station Newton, Kan.**
**Tuesday**
**First Round**
**Team Standings**

1. Indian Hills (Iowa) CC 292-294-296—882. 2. Western Texas College 292-295-303—890. 3. Meridian (Miss.) CC 299-296-297—892. 4. Odessa College 297-292-306—895. 5. Darton (Ga.) CC 300-295-304—899. 6. (tie) Midland College 292-296-315—903; McLennan CC 299-292-312—903. 8. New Mexico JC 304-294-308—906. 9. Central Alabama College 305-285-316—906. 10. (tie) Brevard (Fla.) CC 302-298-316—910; Dodge City (Kan.) CC 308-296-306—910. 12. Tri-County (N.C.) CC 296-312-313—921. 13. Iowa Western CC 307-302-313—922. 14. Scottsdale (Ariz.) CC 307-303-316—926; 15. Hutchinson (Kan.) CC 303-316-309—928; 16. Wallace State (Ala.) CC 313-306-311—930. 17. North Idaho College 307-314-314—935. 18. Johnson County (Kan.) CC 303-307-326—936. 19. USC Lancaster (S.C.) 310-319-309—938; 20. Pima (Ariz.) CC 300-321-323—944. 21. (tie) Trinidad State (Colo.) CC 320-305-325—950; Garden City (Kan.) CC 317-310-323—950. 23. Eastern Arizona College 321-304-326—951

**Top 10 Medalists**

1. (tie) Matthias Boesmans, Western Texas College, 71-69-75—215; Jake Stirling, Meridian CC, 71-74-70—215; Jamie Warman, Odessa College, 74-72-69—215. 4. (tie) Austin McNeill, Darton CC, 71-71-74—216; Jon Paul Blampied, Indian Hills CC, 67-76-73—216; Andrew Harvey, Tri-County CC, 72-74-70—216. 7. Cody Taylor, Texarkana CC, 71-74-72—217. 8. (tie) Ben Ludlam, Indian Hills CC, 73-70-75—218; Mariano Rossi, Dodge City CC, 74-69-75—218. 10. Joe Sakulpolphasan, Darton CC, 70-74-76—220.

Western Texas College (292-295-303—890) — Matthias Boesmans 71-69-75—215; Kyle Lucas 75-73-74—222; Julian Hilberts 74-75-77—226; Matthew Whittaker 72-78-77—227; Felix Moesmang 76-82-80—238

Midland College (292-296-315—903) — Blake Brorman 75-72-86—233; Paul Simpson 72-75-80—227; Tyler Turnbow 70-77-76—223; Richard Farmer 75-75-79—229; Luke Richardson 76-74-80—232

Odessa College (297-292-306—895) — Antonio Morales 75-71-82—228; Jamie Warman 74-72-69—215; True Graves 74-74-79—227; Tad Darland 74-77-84—235; Chris Bell 77-75-76—228

New Mexico JC (304-294-308—906) — Willy Hogan 78-71-81—230; Donavin Sanchez 75-74-75—224; Corbin Adams 75-76-77—228; Richard James 79-73-75—227; Taylor Arreola 76-81-84—241

# NBA Playoffs

**CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS**
**EASTERN CONFERENCE**
**Boston 2, Philadelphia 0**

Saturday, May 12: Boston 92, Philadelphia 91

Monday, May 14: Philadelphia 82, Boston 81

Wednesday, May 16: Boston 107, Philadelphia 91

Today's Game: Boston at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.

Monday, May 21: Philadelphia at Boston, 6 or 7 p.m.

x-Wednesday, May 23: Boston at Philadelphia, TBD.

x-Saturday, May 26: Philadelphia at Boston, TBD.

**Indiana 2, Miami 1**

Sunday, May 13: Miami 95, Indiana 86

Tuesday, May 15: Indiana 78, Miami 75

Thursday's Score: Indiana 94, Miami 75

Sunday, May 20: Miami at Indiana, 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 22: Indiana at Miami, 6 or 7 p.m.

x-Thursday, May 24: Miami at Indiana, TBD

x-Saturday, May 26: Indiana at Miami, TBD

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**
**Oklahoma City 2, L.A. Lakers 0**

Monday, May 14: Oklahoma City 119, L.A. Lakers 90

Wednesday, May 16: Oklahoma City 77, L.A. Lakers 75

Today's Game: Oklahoma City at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 19: Oklahoma City at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

x-Monday, May 21: L.A. Lakers at Oklahoma City, 8:30 p.m.

x-Wednesday, May 23: Oklahoma City at L.A. Lakers, TBD

x-Sunday, May 27: L.A. Lakers at Oklahoma City, TBD

**San Antonio 1, L.A. Clippers 0**

Tuesday, May 15: San Antonio 108, L.A. Clippers 92

Thursday's Score: San Antonio 105, L.A. Clippers 88

Saturday, May 19: San Antonio at L.A. Clippers, 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 20: San Antonio at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

x-Tuesday, May 22: L.A. Clippers at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.

x-Friday, May 25: San Antonio at L.A. Clippers, TBD

x-Sunday, May 27: L.A. Clippers at San Antonio, TBD

**THURSDAY'S BOXES**
**SPURS 105, CLIPPERS 88**
**L.A. CLIPPERS (88)** Butler 3-9 2-2 9, Griffin 7-16 6-8 20, Jordan 2-4 0-2 4, Paul 4-9 0-0 10, Foye 4-7 0-0 11, Williams 3-3 2-2 9, Martin 3-5 1-2 7, Young 2-5 3-3 9, Bledsoe 2-3 0-0 4, Evans 1-2 3-4 5. Totals 31-63 17-23 88

**SAN ANTONIO (105)** Leonard 2-5 1-2 5, Duncan 9-14 0-0 18, Diaw 7-7 0-0 16, Parker 8-19 6-6 22, Green 4-6 1-2 13, Ginobili 3-11 2-2 10, Splitter 4-6 1-5 9, Jackson 0-1 0-0 0, Bonner 1-3 0-0 2, Neal 3-6 0-0 7, Mills 1-1 0-0 3. Blair 0-0 0-0 0, Anderson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-79 11-17 105.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **L.A. Clippers** | **21** | **21** | **25** | **21** | **— 88** |
| **San Antonio** | **29** | **17** | **32** | **27** | **— 105** |

3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 9-13 (Foye 3-5, Paul 2-2, Young 2-3, Williams 1-1, Butler 1-2). San Antonio 10-25 (Green 4-6, Diaw 2-2, Ginobili 2-7, Mills 1-1, Neal 1-2, Jackson 0-1, Bonner 0-2, Parker 0-2, Leonard 0-2). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 36 (Jordan 7), San Antonio 45 (Leonard 6). Assists—L.A. Clippers 13 (Paul 5). San Antonio 23 (Parker, Ginobili 5). Total Fouls—L.A. Clippers 20. San Antonio 16. Flagrant Fouls—Griffin A—18,581 (18,797)

**PACERS 94, HEAT 75**
**MIAMI (75)** Batter 0-7 0-0 0, James 10-22 1-3 22, Pittman 0-2 0-0 0, Chalmers 10-15 4-4 25, Wade 2-13 1-2 5, Anthony 2-2 6-6 10, Miller 2-3 0-0 6, Cole 0-1 0-0 0, Jones 1-6 0-0 2, Turiaf 2-3 1-3 5, Haslem 0-2 0-0 0, Harris 0-1 0-0 0. Howard 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 29-78 13-18 75.

**INDIANA (94)** Granger 6-15 2-2 17, West 5-13 4-4 14, Hibbert 9-16 1-2 19, Hill 6-8 5-5 20, George 3-6 2-2 9, Barbosa 0-3 0-0 0, Amundson 0-0 1-2 1, Collison 2-7 3-4 7, Hansbrough 1-4 0-0 2, D.Jones 1-3 2-2 5, Pendergraph 0-0 0-0 0. Price 0-0 0-0 0. Stephenson 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 33-76 20-23 94.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Miami** | **26** | **17** | **12** | **20** | **— 75** |
| **Indiana** | **17** | **26** | **26** | **25** | **— 94** |

3-Point Goals—Miami 4-20 (Miller 2-3, Chalmers 1-1, James 1-4, Harris 0-1, Wade 0-2, J.Jones 0-3, Batter 0-6). Indiana 8-14 (Hill 3-4, Granger 3-6, D.Jones 1-2, George 1-2). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Miami 42 (Turiaf 8). Indiana 58 (Hibbert 18). Assists—Miami 9 (Chalmers 5). Indiana 20 (Hill 5). Total Fouls—Miami 21. Indiana 20. Technicals—Granger, West. A—18,165 (18,165).

# NHL Playoffs

**CONFERENCE FINALS**
**EASTERN CONFERENCE**
**N.Y. Rangers 1, New Jersey 1**

Monday, May 14: NY Rangers 3, New Jersey 0

Wednesday, May 16: New Jersey 3, NY Rangers 2

Saturday, May 19: NY Rangers at New Jersey, Noon

Monday, May 21: NY Rangers at New Jersey, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, May 23: New Jersey at NY Rangers, 7 p.m.

x-Friday, May 25: NY Rangers at New Jersey, 7 p.m.

x-Sunday, May 27: New Jersey at NY Rangers, 7 p.m.

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**
**Los Angeles 2, Phoenix 0**

Sunday, May 13: Los Angeles 4, Phoenix 2

Tuesday, May 15: Los Angeles 4, Phoenix 0

Thursday's Score: Los Angeles 2, Phoenix 1

Sunday, May 20: Phoenix at Los Angeles, 2 p.m.

x-Tuesday, May 22: Los Angeles at Phoenix, 8 p.m.

x-Thursday, May 24: Phoenix at Los Angeles, 8 p.m.

x-Saturday, May 26: Los Angeles at Phoenix, 7 p.m.

**THURSDAY'S SUMMARY**
**KINGS 2, COYOTES 1**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Phoenix** | **0** | **1** | **0** | **— 1** |
| **Los Angeles** | **1** | **0** | **1** | **— 2** |

First Period—None.

Second Period—1, Phoenix, Langkow 1 (Yandle, Morris). 1:03 2, Los Angeles, Kopitar 5 (Brown, Williams). 3:10.

Third Period—3, Los Angeles, King 5 (Lewis, Stoll). 1:47

Shots on Goal—Phoenix 11-4-4—19. Los Angeles 8-7-13—28.

Goalies—Phoenix, Smith. Los Angeles, Quick. A—18,367 (18,118). T—2:26.

# LSFL

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Houston | 4 | 0 | 1.000 | 269 | 145 |
| RG Valley | 3 | 2 | .600 | 231 | 208 |
| Abilene | 2 | 2 | .500 | 161 | 208 |
| Amarillo | 2 | 3 | .400 | 252 | 272 |
| **West Texas** | **2** | **3** | **.400** | **241** | **231** |
| Laredo | 1 | 3 | .400 | 225 | 265 |
| Corpus Christi | 1 | 3 | .250 | 187 | 242 |

**Saturday's Games**
Laredo at Houston, 7:05 p.m.
Amarillo at West Texas, 7:15 p.m.

**Sunday's Game**
Abilene at Corpus Christi, 3:05 p.m.

# Fight Schedule

**Today**
At The Times Union Center, Albany, N.Y. (ESPN), Karim Mayfield vs. Raymond Serrano, 10, for Mayfield's NABO light welterweight title.
At Dover (Del.) Downs Hotel & Casino, Mike Mollo vs. Franklin Lawrence, 10, for the vacant NABA heavyweight title; Mike Stewart vs. Christopher Fernandez, 10, for the WBU welterweight title.

**May 24**
At Boston House of Blues. Danny O'Connor vs. Daniel Sostre, 10, junior welterweights.

# AL Boxes

**ATHLETICS 5, RANGERS 4, 10 INNINGS**

| Oakland | ab | r | h | bi | Texas | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JWeeks 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Kinsler 2b | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Pringle ss | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Andrus ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Reddick rf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | Mthrng dh | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| JGoms lf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | Beltre 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| KSuzuk c | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | DvMrp lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Dnldsn 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | N.Cruz rf | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Barton pr-1b | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Napoli c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Kaalhu dh | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Morlnd 1b | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Rasales 1b | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Snydr ph-1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S.Smith pr | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gentry cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Sogard 3b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Hamlin ph-cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cowgill cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| **Totals** | **39** | **5** | **12** | **5** | **Totals** | **42** | **4** | **10** | **4** |

| Oakland | 300 | 000 | 100 | 1 | — | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Texas | 000 | 202 | 000 | 0 | — | 4 |

E—Pennington (3), Donaldson (4). DP—Texas 2. LOB—Oakland 9, Texas 14. 2B—Pennington (8), J.Gomes (3), K.Suzuki (8), Gentry (2). HR—Reddick (10), Moreland 2 (6). SB—Andrus (7), Dav.Murphy (2). CS—J.Weeks (3). S—Andrus.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Oakland** | | | | | | |
| McCarthy | 5 1-3 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Balfour | 1-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Norberto | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R.Cook W,1-0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Fuentes S,3-4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| **Texas** | | | | | | |
| M.Harrison | 5 1-3 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| M.Lowe | 2-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ogando | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Nathan | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Adams L,0-2 | 1-3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| R.Ross | 2-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

PB—K.Suzuki 2.
T—3:30. A—47,182 (48,194).

**RED SOX 5, RAYS 3**

| Boston | ab | r | h | bi | Tampa Bay | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aviles ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Zobrist rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Punto ss | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | BUpton cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Pedroia 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Scott dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ortiz dh | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Kpppng 2b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| AdGnzl 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | CPena 1b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Middks 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | SRdrgz 3b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| C.Ross rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | EJhnson ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nava lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gimenez c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Byrd cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Joyce ph-lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shppch c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Thmps lf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Stllmch ph-c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | JMolina c | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Totals** | **34** | **5** | **7** | **5** | **Totals** | **35** | **3** | **8** | **3** |

| Boston | 111 | 000 | 020 | — | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tampa Bay | 001 | 100 | 010 | — | 3 |

E—Shoppach (1). LOB—Boston 6, Tampa Bay 12. 2B—Upton (5), Zobrist (4). HR—C.Ross (7), Byrd (1). SB—Zobrist (3). Thompson 2 (2).

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Boston** | | | | | | |
| Doubront W,4-1 | 5 2-3 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 7 |
| Hill | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Atchison | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| A.Miller | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Padilla | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Aceves S,8-10 | 1 1-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Tampa Bay** | | | | | | |
| M.Moore L,1-4 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 8 |
| Badenhop | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Howell | 1-3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| W.Davis | 1 2-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

Badenhop pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.

HBP—by Padilla (Thompson), by Doubront (Scott), by M.Moore (Ad.Gonzalez). PB—Shoppach.

T—3:16. A—19,842 (34,078)

**BLUE JAYS 4, YANKEES 1**

| New York | ab | r | h | bi | Toronto | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jeter ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | KMnnsn 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grndrs cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | YEscor ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Cano 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Bautist rf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Teixeir 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Encrnc 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ibanez lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Arencia c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Swisher dh | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | BFrncs dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| E.Chvz 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Rasms cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Arufos rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | YGoms 3b | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Martin c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Vizquel 3b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | RDavis lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| **Totals** | **31** | **1** | **5** | **1** | **Totals** | **34** | **4** | **9** | **4** |

| New York | 100 | 000 | 000 | — | 1 |
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| Toronto | 002 | 000 | 20x | — | 4 |

E—Jeter (3), Arencibia (3). DP—Toronto 1. LOB—New York 7, Toronto 8. 2B—Granderson (5), Cano (15), Er.Chavez (2), B.Francisco (2). R.Davis (4). HR—Bautista (10), Arencibia (5).

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **New York** | | | | | | |
| PHughes L,3-5 | 5 1-3 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| Wade | 1-2 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| F.Garcia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Toronto** | | | | | | |
| Hutchison W,3-1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Frasor | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Oliver | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Janssen S,3-4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

T—2:37. A—31,266 (49,260)

**WHITE SOX 6, ANGELS 1**

| Chicago | ab | r | h | bi | Los Angeles | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| De Aza cf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Trout rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bckhrn 2b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mthrsn ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| A.Dunn 1b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Pujols 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Konerko dh | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | Trumo dh | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| EEscor pr-dh | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | HKndrc 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rios rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Wells lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Przyns c | 5 | 0 | 3 | 2 | Callasp 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ARmrz ss | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Bourjos cf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Viciedo lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Hester c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lillrdg 1f | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Aybar ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Morel 3b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | BoWhsn c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Totals** | **35** | **6** | **13** | **6** | **Totals** | **31** | **1** | **6** | **1** |

| Chicago | 001 | 300 | 000 | — | 6 |
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| Los Angeles | 000 | 001 | 000 | — | 1 |

E—Trout (1). DP—Los Angeles 4. LOB—Chicago 11, Los Angeles 3. 2B—Trumbo (2). HR—Viciedo (6), Pujols (3). SB—Trumbo (2). CS—De Aza (3). S—De Aza.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Chicago** | | | | | | |
| Sale W,4-2 | 5 1-3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| N.Jones | 1 2-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Thornton | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Crain | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| **Los Angeles** | | | | | | |
| C.Wilson L,4-4 | 3 2-3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 3 |
| D.Carpenter | 1 1-3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Takahashi | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Walden | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Pauley | 2 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

HBP—by C.Wilson (Rios).

T—3:10. A—30,786 (45,957)

**ORIOLES 5, ROYALS 3**

| Baltimore | ab | r | h | bi | Kansas City | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Avery lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Dyson cf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hardy ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Giavtli dh | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Markks rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Butler 1b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| AJdns cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | AGordn lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Betemit dh | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Francr rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C.Davis 1b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Mostks 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Andino 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | AEscor ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Flahrty 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Falu 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Exposit c | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Quirino c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| | | | | | B.Pena c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| **Totals** | **33** | **5** | **8** | **4** | **Totals** | **35** | **3** | **9** | **3** |

| Baltimore | 000 | 200 | 300 | — | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kansas City | 003 | 000 | 000 | — | 3 |

E—Andino (5), Dyson (3). DP—Kansas City 2. LOB—Baltimore 4, Kansas City 8. 2B—Butler (11), Quintero (7). HR—AJ.Jones (13). CS—C.Davis (2). S—Falu.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Baltimore** | | | | | | |
| Matusz W,3-4 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Ayala | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Strop | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J.Johnson S,14-14 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| **Kansas City** | | | | | | |
| Hochevar L,3-4 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 |
| Crow | 2-3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Mijares | 1 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| J.Coleman | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Hochevar pitched to 2 batters in the 7th.

WP—Ayala.

T—2:40. A—31,076 (37,903).

**INDIANS 6, MARINERS 5, 11 INNINGS**

| Seattle | ab | r | h | bi | Cleveland | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ackley 2b-1b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Choo cf | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mfrdtz cf | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Kipnis 2b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| ISuzuki rf | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ACarer ss | 6 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Seager 3b | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Hafner dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Smoak 1b | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | CSnydr ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kawsk pr-2b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | CSantn c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |

# MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

# Standings

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 25 | 14 | .641 | — | — | 6-4 | W-3 | 12-9 | 13-5 |
| Tampa Bay | 24 | 15 | .615 | 1 | — | 5-5 | L-1 | 14-4 | 10-11 |
| Toronto | 21 | 18 | .538 | 4 | — | 5-5 | W-2 | 10-9 | 11-9 |
| New York | 20 | 18 | .526 | 4 1/2 | 1/2 | 5-5 | L-3 | 11-8 | 9-10 |
| Boston | 18 | 20 | .474 | 6 1/2 | 2 1/2 | 6-4 | W-1 | 9-11 | 9-9 |
| **Central Division** | | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
| Cleveland | 22 | 16 | .579 | — | — | 5-5 | W-4 | 10-10 | 12-6 |
| Detroit | 18 | 20 | .474 | 4 | 2 1/2 | 4-6 | L-2 | 9-11 | 9-9 |
| Chicago | 18 | 21 | .462 | 4 1/2 | 3 | 5-5 | W-1 | 7-12 | 11-9 |
| Kansas City | 15 | 22 | .405 | 6 1/2 | 5 | 6-4 | L-2 | 4-15 | 11-7 |
| Minnesota | 12 | 26 | .316 | 10 | 8 1/2 | 5-5 | W-2 | 6-14 | 6-12 |
| **West Division** | | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
| Texas | 24 | 15 | .615 | — | — | 5-5 | L-1 | 11-9 | 13-6 |
| Oakland | 20 | 19 | .513 | 4 | 1 | 5-5 | W-1 | 9-10 | 11-9 |
| Los Angeles | 17 | 22 | .436 | 7 | 4 | 5-5 | L-1 | 11-10 | 6-12 |
| Seattle | 16 | 24 | .400 | 8 1/2 | 5 1/2 | 3-7 | L-4 | 7-6 | 9-16 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | 24 | 15 | .615 | — | — | 6-4 | W-1 | 10-7 | 14-8 |
| Washington | 21 | 15 | .605 | 1/2 | — | 5-5 | L-1 | 14-6 | 9-9 |
| New York | 21 | 17 | .553 | 2 1/2 | 1 | 6-4 | W-1 | 12-8 | 9-9 |
| Miami | 20 | 18 | .526 | 3 1/2 | 1 | 6-4 | L-1 | 9-7 | 11-11 |
| Philadelphia | 20 | 19 | .513 | 4 | 1/2 | 6-4 | W-5 | 9-9 | 11-10 |
| **Central Division** | | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
| St. Louis | 22 | 16 | .579 | — | — | 5-5 | L-1 | 9-8 | 13-8 |
| Cincinnati | 19 | 18 | .514 | 2 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 5-5 | L-1 | 9-8 | 10-10 |
| Pittsburgh | 18 | 20 | .474 | 4 | 3 | 5-5 | W-1 | 10-8 | 8-12 |
| Houston | 17 | 21 | .447 | 5 | 4 | 4-6 | W-2 | 12-8 | 5-13 |
| Milwaukee | 16 | 22 | .421 | 6 | 5 | 4-6 | L-2 | 9-9 | 7-13 |
| Chicago | 15 | 23 | .395 | 7 | 6 | 4-6 | L-3 | 9-12 | 6-11 |
| **West Division** | | | | | | | | | |
| | W | L | Pct | GB | WCGB | L10 | Str | Home | Away |
| Los Angeles | 24 | 13 | .649 | — | — | 6-4 | L-2 | 16-4 | 8-9 |
| San Francisco | 19 | 19 | .500 | 5 1/2 | 2 | 5-5 | W-1 | 10-9 | 9-10 |
| Arizona | 17 | 22 | .436 | 8 | 4 1/2 | 3-7 | W-1 | 7-12 | 10-10 |
| Colorado | 15 | 22 | .405 | 8 | 5 1/2 | 4-6 | L-1 | 9-11 | 6-11 |
| San Diego | 14 | 24 | .368 | 10 1/2 | 7 | 5-5 | W-2 | 10-14 | 4-10 |

Texas (Feliz 3-1) at Houston (W.Rodriguez 3-3). 7:05 p.m.

Arizona (J.Saunders 2-3) at Kansas City (Mendoza 2-2). 7:10 p.m.

Minnesota (Diamond 2-0) at Milwaukee (Estrada 0-2). 7:10 p.m.

Seattle (Millwood 1-4) at Colorado (White 0-2). 7:40 p.m.

L.A. Angels (Weaver 5-1) at San Diego (Suppan 2-1). 9:05 p.m.

Oakland (Parker 1-1) at San Francisco (Zito 2-1). 9:15 p.m.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**
**Thursday's Scores**

N.Y. Mets 3, Cincinnati 2
Arizona 9, Colorado 7
San Francisco 7, St. Louis 5
Pittsburgh 5, Washington 3
Atlanta 7, Miami 0
Houston 4, Milwaukee 0
Philadelphia 8, Chicago Cubs 7
L.A. Dodgers at San Diego, late

**Today's Games**

St. Louis (Lynn 6-1) at L.A. Dodgers (Lilly 5-0). 10:10 p.m.

Luna 1b 5 0 1 0 Matthr ph 1 0 0 0
Galvis 2b 5 0 1 0 rStewrt 3b 3 1 1 0
Hallady p 4 2 2 0 WCastillo c 4 2 2 0
Votto ph 1 0 0 0 Barnhrt 2b 4 0 2 1
Diekmn p 0 0 0 0 Volstad p 0 0 0 0
Papelin p 0 0 0 0 CCoinn p 1 0 0 0
Cardns ph 1 0 0 0
BPark p 0 0 0 0
RJhnsn lf 2 0 0 0
**Totals 41 8 14 8 Totals 31 7 9 7**

| Philadelphia | 130 | 010 | 030 | — | 8 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 100 | 000 | 114 | — | 7 |

E—B.Parker (1). DP—Philadelphia 1, Chicago 1. LOB—Philadelphia 11, Chicago 2. 2B—Pence (7), Ruiz (8), DeJesus (9), W.Castillo (2). HR—S.Castro (2), W.Castillo (1). SB—Victorino (12), Ruiz (1). CS—DeJesus (4). S—Campana. SF—S.Castro.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Philadelphia** | | | | | | |
| Halladay W,4-3 | 8 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| Diekman | 2-3 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Papelbon S,11-11 | 1-3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| **Chicago** | | | | | | |
| Volstad L,0-6 | 2 6 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | |
| C.Coleman | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| B.Parker | 1 2-3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Bowden | 1 1-3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Russ | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

DP—Philadelphia 1.

T—3:06 A—37,986 (41,009)

**PIRATES 5, NATIONALS 3**

| Pittsburgh | ab | r | h | bi | Washington | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tabata lf-rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Dsmnd ss | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Berndn lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| AMcCt cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Zimrmn p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| RMrtz 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | SBurnit p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GJones rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Tracy ph-1b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Grilli p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Zmrmn 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hanrhn p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | LaRoch 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| McGeh 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Matths p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Barajs c | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | Harper rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jhnson ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Espinos 2b | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| J.Cruz p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Ankiel cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McCtch lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Flores c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Melchrt p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Zimrmn p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Watson p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Lmrdzz ph-lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Barmes ph-ss | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | |
| **Totals** | **34** | **5** | **10** | **5** | **Totals** | **32** | **3** | **6** | **3** |

| Pittsburgh | 100 | 201 | 100 | — | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 000 | 003 | 000 | — | 3 |

DP—Washington 2. LOB—Pittsburgh 5, Washington 7. 2B—J.Harrison (2), Espinosa (5), Flores (2), Lombardozzi (5). 3B—LaRoche (1). HR—A.McCutchen 2 (5), Barajas (3). S—Barmes, Flores.

| | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Pittsburgh** | | | | | | |
| Ja.McDonald W,3-2 | 5 2-3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 11 |
| Watson | 1-3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J.Cruz | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Grilli | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Hanrahan S,8-9 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| **Washington** | | | | | | |
| Zimmermann L,2-4 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 |
| Stammen | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| S.Burnett | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Matthaus | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

WP—Zimmermann.

T—3:01 A—25,757 (41,487)

**BRAVES 7, MARLINS 0**

| Miami | ab | r | h | bi | Atlanta | ab | r | h | bi |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Reyes ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Bourn cf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Infante 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Prado lf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| HRmrz 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Frmrn 1b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| DMrphy rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Uggla 2b | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Mornsn lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | McCnn c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Stanton rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | C.Jones 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| JSchrzr c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Heyward rf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Bonifacc cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Pstrnck ss | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| MDunn p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Beachy p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Hayes p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | |
| Nolasco p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Kearns ph | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | |
| Gaudin p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Petersn cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| **Totals** | **32** | **0** | **5** | **0** | **Totals** | **34** | **7** | **12** | **7** |

| Miami | 000 | 000 | 000 | — | 0 |
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| Atlanta | 102 | 130 | 00x | — | 7 |

E—Pastornicky (4). LOB—Miami 5, Atlanta 9. 2B—

# LA Kings move to brink of Cup final

By Greg Beacham
*Associated Press*

LOS ANGELES — Dwight King scored the tiebreaking goal early in the third period, Jonathan Quick made 18 saves, and the Los Angeles Kings rolled to the brink of their first Stanley Cup final in 19 years with a 2-1 victory over the Phoenix Coyotes on Thursday night.

The Kings lead the Western Conference finals 3-0.

"We wanted to have our own push in front of our owns fans, show our push," said Kings forward Jarret Stoll, whose hustle set up King's goal. "It took us a while to get our own game (going), but we did, especially in the third period."

Anze Kopitar also scored to help the eighth-seeded Kings improve to 11-1 in their improbable postseason run. Despite trailing in a game for the first time since April 28, King scored his fourth goal in three games against the Coyotes, who face a deficit only three teams have overcome in NHL playoff history.

Game 4 is Sunday at Staples Center.

Mike Smith stopped 26 shots in a standout performance for the third-seeded Coyotes, who must win four straight to reach their first Stanley Cup final in club history.

Although the Kings have won eight consecutive playoff games during this rampage through the West bracket, they fell behind for the first time in nearly 18 periods when Daymond Langkow scored on a breakaway for Phoenix early in the second period. That deficit disappeared just over 2 minutes later on Kopitar's breakaway goal.

King came through again 1:47 into the third, beating Smith high to the glove side. The massive rookie scored two goals in the series opener and added the winner in Game 2.

In front of a long-suffering crowd gratefully enjoying its unexpected good fortune after decades of disappointment, the Kings dominated the third period in front of Quick.

# THURSDAY'S MLB ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

**RED SOX 5, RAYS 3**

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Cody Ross homered and drove in four runs, Felix Doubront won his third consecutive start and Boston snapped Tampa Bay's four-game winning streak.

Ross extended the lead to 5-2 on a two-run single off reliever Wade Davis with two outs in the eighth.

**BLUE JAYS 4, YANKEES 1**

TORONTO — Jose Bautista and J.P. Arencibia each hit a two-run homer, Drew Hutchison won consecutive starts for the first time and Toronto swept a two-game series from the Yankees.

New York lost its third straight and fell to 0-9 this season when failing to hit at least one home run. The Yankees, who have scored 12 total runs in nine losses this month, dropped into fourth place in the AL East.

**TWINS 4, TIGERS 3**

DETROIT — Justin Morneau hit a two-run homer in his second game back from a wrist injury, and the Twins swept the two-game series at Comerica Park.

P.J. Walters (1-1) allowed four hits — including three solo homers — in 6 1-3 innings for the Twins Park. Minnesota (12-26) has won two in a row for only the second time this season.

**ORIOLES 5, ROYALS 3**

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Adam Jones hit a two-run homer, J.J. Hardy also drove in a pair of runs and the Orioles beat the Royals for their seventh straight road win.

The Orioles also improved to 12-1 when Jones goes deep, including a victory over the Royals the previous night, when his homer in the 15th inning decided the game.

**INDIANS 6, MARINERS 5, 11 INNINGS**

CLEVELAND — Carlos Santana hit a game-ending single with one out and the bases loaded in the 11th inning, capping a two-run rally and lifting the Indians to a victory over Seattle.

Michael Saunders' run-scoring double in the top of the inning gave Seattle a 5-4 lead, but closer Brandon League (0-3) couldn't hold the lead.

**WHITE SOX 6, ANGELS 1**

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Chris Sale pitched effectively into the sixth inning, giving Chicago's rotation a much-needed solid outing, and the White Sox capitalized on some shoddy defense by the Los Angeles Angels for a victory.

After a three-game stretch in which starters John Danks, Jake Peavy and Gavin Floyd gave up a combined 18 earned runs over 14 1-3 innings, Sale (4-2) restored order in his sixth major league start. The 23-year-old left-hander struck out seven and was working on a three-hit shutout in the sixth when he gave up a one-out homer to Albert Pujols and a double to Mark Trumbo and was replaced by Nate Jones. Trumbo had a career-high four hits.

Pat Sullivan/AP

Houston's Brian Bogusevic, right, slides across home plate as Milwaukee Brewers catcher Jonathan Lucroy misses the throw Thursday in the fourth inning in Houston.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

**ASTROS 4, BREWERS 0**

HOUSTON — Jed Lowrie hit a two-run homer and J.A. Happ pitched out of trouble for six innings before three relievers completed Houston's shutout against Milwaukee.

Happ (3-3) yielded seven hits and walked one, escaping jam after jam as the Brewers stranded eight while he was on the mound. The win wrapped up a two-game sweep for the Astros.

**METS 9, REDS 4**

NEW YORK — David Wright lined his second double of the game, a tiebreaking drive in the eighth inning that raised his major league-leading average to .411 and sent the New York Mets past the Cincinnati Reds 9-4 Thursday.

Down 4-0, the Mets began their comeback in the middle innings.

**PHILLIES 8, CUBS 7**

CHICAGO — Roy Halladay threw eight innings for his first victory in a month and Philadelphia held off Chicago for its season-best fifth straight victory.

Halladay (4-3) hadn't won since April 16, a span of five starts, and had lost three straight decisions to match a career high. But he limited the Cubs to three runs and scattered seven hits. The two-time Cy Young Award winner has allowed three earned runs or fewer in eight of his nine starts this season.

**BRAVES 7, MARLINS 0**

ATLANTA — Brandon Beachy pitched a five-hitter for his first career complete game as Atlanta beat Miami.

Beachy (5-1) has won five straight decisions since losing his first start. He had no walks and six strikeouts, lowering his major league-best ERA from 1.60 to 1.33.

**PIRATES 5, NATIONALS 3**

WASHINGTON — Andrew McCutchen homered twice and James McDonald struck out a career-high 11 while taking a no-hitter into the sixth inning to lead Pittsburgh past Washington.

**GIANTS 7, CARDINALS 5**

SAN FRANCISCO — Brandon Crawford hit a two-run single for his first RBIs since April and San Francisco capitalized on shoddy fielding by St. Louis to give Matt Cain support on a rare shaky day.

**DIAMONDBACKS 9, ROCKIES 7**

DENVER — Justin Upton hit a two-out, two-run homer off closer Rafael Betancourt in the ninth inning to help the Diamondbacks beat the Rockies in a game that was briefly delayed by a swarm of bees.

# '11 Nelson runner-up Palmer leads with opening 64

By Stephen Hawkins
*Associated Press*

IRVING — Ryan Palmer has been thinking about redemption at the Byron Nelson Championship, and a chance at home to hold up that trophy.

The 2011 Nelson runner-up is off to a good start.

Palmer, who lives in Colleyville not far from the TPC Four Seasons, opened with a 6-under 64 on Thursday to take a one-stroke lead over Marc Leishman and Alex Cejka.

Last year, Palmer birdied the 72nd hole to force a playoff against Keegan Bradley. Palmer then hit his approach into the greenside water to hand Bradley his first tour title.

"I didn't lose it last year by any means," Palmer said. "But to get back in the same setting with the same people watching, here where I live, and just to have that feeling again, this time be the guy standing with the trophy, that's been my focus."

Palmer's bogey-free start came on a relatively calm day. With only a light breeze, 85 players were at par or better in the first round on the 7,166-yard course where Palmer and Bradley finished 72 holes last year at 3-under 277.

Coming off his victory at The Players Championship last weekend, Matt Kuchar overcome an opening bogey and was in a group of seven players at 66.

"Coming off momentum, a little tired," said Kuchar, No. 5 in the world ranking. "It was a whole lot of extracurricular activities out of the norm for me, but I feel good about the round."

Kuchar's approach shot at No. 1 went over the green. He tried to putt it up the hill, but the ball ended up rolling back to his feet, prompting someone in the gallery to say, "I could have done that."

When Kuchar tried again, he got the ball within 4 feet for his only bogey. He was under par to stay after birdies at Nos. 3 and 4.

Bradley, who won the PGA Championship three months after the Nelson, was among 13 players who shot 67. His up-and-down round included four bogeys, five birdies and an eagle.

The only other top 10 player this week is 10th-ranked Phil Mickelson. Back at the Nelson for the first time in five years, he had a 70 with two birdies and two bogeys.

"It's a beautiful day, it's warm, not too hot, the greens are in great shape. They're receptive, you can get the ball stopped," said Mickelson, the 1996 Nelson champ. "Really good opportunity to take advantage of the course, and I just didn't."

The forecast for Friday, and into Saturday, calls for wind steady at 15-20 mph and gusting to 30. That is similar to what happened last year, when scoring conditions quickly got tougher.

"Blow wind, blow! ... Picking up about 12:45 (p.m.) hopefully," said Palmer, who plays Friday morning. "Maybe we can build on (the first round) and set myself up for a big weekend."

It worked so well last year that Palmer is again letting caddie James Edmondson call all the shots at the Nelson. With input from instructor Randy Smith, Edmondson tells Palmer what and where to it.

They have tried that briefly at other courses without the same kind of success. But the formula works at the Nelson.

"Continuation from last year, that's what's cool," Palmer said. "For some reason, I get in the frame of mind with this golf course and what me and him are doing, and it was the same exact thing. I didn't move until he put the bag down and half of the time he pulled the club out of the bag and handed it to me, I didn't know what the club was."

# RANGERS

From 1C

into the Rangers bullpen in right-center field ended Texas reliever Alexi Ogando's scoreless streak at 15 1-3 innings.

"That was a huge momentum swing," Melvin said. "They have the lead, with guys who have had a lot of success in the bullpen. It was a huge pick-me-up for us."

The Rangers had runners at first and third with one out in the ninth but couldn't score off Ryan Cook (1-0), who picked up his first major league win and has 19 2-3 scoreless innings this season, most among AL relievers.

Michael Young reached on a two-base error by Josh Donaldson and went to third on a groundout. Nelson Cruz struck out between intentional walks to David Murphy and Mike Napoli, then Brandon Snyder grounded out with the bases loaded. Texas ended up stranding 14 runners.

"That situation with a man on second and nobody out in the bottom of the ninth, you just have to figure out a way to let nobody score," Cook said.

Ka'aihue's winning hit off Mike Adams (0-2) drove in Jonny Gomes, who had three hits.

Moreland pulled Texas to 3-2 with a two-run homer just over the left field fence in fourth and tied it with a deeper shot to right in the sixth. He has six homers.

# NBA PLAYOFFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

**PACERS 94, HEAT 75**

INDIANAPOLIS — Roy Hibbert had 19 points and 18 rebounds, George Hill scored 20 and Danny Granger 17 as the Indiana Pacers, showing more balance, toughness and togetherness than Miami, throttled the Heat 94-75 on Thursday night in Game 3 of the Eastern Conference semifinals.

Overlooked during the regular season and given little chance to upset the reigning East champions, the Pacers took a 2-1 lead in the best-of-seven series.

Game 4 is Sunday at raucous Bankers Life Fieldhouse.

# At Preakness, Motion is the hunter, not the target

By David Ginsburg
*Associated Press*

BALTIMORE — A year ago, Graham Motion was one of the most popular figures at Pimlico Race Course.

As the trainer of Kentucky Derby winner Animal Kingdom, Motion had the lone horse in the Preakness field with a shot at winning the Triple Crown.

"The pressure is on you," the Englishman recalled Thursday. "The two weeks between the Derby and the Preakness, I felt like I was holding my breath. You're kind of walking on egg shells, hoping everything is going great with the horse."

Animal Kingdom came in second in the 2011 Preakness, a half-length behind Shackleford. Motion can't get the outcome out of his mind — no matter how hard he tries.

"We came that close," Motion said, holding his index finger and thumb a half-inch apart. "I was quite shocked to see Shackleford's picture on the grandstand when I drove in this morning. That was kind of a pit in my stomach."

Motion will saddle Went the Day Well in the Preakness on Saturday. The bay colt finished fourth in the Derby two weeks ago but has won two of his four starts this year.

Went the Day Well was bumped at Churchill Downs and forced to go seven wide in an effort to catch up. He rallied gamely under jockey John Velazquez, but couldn't quite make up enough ground to finish in the money.

"He ended up much farther back than Johnny wanted in the Derby, and that's probably what cost him being second. Maybe cost him the win," Motion said. "It's all about getting a good trip. There's always going to be a horse in the Derby that doesn't get a good trip, and that's what makes it so hard to win the Triple Crown."

If Motion has his way, horse racing will go another year without a Triple Crown winner. I'll Have Another has assumed the role held by Animal Kingdom last year, and Motion is determined to deny the Derby winner from making it two in a row.

"We're going to try our best to make sure it doesn't happen," Motion said. "We're going to make it hard for him. Let's put it that way."

Motion has been operating in relative obscurity this week while I'll Have Another trainer Doug O'Neill and Bob Baffert, trainer of Preakness favorite Bodemeister, are attracting much of the attention.

"I'm more comfortable being under the radar," Motion said.

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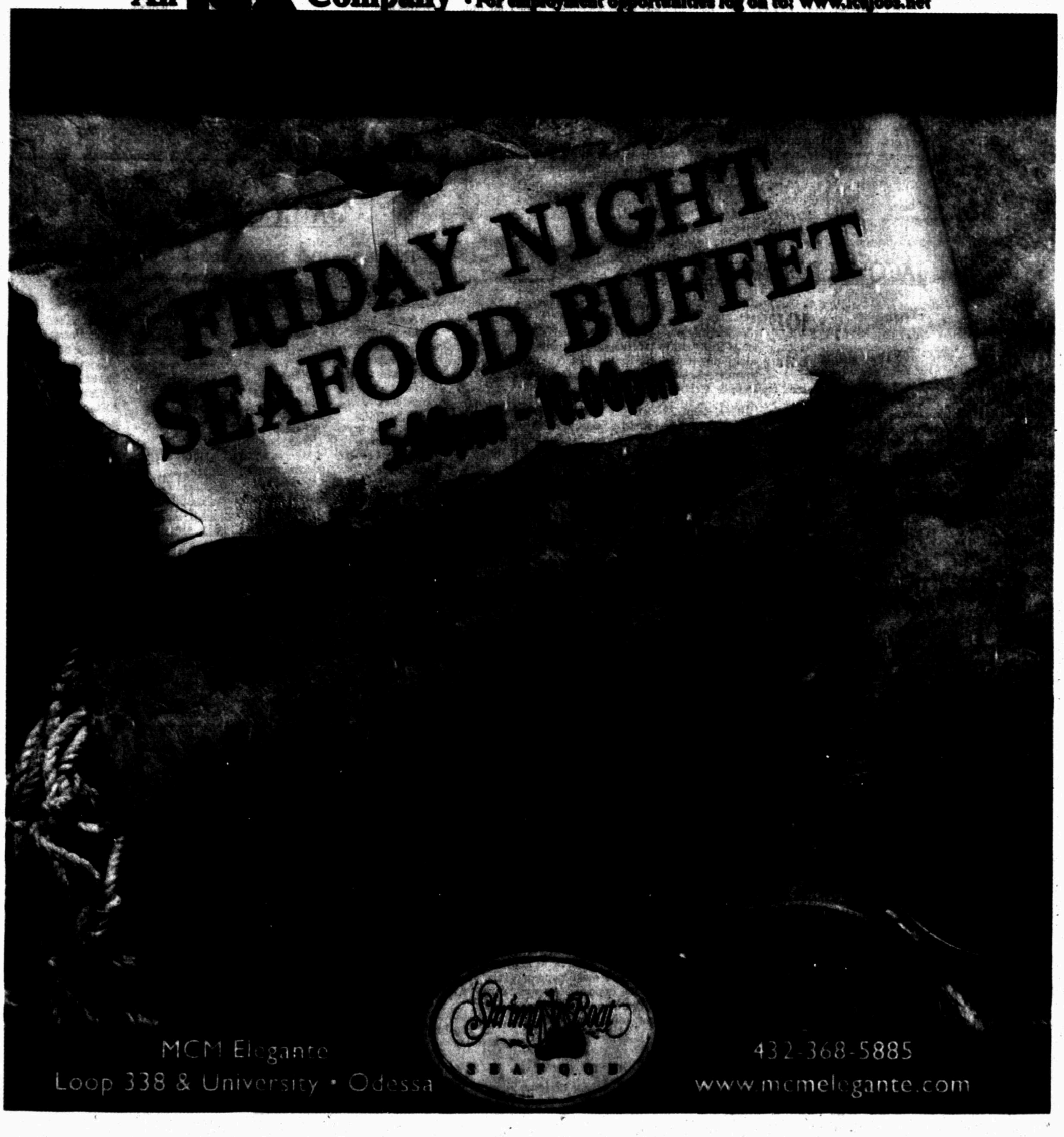

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**TODAY** Sunny High 93 Low 73

**SATURDAY** Mostly sunny High 93 Low 65

**SUNDAY** Mostly sunny High 85 Low 63

# LOCAL FORECAST

Expect sunny skies today with a high around 93 and south winds between 10 and 20 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly clear conditions with a low around 67 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph.

Saturday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 93, a low around 65 and south winds between 5 and 10 mph.

Sunday, look for mostly sunny skies with a high around 85 and a low around 63.

The high on Thursday reached 86 while the low dropped to 57. The record high for May 17 is 101 set in 2001. The record low is 47 set in 1986.

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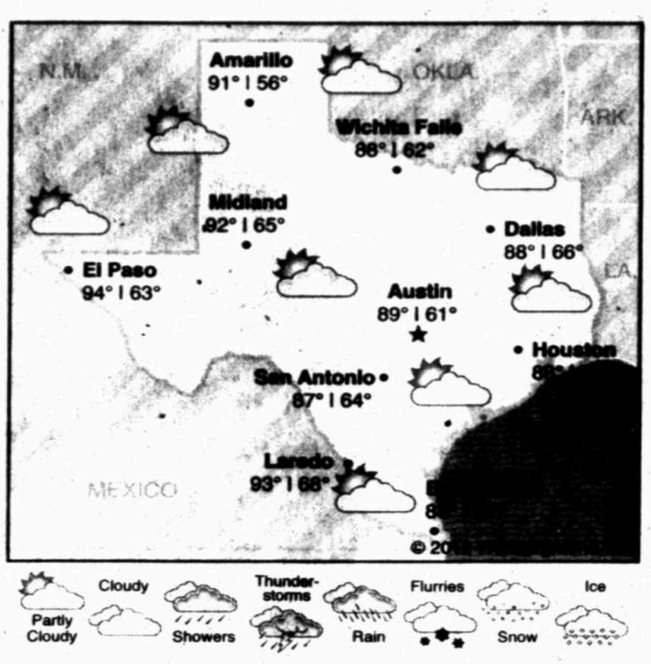
The East will be affected by two weather systems today: high pressure in the North and a stalled front in the South. Sun and low humidity will prevail in New England, the Middle Atlantic region and the Appalachians. The front in the South will bring clouds, showers and thunderstorms, mainly to Atlantic Coast areas. A few of the downpours can lead to urban flooding.

Farther west, much of the Plains and Midwest will be dry and sunny with weak high pressure in control. A strong flow from the south will bring very warm conditions to much of the Plains and Mississippi Valley.




| Precipitation | | Thursday's temperatures | |
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| Wednesday | 0.00 in. | High | 86 |
| Thursday | 0.00 in. | Low | 57 |
| Total for month | 2.88 in. | Normal high | 88 |
| Total for year | 4.23 in. | Normal low | 60 |
| Normal total (year to date) | 3.28 in. | Sunrise | 6:49 a.m. |
| | | Sunset | 8:41 p.m. |

## National forecast

Forecast highs for Friday, May 18

# *Dad not eager to celebrate at rival graduation parties*

## 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:** I am a divorced man with a live-in girlfriend I'll call Donna. Her two boys also live with us. Donna's older son will graduate from high school this year, and she has planned a party that her mother and other family members will attend from out of state.

My daughter, "Sara," is graduating from the same high school. Sara has shared her concerns with me that Donna's family won't care about celebrating her graduation. I tried to assure her that it's my day to celebrate her accomplishment with her.

I discussed this with Donna and asked if we could recognize Sara at her son's party. Donna refused because my ex is having a party for Sara, and her son would be an invited guest but not the celebrated graduate there.

I say it's a different scenario because I'm Sara's father, and if I were remarried, we'd celebrate the step-sibling graduation together. Donna then told me she has some issues with the way Sara behaves at times. I feel this has given me an insight that I don't like. How should I handle this upcoming graduation and other important issues? — MIXED FEELINGS IN MISSOURI

DEAR MIXED FEELINGS: Handle the graduation and other important issues by keeping them SEPARATE. While it would be generous for Sara to be acknowledged at Donna's son's party, it isn't mandatory — and I'm sure the reverse isn't planned for the party your ex is hosting for Sara.

What the circumstances "would be" if you and Donna were married instead of living together is irrelevant because you are not married and the graduates are not step-siblings. However, this does point up that Donna has not warmed to Sara as much as she might have and you might wish she had. And, because it could be a deal-breaker, this is an issue that should be examined carefully in the very near future.

**DEAR ABBY:** I'm a 16-year-old girl. I love my mother, but she puts very little effort into how she looks. She has been divorced since I was a baby and hasn't dated much. When it comes to how we dress, we are complete opposites. I like to put on real clothes, even if I'm accompanying my mom to the grocery store. She goes out wearing sweats and no bra.

Sometimes I try to help her by picking out her outfits for the week, but she gets mad when I say anything about her no-bra rule. She says I'm trying to pressure her to be someone she's not. Maybe I am, but I want her to meet people and go on dates. It feels like she has no pride in what she looks like. I care about her, but I can't help but see that she could improve. — DOTING DAUGHTER IN MARYLAND

DEAR DOTING DAUGHTER: We could all "improve," but if your mother is comfortable with herself as she is, you should try to accept her that way. Many women find bras uncomfortable, and if they don't have to wear them they don't — especially when wearing loose sweatshirts.

Your mother appears to be happy with her circumstances. When she's ready to try to attract male attention, she will. You are sweet to want to help her, but trying to manipulate her isn't working, so for both your sakes, cut it out.

# GOREN BRIDGE

*With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch*

### Kill the king

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ 7 5 3
♡ K J 9 8
◇ K J 10 4
♣ A 10

WEST
♠ K Q 10 8 4
♡ 10
◇ 7 3 2
♣ 7 6 5 3

EAST
♠ A 6
♡ 7 6 5 3 2
◇ 6 5
♣ Q J 9 8

SOUTH
♠ J 9 2
♡ A Q 4
◇ A Q 9 8
♣ K 4 2

The bidding:

| SOUTH | WEST | NORTH | EAST |
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| 1NT | Pass | 2♣ | Pass |
| 2◇ | Pass | 3NT | Pass |
| Pass | Pass | | |

Opening lead: King of ♠

Here's another deal from Eddie Kantar's award-winning series "Thinking Bridge," designed for players who want to improve their game.

"East needs longer and stronger clubs to double the two-club bid (Stayman). The lead-directing double at a low level typically is made with five or six cards headed by three honors.

"East overtakes the king of spades, unblocking the suit and returns a spade. East-West rattle off the first five spade tricks. It is pretty close to automatic to overtake the lead of the king at no-trump with A-x unless dummy has something like J-x-x or 10-x-x-x, in which case overtaking sets up an undeserved trick in dummy.

"As an aside, East knows quite a bit about the deal from the bidding, the lead and dummy's strength. From the bidding, East knows that South does not have four spades.

"From the lead, East knows that West has at least five spades (South can't have four) headed by the K Q 10 or K Q J. If West's spades are weaker, West leads fourth-best. From the strength of the dummy (12 high-card points) East knows the opponents have a combined 28 high-card points, give or take 1 point (East assigns South 16 HCP, a middle count, to make this calculation). If the opponents have 28 HCP between them, East-West have 12. East has 7 HCP and he knows partner has the king-queen of spades for 5 HCP. That's 12! Bidding, lead and strength calculations help map out the strategy."

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# JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

*The stars show the kind of day you'll have: 5-dynamic; 4-positive; 3-average; 2-so-so; 1-difficult*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, May 18, 2012:

This year you seem more integrated into the social scene than before. Your personality emerges even more and draws many special people toward you. If you are single, the world is your oyster. Have fun choosing the most suitable partner for you. If you are attached, curb a tendency to be a little too me-oriented. Your partner needs your time and attention. Travel and/or education could play a major role in your decision-making process. You are grounded, practical and charismatic this year. Your creativity weaves in and out of issues, plans and important relationships. Use this time well. Don't go to battle with a fellow TAURUS. He or she is as willful as you are.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You become more aware of what you have to offer. Be sure to maintain your needs as well. Your budget could become an area for scrutiny. Wearing rose-colored shades might be fun, but it could cause a fiscal disaster. Tonight: Enjoy yourself without breaking the bank.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ You smile, and others cannot help but respond. Do you have your wish list nearby? If so, you might want to zero in on a coveted item. Others seem only too happy to pave the way. Your creativity will come into play. Tonight: Paint the town red.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) ★★★ A lot might be going on around you, especially in your community or workplace. You might only be seeing one facet of a situation. Know that this trait is neither all good nor all bad. You simply perceive things in a comfortable manner. Tonight: Not to be found.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Zero in on what you feel is important. You have a tendency to sell yourself short or become insecure. You'll do such a great job at covering up your feelings that you might not even know how you really feel. Tonight: You are the party.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Events seem to naturally unfurl in a positive manner. You'll step up to the plate, but be aware that your finances could come into play. This situation could cost you. A partner could be confused or viewing a monetary situation very differently. Tonight: You are the lead player.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You might have difficulty staying anchored. A key person in your life might not mean to be so vague — he or she is just hard to pin down to get answers. Let your imagination run wild. Welcome a brainstorming session, and answers will emerge. Tonight: Relax to a good movie.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Your awareness of others and their expectations sometimes could cause you angst. Recognize your limits and what you are willing to do. Others tend to be unpredictable at this juncture. Curb your anger. Take a walk or participate in some other stress-reducing exercise. Tonight: Dinner with a loved one.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You need to allow your mind to wander a little more. You often are a source of unusual ideas that seem to satisfy many people who have a difference of opinion. A friend could be pushy and wants you to spend more time with him or her. Tonight: Where your friends are.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ You might want to rethink your plans with an eye to clearing up as much as you can in order to enjoy yourself. You come from a place of strength and understanding. Schedule a late lunch; you could find it very relaxing. Tonight: Whatever soothes your soul.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ You might want to try to do something very different than the way you typically do, so take a risk and do just that. You will enjoy the excitement and change of pace. Your imagination leads the way. Bring others together to join you. Tonight: Continue the fun.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ If you can take the day or part of the day off from your routine, do. You could find that the change not only reinvigorates you but also impacts a close loved one. In this freeing atmosphere, you'll discover a new vitality. Tonight: Close to home.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Your words have power. How you decide to integrate an important matter could make someone very comfortable, or just the opposite. As you claim your power, recognize the impact you would like to have here. Tonight: Join your friends.

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BORN TODAY

Pope John Paul II (1920), fashion designer Pierre Balmain (1914), film director Frank Capra (1897)

# DAILY CROSSWORD

### Edited By Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

**ACROSS**
1 Stretch in the womb
5 Stare open-mouthed
9 Sauce made with pine nuts
14 Samoa's capital
15 Flier since 1948
16 Different
17 Blue-tongued dog in the canine version of the "Twilight" series?
19 Madame Gorbachev
20 Numerical prefix
21 Trans Am option
23 T-Mobile competitor
24 Promise preceding a pronouncement
25 Powerful dog that loves a Passover staple?
29 Tireless campaign
31 Partial
32 Convenient encl.
33 Body sci.
36 Secondary railroad line
37 Rumbas for retrievers?
40 Crockpot concoction
42 "Go on!"
43 Victor's wife, in "Casablanca"
47 "Magnificent" mystic
49 Sources of local college tension
51 Engages in toy dog smuggling?
54 Smidgen
55 __ certain age
56 Place for Sundance?
57 Nepal rumbler
59 Off
61 Scholarly little Spitz?
64 Mardi Gras parade group
65 Medicinal houseplant
66 Japanese sandal
67 Tacked on
68 21-Across, e.g.
69 Firenze pronoun

**DOWN**
1 Maneuvers
2 FDA-banned herbal supplement
3 Not just funny
4 Bryn __ College
5 "Fancy that!"
6 To a man
7 Chopin work
8 "Phaedo" philosopher
9 Mammal whose name derives from the Latin words for "pig" and "fish"
10 Greek vowel
11 Acupressure technique
12 More cranky
13 Spoke
18 Ole Miss rival
22 Sphere
26 Very little
27 Watches over
28 Sinks an easy putt
30 1993 Best Mexican-American Album Grammy winner
34 "Open wide" response
35 Govt. issue
38 Came to
39 Falsify, as books
40 Redd's Fred
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47 Dolphins Hall of Famer Larry
48 St. Paul hrs.
50 Used to be
52 Stock phrase
53 Author of epistolas
58 Visibility hamperer
60 Be a bit shy
62 Jersey sound
63 Flag carrier

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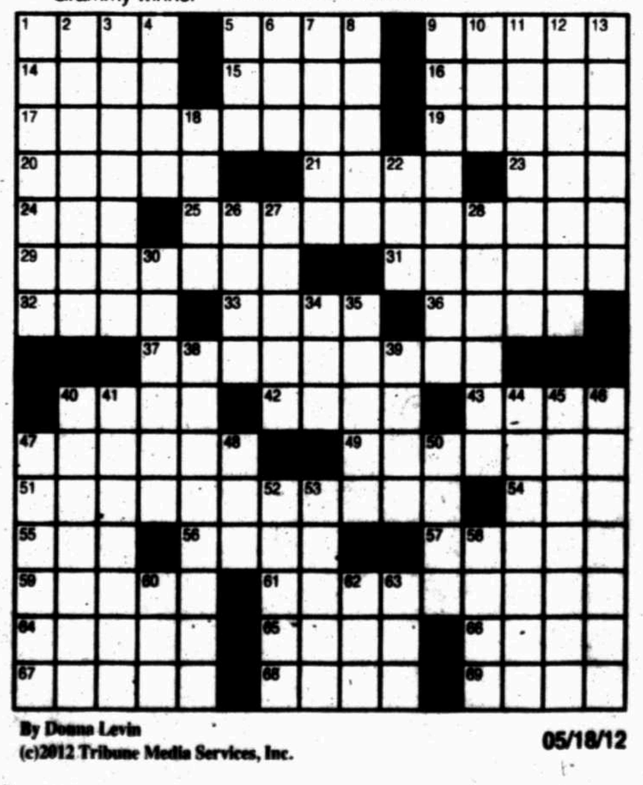

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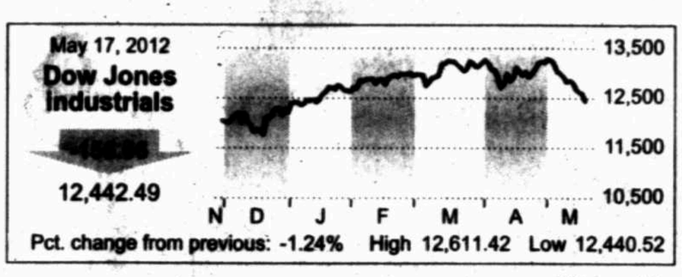


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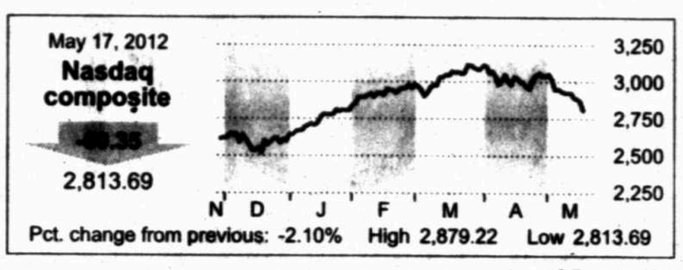


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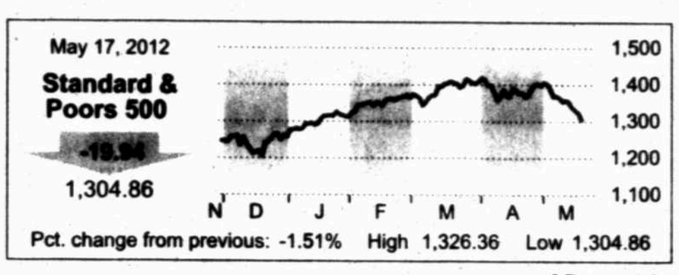


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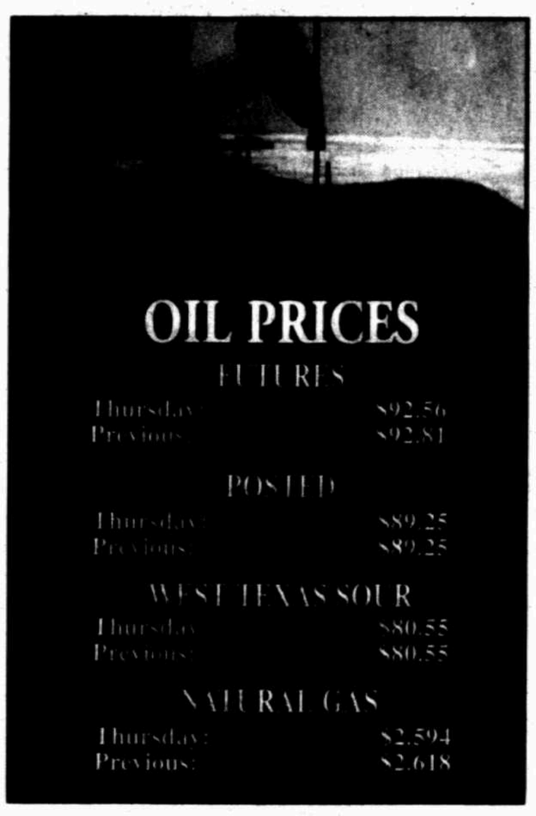


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| S&P500ETF | 2105341 | 130.86 | -1.97 | DndRsaBear | 40.98 | +5.18 | +14.5 |
| SPDR Fncl | 1495344 | 13.93 | -.29 | DirDGldBll | 8.99 | +1.05 | +13.2 |
| JPMorgCh | 936483 | 33.93 | -1.53 | iP SXR1K | 27.95 | +3.05 | +12.2 |
| Bar iPVix | 736170 | 21.00 | +.93 | Pretium g | 12.26 | +1.28 | +11.7 |

| Losers ($2 or more) | Last | Chg | %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|
| AdvAuto | 68.17 | -13.93 | -17.0 |
| E-CDang | 6.28 | -1.21 | -16.2 |
| DxRssBull rs | 21.33 | -3.60 | -14.4 |
| DirDGldBr | 65.66 | -10.38 | -13.7 |
| YingliGrn | 2.80 | -.42 | -13.0 |

| Diary | |
|---|---|
| Advanced | 422 |
| Declined | 2,667 |
| Unchanged | 75 |
| Total issues | 3,164 |
| New Highs | 15 |
| New Lows | 161 |
| Volume | 4,578,265,699 |

### AMEX

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| NovaGld g | 46521 | 5.43 | +.32 | MGTCap rs | 5.93 | +.74 | +14.3 |
| NwGold g | 41257 | 7.78 | +.51 | KeeganR g | 2.93 | +.31 | +11.8 |
| Rentech | 25555 | 1.79 | -.06 | Nevsun g | 2.98 | +.29 | +10.8 |
| GoldStr g | 20182 | 1.32 | +.05 | NovaCpp n | 3.28 | +.28 | +9.3 |

| Losers ($2 or more) | Last | Chg | %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|
| GoldenMin | 3.39 | -.66 | -16.3 |
| Accelr8 | 2.76 | -.42 | -13.2 |
| AvalonHld | 3.90 | -.57 | -12.8 |
| ChenereEn | 14.03 | -1.40 | -9.1 |
| Metalico | 2.76 | -.23 | -7.7 |

| Diary | |
|---|---|
| Advanced | 151 |
| Declined | 309 |
| Unchanged | 29 |
| Total issues | 489 |
| New Highs | 2 |
| New Lows | 25 |
| Volume | 93,211,190 |

### NASDAQ

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| SiriusXM | 1717720 | 1.83 | -.13 | CarverB rs | 5.09 | +1.27 | +33.2 |
| PwShs QQQ | 989952 | 61.61 | -1.33 | Pansoft | 3.93 | +.75 | +23.6 |
| Microsoft | 468759 | 29.72 | -.18 | Kingstone | 4.51 | +.77 | +20.6 |
| Cisco | 403366 | 16.55 | -.14 | TrnWEnt | 2.95 | +.44 | +17.5 |
| MicronT | 323514 | 5.95 | -.20 | SocketMob | 2.29 | +.32 | +16.2 |

| Losers ($2 or more) | Last | Chg | %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|
| RosttaG rs | 3.95 | -1.04 | -20.8 |
| GT AdvTc | 4.49 | -.83 | -15.6 |
| HeliosM rs | 2.30 | -.40 | -14.8 |
| RedRobin | 30.53 | -5.22 | -14.6 |
| iSHEMEgy | 39.82 | -6.32 | -13.7 |

| Diary | |
|---|---|
| Advanced | 480 |
| Declined | 2,018 |
| Unchanged | 107 |
| Total issues | 2,605 |
| New Highs | 17 |
| New Lows | 168 |
| Volume | 1,984,109,554 |

# Economist sees transitions made by Midland, Odessa economies

**By Mella McEwen**
*Oil Editor*

Having studied the Midland and Odessa economies for more than a decade, Amarillo Economist Karr Ingham has watched them contract and expand and change.

"I think the economy has transitioned," he said Thursday as he addressed the Midland Downtown Rotary Club. Estimating that upstream oil and gas operations comprised over 82 percent of the Midland-Odessa economies as recently as 2008, he said the economies are as tied "to the oil and gas industry as they ever were."

"But that doesn't mean they haven't transitioned," he said.

The Midland-Odessa area has transitioned, adapted and stayed ahead of the curve, he said. "I don't know if the economic development goal is to begin to change that equation and bring other industries into the mix. Industry does what it does and that will drive the overall economy."

Working with Midland Development Corp. and Security Bank, Ingham monthly prepares the Midland-Odessa Regional Economic Index and the Texas Permian Basin Petroleum Index. The petroleum index serves as a leading indicator of where the overall economy is headed, he said. "With varying degrees of lead time, the petroleum index will turn before the other does. And what precipitates a change in the petroleum index is a change in oil prices."

Ingham said the run-up in oil prices that began in 2002 led to 60 months of economic growth that saw the local economies expand more than 60 percent. While the area was impacted by the economic downturn that began in late 2008, unlike many other metro areas, Midland and Odessa have now returned to, if not surpassed, their highs seen in 2008, he said.

Ingham said economies can transition in a number of ways, including technology, infrastructure, labor force and the skills required of labor force. "In terms of advancement of technology, this area has been a region that has served in many ways as a laboratory for the rest of the world in production techniques. This is not the economy of the 1980s. It's hard to suggest oil and gas doesn't make up as much of the economy, but it's different. It's more sophisticated; the region's more sophisticated."

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### Through the years

**Comparing the first quarter of 2012 with the same quarter of 1996:**

- Retail sales are up 112 percent.
- Automotive spending is up 208 percent.
- Hotel/motel tax collections are up 460 percent.
- Building permits are up 631 percent.
- New housing construction is up 172 percent.
- Home sales prices are up 164 percent.
- Employment is up 48 percent.

# Facebook's IPO one of world's largest

*Associated Press*

NEW YORK — In one of the largest initial public offerings of stock ever, Facebook said Thursday that it is raising at least $16 billion for itself and its early investors in a transaction that values the world's definitive online social network at $104 billion.

Facebook priced its IPO at $38 per share on Thursday, at the top of expectations. The company is selling just a portion of its shares as part of the offering. The $38 price means all of its shares will be worth about $104 billion, giving the company a market value higher than Amazon.com and other well-known companies such as Kraft, Disney and McDonald's.

Facebook's stock is expected to begin trading on the Nasdaq Stock Market sometime this morning under the ticker symbol "FB." That's when so-called retail investors can try to buy the stock.

Facebook's offering is the culmination of a year's worth of Internet IPOs that began last May with LinkedIn Corp. Since then, a steady stream of startups focused on the social side of the Web has gone public, with varying degrees of success. It all led up to Facebook, the company that's come to define social networking by getting 900 million people around the world to share everything from photos of their pets to their deepest thoughts.

It has done so while managing to become one of the few profitable Internet companies to go public recently. It had net income of $205 million in the first three months of 2012, on revenue of $1.06 billion. In all of 2011, it earned $1 billion, up from $606 million a year earlier. That's a far cry from 2007, when it posted a net loss of $138 million and revenue of $153 million.

Facebook Inc. is the third-highest valued company to go public, according to data from Dealogic, a financial data provider. Only two Chinese banks, Agricultural Bank of China in 2010 and Industrial and Commercial Bank of China in 2006, have been worth more. At $16 billion, the size of the IPO is the third-largest for a U.S. company. The largest U.S. IPO was Visa, which raised $17.9 billion in 2008. No. 2 was Enel, a power company and No. 4 was General Motors, according to Renaissance Capital.

# Nat gas prices down

Natural gas is no longer at decade lows, but the price remains sensitive to reports of any significant increase in supply.

The price dropped Thursday as the government said supplies continue to build, at a time when mild weather is dimming demand in parts of the country.

Natural gas fell 2.4 cents to end the day at $2.594 per 1,000 cubic feet in New York. That's still nearly 70 cents, or 37 percent, above the 10-year low of $1.907 hit on April 19.

The Energy Department reported Thursday that natural gas stockpiles rose 61 billion cubic feet to 2.667 trillion cubic feet for the week that ended May 11. That's nearly 41 percent above year-earlier levels and the five-year average. Analysts expected a smaller increase of 52 billion to 56 billion cubic feet.

Benchmark oil fell 25 cents to finish at $92.56 per barrel in New York. Brent crude, which is used to price many international oil products, fell $2.26 to $107.49 per barrel in London.

Heating oil dropped 4.86 cents to end at $2.849 per gallon and gasoline futures declined 4.27 cents to $2.8782 per gallon.

Meanwhile, the national average for retail gasoline fell about a half cent overnight to $3.722 per gallon, according to AAA, Wright Express and the Oil Price Information Service. That's about 18 cents less than a month ago and 22 cents less than a year ago.

# Dollar rises

Fears that Greece will need to leave the single currency union pushed the dollar to a four-month high against the euro Thursday.

The euro fell to $1.2714 in late trading Thursday from $1.2725 late Wednesday. The euro fell as low as $1.2665 earlier, its lowest point since Jan. 16. The euro has fallen about 3 percent against the dollar since the Greek elections May 6.

In other trading Thursday, the British pound fell to $1.5816 from $1.5917. The dollar rose to 0.9447 Swiss franc from 0.9437 Swiss franc and to 1.0174 Canadian dollar from 1.0112 Canadian dollar.

The dollar fell to 79.28 Japanese yen from 80.29 yen.

Gold for June delivery rose 2.5 percent, or $38.30, to $1,574.90 per ounce.

## MIDLAND STOCKS

**Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies**

**Basic Energy Services (BAS)**
Closing Price $10.45 Down 0.72

**Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)**
Closing Price $57.59 Down 3.87

**Concho Resources (CXO)**
Closing Price $86.49 Down 2.01

**Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)**
Closing Price $25.05 Down 0.65

**Legacy Reserves (LGCY)**
Closing Price $26.37 Down 1.26

**Mexco Energy (MXC)**
Closing Price $6.08 Down 0.21

**Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)**
Closing Price $13.46 Down 0.25

## HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

| Name | Div | PE | Last | Chg | YTD %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AT&T Inc | 1.76 | 48 | 33.29 | +.10 | +10.1 |
| **Abraxas** | ... | 13 | 2.53 | +.02 | -23.3 |
| **AdamsEx** | .65e | ... | 10.29 | -.16 | +6.6 |
| AMD | ... | ... | 6.13 | -.26 | +13.5 |
| Alcoa | .12 | 16 | 8.50 | +.01 | -1.7 |
| AlonUSA | .16 | ... | 8.39 | +.37 | -3.7 |
| AlphaNRs | ... | ... | 11.53 | +.13 | -43.6 |
| AmIntlGrp | ... | 2 | 28.47 | -1.98 | +22.7 |
| **Amgen** | 1.44 | 16 | 70.54 | -.44 | +9.9 |
| **Anadarko** | .36 | ... | 63.63 | -1.45 | -16.6 |
| **Apache** | .60f | 8 | 81.67 | -.45 | -9.8 |
| Apple Inc | 10.60 | 13 | 530.12 | -15.96 | +30.9 |
| **ApldMatl** | .36f | 9 | 10.48 | -.18 | -2.1 |
| **ATMOS** | 1.38 | 16 | 33.12 | +.27 | -.7 |
| AutoData | 1.58 | 19 | 52.52 | -.81 | -2.8 |
| **BP PLC** | 1.92 | 5 | 37.50 | -.68 | -12.3 |
| BabsCClnv | 1.20 | ... | 14.89 | +.12 | -17.2 |
| BakrHu | .60 | 11 | 40.78 | -.01 | -16.2 |
| BcoBrad pf | .81r | ... | 13.42 | -.61 | -19.5 |
| BkofAm | .04 | ... | 6.98 | -.13 | +25.5 |
| Bar iPVix | ... | ... | 21.00 | +.93 | -40.9 |
| BasicEnSv | ... | 5 | 10.45 | -.72 | -47.0 |
| **BerktHa A** | ... | 20 | 120260.00 | -950.00 | +5.3 |
| **BerryPet** | .32 | ... | 36.67 | -1.59 | -12.7 |
| **BlkHillsCp** | 1.48 | 30 | 31.93 | -.32 | -4.9 |
| BostonSci | ... | 18 | 6.10 | +.01 | +14.2 |
| **BrityBq** | 1.36 | 15 | 32.75 | -.27 | -7.1 |
| **BrookfPA** | 1.40 | 21 | 84.74 | -1.42 | +6.9 |
| **BrookfPI** | 1.40 | 22 | 86.72 | -1.59 | +7.7 |
| CVS Care | .65 | 17 | 44.87 | -.29 | +10.0 |
| Cameron | ... | 19 | 44.95 | -.59 | -8.6 |
| Caterpillar | 1.84 | 11 | 87.80 | -4.06 | -3.1 |
| Celestic g | ... | 7 | 7.43 | ... | +1.4 |
| CntryLink | 2.90 | 31 | 38.38 | -.24 | +3.2 |
| ChesEng | .35 | 5 | 13.55 | -.49 | -39.2 |
| **Chevron** | 3.60f | 7 | 100.14 | +.04 | -5.9 |
| Chicos | .21 | 17 | 14.78 | -.43 | +32.7 |
| Chimera | .48e | 6 | 2.84 | -.09 | +13.1 |
| Cimarex | .48f | 9 | 55.97 | -2.33 | -9.6 |
| Cisco | .32f | 12 | 16.55 | -.14 | -8.2 |
| Citigroup | .04 | 7 | 26.41 | -.51 | +.4 |
| **ClayEng** | ... | 6 | 57.59 | -3.87 | -24.1 |
| **Clearwire** | ... | ... | 1.06 | -.08 | -45.4 |
| **CocaCola** | 2.64 | 20 | 75.12 | -1.21 | +7.4 |

| Name | Div | PE | Last | Chg | YTD %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **ColgPal** | 2.48f | 20 | 99.81 | -1.51 | +8.0 |
| **ConAgra** | .96 | 15 | 25.38 | -.32 | -3.9 |
| **ConchoRes** | ... | 18 | 86.49 | -2.01 | -7.7 |
| **ConocPhil** | e2.64 | 6 | 51.19 | -.47 | -7.8 |
| CrackerB | 1.60f | 16 | 56.65 | +1.40 | +12.4 |
| CSVS2xVxS | ... | ... | 9.53 | +.67 | -70.2 |
| CSVelIVSt s | ... | ... | 9.19 | -.46 | +41.2 |
| **CroeTim** | 2.95e | 13 | 39.01 | -.79 | -20.2 |
| DCP Mid | 2.64f | 24 | 42.29 | -.26 | -10.9 |
| DTE | 2.35 | 14 | 55.07 | -.82 | +1.1 |
| Dataram h | ... | ... | .99 | -.02 | +22.2 |
| **Dawson** | ... | 16 | 25.05 | -.65 | -36.6 |
| Dell Inc | ... | 8 | 14.94 | -.08 | +2.1 |
| DeltaAir | ... | 7 | 10.41 | -.98 | +28.7 |
| **DevonE** | .80 | 5 | 61.38 | -.31 | -1.0 |
| DirSCBear | ... | ... | 22.67 | +1.46 | -14.4 |
| DirFnBear | ... | ... | 27.74 | +1.61 | -25.7 |
| DirxSCBull | ... | ... | 46.26 | -3.49 | +3.2 |
| **Disney** | .60f | 16 | 44.33 | -.75 | +18.2 |
| **DowChm** | 1.20f | 16 | 29.39 | -.76 | +2.2 |
| DukeEngy | 1.00 | 17 | 21.43 | +.04 | -2.6 |
| **EOG Res** | .68 | 20 | 97.34 | -1.61 | -1.2 |
| **EmpDist** | 1.00 | 16 | 20.35 | -.19 | -3.5 |
| Energen | .56 | 11 | 43.93 | -.52 | -12.1 |
| EngyTsfr | 3.58 | 9 | 44.81 | -.31 | -2.3 |
| **EnPro** | ... | 17 | 38.13 | -.32 | +15.6 |
| EntPrPt | 2.51f | 20 | 50.39 | -.18 | +8.6 |
| Ericsson | .37e | ... | 8.31 | -.03 | -18.0 |
| **ExternanH** | ... | ... | 11.52 | -.11 | +26.6 |
| **ExxonMbl** | 2.28f | 10 | 81.91 | -.26 | -3.4 |
| FordM | .20 | 6 | 10.01 | -.15 | -7.0 |
| ForestOil s | ... | 9 | 8.70 | -.48 | -35.8 |
| FMCG | 1.25f | 7 | 32.17 | -.40 | -12.6 |
| **FrozenFd** | ... | ... | 1.24 | -.16 | -3.9 |
| **GATX** | 1.20 | 15 | 38.00 | -.68 | -10.7 |
| **GabelliET** | .80m | ... | 6.62 | -.14 | +6.3 |
| **GAInv** | .50e | ... | 26.67 | -.43 | +7.9 |
| **GenElec** | .68 | 16 | 18.88 | -.12 | +5.4 |
| Golfsmith | ... | ... | 6.05 | ... | +89.1 |
| **Goodrich** | 1.16 | 20 | 124.41 | -.43 | +.6 |
| **GtPlainEn** | .85 | 17 | 20.07 | -.23 | -7.9 |
| HalconR rs | ... | ... | 8.80 | +.07 | -6.3 |
| Hallibrtn | .36 | 9 | 30.00 | -.20 | -13.1 |
| **Heinz** | 1.92 | 16 | 54.60 | -.68 | +1.2 |

| Name | Div | PE | Last | Chg | YTD %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Hiltachi** | ... | ... | 63.70 | ... | +22.2 |
| iShBraz | 1.50e | ... | 51.56 | -1.54 | -10.2 |
| iShSilver | ... | ... | 27.24 | +.87 | +1.1 |
| iShChina25 | .77e | ... | 33.19 | -.74 | -4.8 |
| iShEMMts | .81e | ... | 37.65 | -.52 | -.8 |
| iS Eafe | 1.71e | ... | 48.46 | -.60 | -2.2 |
| iShR2K | 1.10e | ... | 75.40 | -1.76 | +2.2 |
| IntegrysE | 2.72 | 21 | 53.28 | -.47 | -1.7 |
| **Intel** | .90f | 11 | 26.19 | -.31 | +8.0 |
| InterDig | .40 | 16 | 25.91 | -.65 | -40.5 |
| JPMorgCh | 1.20 | 8 | 33.93 | -1.53 | +2.0 |
| **JohnJn** | 2.44f | 17 | 63.55 | -.16 | -3.1 |
| **KimbClk** | 2.96 | 18 | 79.01 | -.75 | +7.4 |
| KindME | 4.80f | ... | 79.33 | -.67 | -6.6 |
| KindMM | 4.80f | ... | 70.20 | -.51 | -10.6 |
| **LegacyRes** | 2.22f | 8 | 26.37 | -1.26 | -6.6 |
| Lowes | .56 | 20 | 26.37 | -.95 | +11.8 |
| **Lubys** | ... | 26 | 5.66 | -.11 | +25.5 |
| **MEMC** | ... | ... | 1.86 | -.47 | -57.9 |
| MktVGold | .15e | ... | 41.34 | +1.78 | -19.6 |
| McDnlds | 2.80 | 17 | 89.62 | -1.81 | -10.7 |
| Merck | 1.68 | 17 | 38.03 | -.20 | +.9 |
| **MeritMed** | ... | 25 | 13.49 | +.12 | +.8 |
| MexcoEn | ... | 43 | 6.08 | -.21 | -13.1 |
| MicronT | ... | ... | 5.95 | -.20 | -5.4 |
| Microsoft | .80 | 11 | 29.72 | -.18 | +14.5 |
| MorgStan | .20 | 24 | 13.46 | -.08 | -11.0 |
| Nabors | ... | 10 | 13.40 | -.28 | -22.7 |
| **NatGrid** | 3.00e | ... | 53.00 | -.24 | +9.3 |
| NOVArco | ... | 12 | 63.85 | +.03 | -6.4 |
| NokiaCp | .26e | ... | 2.80 | ... | -41.9 |
| **NvMad** | .95e | ... | 14.96 | -.05 | +1.9 |
| **NvPMI** | .94 | ... | 15.14 | -.01 | +2.2 |
| **NuvPI** | .92 | ... | 14.60 | -.09 | +.9 |
| **NSTFI3** | .66e | ... | 14.78 | -.07 | +3.3 |
| **NTXQI** | .82 | ... | 16.37 | -.25 | +.2 |
| **OccIPet** | 2.16 | 9 | 78.67 | -.56 | -16.0 |
| Oracle | .24 | 14 | 26.25 | -.47 | +2.3 |
| **ParTech** | ... | 12 | 5.04 | +.01 | +27.9 |
| **ParkDri** | ... | ... | 5.00 | -.14 | -30.3 |
| **PattUTI** | .20 | 7 | 14.64 | +.13 | -26.7 |
| **Penney** | ... | ... | 25.94 | -.81 | -26.2 |
| **PennVRE** | .60f | ... | 12.78 | -.62 | +22.6 |
| **Pmrlen** | 1.40e | 13 | 16.70 | -.52 | -8.2 |
| **Pfizer** | .80 | 14 | 22.56 | -.08 | +4.3 |

| Name | Div | PE | Last | Chg | YTD %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| PioNtrl | .08 | 17 | 96.72 | -.94 | +8.1 |
| **PlainsAA** | 4.18f | 16 | 78.72 | -1.39 | +7.2 |
| PwShs QQQ | .49e | ... | 61.61 | -1.33 | +10.4 |
| **Praxair** | 2.20 | 19 | 105.87 | -3.50 | -1.0 |
| **PrmEgy** | ... | 9 | 23.73 | ... | +5.0 |
| PrUSh S&P | ... | ... | 17.31 | +.51 | -10.3 |
| **ProctGam** | 2.25f | 16 | 63.96 | -.33 | -4.1 |
| PulteGrp | ... | ... | 8.68 | .81 | +37.6 |
| Qualcom | 1.00f | 17 | 57.16 | -1.95 | +4.5 |
| RangeRs | .16 | 99 | 62.56 | -1.72 | +1.0 |
| RegionsFn | .04 | 23 | 6.19 | -.08 | +44.0 |
| Rowan | ... | 28 | 30.46 | +.02 | +.4 |
| RoyDShllA | 3.44f | 12 | 62.57 | -1.15 | -14.4 |
| SpdrDJIA | 3.55e | ... | 124.57 | -1.61 | +2.2 |
| SpdrGold | ... | ... | 152.80 | +3.34 | +.5 |
| S&P500ETF | 2.64e | ... | 130.86 | -1.97 | +4.3 |
| SabnR | 4.03e | 12 | 51.06 | -2.10 | -19.0 |
| **SanderFrn** | .68 | ... | 53.04 | -1.00 | +5.8 |
| **SandRidge** | ... | 22 | 6.04 | -.24 | -26.0 |
| **Sapient** | .35e | 21 | 10.41 | -.26 | -17.4 |
| Schlmbrg | 1.10 | 16 | 64.75 | -.06 | -5.2 |
| **SigmaAld** | .80 | 19 | 68.69 | -1.10 | +10.0 |
| SiriusXM | ... | 13 | 1.83 | -.13 | +.5 |
| Smucker | 1.92 | 20 | 77.29 | -.35 | -1.1 |
| SwstAirl | .04f | 40 | 8.35 | +.14 | -2.5 |
| SprintNex | ... | ... | 2.36 | -.04 | +.9 |

| Name | Div | PE | Last | Chg | YTD %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SP Engy | 1.10e | ... | 64.34 | -.41 | -6.9 |
| SPDR Fncl | .22e | ... | 13.93 | -.29 | +7.2 |
| SP Inds | .75e | ... | 34.29 | -.75 | +1.6 |
| Staples | .44f | 10 | 13.22 | -.69 | -4.8 |
| SunocoL s | 1.71f | 11 | 36.74 | -.51 | -6.8 |
| **TeleEsp** | 1.75e | ... | 12.35 | -.01 | -28.2 |
| Tesoro | ... | 6 | 22.41 | +.31 | -4.1 |
| 3M Co | 2.36 | 14 | 84.34 | -1.01 | +3.2 |
| **Trchmrk s** | .60f | 9 | 45.75 | -.60 | +5.4 |
| **TriContl** | .43e | ... | 14.87 | -.26 | +4.5 |
| **TylerTech** | ... | 44 | 37.03 | +.06 | +23.0 |
| **UBWV** | 1.24 | 15 | 24.68 | -.40 | -12.7 |
| Vale SA | 1.74e | ... | 17.93 | -.65 | -16.4 |
| ValeroE | .60 | 6 | 21.59 | -.24 | +2.6 |
| **VulcanM** | .04 | ... | 33.90 | -1.36 | -13.9 |
| WalMart | 1.59f | 14 | 61.68 | +2.49 | +3.2 |
| **Walgrn** | .90 | 11 | 31.87 | -.68 | -3.6 |
| **SanderFrn** | .68 | ... | 53.04 | -1.00 | +5.8 |
| **SandRidge** | ... | 22 | 6.04 | -.24 | -26.0 |
| **Sapient** | .35e | 21 | 10.41 | -.26 | -17.4 |
| Schlmbrg | 1.10 | 16 | 64.75 | -.06 | -5.2 |
| **SigmaAld** | .80 | 19 | 68.69 | -1.10 | +10.0 |
| SiriusXM | ... | 13 | 1.83 | -.13 | +.5 |
| Smucker | 1.92 | 20 | 77.29 | -.35 | -1.1 |
| SwstAirl | .04f | 40 | 8.35 | +.14 | -2.5 |
| SprintNex | ... | ... | 2.36 | -.04 | +.9 |
| WellsFargo | .88 | 11 | 31.44 | -.53 | +14.1 |
| WstnRefin | .16 | 12 | 18.63 | +.50 | +40.2 |
| WhitingPet | ... | 8 | 44.29 | -.36 | -5.1 |
| WmsCos | 1.20f | 16 | 29.79 | -.73 | +10.5 |
| **XcelEngy** | 1.08f | 16 | 27.25 | -.20 | -1.4 |
| **Xerox** | .17 | 8 | 7.27 | +.08 | -8.7 |
| Yahoo | ... | 17 | 14.87 | -.41 | -7.8 |
| Zynga n | ... | ... | 8.27 | +.05 | -12.1 |

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## INDEXES

| 52-Week High | 52-Week Low | Name | Last | Chg | Net %Chg | YTD %Chg | 52-wk %Chg |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 13,338.66 | 10,404.49 | Dow Jones Industrials | 12,442.49 | -156.06 | -1.24 | +1.84 | -1.29 |
| 5,627.85 | 3,950.66 | Dow Jones Transportation | 4,938.18 | -162.38 | -3.18 | -1.62 | -9.87 |
| 474.18 | 381.99 | Dow Jones Utilities | 464.09 | -3.19 | -.68 | -.13 | +5.49 |
| 8,496.42 | 6,414.89 | NYSE Composite | 7,480.43 | -112.39 | -1.48 | +.05 | -11.24 |
| 2,498.89 | 1,941.99 | Amex Index | 2,220.30 | -24.52 | -1.09 | -2.55 | -6.55 |
| 3,134.17 | 2,298.89 | Nasdaq Composite | 2,813.69 | -60.35 | -2.10 | +8.00 | -.34 |
| 1,422.38 | 1,074.77 | S&P 500 | 1,304.86 | -19.94 | -1.51 | +3.76 | -2.88 |
| 14,951.57 | 11,208.42 | Wilshire 5000 | 13,677.67 | -234.94 | -1.69 | +3.70 | -3.93 |
| 860.37 | 601.71 | Russell 2000 | 754.33 | -17.78 | -2.30 | +1.81 | -9.68 |

# 61 XII

## Art Gallery

Come Sail Away with COA

## The Mavericks

Saturday, May 19
Yucca Theatre,
208 North Colorado Street
– Downtown Midland
2012

Box office opens at 6:30 p.m.

## Festival Hours... at Midland Center

**Saturday, May 19, 2012**
**10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**Sunday, May 20, 2012**
**12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.**

Admission gates on Main & Wall Streets and Colorado & Wall Streets

Adults $4, Seniors $3, 3-12 year olds $1, under 3 free

## Artist list

| Booth | Artist | Media | City | State |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 & 2 | Jaime Rood | photography | Austin | TX |
| 3 & 4 | Maxim Kemnitzer | painting | Santa Fe | NM |
| 5 & 6 | Efim Kotsinov | painting | Albuquerque | NM |
| 5 | Randy K. Bryant | jewelry | Midland | TX |
| 6 & 7 | Marianne & Sey Carosella | sculpture | Fair Oaks | TX |
| 8 | Peggy Rushing | painting | Cameron | TX |
| 9 & 10 | Alexa Walker | photography | Spicewood | TX |
| 11 | David Busch | painting | Dripping Springs | TX |
| 12 | Karen and Dana Robbins | glass | Moriarty | NM |
| 13 | Daryl Howard | mixed media | Austin | TX |
| 14 | Roy Brown | clay | Glencoe | NM |
| 15 | Doris Spitzer | painting | Midland | TX |
| 16 & 17 | Don L. Parks | painting | Midland | TX |
| 18 | Mark Mallia | wood | Austin | TX |
| 19 | Barbara Noll | painting | Midland | TX |
| 20 | Merle B. Taylor | painting | Midland | TX |
| 21 & 22 | Sara Drescher Braswell | painting | Midland | TX |
| 23 | Monroe Jackson | jewelry | Midland | TX |
| 24 | Mary Mundy | metal | Austin | TX |
| 25 & 26 | Jurgen Hanbron | sculpture | Fort Worth | TX |
| 27 | Martin Poehler | photography | Abilene | TX |
| 28 | Lan Kitsch | jewelry | Phoenix | AZ |
| 29 & 30 | Carolyn Mock | painting | Bartlesville | OK |
| 31 | Doug Ourth | clay | San Angelo | TX |
| 32 | Manuel Garza | painting | Austin | TX |
| 33 | Ken Rowland | painting | Gordonville | TX |
| 34 | Jonna K. Barr | jewelry | Mansfield | TX |
| 35 | Connie Roop | painting | Weatherford | TX |
| 36 | Charlotte Hellman | glass | Houston | TX |
| 37 | Dan Collins | painting | Alpine | TX |
| 38 | Ray Primer | sculpture | San Marcos | TX |
| 39 | Carolyn Henderson | jewelry | Tempe | AZ |
| 40 | Eric Mast | glass | Austin | TX |
| 41 | Bonnie Siebert | painting | Waxahachie | TX |
| 42 | Beth McElhaney | jewelry | Austin | TX |
| 43 | Kathleen Marie Wilson | wood | Johnson City | TX |
| 44 | Steven Napper | painting | Odessa | TX |
| 45 | Jeromey Huggins | sculpture | Gonzales | TX |
| 46 | Mike Green | clay | Austin | TX |
| 47 | Peggy Rushing | painting | Odessa | TX |
| 48 | Chris Johnson | painting | Midland | TX |
| 49 | Scott White | glass | Lakewood | CO |
| 51 | Alan Brunelle | painting | San Antonio | TX |
| 52 | Linda Jackson | jewelry | Lubbock | TX |
| 53 | Mark Schultz | mixed media | Bennett | CO |
| 54 & 55 | Tim Zaeske | photography | Broomfield | CO |
| 55 & 56 | Doug Rickerty | wood | Higgins | TX |
| 57 & 58 | Melanie Finn | mixed media | Boerne | TX |
| 59 | Jackie Schultz | painting | Weatherford | TX |
| 60 | Matthew Cohen | photography | Albuquerque | NM |
| 61 | Ginger Wyatt | painting | Lorenzo | TX |
| 62 | Ted Annakowski | wood | Liberty Hill | TX |
| 63 | Cheryl Roach | painting | Midland | TX |
| 64 | Roberta Steinbach | jewelry | Austin | TX |
| 65 | Charles Pruitt | painting | Midland | TX |
| 66 | Susanne Cantwell | jewelry | Houston | TX |
| 67 | Jamie O. Clark | sculpture | Garland | TX |
| 68 | Curtis Landbrinklle | wood | Bryan | TX |
| 69 | Sony Hunsaker | mixed media | Telluride | CO |
| 70 | Galen Click | clay | Midland | TX |
| 71 | Royce Gilliland | sculpture | Horseshoe Bay | TX |
| 72 | Rebecca Swallows | jewelry | Tularosa | NM |
| 73 & 74 | Todd Abbott Winters | painting | Kerrville | TX |

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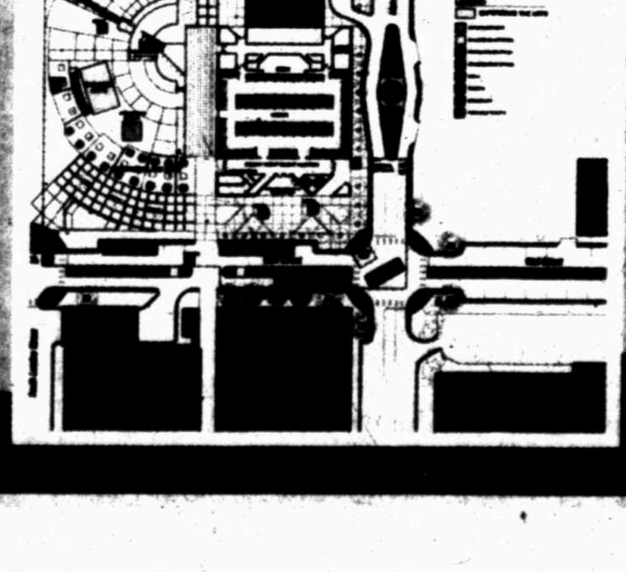

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## Events and Notices

### General Announcements

ROXY'S CLEARANCE sale at Industrial Street Antiques. 1015 West Industrial. Items 25%-75% off through the month of May.

### Lost & Found

FOUND DOG at Gaston and Delano St. Call 432-528-6008.

FOUND FEMALE black lab mix. Found Friday, May 11th on Haynes, pink camo collar, no tags. 432-352-3157

FOUND FEMALE dog, Pitbull Mix, Mercedes & Thomason. Call 432-425-7110.

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2nd & 4th Thurs.
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CHEVROLET 2006 Corvette Z06, 5500 miles, one owner, garage kept, fully loaded, 505+ HP, 100% stock, $49,000. Call 806-928-6293, 432-682-6389.

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432 527 5988

2007 MAZDA MX5 CONVERTIBLE
Cream/Saddle leather, auto tran 15k miles

2008 BMW X6 35i
Tasman Green/Oyster Leather Prem. Pkg., Pwr. Tailgate, Rear Climate Pkg., 41k Miles

2011 BMW 750Li
Blk/Natural Brn, Driver Asst Pkg., Prem. Sound Pkg., Lux Seating Pkg., Night Vision, 14k Miles

2008 FORD LINCOLN MARK LT
Cream/Tan, Nav., Sat. Radio, Sunroof, 20" Chrome Wheels, 58k Miles

2008 BMW X3 3.0
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2008 BMW M5
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CHEVROLET 2005 Silverado 1500 LS Z71, extended cab, 4X4, black and silver two tone, 102K miles, very clean and was NOT used as a work truck. $14,000. Call or text 432-413-6007.

DODGE 2003 Dakota, 1/2 Ton, 4dr, quad cab pick up, 2WD, 3.9L V6, silver w/ charcoal interior. 73K mi, auto, AC, power windows, lock, mirrors. Tool box, bedliner, tow pkg, am/fm, cd, cruise. $8500. 432-425-2951.

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| Tues., May 29th | Fri., May 24th, 5 PM |

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Customer Service calls will be [illegible] Sunday, May 26th thru Monday, May 28th hours are 11 AM only.

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Wanted: payroll clerk needed immediately. Experience a plus, but willing to train. Accuracy top priority. Start immediately. Salary DOE. Paid health/dental insurance. M-34 Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois Midland, TX 79701

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Volunteer Coordinator/Administrative Assistant needed to work with Seniors. If you have experience planning small events, assisting with new volunteer trainings, computer skills in Microsoft Word and Excel and other tasks. Send resume and wage requirement to 3301 Sinclair, Midland, TX 79707. (FT, w/Benefits) EOE

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## CUSTOMER SERVICE

### Customer Service Reps

**Fred Loya** FT

Immediate opening for customer service rep. in Midland. Must be able to work M-F 8am-7p Sat 9am-2pm. Bilingual a plus. Computer skills required. Candidates must be energetic, organized and independent. Pleasant personality and professional appearance are a must. We offer comprehensive benefits such as health insurance & 401K. Must have at least one year experience in customer service. Apply in person at: 407 Andrews Hwy.

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Electrical contractor currently seeking a
**Safety Coordinator for our Energy Division.**

**Requirements**

- Current OSHA 500 or 501
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- Ability to train employees on a variety of safety related topics
- Willingness to travel to office and field locations, flexibility with schedule
- Experience in the Electrical Oil field construction is a plus

**Education/Experience**

- Degree in a safety related field and 3 years of oilfield safety experience or...
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- Medical/dental and life insurance options, 401(k) and paid vacations.

Resumes may be faxed to (432) 686-8971 or mailed to the following address:

**TESSCO Energy Services, Inc.**
**Attention: Safety Director**
**P.O. Box 1999**
**Midland, Texas 79702**

## HEALTHCARE

### Certified Histologist

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**"More experience more pay"**

We are also accepting applications for
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**Crane Nursing & Rehabilitation Center** PT

Crane Nursing and Rehabilitation Center is accepting applications for LVN and CNA positions, both shifts, Benefits available. Please send resumes or come by and pick up an application: 699 Campus Dr. Crane, Texas 79731, or fax 432.558.7059 Attn: Clint Slayton

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**Resouce Corporation of America** FT

Hospital Consulting Company seeks F-T Patient Support Rep to help patients in applying for Medicaid, SSI and other assistance programs. Strong Customer Service. Bilingual (Spanish) required. Must be dependable, able to multi task and work independently with minimal supervision. Job located in Odessa. For complete job description and to apply, visit www.resource-corp.com and click on Careers.

### PT Drug Testing Clerk

**American Medical Group** PT

Part-Time drug testing clerk, willing to train and certify. Please apply in person at 4519 N Garfield Ste 14 in Midland.

**Su Casa Home Health is now hiring RN for PRN**

Great benefits and pay rate. Please fax resume to 432-570-0823 or come by 1311 W. Florida, Midland, TX.

## HEALTHCARE

### Registered Nurse / Director of Nurses

Must be currently licensed by the State of Texas. Experience and references required. Full time. Great benefits. Bilingual preferred. Mail resume to P.O. Box 2621 Midland, TX 79702.

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Big Spring, Ft. Stockton and the Monahans/Pecos areas. Full or part-time. Must be currently licensed by the State of TX. and willing to travel. Bilingual preferred. We offer: excellent pay and benefits. Contact Larry at 432-218-7996 or visit our website @ www.hochomecare.com to apply.

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**Nurses Unlimited, INC** FT

Nurses Unlimited, INC seeking experienced Sitters/CNA'S to work for private duty clients. Hourly rate. Call 432-522-5080. All Shifts Available. E.O.E.

### Weekend RN Position

**Crane Nursing & Rehabilitation Center** PT

Crane Nursing and Rehabilitation Center is accepting resumes for the Weekend RN position, applicant must hold a current valid Registered Nurse license, long term care experience preferred, but not required. Please send resumes or come by and pick up an application: 699 Campus Dr. Crane, Texas 79731, or fax 432.558.7059 Attn: Clint Slayton

## HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

### FRONT DESK & HOUSEKEEPERS

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Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager
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**Duncan Disposal** FT
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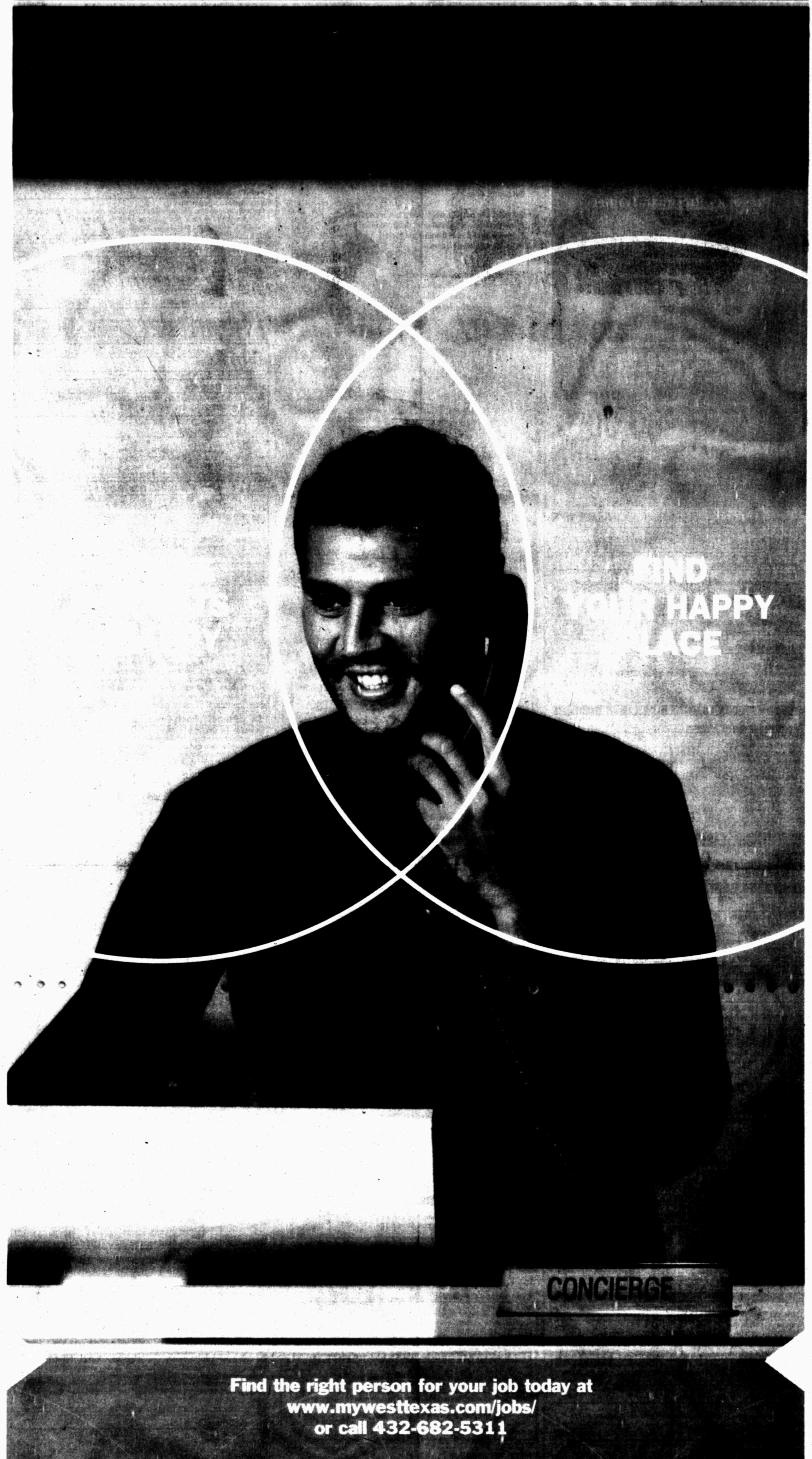


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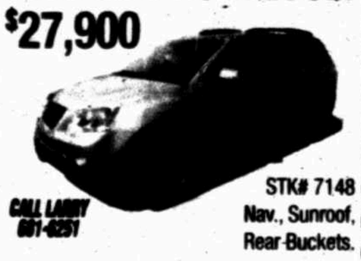

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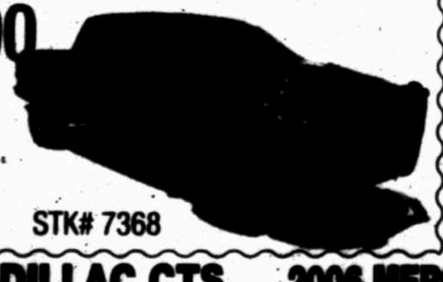

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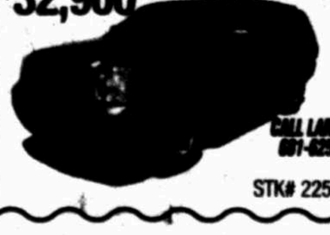

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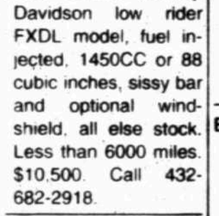

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## Yard & Garage Sales

## 79701

1301 S Colorado Friday 9am-? Vintage & new household miscellaneous, men, women & childrens clothing & accessories, all sizes, baby miscellaneous items & clothing.

1305 LAWSON Fri & Sat 8am-2pm. Moving sale. Furniture, clothes, toys, BBQ grill, and lots of miscellaneous.

1405 BOEING Dr. Fri. 8am-3pm Sat 8am-1pm. Moving Sale- furniture, piano, dishes, plus size clothes, appliances & misc. PRICED TO SELL!

1500 PRINCETON Saturday 7:30-12pm Baby bedding, stroller, car seat, TV's, bicycles, 3 couches, Patio furniture, shop fan, ten side chairs, tires, rims, mini blinds, luggage, microwave, clothes, books and much more.

204 RIDGLEA Dr. on Saturday from 8am-12pm electronics, furniture, baby stuff, tools, clothes, and toys.

2410 W. Washington Friday and Saturday 8am-2pm. Furniture, Gymboree clothes, shoes, toys all for boys and girls, home decor, and lots more!

3011 W. Lousiana, Saturday May 19, all day. Boy Scout Garage Sale. Hundreds of items!

600 N. Carrizo (corner of Michigan & Carrizo) Saturday 7am-3pm. Multi-family Garage Sale! Baby furniture, clothes (baby size to 3X), exercise equipment, computer supplies, books, household goodie and misc.

808 HARVARD Ave on Saturday from 9am-4pm moving sale. Computer desk, library table, small glass table, gas clothes dryer, maple bedroom chair, drapes, bed spreads, decorative items, and pictures.

## 79703

305 WAVERLY, Sat. & Sun. 8:00am-? Yard Sale. family of 5 trying to get rid of stuff. Kitchen items, kids toys & kids clothes.

3505 LOCKHEED Ave, Mission Trip Fundraiser / Yard Sale This Friday & Saturday 7am-? Big Sale- Furniture, clothes, toys, a desk, vehicles, and a lot more!

3813 W. Kansas Friday only 8am-1:30pm. Some furniture, clothes & lots of misc.

4613 VERSAILLES. Friday, 7-2 and Saturday 8-12. MOVING! Dining table, china hutch, sofa, dressers, linen, pictures, TVs, kitchen items, tools, toys, and decorations.

5003 HEATHER Sat 9-3 & Sun 1-3 - Three Generations Sale! Maytag Stove with double ovens, computer cabinet, wedding stuff, dorm stuff, trundle bed, futon, recliners, artwork, antiques, housewares, tools and more.

906 S. Marshall Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 8am to 5pm. Furniture, antiques, tools, dishes and household goods.

ESTATE SALE 4400 Versailles, Thurs. Fri & Sat 9-2, Bordens Dairy Collection, Willy's Jeep, Victrola, Evinrude boat motor, riding lawn mower, trolling motors, Sanisco Ice Cream display, Michigan cash register, curio cabinet, gun cabinet, Bruno scooter, chest of drawers, filing cabinets, projectors, barb wire, milk cans, cream seperator, deer feeders, truck tool box, 57 Chevy skirts, feed grinder, shelving, ice cream freezers, Space Mission pinball, electric bed, Butcher Boy meat saw and accessories, Avon cologne and steins, milk dispenser, safes, compressors, welders, Zep Dyna Clean, horse bridals, grinder, power tools, 1 1/2 ton chained hoist. Yard, shop and house full. Services by Wall St. Antiques. Photos at: estatesales.net

## 79705

5100 W. Storey Friday & Saturday 8am-? on both days. Baby items, chair, fishing poles, vac cleaner, lots of misc. Something for everyone.

## 79705

1122 E Spruce Ave Friday 8am-4pm & Saturday 8am-1pm Kitchen & china table, baby items, Hawaiian theme items, TV's, lots of books, leather chair, lamps, kitchen items, suitcases, barbies, Christmas items, too much to list come see for yourself.

2207 HUNTINGTON St., Fri. & Sat. 8-noon. Toys, clothes, 47" wide TV, books & household items.

2400 DENGAR Saturday 8am-4pm Clothes, Tools, Various household items, artificial plants, Bowflex Motivator 2 Home Gym and more.

2403 GODDARD Ct. (in alley) Saturday 8am-2pm. Household goods, toys and much more!

2411 SHELL, Saturday, 8am-? Moving Sale. Fridge, twin bed & full bed, entertainment center, tv's, couch, dreser and more.

2506 SEABOARD Ave. Friday 7am-10am. Tools, equipment, miscellaneous, no clothes.

2 FAIRFAX Ct. Saturday 8am-12pm. Moving Sale! Sofa, miscellaneous furniture, electronics, TV, books, toys, games, linens, drum set, trampoline, decorations and lots more.

4405 LANHAM on Friday and Saturday from 8am-3pm Amazing Garage and Courtyard Sale. You wont believe this one! Too many treasures to list.

4906 LANCASHIRE Saturday 8am-2pm. Park in front. Do not block alley. Pictures, Select Comfort 5000, flowers, bookcase, desk, some furniture. Too much to list.

811 STANOLIND SAT 7:00am-noon. Outside Christmas items, color TV & Oak cabinet, old records and miscellaneous.

ESTATE SALE 3401 Alicia Ct.- Midland off Golf Course Road Thursday & Friday 9am-5pm Saturday 9am-? King sie bed, full size bed, desk, night stands, sofa, Ethan Allen chairs, entertainment center, Dessert Rose dishes, Gumball machine, tools, NordicTrack, lawnmower. Too much to list.

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708 SINCLAIR, Friday 10am-5pm & Saturday 3:30pm-6pm. ATTENTION TEACHERS: Teacher Thematic Books, Teacher Reference Books, Scholastic Books & floor puzzles, etc. No early sales.

HUGE SALE at Wee Care Daycare 3309 N. Lamesa Road. Saturday May 8am-? Twin baby clothes 0-4T (some new) & baby shoes. Toys & many nursery accessories including gates, stroller, pack-n-play, car seats, women clothing and much more!

MISSIONARY MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE Fundraiser. 1208 Stanolind Ave. Saturday 5/19, from 8am-1pm. Electronics, Clothing for men, women, children and juniors, twin sized bed, toys and lots more!

## 79706

6307 E. County Rd. 90 Saturday May 19 from 9am -3pm. Nice lady's clothes, shoes and 14k jewelry, some children's clothes, furniture, seasonal decoration, antique tractor, lots of miscellanous.

## 79707

2201 REGAL Pl. Saturday 9am-12pm. Furniture, kitchen items, stereo with speakers, books and cook books, women clothing, usual household items.

3307 CARDINAL Ln. Sat. 7:30-12:00. Bunk beds, Bowflex, portable swamp cooler, 6' stock tank, bikes, furniture & miscellaneous

3330 PROVIDENCE, Saturday 8am-3pm. Tons of nik naks, clothes (all sizes), love seat, antiques, large bird cage and jewelry, lots and lots more. Selling all eBay items.

3501 CRESTMONT on Saturday from 8am-12pm Gymboree and Justice girls clothing 3m-7, toys, movies and books, Barbie Mustang, bike, desks, gas stove, table with chairs, computer desk, monitor, and linens.

3803 FAIRCIRCLE Fairmont Park Subdivision. Saturday 8am-12pm. Baby boy and girl clothes, toys, craft supplies, computer monitor, stove vent hood, books, household items, etc.

3811 SUNCREST (off Neely & Dengar) Fri. 9-3 Sat. 8-12 Sun. 9-? Multi-Family Garage/Yard Sale! Clothes, toys, furniture, collectibles, appliances, lawn mower & more! Many items under $1!

3900 ROADRUNNER Trail, Saturday 8am-4pm. Multi-family garage sale! Electronics, baby items, tools, lots of household items, lawn and pool equipment, lots more.

4005 FAIRWOOD Drive. Mockingbird Heights. Friday only from 10am - 6pm. Glassware, pictures, tons of jewelry, ornate bed, purses, shoes, clothing, perfume bottles, area rugs, knick knacks, collectible's and much more.

4301 MERRILL Ct on Saturday from 7:30am-? men & women clothes, teenage clothes, tools, tv's, and lots of miscellanous.

4313 BOULDER Dr. Saturday 7am-? Items include clothes for baby, women and men, baby items, home decor, golf items, christmas decorations and much more.

4409 VERDE Glen Ct. Saturday May 19th, from 8am to 12pm. Boy's bedroom set, twin sleigh bed, washer/dryer, TV, study furniture set, sofa, recliner, and more. Enter through alley.

4520 FAIRBANKS Dr. Saturday 8am-10am All clothes! Young woman, young man, Express, Abercrombie, Banana Republic, American Eagle, 7 for All Mankind, Gap. All brand names! Tops, jeans, hoodies, and sweaters! Some miscellaneous items also. Everything in excellent condition. NO early birds!

4703 Neely on Saturday from 7:30am-5pm BIG SALE. Antiques, cut and depression glass, pictures, tools, lamps, jewelry, arrangements, baskets, clocks, shoes, bed spreads, old records, Christmas, camera, license plate, wii, game cube, and much more.

5217 BRAZOS Ave. Saturday only from 8am - 1pm ? Teaching materials, clothes and lots of miscellaneous.

5301 BRAZOS Ct. Friday & Saturday 9am-? 3 Family Garage Sale. Adult & kids clothes, treadmill, computers, TV's, movies, toys, lamps, digital camera's, bicycles, home decor, tools & misc.

5507 HIGHLAND Ct. Grasslands. Saturday 8am-11am. Cleaning out shop. Tools: chop saw, cutting torch, work table, air compressor, Delta Mortiser, router, dado, shop vac, roofing tools, tool box, lawn mower. Wicker patio set, fans, Weber Grill & lots more.

5601 GRASSLAND Blvd on saturday only from 8:30am-12pm baby and toddler clothes, car seat, jumper high chair, crib, bedding, monitor, toys, blue ray player, desk, and miscellaneous.

6105 PRAIRIE Ridge Dr. Saturday 8am-12pm Clothes, toys, tools, fitness equipment and more.

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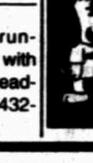

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