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Water rate increase passes in initial vote

Final consideration by City Council planned for Sept. 25

By Kathleen Petty
Staff Writer

Nancy Warren thinks it's absolutely ridiculous her water rates are about to go up. Again.

Warren told the Midland City Council on Tuesday afternoon she's not alone in her frustration.

"There's an army of people behind me who are feeling betrayed," she said. "We live in a desert. This should have been addressed long ago."

Her sentiments are representative of many Midland residents, council members said. However, despite the discontent among residents, the city has little choice but to raise the rates if it wants to keep up with the increasing cost of supplying water, Mayor Wes Perry said.

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Neighbors voice concern to council over drilling permit proposal. Page 4A

The council agreed unanimously in its initial vote Tuesday on a proposal that would increase water rates between from 2.5 to 37.78 percent, depending on usage levels. A final vote will take place Sept. 25. If the plan is approved, new rates will go into effect Oct. 1.

"We're not doing it because we're trying to make money," Perry said. "Water's not ever going to be as cheap as it was. It's just not going to happen."

Stuart Purvis, director of Utilities, said the rate change is due, in large part, to a 44.5 percent increase in the price of water purchased from the Colorado River Municipal Water District. The city currently pays $1.6587 per thousand gallons of water from the CRMWD. In the coming fiscal year, it will pay $2.3982.

The hike was implemented to help pay for $147 million

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SALUTE TO AMERICAN HEROES

Source: Staff reports

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ABOVE: Midland Police Officer John Kerrigan, Sgt. Darin Clements, not pictured, and Midland Fire Department first responders Casey Green, Juan Escarsega and John Buck listen as students at Jones Elementary sing "God Bless America" on Tuesday morning during a Patriots Day celebration honoring Midland's first responders and people who died Sept. 11. **LEFT:** Jones Elementary fourth-grade teacher Justine Palmer hands out American flags before the ceremony. **RIGHT:** Concert attendees wave American flags as country music performer Lee Greenwood performs his hit song "God Bless the USA" during a concert at First United Methodist in remembrance of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

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Martin, Midland counties treat 2 for West Nile

By Audrie Palmer
Staff Writer

The Texas Department of State Health Services confirmed the season's 20th and 21st cases of West Nile in humans in the Permian Basin this week.

On Tuesday, Martin County reported its first case of West Nile virus after one person contracted West Nile fever, according to state officials.

Midland Memorial Hospital officials also confirmed they have had a new West Nile virus case this week.

The patient was a resident from Glasscock County and was treated Monday, according to Marcy Madrid, MMH director of marketing and media relations.

More than 20 cases of the West Nile virus and West Nile Fever have been reported in Martin, Midland, Ector and Andrews counties over the past month. Howard County officials still have not reported any cases.

Three deaths have been reported this summer in West Texas, with one in Andrews on Aug. 24, one at MMH on Aug. 29 and one in Ector County on Aug. 31.

Andrews Community Services Director Scott Wallace previously told the Reporter-Telegram that his staff were stepping up the number of times they sprayed pesticides in the city after they were contacted by hospital staff.

The DSHS reported Andrews County has had nine virus reports, including the one death, and leads the surrounding counties with the number of reports.

The Associated Press reported the 2012 West Nile death toll statewide is at least 48. This is the most deadly year ever for

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Coming Thursday
Pulse takes a look at the Lone Star Music Fest with features on Pat Green, the Rankin twins and William Clark Green.

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Event to focus on teen driving safety

By Meredith Moriak
Staff Writer

An event aimed at helping teenage drivers become better drivers will be held Saturday at Midland College.

Celebrate My Drive, hosted locally by the Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, is part of a larger State Farm nationwide campaign.

"The emphasis of this event is to celebrate oncoming teen drivers and focus on letting teens walk away with key elements that will keep them safe behind the wheel," said Carrie Bronaugh, PBRCADA prevention resource director.

It will be held from 3-6 p.m. Saturday in Midland College's Allison Fine Arts Center parking lot.

While the event focuses on educating teen drivers, Bronaugh said they want teens to attend with their families and other siblings.

"Teen driving is a huge issue in our community right now, and we want to equip kids with as much information as possible to help them make the right choices," Bronaugh said.

Ten partner organizations, including Stop DWI and the Midland Fire Department, will host booths that address different aspects of safe driving practices, Bronaugh said.

"We'll all be out there, on-hand, teaching how to stay safe on the roads," she said.

The Fire Department's rollover simulator will help teach kids what to do in an accident and how to remain safe and calm while waiting for emergency personnel to arrive, Bronaugh said.

Some car dealerships also will have officials present showcasing technological advances and safety features on cars, as well as discussing basic maintenance, Bronaugh said.

After teens visit all vendors, Bronaugh said they will be able to play driving-geared video games.

"If we can show these kids, adolescents and parents how important it is to pay attention and be sober and on task every time they get behind the wheel and save just one life, then we've done our job as far as prevention goes," Bronaugh said.

The afternoon also will include a balloon release in honor of teenagers who have died in a car accident. According to Reporter-Telegram archives, at least three individuals age 22 and younger have died in car wrecks since July.

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COM to announce plans for larger facility

From staff reports

COM Aquatics will announce plans today for a $7 million capital/construction project — the building of the FMH Foundation Natatorium.

The announcement will take at 5:30 p.m. at the Junior League of Midland Facility, 902 W. Dengar Ave. The indoor facility will be a 55-meter-by-25-yard, multi-use pool and will accommodate swim teams from COM, MISD and UTPB.

Swimming programs, such as "Learn to Swim," swim camp, lap swimmers, exercise classes, Masters swim classes and scuba classes, also use the new building, staff said. The project is the largest the organization has taken on since it began in 1968. COM Aquatics Director Brad Swendig said this summer that past projects have stayed within the $2 million range.

Preliminary fundraising has begun, officials said. Because of the generosity of the FMH Foundation, the new facility will be named in its honor.

The natatorium also will house locker rooms and bathrooms for both men and women, offices for program directors and coaches, a multi-purpose classroom and a pool that will accommodate 10 lanes of 50 meters and 22 lanes of 25 yards.

Swimmers have trained outdoors at Doug Russell Pool since COM Aquatics began 44 years ago because it is the city's only 50-meter pool.

Timeline

1968: City of Midland Swim Team (now COM Aquatics) was formed
1972: L.E. and J.E. Mabee Memorial Aquatic Center opened, consisting of a 25-yard competition pool
1978: Learn-to-Swim pool, locker rooms and administrative offices built
1993: Center expands with the Abell-Hanger Pool, a 7- to 18-foot deep and 25-yard long competition pool; two second-story spectator seating areas and O'Shaughnessy Olympic Diving Center
2000: Aerobics and therapy pools
2006: Therapy and gym center
2014: Planned completion of 50-meter multipurpose pool

MPD: Mother, daughter tried to bribe witness

By James Cannon
Online Editor

A mother and daughter were in custody Tuesday after they were arrested for allegedly trying to bribe a witness and suspect to drop charges against the pair.

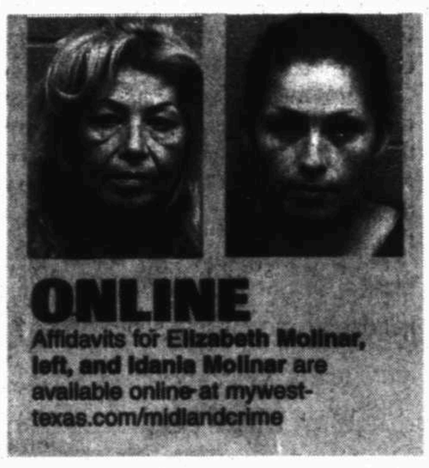
Elizabeth Molinar, 52, and Idania Molinar, 34, both of Midland, are being held on a third-degree felony charge of tampering with a witness. The elder Molinar also is charged with a third-degree felony charge of hindering the apprehension of a wanted felon; the younger Molinar is charged with a third-degree felony charge of burglary of a habitation.

The alleged victim of a burglary alerted investigators Monday that Idania Molinar and her mother made a telephone call demanding $1,000 and that charges be dropped against Idania.

In return, the pair would deliver the stolen goods to the residence, according to the pair's arrest reports.

Midland detectives told Elizabeth Molinar that her daughter was wanted for the felony burglary charge and that a warrant had been issued. The pair were booked into the Midland County Central Detention Center around midnight Monday. As of press time Tuesday no bond information was availabe.

If convicted Idania Molinar could face up to 10 years in prison for the third-degree felony and up to 20 years in prison for the burglary charge. Elizabeth Molinar could face up to 10 years in prison for each third-degree felony count.



ONLINE
Affidavits for Elizabeth Molinar, left, and Idania Molinar are available online at mywesttexas.com/midlandcrime

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FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Daniel I. Flores Sr., 25, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of burglary of a habitation.

Juan D. Gonzales, 33, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of endangering a child.

Jose G. Grimaldo, 35, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of evading arrest.

Shiva Jasardeh, 33, of Odessa, was arrested Monday on a charge possession of a controlled substance by fraud.

Elizabeth M. Molinar, 52, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of tampering with a witness.

Idania M. Molinar, 34, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of tampering with a witness.

Antonio M. Morales, 54, of Odessa, was arrested Monday on a charge possession of a controlled substance by fraud.

Ricardo P. Rodriguez, 37, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

Spencer A. Teague, 30, of Manor, was arrested Monday on a charge of assault against a family member.

James E. Warren, 29, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

John H. White, 20, of Midland, was arrested Monday on a charge of violation of probation.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office.

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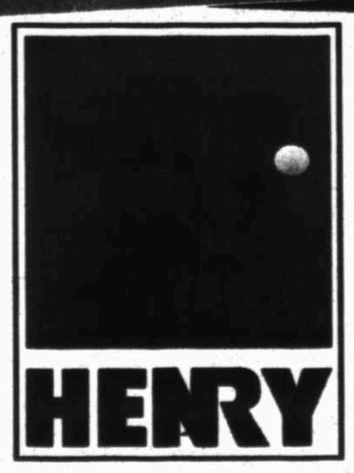

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NEW MEXICO

Health officials report first West Nile death

New Mexico health officials say the state has recorded its first West Nile virus death of the year.

The Department of Health announced Tuesday that a 76-year-old man from Bernalillo County has died.

Officials said the man had the more severe clinical form of the disease, which includes meningitis and encephalitis. He had been hospitalized since Aug. 23.

Health Secretary Catherine Torres said West Nile cases have been reported in many parts of New Mexico over the past month.

In all, there have been 21 cases so far this year. That includes three new cases confirmed since last week.

Neighboring Texas has had at least 48 deaths so far this year. That state accounts for about half of the nation's deaths from the illness.

Common symptoms include fever, nausea, headache and muscle aches.

NEW MEXICO

Man pleads no contest in bat beating of dog

ROSWELL — A New Mexico man has pleaded no contest to charges of severely beating a dog with a bat and burning another with chemicals.

The Roswell Daily News reported that 48-year-old Luis Baltazar entered his plea Monday in Roswell District Court.

According to the Chaves County Sheriff's Office, in July deputies found Baltazar with a bloody bat at his home and a dog with several breaks to the jaw and snout and an eye socket that had been shattered. Deputies said a second dog had chemical burns on the back. His attorney, Harry Wilcox, said Baltazar was driven to this action by his neighbors who complained about the dogs' barking.

Judge Steven L. Bell sentenced Baltazar to 18 months in jail but suspended all but 90 days.

NEW MEXICO

Rare salamander may join endangered list

ALBUQUERQUE — A rare salamander found only in northern New Mexico would be added to the federal endangered species list under a proposal unveiled Tuesday by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

The plan highlights questions about how many Jemez Mountain salamanders still exist following back-to-back years of wildfire, drought and other changes to their moist, forested habitat.

Researchers with the Center for Conservation Biology at the University of Washington and The Nature Conservancy spent the past three weeks in the Jemez Mountains using a team of specially trained dogs to sniff out populations of the salamanders in an effort to learn more about what makes them tick.

"Salamanders are ancient creatures, but we don't know if they've been in the Jemez Mountains for 10,000 years or 100,000 years," said Anne Bradley, forest conservation program manager for The Nature Conservancy.

Dependent on moisture in the air and soil, the salamanders breathe through their skin and spend much of their lives underground.

One of the chief threats facing the lung-less amphibian is the combination of an overgrown forest and the likelihood of severe wildfire, according to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

The waves of fast-moving, intense fires that have charred tens of millions of acres in the West over the last decade also is a problem.

Witnesses recall 1992 Palo Duro shooting

By Jacob Mayer, Jon Mark Beilue & Russell Anglin
Amarillo Globe-News

AMARILLO — Two decades have not dulled Charles Mestas' senses.

"I can still smell the gunpowder," he said.

Nine years before the date was seared into a nation's consciousness, Friday, Sept. 11, 1992, began at Palo Duro High School with a pep rally in the Activity Center for a football game that night at Hereford.

The frivolity and anticipation ended with the squeeze of a trigger.

Six male students, 16 to 18, were shot and wounded. One was trampled and injured after Randy Earl Matthews, 17, who had transferred at the start of the school year from Memphis High School, opened fire with a .22-caliber pistol as students returned to classes.

Not only was it long before 9/11, it was long before Columbine became a word synonymous with horror, a time when the phrase school shooting had yet to enter the public vernacular.

The Amarillo Independent School District added more officers to schools and installed security cameras and metal detectors, said Amarillo Special Crimes Sgt. Kevin Dockery, who was a liaison officer at the school when the shots rang out. Mestas recalled walking up to the main building as the terror unfolded.

"All of a sudden, I see one of our faculty and a police officer running west," said Mestas, then an assistant coach and social studies teacher. "They were saying there was a shooting."

That officer was Dockery. He was in the school office when he heard the shots, which he first thought were balloons popping from the pep rally. Then he saw students running. He called 911, and he and a teacher began searching for the shooter, he said.

Mestas saw one of his junior varsity basketball players, wounded in the foot, on a hallway floor. He dragged him into a bathroom and placed him between the stalls. Another student, Norman Winifred, was down and shot in the hip. Mestas carried him into the nearby nurse's office.

Mestas' son, Charles Jr., had graduated the previous year. He had gone to the pep rally and was planning on buying game tickets at the main office.

"At the time most of us didn't know if they had caught the guy or not. My biggest concern was where my son was. Luckily, he had already left," said Mestas, who retired in June as AISD's migrant student adviser.

At nearly the same time, Dockery and the teacher chased Matthews through the hallway, out the door and a couple of blocks outside the school, Dockery said. Dockery said that when he and the teacher caught the student in between two houses, he pulled his gun and one of the students tossed a weapon underneath a car. Dressed in street clothes, Dockery arrested the students as a neighbor called police.

"I just remember hearing sirens coming from all directions," Dockery said. "I saw people going in all directions. It was kind of chaos."

The following Monday, Matthews was arraigned on one count of attempted murder, five counts of aggravated assault and one count of unlawfully carrying a weapon onto school grounds. At his home 20 years later Monday in south Amarillo, Matthews said he served his time in prison and didn't wish to discuss the shooting.

Dockery said the shooting marked a dramatic change in security at AISD schools. That's typical of places that have experienced an incident such as a shooting, said Kenneth Trump, president of National School Safety and Security Services, a school safety consulting firm based in Cleveland.

"In the days after a high-profile incident, that's one of the safest times you'll ever find in the place where it occurred," Trump said. "The question isn't whether an incident is a wake-up call, the question is six months or six years down the road, will you hit the snooze button and go back to sleep?"

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Thing to do

■ Permian Basin Fair and Exposition, 5-10 p.m., Ector County Coliseum. Tickets: $10 for adults, $5 for seniors 55 and older and kids 12 and younger and free for children 3 and younger.

Community calendar

■ Casa de Amigos will offer free cholesterol, blood pressure and PulseOx screenings from 9 to 11 a.m. today at Casa de Amigos. Screening is limited to the first 25 people, so call Casa at 682-9701 to reserve a spot.

■ A Midland Quilters Guild meeting "Quilting with Charlie: Rulers and Things" is set for 1 p.m. today at the Unitarian Universalist Church; 3301 Neely Drive. For more information call 694-0561.

■ CASA of West Texas will host an open house 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Thursday. There will be a presentation about the Court Appointed Special Advocates program at noon. For more information, call Sara Basaldua at 683-1114 or 557-5427 or visit www.casawtx.org.

■ Mission Center Adult Day Service will honor Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Boren as grandparents of the year during a dinner planned for 6:15 p.m. Thursday at Green Tree Country Club.

Guest speaker is to be Tumbleweed Smith. Tickets are $75. For more information, call 522-1221.

■ Polo Park Estates is planning events for Active Aging Week, Sept. 21-23.

The schedule is: seminar on healthy aging, 4 p.m. Sept. 21; bean bag baseball, 3 p.m. Sept. 22; and trivia night, 6 p.m. Sept. 23.

To RSVP or for more information, call 682-5772.

■ The Society of Petroleum Engineers has rescheduled its luncheon with H. Ross Craft, president and chief executive officer of Approach Resources. The meeting, which originally was set for Tuesday, now is 11:30 a.m. Sept. 24 at the Wildcatter Room of the Petroleum Club.

Craft is expected to discuss Wolfcamp shales in the Permian Basin.

Tickets are $20 for SPEE members, $25 for SPE and FEPA members and $30 for non-members.

Reservations should be made by email at Robert@oryanoilandgas.com.

Midland County Republican Women

Midland County Republican Women are meeting at 11:15 a.m. today at the Petroleum Club.

Guest speakers are to be Rep. Tom Craddick and Texas National Committee member, Lt. Col. Borah Van Dormolen. They will present state and national perspectives on the Nov. 6 election.

Lunch tickets are $16.50 with a reservation and $21.50 without a reservation. Admission is free just to hear speakers.

To RSVP, email mcnwomen@aol.com.

Chamber annual meeting

The Midland Chamber of Commerce's annual meeting is planned for 11:30 a.m. today at Midland Center.

The speakers are to be board chairman Chris Robin, owner of Mazda of Midland, and Midland College President Steve Thomas, chairman-elect.

Tickets are $75 each. To register, go to www.midlandtxchamber.com. For more information, call 683-3381.

Support groups and club meetings today

■ Overeaters Anonymous; noon, B&J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff Road, Suite 1-D; 553-1031.

■ The Knot Adoption Support Group, 11:30 a.m., First Presbyterian Church; Kathy Hagler, Kathy@WTIE.net

■ Uptown Midland BPW, noon, Petroleum Club; Glenda Knox, 686-2819.

Lake levels report

Representing totals from early September 2010-12

	2010	2011	2012
O.H. Ivie	36.66	21.63	12.31
Thomas	7.22	2.07	0.73
Spence	3.88	0.47	0.19

Delivery
(in gallons)
Midland: daily average this week 12.789 million
Midland: daily average last week 11.627 million
Midland: daily average last year 18.735 million
Odessa: daily average this week 15.561 million

Source: Colorado River Municipal Water District

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.

Monday's total: 16,923,000 gallons (CRMWD 13,019,000, Paul Davis field 3,904,000)
Previous three Mondays
Sept. 3: 15,437,000 gallons
Aug. 27: 15,972,000 gallons
Aug. 20: 17,321,000 gallons

Lottery

Pick 3 day: 8-4-9
Pick 3 night: 1-6-2
Daily 4 day: 4-3-4-6
Daily 4 night: 0-0-0-4
All or Nothing morning: 2-3-5-6-8-9-10-13-17-20-21-24
All or Nothing dily: 2-5-6-9-10-11-12-14-19-20-21-24
All or Nothing evening: 4-6-9-10-11-13-15-17-19-20-21-23
All or Nothing night: 1-2-6-9-10-13-14-15-17-18-22-23
Cash Five: 16-17-18-24-34
Mega Millions: 5-11-20-33-36 MB: 11 Megaplier: 3

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in infrastructure projects to create additional water resources.

Additionally, Purvis said the city's contract to purchase water from the Paul Davis Well Field is set to increase by 25 percent, or 50 cents per thousand gallons.

The city also is budgeting for the cost of paying for water delivered from another source. Through a contract with the city, the Midland County Fresh Water District No. 1 is investing about $200 million to bring water from the city's T-Bar Ranch property by May 31, 2013.

Purvis said the higher costs of delivery simply are the reality of living in an area where water isn't abundant.

"It's what's happening in the region," Purvis said, adding that Lubbock, Odessa, Abilene and others are experiencing similar issues. "Unfortunately, we are in a desert, so there isn't a lake next door to tap."

For residents who use less than 10,000 gallons of water, the cost per thousand gallons will increase by 7.36 percent if the new structure is given final approval.

A resident who purchased 10,000 gallons of water during a month this year would have paid $40.08. If they buy that much water during a month next year, they'll be charged $42.71.

A resident who purchases 30,000 gallons a month would see their bill increase by $21.48 after the multiplier is eliminated.

Until June 1, 2013, Purvis is asking the council to keep in place a multiplier that's been applied to the top two tiers of water users in an effort to encourage conservation.

After June 1, 2013, Purvis said additional water will be available from T-Bar Ranch and he anticipates being able to sell more water and loosen restrictions.

Warren said she's done everything she can to conserve. She and her husband have buckets set up in the shower to catch extra water.

They do their laundry at their lake house, where water restrictions aren't in place, and they limit the amount of time they use the sink, she said.

After all that, Warren said she feels like she's being penalized.

John James, councilman for District 3, said he understands why Midlanders feel that way.

In hindsight, James said he wishes the council would have looked ahead and increased rates in one motion earlier this year. However, he said the increase being considered is a necessity in paying for water.

"I think the frustration she's experiencing is the frustration that a lot of people are experiencing," he said.

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What the water rate increase means for Midland residents

Rate structure being considered:

	2012	2013
Base charge:	$14.35	$14.71
3,000-10,000 gallons:	$3.26	$3.50
11,000-25,000:	$3.91	$4.60
25,000 gallons or more:	$4.50	$6.20

Note: Indicates charge per 1,000 gallons

Until water is provided from T-Bar Ranch the proposed rate structure for the top two tiers is as follows:

	summer 2012	through May 2013
11,000-25,000 gallons:	$19.55	$23
25,000 gallons or more:	$22.50	$31

Note: Indicates charge per 1,000 gallons

Sample bills:
5,000-gallon-per-month user
2012 bill: $24.13
2013 bill: $25.21

10,000-gallon-per-month user
2012 bill: $40.08
2013 bill: $42.71

25,000-gallon-per-month user
Bill in winter of 2012: $94.58
Bill in summer of 2012: $333.68*
Bill in winter of 2013: $387.71*
Bill after June 1, 2013: $111.71
* Residents who use more than 10,000 gallons will continue to see a multiplier on their rate until water becomes available from T-Bar Ranch

Percent of Midlanders who use 5,000 gallons or less per month: 31
Percent of Midlanders who use 10,000 gallons or less per month: 54
Percent of Midlanders who use 30,000 gallons or less per month: 87

Source: City of Midland

Neighbors voice concern over drilling permit proposal

By Kathleen Petty
Staff Writer

Residents in one northwest Midland neighborhood showed up en force Tuesday to make sure the City Council understands that if drilling is going to take place, they don't want it in their community.

"Oil wells don't exactly fit what we bought into out there," said David Hamm, who lives on Coyote Trail. "I'd love for them to get their minerals out of there, but don't do it in our backyards."

The council held five public hearings Tuesday on a proposal by RSP Permian to drill five wells from a single pad site located on the south side of Briarwood Avenue and west of Roadrunner Trail. RSP already has received approval for two wells near the neighborhood. In April, the council denied its request for a third permit that would have added a well in the same site now up for consideration again.

Steve Gray, who represented RSP Permian, said the company went back after its third permit was denied in April and tried to tweak its plan to better accommodate concerns.

In the new request asking for five deviated wells from the single pad site, Gray said the company will eliminate four additional sites it already had permitted with the Railroad Commission.

RSP also hired a communications firm to help talk with residents during the permitting process over its plans to add a sound barrier on two sides of the site, add a higher standard of fencing than is required and is doing what it can to address traffic issues, Gray said.

By consolidating its operations to one site within the neighborhood, Gray said RSP staff believe they've found the option that will bring the least amount of impact to the residents.

"We tried to find the best solution," he said. "By doing this, we won't be putting any additional pads in that community."

RSP owns the surface and minerals in question and is not seeking any variances from the city's oil and gas ordinance, he said.

Having been called a liar, a trespasser and a greedy man during the last permit request, Gray said he understands there are many negative feelings toward the proposal. But, he said RSP is staffed with Midlanders who, like the residents in this northwest neighborhood, have a vested interest in the community.

"I can promise you, there's no answer here that's going to make everybody happy," Gray said.

A few residents did step forward in agreement with Gray.

Robert Thomas, who owns mineral rights in the neighborhood, said RSP has "gone above and beyond" and should be allowed to drill.

"I don't think we should punish them," he said.

Overall, though, the majority of people in attendance at the packed multi-hour meeting said they wish RSP would go away.

"Ours is a developed subdivision," said Robert Simpson, who's lived on Coyote Trail for 32 years. "It's not a piece of land to work with."

Simpson acknowledged RSP has a great safety record. However, Simpson said he and others in the area still have concerns about the health implications of a well, as well as the safety of their families.

Others said they worry about truck traffic, trash that will be produced and the potentially negative consequences of having work crews in and out of the area.

Dr. Steven Rea, who has helped to lead the opposition effort to RSP, called the potential wells an example of "systematic destruction" and said he doesn't want to live in a place where smoking a cigar or barbecuing in his backyard could cause his property to blow up.

"This is real, folks," he said. "This is real."

Some council members asked Gray if RSP could move the wells farther east, because the company also owns property there.

Gray said the property was purchased with the intent to build housing, not to drill wells.

The oil and gas drilling ordinance requires the council to wait 30 days before voting on the issue. The council will consider the permit requests at its Oct. 23 meeting.

In other business:

■ A $1 litter fee could become mandatory after it was approved unanimously on first reading. The council also unanimously approved proposals to increase commercial garbage collection rates, sewage hauler and discharge fees and the addition of a $25 landfill access fee.

■ Betenbough Homes was given preliminary approval for zoning that will allow for 319 additional homes in its Legends Park development.

■ Pioneer Natural Resources was given initial approval for its 96-unit apartment complex in northwest Midland.

■ Weidner Apartment Homes will return with a sight line study before the council takes a second and final vote on zoning that will allow the company to add a 290-unit complex off Wadley Avenue. Council members want to ensure the three-story buildings planned will not allow renters to see into nearby yards.

■ The city manager was given approval to begin negotiating with Midland County on a land deal that could provide a property for a new Municipal Courthouse.

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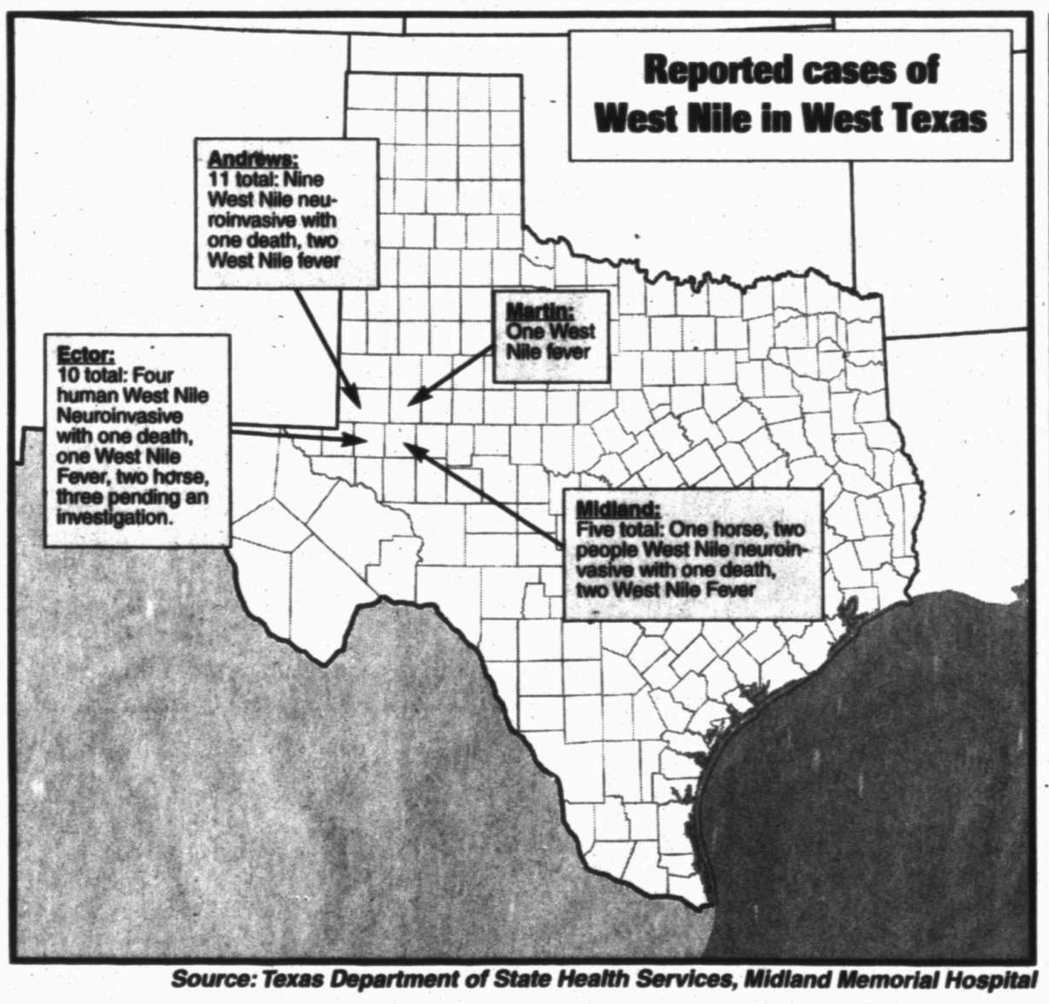

Source: Texas Department of State Health Services, Midland Memorial Hospital

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the disease in Texas.

Officials with the Centers for Disease Control said last week that they believe the virus hit its peak in August but that new cases will continue to develop through October.

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American killed in Libya protest over film

Associated Press

CAIRO — Protesters angered over a film that ridiculed Islam's Prophet Muhammad fired gunshots and burned down the U.S. consulate in the eastern Libyan city of Benghazi, killing one American diplomat, witnesses and the State Department said. In Egypt, protesters scaled the walls of the U.S. embassy in Cairo and replaced an American flag with an Islamic banner.

It was the first such assaults on U.S. diplomatic facilities in either country, at a time when both Libya and Egypt are struggling to overcome the turmoil following the ouster of their longtime leaders, Moammar Gadhafi and Hosni Mubarak in uprisings last year.

The protests in both countries were sparked by outrage over a film ridiculing Muhammad produced by an American in California and being promoted by an extreme anti-Muslim Egyptian Christian campaigner in the United States.

374 districts now subject to Texas' 'Robin Hood'

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Texas has added 23 school districts to a now-record list of those required to give some of what they raise in local tax revenue to the state for distribution to poorer schools.

As a result, the number of districts considered property-wealthy has increased to 374. The funding scheme is the centerpiece of Texas' "Robin Hood" school finance system, which began in 1993 with just 35 districts statewide considered wealthy enough to share portions of their tax revenues.

In less than 20 years, the number has increased more than 10-fold and now represents more than a third of the state's 1,000-plus total school districts. Property-wealthy districts give back to the state more than a combined $1 billion annually.

Debbie Ratcliffe, a spokesman for the Texas Education Agency, said that while some districts have increased property-tax rates or seen their tax bases grow due to population booms, a key reason the list of property-wealth districts keeps growing has been increasing property wealth in certain parts of Texas.

Some of it has been fueled by increased natural gas exploration or a rise in commercial property development, she said.

The Texas School Coalition represents dozens of property-wealthy districts and is one of the plaintiffs that have sued Texas over the way it funds public schools.

Many districts in wealthy areas say they are punished uniquely because they can put property-tax increases to their local tax base, but voters are often wary of approving them since they know much of the money raised may be given back to the state under "Robin Hood" rules.

Legal fights over school fiance have been exceedingly common since the 1970s in Texas. But the state Legislature cut $5.4 billion from the school fiance formula and public education grant programs in 2011, prompting the latest round of lawsuits charging that the system is inefficient and inequitable.

The lawsuits have been consolidated into a single case that is set to go to trial Oct. 22 in Austin.

School districts in the Reporter-Telegram coverage area that now are "property-wealthy"

Midland, Ector, Greenwood, Andrews, Coahoma, Forsan, Rankin, Glasscock, Grady

Others in West Texas: Pecos-Barstow-Toyah, Monahans-Wickett-Pyote, Seminole, Snyder, Crane, McCamey

Chicago teachers strike rolls into 2nd day

Associated Press

CHICAGO — Negotiators were back behind closed doors Tuesday on the second day of Chicago's teachers strike, but publicly the teachers union and school board couldn't even agree on whether they were close to a deal.

The union issued a statement at midday that said negotiators had returned to the bargaining table and were discussing one of the most serious remaining issues, a new teacher evaluation system.

But the union said it had signed off on only six of 48 articles in the contract and that the two sides had "a considerable way to go."

"To say that this contract will be settled today is lunacy," union President Karen Lewis said at one of several sites around the city where teachers gathered to chant and wave placards.

School board officials have repeatedly described the two sides as being close and suggested bargaining could be wrapped up quickly with agreements on the evaluations and a dispute about the recall of teachers who lose their jobs.

Earlier, Mayor Rahm Emanuel reiterated his belief that the strike could have been avoided altogether.

At an appearance with principals and former principals, he addressed another sticking point over how teachers are hired, insisting that principals — not the city or the union — should have full control to pick their team.

"I don't think downtown should be in the business of selecting teachers that the local school principal should select if you're going to hold them accountable," Emanuel said, as several hundred protesting teachers chanted and banged on drums.

A group of seven educators backed him up. One was Mahalia Hines, a member of the Board of Education and a former principal at a school in the violent Englewood neighborhood. She said it was essential that she be allowed to choose her staff "in that war zone."

"If I'm a principal and you're going to hold me accountable, you're going to fire me. I want to pick my people," she said.

Meanwhile, parents and caregivers once again were scrambling to figure out what to do with more than 350,000 idle children.

On Monday, only about 18,000 students showed up at schools and other venues where authorities organized activities and provided meals. That means the vast majority of parents have to make alternative arrangements or leave their children unsupervised through the day.

"This is a long-term battle that everyone's going to watch," said Eric Hanuskek, a senior fellow in education at the Hoover Institution of Stanford University. "Other teachers unions in the United States are wondering if they should follow suit."

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Notice of Tax Revenue Increase

Midland College District conducted public hearings on September 4, 2012 and September 11, 2012 on a proposal to increase the total tax revenues of the Midland College District from properties on the tax roll in the preceding year by 5.4 percent.

The total tax revenue proposed to be raised last year at last year's tax rate of $0.167859 for each $100 of taxable value was $20,979,214.

The total tax revenue proposed to be raised this year at the proposed tax rate of $0.14418 for each $100 of taxable value, ***excluding*** tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year, is $22,088,760.

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The Midland College District Board of Trustees is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting to be held on September 18, 2012 at Midland College Gibson Board Room, 3600 North Garfield at 4:00 P.M .

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What's this fixation with likability?

■ The economy is in the tank, but hey, that candidate sure does seem likeable.

KATHLEEN PARKER
Washington Post Writers Group

One of the great fallacies of politics — and life — is that one must be liked to be effective.

It helps, just as it helps to be attractive or athletic or kind. But let's be honest: It's almost impossible to like candidates once you get to know them.

Yet we dedicate an awful lot of time to measuring candidates' likability and forcing them to pretend to be someone that some political consultant thinks we'll admire.

How often during the current season have we heard that Mitt Romney just isn't likable? Sure, he's smart, successful, a good family man, a thoroughly decent guy, but we just don't like him all that much.

A few days ago, a Reuters/Ipsos poll was released with this headline: "Obama gets high marks on likability, weak on economy."

Well, that clears things up. The economy is tanking, but he's a nice guy — more likable than Romney by 50 percent to 30 percent, according to the poll. Forty-one percent said they believe Obama "understands people like me." Only 28 percent said the same about Romney.

The same poll also found that 75 percent believe the economy is on the wrong track, compared to 17 percent who think it's doing all right.

Who *are* these people?

This ridiculous matrix for assessing a candidate's qualifications for office is the inevitable offspring of the cultural coupling of narcissism and attention deficit disorder, otherwise defined as an inability to think for more than two minutes about anything more complicated than oneself.

Thus, "like me" may be the two most dangerous words in the American lexicon. "Like me, please" has become the operative prerogative of campaigns, essentially forcing politicians to pander so that we can dislike them even more.

Of all the pandering we despise — whether to minorities, single mothers, or Bikers for Biden — the most despicable is pandering to the poor. Ah, yes, we've all been there: Walking miles in the snow with tattered shoes, driving rusted-out cars and fishing furniture from Dumpsters.

These last two notches on the totem pole of "been there, done that" were submitted by Michelle Obama during her convention speech by way of etching a sketch of her and Barack's pre-millionaire lives. Didn't we all drive crummy cars (if we had one)? And didn't we all cruise the neighborhood at night looking for discarded tables and couches?

Similarly, Ann Romney invoked her early married days when she and Mitt used an ironing board for a dining room table. In trying to neutralize the impression that the Romneys were born rich and a little too lucky, Ann took a tour of Wales, where her grandfather had been a coal miner.

All these reminiscences were aimed, of course, at being "likable," as though we need our leaders to have been poor or to have struggled in some pedestrian way. Anyone who has taken a breath has struggled, if not always financially. As Ann Romney told me in an interview not long ago, "We couldn't be doing this if we weren't successful."

Now there's an honest statement.

While we're at it, let's defer to Joan Didion's observation that it's not as though we've all been "gazing down 600 years of rolled lawns." She was referring to the fact that, with rare exceptions, most of us are only a generation or two away from the kind of struggles no one wishes to revisit. My own maternal grandparents grew most of what they ate and sometimes it wasn't much. My paternal grandmother was raised in a convent because her parents couldn't afford to feed their 11th child.

These facts make me no more qualified for public office — or more likable — than the other fact that I adopted a discarded blind poodle. Then again ...

More to the point: What *if* the current president were not born of a Kenyan student and a white girl from Kansas? What *if* his father had been a governor and head of an auto manufacturing company? Would he be less likable?

We are the sum of our genes and experiences, to be sure, and some of us are more likable than others for a variety of reasons. But being "like me" or "like you" qualifies us only as good dinner partners.

Which is not nothing, as long-married couples will attest.

OUR VIEW

Neighborhoods should feel involved in process

On Monday, a Midland neighborhood challenged the Midland Independent School District's plan to relocate the Midland Alternative Program into the West Elementary building. As far as we are concerned, this was a positive encounter of the neighborhood and our school system.

In fact, we wish more residents would state their objections in the affairs of government because we think it makes for better solutions when sides that disagree are part of the discussion.

We have no opinion on where the MAP program should be placed, but we do defend the rights of residents to weigh in on the matter. This is a case where the MAP program would have been moved to central Midland's museum district without question. Now there will be a public debate over the issue.

We do defend the right of the neighborhood to voice their concerns. We also hope the neighborhood might help in the process of coming up with a reasonable alternative that MISD could consider. That's the way compromises are worked out.

The greater good of the community typically is best served when citizens take part in the decision process. We are mindful there always are dissatisfied people when final decisions are made, but usually, when due process has been completed, most of the major concerns have been alleviated. We hope such an outcome can be reached in this case.

GUEST VIEW

NCLB waiver could help make accountability more meaningful

Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Texas Education Commissioner Michael Williams' decision to seek an exemption from the No Child Left Behind law could simplify the often-confusing accountability measures for public and charter schools.

Texas schools certainly need a waiver: A large number won't meet the goal of having all children proficient in reading and math by 2014, and the transition to an ostensibly tougher state standardized testing regime has made the NCLB standards even more elusive.

In a Thursday letter to superintendents, Williams said that early next year the Texas Education Agency will ask the U.S. Education Department for flexibility in determining which campuses are making adequate academic progress; allocating federal Title I funds aimed at students in struggling, low-income schools; setting penalties for campuses that don't meet standards; and designating highly qualified teachers.

Williams' letter contains some truths long obvious to Texas educators.

Congress' failure to reauthorize an updated NCLB "has created an obsolete system that does not adequately reflect the accomplishments of the state's schools." Also, having to comply with both state and federal standards that don't cleanly overlap "takes valuable resources and time away from the intent and focus of improving student achievement and school accountability."

More than 30 others states have received an NCLB exemption in exchange for adopting federal core curriculum standards. But Gov. Rick Perry has continually resisted that option in favor of a state-determined curriculum. The question, then, is whether Texas' insistence on going its own way will hamper the ability to secure a more general waiver.

The public can comment until Sept. 27. (e-mail nclb@tea.state.tx.us) Those who actually work in the trenches should be able to help make a persuasive case for making accountability simpler and more meaningful.

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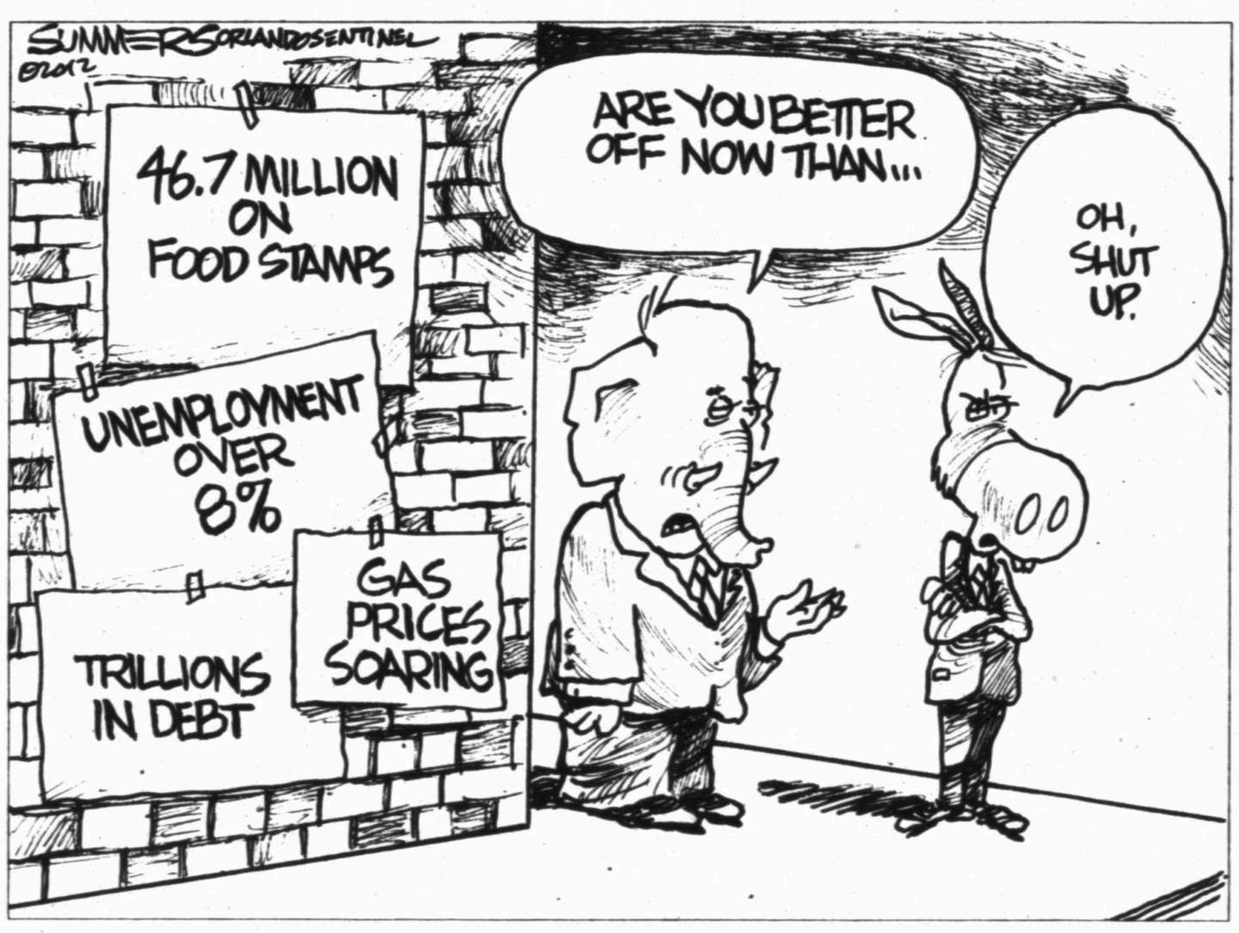

On 9/11, Washington as usual

■ It was just another day as those in Washington appear to have gotten past the raw emotion of the terrorist attacks.

DANA MILBANK
Washington Post Writers Group

There was something for every taste in the Washington area on Tuesday. The National Hispanic Foundation for the Arts was having its fundraising gala at the Mayflower Hotel.

The House Oversight Committee was holding yet another hearing probing mismanagement at the Justice Department.

A launch event was scheduled for a provocative new book, "The End of Men."

The finale of a Mason Dixon Master Chef Tournament got under way in Columbia, Md., a group called "Teen Mom" played the Velvet Lounge on U Street, and there was another installment of the "Funny Films Lunch Show" at the Landmark E Street Cinema.

Washingtonians had so much to do, in fact, that they may have had little time to think about what else was happening Tuesday: the 11th anniversary of the killing of 3,000 people in the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon.

Nine-eleven just wasn't what it used to be. Residents of the capital awoke to another clear Tuesday morning, just like that one 11 years ago, and they found that the day that changed the nation was becoming more and more ordinary.

In some ways, this is a good thing: Osama bin Laden is dead, al-Qaida isn't as scary, and Sept. 11, 2001, is on its way to joining Dec. 7, 1941 — more historical, less raw. Yet it was also unsettling that the day was losing its power to make Americans pause. This is part of the general amnesia that led Mitt Romney to deliver his acceptance speech for the Republican presidential nomination without mentioning a country called Afghanistan.

"I'm very surprised there's not a pronounced effort to reflect on that day," Amjad Khan told me at the Rayburn House Office Building on Monday. "It comes and goes as if it was just another day, but it wasn't just another day." Khan is one of the few to make sure 9/11 is still about 9/11: His Ahmadiyya Muslim Community, a liberal group, runs a "Muslims for Life" blood drive with the Red Cross to honor victims of the attacks; he collected 25 pints at Rayburn on Monday morning.

Khan said he feels an "acute sense of obligation" because the terrorists were Muslim, but he wonders why people weren't doing more to remember. "It's a tough year, with the election cycle," he said, "but you can't forget."

Several events were to be held in Washington, as in New York and elsewhere, to commemorate the day, including a memorial in the Capitol. President Obama observed a moment of silence at the White House before he went to the Pentagon for a commemoration, and there was to be a 9/11 Day of Service in Freedom Plaza on Pennsylvania Avenue.

But for each of those, there was one of these: Sen. Tom Coburn, R-Okla., was to speak to the Ripon Society at the National Republican Club of Capitol Hill on the topic "Defusing the Debt Bomb and the 2012 Election." The debt "bomb" matters, but on 9/11, it sounds tacky.

The sheer volume of events shows how ordinary the day has become: Public-housing directors were having a legislative forum, health insurance companies were meeting to talk Medicare, CPAs were having a banking conference, the Cato Institute was attacking the IRS, a health group was recognizing Atrial Fibrillation Awareness Month, and Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius was talking about the elderly.

There were events around town to discuss Mexico, Iran, Syria, Israel, India, the Caucasus and Pakistan. Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies was having a forum on "The Business of Sanitation." On Capitol Hill, the Ways and Means Committee was holding another hearing on Obamacare, and the House Natural Resources Committee was bravely taking up the Frank Buckles World War I Memorial Act.

Perhaps we couldn't expect the Orioles not to take the field at Camden Yards on Tuesday night. And it didn't seem terribly harmful for the Urban Land Institute to mark 9/11 by holding a daylong conference on "walkable urban places."

Less easy to understand is why Jeff Faile from Fiola restaurant chose 9/11 to give a "cocktail seminar" at A.M. Wine Shoppe (featured aperitifs: Cocchi Americano and Aperol). The nerve! Didn't he know he was competing with the arts gala at the Mayflower?

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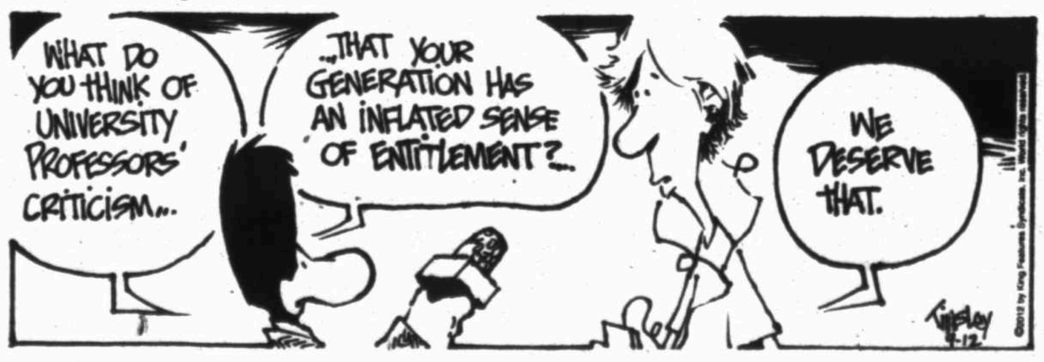

Nielsen shows how people use TV differently

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The number of U.S. homes that don't get traditional television service continues to increase, but that doesn't mean they don't have TVs.

The Nielsen company said in a report issued on Tuesday that three-quarters of the estimated 5 million homes that don't get TV signals over the airways or through cable, satellite or telecommunications companies have televisions anyway. Many of these homes are satisfied to use their TVs for games or get programming through DVDs or services like Netflix or Apple TV, said Dounia Turrill, senior vice president for client insights at Nielsen.

The company's report shows how the nature of TV service slowly is changing. Before the percentage started declining about three years ago, more than 99 percent of TV homes received the traditional TV signals. Now that has dipped just below 96 percent.

Part of the decline also is economic — service deemed expendable by people struggling to make ends meet, Nielsen said.

Because of the changes, Nielsen is considering redefining what it considers a television household to include people who get service through Netflix or similar services instead of the traditional TV signals, Turrill said.

During the first three months of 2012, the average consumer spent about 2 percent less time watching traditional TV than the previous year, Nielsen said. They more than made up for that by spending more time watching material recorded on DVRs or on the Internet through TVs, computers and mobile devices. The typical consumer spends 14 minutes a day using gaming consoles, although it's more for owners of Wii, XBox and PlayStation 3, Nielsen said. Many of these devices are also popular sites for accessing video, Turrill said.

"The gaming devices are becoming entertainment hubs," she said.

People over age 65 spend nearly 48 hours, on average, watching television each week, Nielsen said. At the other end of the spectrum are teenagers aged 12 to 17, who spend an average of 22 hours per week watching TV. Blacks spend an average of 210 hours per month watching TV, more than whites (nearly 153 hours), Latinos (131 hours) and Asians (100 hours), Nielsen said.

The Nielson report

The finding:
The number of U.S. homes that don't get traditional television service continues to increase, but that doesn't mean they don't have TVs.

The company said three-quarters of the estimated 5 million homes that don't get TV signals over the air or through cable or satellite service have TVs.

Alternatives:
Many are satisfied to use their TVs for games or get programming through DVDs or services like Netflix.

What this means:
Nielsen is considering redefining what it considers a television household to include people who get an alternative service instead of the traditional TV signals.

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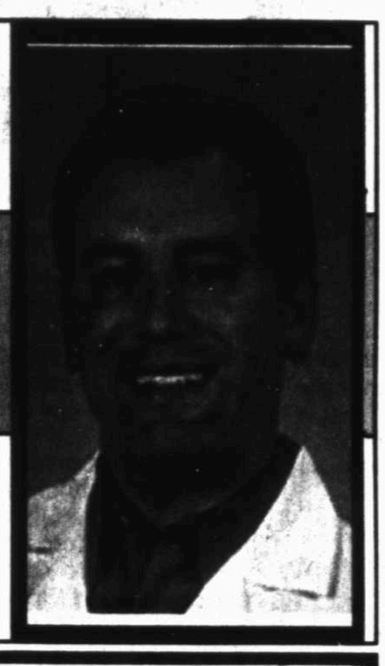

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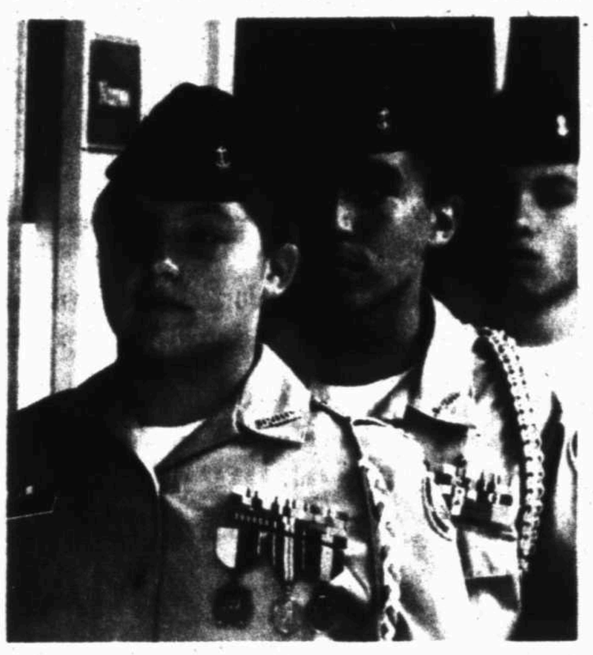

ABOVE: Members of the Corpus Christi Fire Department hold a United States flag during the annual Sept. 11 ceremony in remembrance of the terrorist attacks.

RIGHT: Members of the Carroll High School Navy Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps from front, Valerie Garcia, Pedro Ybarra, Kristofer Cedillo and Estevan Garcia, stand at attention as a moment of silence is observed at 8:46 a.m. on Tuesday during a Patriot Day remembrance ceremony in Corpus Christi.

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Farmers market to showcase local authors at annual event

■ Author's Day, like market's Packpack Drive continuing Saturday, provides another reason for community-minded people to head downtown.

By Megan Lea Buck
Features Editor

About 10 local authors will gather Saturday morning in a parking lot in downtown Midland. They'll sit at tables, behind stacks and spreads of their published works, and visit with other writers, artisans and farmers.

Saturday marks the fourth annual Author's Day at Midland Downtown Farmers Market, an event meant to showcase local literary talent in the Basin and give authors and readers a chance to make face-to-face connections. Authors will join farmers and other vendors from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at 501 W. Texas Ave.

The purpose of the event is to help writers expand their market and to introduce local talent to the community.

"It's something that I don't feel like a lot of people know about," said market founder Matt Hanson. "I didn't know that we had so many published authors in this area. ... We're not just an oil town, we have that creative component as well."

Neither Hanson nor Author's Day organizer Teffanie White remember how the event came about four years ago.

"Things that start with us at the farmers market — it's pretty organic," White said. "Books are very important to us and buying local is very important."

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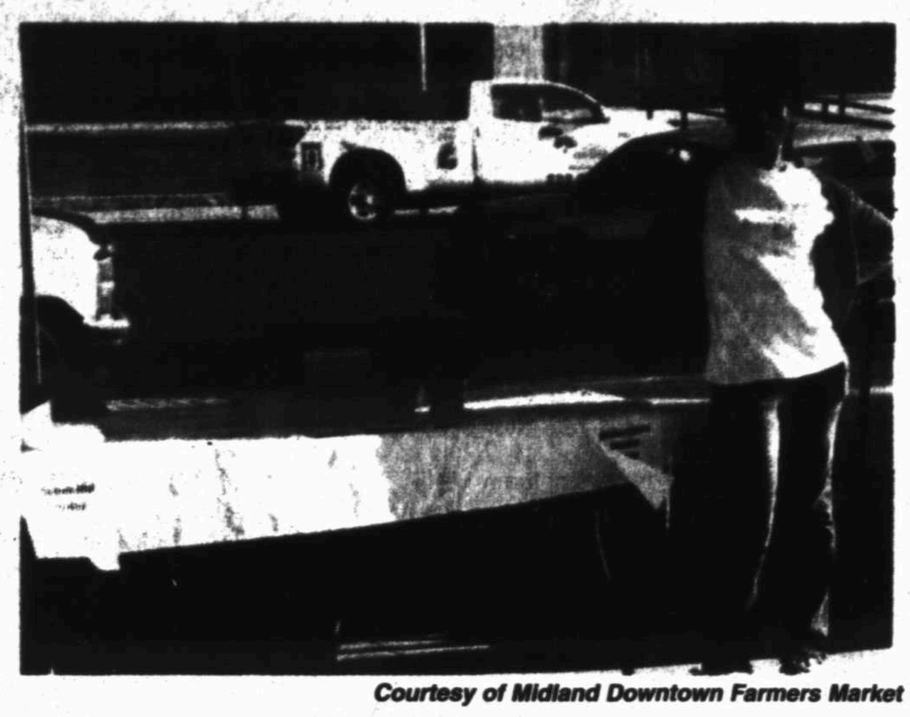

Courtesy of Midland Downtown Farmers Market

Local author Teffanie White stands beside her booth at last year's Author's Day at Midland Downtown Farmers Market.

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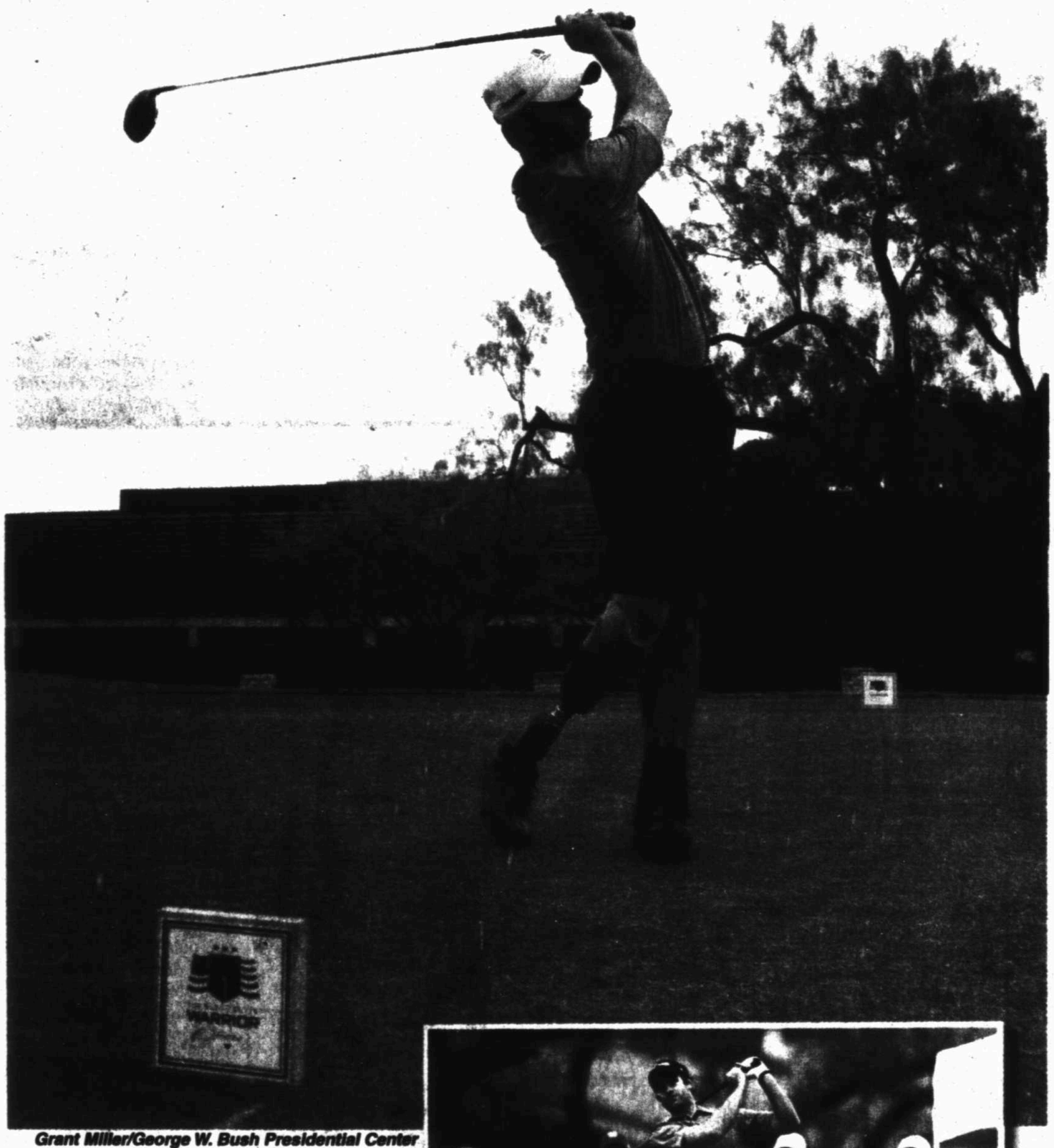

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Former Midlander John Faulkenberry participates in the 2011 Warrior Open hosted by the George W. Bush Presidential Center at the Las Colinas Country Club in Irving.

Layne Murdoch/George W. Bush Presidential Center

Native Midlander to tee off again at golf tournament

By Sara Higgins
Staff Writer

With a 17-month-old daughter and a baby boy on the way, Midland native John Faulkenberry admits he hasn't had much of a chance to practice his golf game.

The former U.S. Army sergeant first class plans to cram in a few practice rounds in the coming weeks, though, as he prepares to hit the fareways for a presidential event.

Faulkenberry, 29, will compete with 21 others in the Warrior Open, a 36-hole tournament hosted by President George W. Bush that will feature members of the U.S. Armed Forces who have been severely wounded in the war on terror. This year's tournament will take place Sept. 24-25 at Las Colinas Country Club in the Dallas area.

This will be Faulkenberry's second time to participate in the event; at the golf tournament's inaugural event last year, he tied for third out of the 20 players. That spot allowed him an automatic entry into this year's tournament, he said, but he looks forward to reuniting with about half of last year's warriors who are returning for a second shot at the champion title.

"When you meet these guys, you don't know any of them, but you share a common background," he said. "You instantly connect with them."

Faulkenberry immediately joined the Army upon his graduation from Midland High School in 2001, and was deployed to Iraq twice before his deployment to Afghanistan in May 2007. He was severely wounded just a few months later when his unit was ambushed by enemy gunfire, which killed two of his fellow soldiers and injured several others. He underwent dozens of limb salvage surgeries over the course of three years before he received a below-the-knee amputation on his right leg in 2010. A brace he received at Center for the Intrepid in San Antonio prepared him to bear weight on his right side and engage his leg muscles while using prosthetics after the amputation.

"I hit the ground running," he said. "Not real far and not real fast, but enough."

While undergoing physical therapy and the long journey to recovery, Faulkenberry worked toward his bachelor's degree in exercise and sports science. He received his degree in May 2012 from Texas State University, after reaching medical retirement in March. He now works at Center for the Intrepid as a prothetics and orthotics technician, building the braces and prosthetics that help others who find themselves in the position he was in five years ago.

"It's like I'm returning a favor, if you will, building braces and legs that are given to wounded service members," he said. "For me, the Center for the Intrepid is a state-of-the art build-

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Center to host dinner in honor of grandparents

■ Mission Center Adult Day Service names couple 'Grandparents of the Year,' plans fundraiser.

By Audrie Palmer
Staff Writer

An event to honor Midland grandparents will be held Thursday at Green Tree Country Club.

Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Boren were nominated and will be honored by the Mission Center Adult Day Service as grandparents of the year. The center plans to host the event every year.

A patron's party begins at 6:30 p.m. with a dinner to follow at 7 p.m., officials said.

The Borens were nominated after applications were sent to other non-profit organizations partnered with the Non-Profit Management Center and local churches, said Mission Center Adult Day Service executive director Michelle Seghier.

Many grandparents now are raising their grandchildren and it's become such a common phenomena Seghier said it makes those relationships even more important.

Seghier believes it's important to recognize and celebrate intergenerational relationships that are rooted in the values of grandparents.

"We're doing this, not just because it's 'Grandparents Appreciation Month' (for September) but also because a majority of our clients are grandparents. We believe that today, even more so than in previous decades, the relationship between the grandparent and grandchildren is so important and is the standard and roots of a family," Seghier said.

This is the first event and fundraiser the organization has hosted. A non-profit organiza-

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FOOD ETC.

Joan Huff may be reached at foodetcmrt@aol.com. For more recipes, visit www.mywesttexas.com.

Substitute Greek yogurt for creamy ingredients

At first when I kept seeing advertising for Greek yogurt, I thought that's all it was — advertising. I thought I was being good when I opted for yogurt and granola for breakfast. Was the Greek variety really that much better?

Both varieties are made from milk that has healthy bacteria added causing it to ferment. As the yogurt thickens, it develops a tangy taste and is strained through cheesecloth, allowing the liquid whey part of the milk to drain off. The regular yogurt I have been eating is strained twice and Greek yogurt is strained three times which produces a thicker consistency.

Comparing the health benefits, they both include probiotics, but Greek yogurt has almost double the protein of regular yogurt. If you are trying to lose weight, this will make you feel fuller longer. Fewer carbohydrates and sodium are found in Greek yogurt. There are about the same amount of calories in plain, nonfat versions of both varieties. Each of these can be used as a substitute for sour cream, mayonnaise or cream cheese in recipes such as dips, sauces and desserts.

Greek yogurt costs a little more, but I think the thickness and creaminess of it makes it worth the price. I tried strawberry, blueberry and vanilla with delicious results, but I thought the plain tasted like eating sour cream. Because this is a relatively new product, my cookbooks do not specify Greek yogurt, but yogurt in any recipe can be replaced with this kind. For now, here are some recipes I found online that include Greek yogurt.

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Obituaries

Abelardo "Labro" Rodriquez

Abelardo "Labro" Rodriquez, 75, passed away September 10, 2012, in Midland, surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Gillett, Texas, October 30, 1936, to Marcelino and Conception Rodriguez.

He leaves to cherish his memory his sons, Benjamin (Olga) Rodriquez and Edward (Shelia) Rodriquez; daughters, Lydia (Isaac) Rodriquez and Pierce Ann (Terry) Harrell; grandson, Nick Rodriquez; and 21 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; brothers, Pete Rodriquez, Robert Rodriguez, Bill Rodriquez, and Rudy Rodriquez.

Preceding him in death were his parents; son, Abel Rodriquez; sister, Amelia R. Silva; and a brother, Erasmo Rodriguez.

Known as "Welo" by his friends, he started in the fence building business for Western Fence, in 1956.

He worked there for many years. He started his own fence building business with his sons and grandsons, until his retirement in 2007.

He loved to play pool, watch the Dallas Cowboys, gardening, and fishing. He always enjoyed time with his children and grandchildren, and they always remember him watching his old Western shows on TV.

He was kind and loving to everyone, giving them a place to sleep or something to eat, or even the shirt off his back. He will be truly missed by familly and friends.

Funeral Services will be Thursday, at 1:00 p.m., at the Thomas Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park. The family would like to thank Hospice of Midland and all of his caretakers.

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Clovis B. "Cokie" Russell

Clovis "Cokie" Russell went to be with the Lord, in Midland, TX, on September 9, 2012. She was born in Wichita Falls, TX, to Ralph and Ruth Claypool on November 20, 1927, and lived in Wichita Falls until she moved to Midland to be with her family in June 2000.

She married Garland L. Russell on September 4, 1948. They were members of Floral Heights United Methodist Church, where she sang in the choir, and they were members of the Couples Class for many years.

Cokie graduated from The University of Texas at Austin with a B.S. degree in Child Development in January 1949. She earned a Master's degree in Education at Midwestern State University in 1967 and taught school for many years.

She was an avid reader and loved to play bridge, but the greatest joy of her life was her family. Her sisters were her closest friends, and she was selflessly devoted to her children and grandchildren. The life she lived was with integrity, kindness, perseverance, and humor and was an example to her family and those who knew her. Her deep faith in Christ was part of a great legacy she left to her children and grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her parents; her husband; her brother, Ralph Claypool of Austin, TX; her sister, Jeanne Gant and her husband, Bob of Wichita Falls; and her sister, Patricia Runge of Casper, WY.

She is survived by three children and six grandchildren: her son, Dale Russell and his wife, Kathy and their son, Sam of Plano, TX; her daughter, Janna Sanderson and her husband, Mike of Flower Mound, TX and their children, Eric and his wife, Julia, David, and Laura; and her daughter, Susan Brown and her husband, David and daughters, Julie and Natalie of Midland, TX. She is also survived by her sister-in-law, Jeanne Claypool of Austin, TX; a brother-in-law, John Runge of Casper, WY; and several nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at Riverside Cemetery in Wichita Falls, at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, September 14. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 22, at Midland Bible Church, 2800 North A Street, Midland, TX 79705, at 1:00 p.m.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Midland County Public Library, 301 West Missouri Avenue, Midland, TX 79701 designated in her memory for the Centennial Library or to the building fund of Midland Bible Church.

Leta Faye Richardson

Leta Faye Richardson, age 85, of Midland, passed away September 9, 2012, at Midland Memorial Hospital. She was born in Shawnee, OK on June 3, 1927, to Thomas Jefferson Robinson and Willie E. Reed Robinson.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Bobbye Jo Robinson; brother, Tommy Robinson; and daughter, Theresa Renee Hendrick.

Survivors include her husband of 35 years, Max Richardson; sons, Stanley Pierce and wife, Sharon of Farmington, NM, Michial Pierce and wife, Carolyn of Midland, TX, and Max Richardson, Jr. and wife, Jennifer of Spring, TX; daughter, Melissa Ruth Bruton and husband, Scott of Needville, TX; 7 grandchildren; and 6 great grandchildren.

Leta was a 20-year member of the Chaparral Club of Texas Extension and Education Association. She was 4 times past president. She was a member of the Eastern Star and member of the First Christian Church. Most of all, she enjoyed fishing, playing cards, cross stitching, and visiting with friends and family.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 12, 2012, at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, September 13, 2012, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland, with Rusty Gray, officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

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

L. H. Hicks, Jr.

Lloyd H. Hicks, Jr., passed away September 7, 2012. He was born March 15, 1916, to Lillian Verna Barnard Hicks and Lloyd H. Hicks, Sr., in Muskogee, OK.

Lloyd married Helen E. Dukes in Lawton, OK, in 1942, while he was stationed at Fort Sill. He was a World War II veteran. After graduation from Pharmacy School at the University of Oklahoma in 1953, Lloyd and Helen, with their 2 children, moved from Norman, OK to Kermit, TX. Later that year, they moved to Midland, where they owned The Prescription Shop until 1972. Lloyd had been a member of The First Christian Church since 1953.

If Lloyd were to describe a perfect day, it would include playing golf with his pals at Hogan Park Golf Course. On the course, his friends nicknamed him "Little Henry".

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; his son, Michael L. Hicks; and his sister, Blanche (Mrs. J.C.) Park.

Survivors include his daughter, Carol Hicks of Midland; one granddaughter; and four great grandchildren; also, his devoted friend and traveling companion of 14 years, Mavis Reynolds of Odessa.

The family expresses special thanks to Bridget and Regina, the Hospice staff that took care of Lloyd.

Graveside services will be held at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 12, 2012, at Resthaven Memorial Park, with Abe Langston, officiating. Visitation was held from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 11, 2012, at the funeral home.

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

Michael L. Hicks

Michael Lloyd Hicks left this earthly world on August 28, 2012, in Round Rock, TX. He was born to Lloyd H. Hicks and Helen Dukes Hicks on December 8, 1948, in Oklahoma City, OK.

Mike graduated from Midland High School in 1967 and from Stephen F. Austin University, in 1976, with a degree in forestry. As director of Parks and Recreation for Hobbs, NM, he was recognized by the state of New Mexico for designing and implementing several of his landscaping projects.

Mike loved driving his tractor, with his dog beside him. He loved his family and was a good man.

Survivors include sister, Carol Hicks of Midland; a daughter, Micah of Hutto, TX; 4 grandchildren; and aunt and uncle, Nicki and Stacey Harris of Perry, OK.

Graveside services will be held at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 12, 2012, at Resthaven Memorial Park, with Abe Langston, officiating. Visitation was held from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 11, 2012, at the funeral home.

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Death Notices

Carmel Saenz Rodriguez

Funeral services for Carmel S. Rodriguez have been set for 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 12, 2012, at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton, with Msgr. Tim Schwertner officiating; interment will follow at the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. Carmel, age 41, passed away in Dallas, amongst her beloved family, on Sunday, September 9, 2012.

She is survived by her husband, Gerardo Rodriguez; three daughters; Katherine Rodriguez, Sarah Juarez, and Kailey Breanne; one son Gerardo Rodriguez; her father, Adan Saenz; three sisters; and two brothers.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Stanton Memorial Funeral Home & Chapel.

Donnie L. Cook

Donnie L. Cook, 67, of Odessa, passed away Monday, September 10, 2012, in a Big Spring hospital.

Memorial services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, September 15, 2012, at Circle J Cowboy Church, 300 W. 31st, Odessa, Texas 79764.

Survivors include his wife Shirley Cook; two daughters Dalice McMillan and Deandra Tanksley; five granddaughters; four brothers; one sister; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.

Esther Carroll

Esther Carroll, 90, of Midland, passed away on Monday, September 10, 2012, in Midland.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, September 12, 2012, from 7:00-9:00 p.m., at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home. Funeral services will take place at a later date in Indiana.

Survivors include her son David (Tonya) Carroll daughter, Donna (Dale) Wood; and grandchildren Paul, Matthew, and Devyn Carroll.

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

Tommy Leon Cummings

Funeral Services for Tommy Leon Cummings, 59, of Lubbock, formerly of Denver City, will be held Friday, September 14, 2012, at 2:00 p.m., at First United Methodist Church in Denver City with Pastor Gene Benningfield officiating. Burial will follow in Denver City Memorial Park. All services are under the direction of Boyer Memorial Chapel of Denver City, in association with Boyer Funeral Home.

Mr. Cummings passed away Thursday, September 6, 2012, in Oklahoma, following an illness.

Tommy Cummings is survived by his wife, Juanita Ward; four step-sons, Brent Ward (Teresa), Michael Ward (Angelica), Lance Ward (Hannah), and Kenny Ward (Melanie); two daughters, Alisha Stake (Jeff) and Kristin Peters (Alan); one brother; one sister; twelve grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

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Common food beliefs debunked

By Jessica Belasco
San Antonio Express-News

The flip-flop nature of food research is enough to drive you crazy. Every day, it seems, there's a new study about whether coffee, eggs or other foods are life-lengtheners or heart-stoppers, often appearing to contradict the study that came before.

Take, for example, two studies that made headlines recently. One found little evidence organically grown food is more nutritious than conventionally grown produce, and the other challenged the long-held assumption severe calorie-restricted diets would increase lifespan in higher primates.

For Luisa Newton, the news that Stanford University researchers found little evidence organic products consistently were higher in vitamins won't change her habit of buying mostly organic produce.

"In most of the publicity, they don't point out that non-organic food has more pesticide residue, and that concerns me as much as any nutrition comparison," said Newton, a retired singer in San Antonio.

Similarly, people who, based on animal studies, believe calorie restriction is the key to a longer life likely aren't going to change their minds because of the study published online last week by the journal Nature. The study concluded monkeys fed a diet containing only 70 percent of the calories they normally ate failed to live longer than monkeys that ate normally.

Earlier studies found lab mice and rats fed a similarly restricted diet lived 15 percent to 40 percent longer than normal.

Should we alter our diets in light of the latest research? Not so fast, said Robert J. Davis, author of "Coffee Is Good for You: From Vitamin C and Organic Foods to Low-Carb and Detox Diets, the Truth about Diet and Nutrition Claims" and editor of Everwell.com.

Food studies tend to make headlines when the results they yield are contrary to previous research, Davis pointed out.

Such debates distract from the bigger issue, he said, which is the need for Americans to eat more fruits and vegetables, something that's far more important than "marginal nutritional differences." Rather than getting caught up in the dangers or benefits of specific foods, focus on your overall diet, Davis recommends. It should be high in fruits and vegetables, whole grains, nuts, seeds and healthy fats, and low in trans-fats, processed foods and sugar.

Experts recommend doing your homework when faced with a headline about the latest food study. Ask questions: Was the study sponsored by a biased source, such as an industry association?

Three food rules to follow:

- Eat more vegetables and fruit: They can help lower blood pressure, reduce the risk of heart disease and may help reduce risk of some cancers. Shoot for at least nine servings a day. The more colors, the better.
- Choose healthful carbs: Diets rich in whole grains (such as brown rice and steel-cut oats) help your heart and reduce the risk of Type 2 diabetes. Refined carbs (such as white rice and cookies) may contribute to weight gain and contribute to heart disease and diabetes.
- Drink water, not sugar: High-calorie, nutrient-free drinks such as sugary sodas, sports drinks and fruit punch may promote weight gain and contribute to Type 2 diabetes.

Nation learns new food group: menudo

By Jennifer McInnis
San Antonio Express-News

The last time the rest of the country heard a prime-time mention of menudo, it likely was about the '80s Puerto Rican boy band that gave Ricky Martin his start. That is, until last week when San Antonio Mayor Julian Castro talked about his grandmother's prize-winning menudo recipe during his keynote speech at the Democratic National Convention.

"As my grandmother got older, she begged my mother to give her grandchildren. She prayed to God for just one grandbaby before she died. You can imagine her excitement when she found out her prayers would be answered — twice over," Castro said. "She was so excited that the day before Joaquin and I were born she entered a menudo cook-off, and she won $300! That's how she paid our hospital bill."

Menudo immediately became a topic on Twitter. Melissa Block, host of NPR's "All Things Considered" tweeted, "First mention of menudo at a convention? DNC2012." Lizzie Skurnick touted the accomplishment, "That's no joke, to win a menudo cook-off in San Antonio," while author and former reporter at the L.A. Times steveweinstein jokingly tweeted, "GOP rebuttal: Julian Castro's grandmother didn't build her menudo."

Associated Press

Mayor Julian Castro, center, hugs his daughter, Carina, 3, during a Sept. 10 event with his wife, Erica Castro, left, and his mom, Rosie Castro. The Castro twins will be 38 years old on Sept. 16.

The traditional Mexican soup is made with tripe, or beef stomach lining, as well as hominy, onions, peppers, spices and cilantro. "Menudo, first of all, is a poor man's food. It was really the leftovers of the whole beef process," chef and restaurateur Johnny Hernandez said. "It's a huge tradition for Hispanics. We've grown up eating it." For his family, it traditionally has been something they enjoy on the weekends, usually with barbacoa. Many restaurants only serve the dish on weekends. It's also a staple at celebrations, such as New Year's, and it has been touted as a hangover cure.

Still, it's not a dish that most Americans are familiar with.

"There are cuts of meat that chefs have glorified over the years that have made their ways to fancy menus," such as fajitas a generation ago, or beef cheeks and hearts, Hernandez said. "But menudo has never made that leap." That may change after last Tuesday night. To prepare menudo at home, the main element is time because the stomach lining has a tough texture, so it has to be cooked low and slow. There are two grades of tripe for menudo at the grocery store — standard and honeycomb, which is preferred because it uses the best cut of meat. Once it's ready, it's "always garnished onions and lime ... and tortillas, of course," Hernandez said.

As for what exactly was in that famous Castro family recipe? That may remain a secret. "I just never learned to cook any of the things I should have learned how to cook," Rosie Castro said of her mother's recipe. "I remember that it had the traditional ingredients, which is the hominy, pigs feet and the tripe, and of course, the chili powder. But I don't know what combination or other spices."

COMING SUNDAY IN WEST TEXAS LIVING

- Midland mom Melanie Nicholas meets the challenge of vacationing with two young children.
- Jim May offers advice when retirement changes family dynamics.

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NETWORK	KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	The Middle	Suburgatory	Modern Family	Suburgatory	Revenge "Commitment"		KMID News	(:35) News Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel Live	
	KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother		Criminal Minds "Run" 2/2 from Sept 5		CSI: Crime Scene "Homecoming"		CBS 7 News	(:35) David Letterman		(:35) Late Late
	KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Oh Sit! (N)		Super. "Reading is Fundamental"		Sein. "The Limo"	Sein. "The Ticket"	'Til Death	'Til Death	'70s "Kiss of Death"	That '70s Show
	KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	The X Factor "Audition #1" The judges travel the nation searching for talent. (SP) (N)				Simpsons "HOMR"	Mother "Pilot"	Met Your Mother	Loves Ray "Security"	Law & Order: C.I. "Dollhouse"	
	KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Mani Erfan	Andrew G. Roth	Update News	Jean-Claude	Light of the Southwest				Joe McGee	Dr. William	Dr. Alewine	Dr. Denis Otero
	KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	News-West 9	Be Millionaire	America's Got Talent		America's Got Talent (N)		GuysKids "Pilot" (N)	NewNorm "Pilot"	News-West 9	(:35) The Tonight Show With Jay Leno		(:35) LateNight
	KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour		Great Performances at the Met "Wagner's Ring Cycle: Die Walkure" The hero Siegmund finds solace in the arms of a lonely stranger; James Levine conducts. (N)									Tavis Smiley
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	HBO5	304	70	16	102		(:15) ★ The Big Year ('11, Com) Owen Wilson.				Boardwalk Empire		Boardwalk Empire		Boardwa.	(:50) ★★ Horrible Bosses		
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	MAX2	382	72	18	122		(5:50) ★ Answers to Nothing Dane Cook.				★★ Life as We Know It Katherine Heigl.				Guide	★★★ Cowboys and Aliens		
	PLEX			96			Movie	★★ Mr. Accident			★★ Who's Harry Crumb?		(:35) ★★ For Love or Money				(:15) ★ Bye Bye Bi...	
	SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(5:50) ★★★ Real Steel Hugh Jackman.				Inside the NFL		Inside NASCAR		Inside the NFL		Inside NASCAR	
	TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(5:00) ★ Out of the ...		★ Swinging With the Finkels			★ Pete Smalls Is Dead			(:05) ★★ Filth and Wisdom			Movie
	A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Hoggers (N)	Hoggers (N)	American Hoggers	American Hoggers	Storage Wars	Storage Wars
	AMC	40	21	23	42	51	★★★ The Green Mile (1999, Drama) David Morse, Bonnie Hunt, Tom Hanks.										★★★ The Green Mile Tom Hanks.	
	BET	58	26		40		106&Park	★★ All About the Benjaminis ('01, Act) Ice Cube.					★★ Soul Men Samuel L. Jackson.				Wendy Williams	
	BRAVO	65	63		41		Housewives NJ		Flipping Out		Top Chef Masters		Top Chef Masters (N)		Watch (N)	Top Chef Masters		Flipping
	CNBC	46	45		39	72	The Kudlow Report		American Greed		American Greed		American Greed		Mad Money		American Greed	
	CNN	43	24	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		Piers Morgan		A. Cooper 360		OutFront		Piers Morgan	
	DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Overhaulin'		Overhaulin'		Sons of Guns		Dirty Jobs		Sons of Guns		Dirty Jobs	
	DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Jessie	Austin	A.N.T.	★ Tinker Bell & the Lost Trea...			Jessie	Phineas	Babysit.	Austin	Wizards	Wizards
	ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	MLB Baseball (L)						MLB Baseball (L)					
	ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	WNBA Basketball Seattle vs Indiana (L)				Fitness		Fitness	Fitness	SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
	FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	(5:00) ★★★ Jumanji			★★ Alice in Wonderland ('10, Adv) Johnny Depp.					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	Restaurant		Restaurant		Restaurant		Stakeout (N)		Rest. "Frankie's"		Restaurant	
	FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Big 12 Showcase (L)	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Cleveland Indians vs. Texas Rangers Site: Rangers Ballpark -- Arlington, Texas (L)						Rangers Live (L)	Football Preview	SEC Gridiron LIVE!	
	FX	31	31	59	64	69	(5:00) ★★★ Salt		★★★ Wanted ('08, Act) James McAvoy.					★★ The Road ('09, Adv) Guy Pearce, Robert Duvall.				
	HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Little House Prairie		Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	G. Girls	G. Girls
	HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	House	HouseH (N)	Property Brothers (N)		Buying and Selling		HouseH	House (N)	Property Brothers		Buying and Selling	
	HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Cajun	Restore	Restore	Restore	Restore	Cajun	Cajun
	LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	Trading Spouses "Clark/ Crowe"		Trading Spouses "Hammond/ Girone"		Trading Spouses "Hammond/ Girone"		Trading Spouses "Chase/ Lane" 1/2		Trading Spouses "Chase/ Lane" 2/2		Trading Spouses "Hammond/ Girone"	
	MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		The Ed Show		Rachel Maddow	
	NBCSN	38	39				★★★ Rocky IV ('85, Dra) Sylvester Stallone.				Sports Illustrated		NFL Turning Point		NFL Turning Point		Sports Illustrated	
	NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Figure	Figure Out	All That	K & Kel	Hollywood Heights		Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
	SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction	Auction
	SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Paranormal Witness		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Hunters		Para. Witness (N)		Ghost Hunters		Paranormal Witness	
	TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Sein. "The Calzone"	Seinf. "The Yada Yada"	Family Guy "Episode VI: It's a Trap!"		Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan		Sullivan and Son	The Office
	TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:15) ★ The Mombe...		Private Screenings		★★ Confidential Agent (1945, Spy) Lauren Bacall, Victor Francen, Charles Boyer.							
	TELE	20	8	10	20		Caso cerrado		Rosa Diamante		Corazon valiente		El patron	Rostro	Al rojo	Decisiones		Decision
	TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Long Island	Long Island	Breaking Amish "Jumping the Fence"		Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo (N)	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo	Honey Boo Boo
	TNT	24	23	40	26	50	The Mentalist "Throwing Fire"		The Mentalist "Blood and Sand"		The Mentalist "Pink Tops"		The Mentalist "Always Bet on Red"		CSI: NY "The Dove Commission"		CSI: NY "Crime and Misdemeanor"	
	TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	Home I.	Home Imp	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	SoulMan	SoulMan	Cosby	Cosby	Queens	Queens
	USA	26	30	42	27	49	NCIS "Flesh and Blood"		NCIS "False Witness"		Royal Pains (N)		NCIS "Jurisdiction"		NCIS: Los Angeles "Predator"		Royal P "Something Fishy This Way Comes"	
	WGN	19	18				America's Funniest Home Videos		Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	WGN News at Nine		30 Rock	30 Rock	Rules of Engage.	Rules "Reunion"

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Tumbleweed Smith is a Big Spring storyteller and folklorist.

Filling station worker gives musician advice

Daron Norwood is a musician who lives in Muleshoe. He talks best when he is holding a guitar. "I've been playing it since I was 10 years old," he said with a twinkle in his eye. "Music has been my life since I was about 3. I've only had one job outside of music. That was in 1985 when I graduated from high school in Tahoka. I got a job at the local co-op where they busted flats and changed tires. It was during the old filling station days when you actually washed windshields and swept out the car while you were filling it with gas. I worked with a black man called Conoco. We were washing a car one day and a George Strait tune came on the radio and I was singing along with it. Conoco held out his hands to me and said, 'Daron, you see these old hands I got right here. With a voice like you got, there ain't no reason that your hands have to look like these in 50 years.' He said he knew of a place in Lubbock that pays good money to singers. That's how my music career got started."

Norwood left the service station the very day that Conoco held out his hands. "I came to a little hole in the wall called Adolph's. It was so dark inside you couldn't even see when you went in off the street. I walked up to the bartender and said 'you don't know this, but you need me today. If there's one thing in this world I can do it's sing.' He told me I could play for tips. I made $85 a day for the next three months. I played there from noon to 3 p.m. I got a cold beer and a hamburger after I played. One day the bartender told me there was another place where I could play from 4 to 7 p.m. I picked up that job. One of my musician friends told me he was quitting his gig at a honky-tonk on the other side of town and he got me that job. It was 9 p.m. to closing. I was soon making $1,000 a week playing music when I was 19 years old."

As a youngster, Norwood sang with his dad. "He looked a lot like Johnny Cash and he sang a lot of Johnny Cash. We sang gospel songs. He'd sing 'Daddy sang bass' and I'd come in with my high voice and sing 'Mommy sang tenor.' I was kinda his sidekick. I'd wear a hat and turn up the brim in front. Daddy let me sing a whole song at the end of the performance to let the audience know I could really sing. His name was Hugh Jack Norwood and was an evangelistic preacher. Our family had some funny names. There was Hugh Jack and Billy Jack and Betty Faye and Betty Jo. They had so many kids they started using the same ones over 'cause they ran out of names. My daddy was the baby of 11 kids. It was a musical family. When you turned 10 years old they handed you an instrument. Let's say if somebody had graduated from school and they used to play mandolin. Well, the mandolin was still at the house. Papa Norwood would hand you the mandolin and say 'learn to play this.'"

Norwood went to Nashville and had some hit tunes. He had a bus and performed all over the country. One time he had a gig in Lubbock and he was in his bus with some of his band members and one of them told him there was a man outside named Conoco that said he knew the singer. Norwood said, "You better let him in. He's the one that started all this mess. He told me to put the chamois down and follow my dreams."

HONOR

From 1B

tion, the Mission Center provides respite care for elderly and disabled adults.

Tickets for the dinner are $75 each and the money is used to fund the organization. Seghier said the agency anticipates a spring fundraiser also to help raise support as they pursue involvement in an upcoming shared spaces project.

Seghier said because the Mission Center serves many grandparents, an event like this to honor other grandparents in the community ties in with the program.

Tumbleweed Smith will serve as the keynote speaker of the evening and Seghier said she expects him to share some of his usual humorous stories and anecdotes.

"He's always said that one of the most important roles that he has is that as a grandparent," she added.

Audrie Palmer can be reached at

LOCALBRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Midland authors to sign copies of second novel

Midland author Jimmy Patterson will be signing copies of his second novel with Midland attorney Tom Morgan at noon Saturday at Barnes and Noble Booksellers and following 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Masses on Sunday at St. Ann's Catholic Church. The book, "An Absence of Principal" is loosely based on one of Morgan's criminal trials about a local educator wrapped up in a drug deal. The duo's first novel, "Chisos Mountain Sunset," was published in April 2011.

Talent show ticket sales to benefit food bank

Canned food items may be donated Thursday to reduce ticket prices for the West Texas Talent Search Semi-Finals on Sept. 22. Anyone who purchases a ticket Thursday for the event may exchange a canned food item for $1 off the $13 tickets; up to five items may be donated per ticket. Tickets may be purchased from 2-7 p.m. Thursday at Ector Theatre. For tickets purchased online, $4 from each adult ticket will be donated to the West Texas Food Bank. The West Texas Talent Search Semi-Finals will be Sept. 22 at Ector Theatre. Twenty-five semi-finalists will compete to perform at the finals event Oct. 5 at the Ector Theatre. For more information, visit www.westtexastalent.com.

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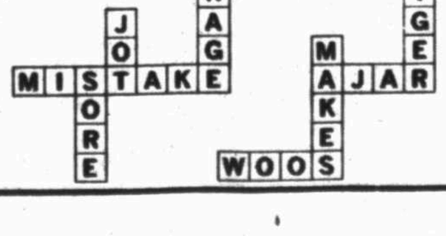

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DIEZ Y SEIS PARADE 2012

WHEN:
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2012
PARADE BEGINS 10:00AM

ALL ENTRIES MUST CHECK IN FROM 8:00 - 9:00 AM

WHERE:
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FREE TO ALL - MUST REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE
DEADLINE: ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE IN BY 9-10-12

DETAILS:
All parade entrants will assemble in the designated areas at Bradford Park at 905 E. New York Ave. Check-in Registration table will be at the corner of New York and Jefferson streets. The Parade will travel East on E. New York Ave to Lamesa Rd. turn right on South Lamesa Rd., continue to Florida Ave. and turn West on Florida Ave. Parade will conclude across the street from Dona Anita's Restaurant.

RULES:
All entries (float, trucks, automobiles, bicycles) must be decorated. Plaques will be awarded to the Best Overall, Most Original and Best Presentation. For safety concerns, all items such as candies or gifts for the public, cannot be thrown from any vehicles and can only be distributed on the curbs.

REGISTRATION:
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Midland Chamber of Commerce, 109 N. Main
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MARKET

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She remembers the conversations that led to the market's annual backpack drive — which continues through Saturday — and other events, but White can't remember exactly what was said that resulted in the first Author's Day — just as she can't remember exactly when she started writing.

"I started writing when I was very young," she said. "I don't remember a time not writing, even in all the pictures of me as a little child I have a pen in my hand."

White writes children's literature including alphabet concept books and ballets. She has published 10 concept e-books, one print book and an App. She co-founded the company Pictureless Books in 2010, through which she markets her alphabet concept books and App.

This year she'll be giving away free copies of her e-book "W is for Walnut" at Author's Day. She chose the food-related alphabet book that includes ideas for ways to prepare fresh produce especially for the farmers market.

Midland author Patrick Dearen has participated in Author's Day for the past three years. This year he will showcase 11 of his published works at the event, including "Devil's River," a history of Texas' Devil's River; "Lone Star Lost," about lost treasure in Texas; and his Depression-era novel "Perseverance."

Dearen said he appreciates Author's Day for the opportunity to meet readers and promote his work.

"It's always been a great thing because authors today really have to think outside the box when it comes to promotion and sales and an author can't just limit himself to book store signings," he said.

White said other authors involved in the event recognize the benefits of connecting with a local audience.

"What I hear from the authors is it's a great place for exposure," she said. "Authors write for their readers and being able to ever meet readers is always a highlight."

Dearen said he's even had readers suggest story ideas or give their input on character names.

"Nothing beats a face-to-face conversation because it's so much more personal," he said.

The event also gives authors a chance to visit with each other and others in the community.

"I suspect that most writers are like me — that will be my social life for the week and the rest of the week I'll be buried in front of my computer at home," he said. "It's been nice not only to communicate with other writers but with the growers (and) those who are selling arts and crafts."

Other upcoming events at the Midland Downtown Farmers Market:

■ **MDFM Packpack Drive:** The Midland Downtown Farmers Market is collecting new or gently-used backpacks to distribute to students at area schools. Drop off backpacks or monetary donations at the farmers market Saturday.

■ **Artist's Day:** MDFM is hosting its first Artist's Day on Oct. 6. Like Author's Day, the event aims to showcase local artists and their work. Local painters, sculptors and photographers are encouraged to participate.

■ **MDFM Birthday Bash:** The market will host its five-year Birthday Bash on Oct. 27 with live music, free birthday cake, raffle tickets for market wares, kids events, local nonprofit information booths, balloons and magic tricks by Harlin Rhoades and a kids Halloween costume contest.

■ **Once-a-monthers:** The Birthday Bash will mark the end of the season for the farmers market. Beginning in November the market will open only the second Saturday of each month through fall and winter.

For more information, visit www.midlanddowntownfarmersmarket.com.

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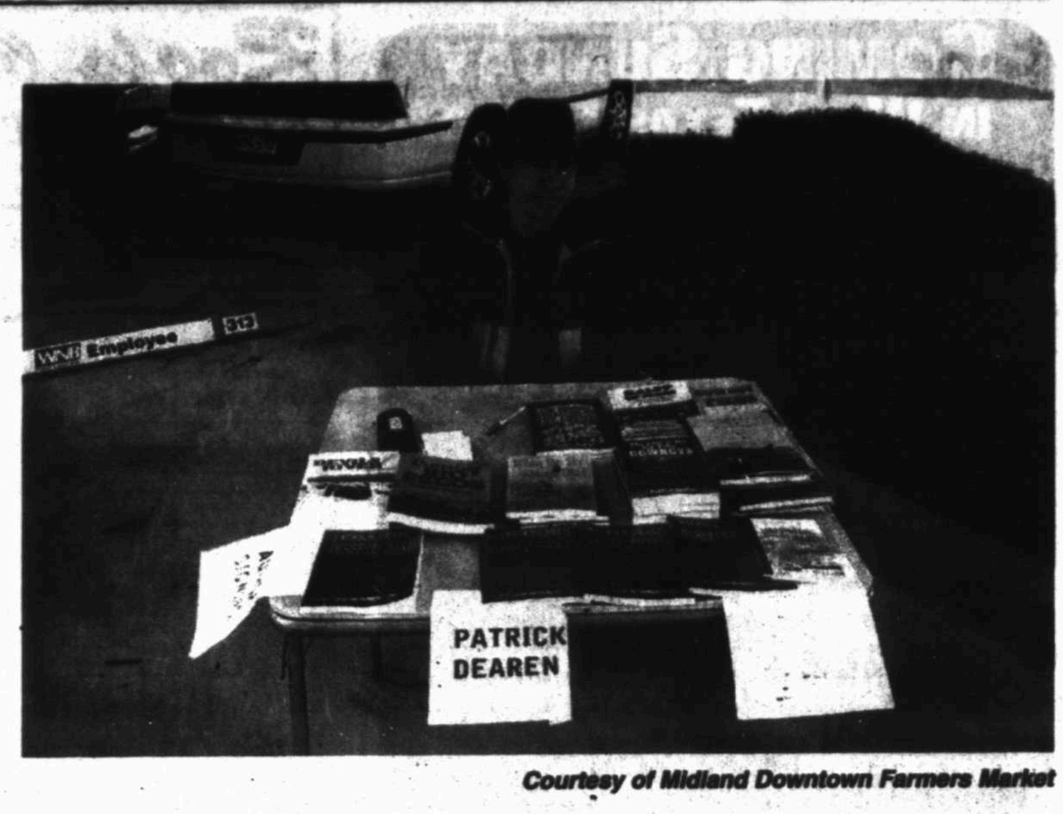

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Local author Patrick Dearen sits behind his booth at last year's Author's Day at Midland Downtown Farmers Market.

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1/2 cup olive oil or reduced fat mayonnaise
1/2 cup plain Greek yogurt
1/2 cup finely chopped, peeled cucumbers
1/2 teaspoon powdered onion
1 teaspoon chopped fresh dill (or 1/2 teaspoon dried)

Combine all ingredients and serve with fish. Reserve a pinch of dill for garnish.

Yogurt, Fruit and Almond Parfaits
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4 almond cookies or macaroons, coarsely chopped (1/2 cup)
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1 cup diced fresh fruit (berries, peaches, apricots)
2 Tablespoons sliced almonds, toasted
2 teaspoons honey

FOOD ETC.

What is your favorite fall recipe? Is it something with corn, cranberries or another ingredient that you look forward to using this time of year? Send your recipe to foodetcmrt@aol.com, mail to the Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 East Illinois Ave., Midland, 79701, attention: Food Etc./Joan Hull or fax to 570-7650. Please include your name, phone number and source of the recipe. Deadline is Sept. 25.

Place 2 tablespoons of crushed cookie in the base of two sundae or parfait style glasses. Layer with 1/2 cup yogurt, 1/2 cup fruit, and 1 tablespoon more of the cookies. Top with 1/2 cup yogurt, remaining cookies, toasted almonds and a drizzle of honey.

Hot Apple Pie Parfait
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2 teaspoons unsalted butter
1 large apple, cored, and thinly sliced, ideally unpeeled
2 teaspoons brown sugar
Pinch of cinnamon or apple pie spice
1/2 cup low-fat granola
2 Tablespoons ground flaxseed and or wheat germ
1 cup Oikos Greek Yogurt, honey or vanilla flavor

Add butter to saucepan and melt over medium heat. Mix in the apple slices, brown sugar, and cinnamon or spice, sautéing for about 5 minutes. Add a tablespoon of water to pan, if necessary, if apple mixture gets too dry. In parfait or serving glasses, layer granola/flax/wheat germ, yogurt, and apples as desired and serve.

Roasted Red Pepper Soup with Yogurt Pesto Swirl
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1 Tablespoon olive oil
1 large sweet onion, sliced (2 cups)
1 clove garlic, minced
1 (12-ounce) jar roasted red pepper
3 cups chicken or vegetable broth
1 (5.3-ounce) package Oikos Greek 0% Plain (1/2 cup)
1 Tablespoon prepared pesto

In a soup pot, heat oil. Add onions and sauté 4-5 minutes. Add garlic and cook 1 minute. Add red peppers and broth and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer soup 30 minutes. Meanwhile, combine yogurt and pesto until smooth. Blend soup until smooth. Add 1/2 cup yogurt pesto to soup and mix well. Ladle soup into bowls and top each with a dollop of pesto yogurt and serve.

Greek God Chicken and Lemon Linguini
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1 pound linguine noodles
4 boneless chicken breasts cut into bite sized pieces
1/2 pound green beans (French cut frozen)
1/2 cup whipped cream
1/2 cup Greek God Plain Yogurt
1 teaspoon lemon rind
2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice
1/2 cup Parmesan cheese
1 bunch of green onions, chopped
Salt and pepper to taste

Cook pasta according to package directions, drain. Cook chicken in medium skillet until cooked through. For sauce: combine whipped cream, yogurt, lemon rind and juice, Parmesan cheese, green onions, salt and pepper in a bowl; stir well. Cook green beans about 2 minutes, drain. Combine pasta, chicken, sauce and all ingredients and toss thoroughly.

Greek Yogurt Chicken
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1 cup plain Greek Gods Greek Yogurt
2 Tablespoons lemon zest, (finely grated peel of a lemon)
1 1/2 Tablespoons lemon juice (preferably fresh squeezed)
2 Tablespoons oregano, finely chopped, fresh
2 Tablespoons freshly chopped parsley
2 whole cloves garlic, peeled and diced
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper, freshly ground or to taste
4 whole chicken breasts without skins

Combine yogurt, lemon peel and juice, oregano, parsley, garlic, salt and pepper. Put the chicken into a dish and spread about 1/2 cup yogurt over the chicken. Cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate several hours or overnight. Cover and refrigerate the remaining yogurt.

Place the chicken on a rack in a baking pan and bake 30 minutes in a preheated 375 oven. Turn the oven to broil and continue cooking about 5 minutes, until the chicken is browned on top and cooked through. Spoon the remaining yogurt over the chicken and serve.

Hints for farmers markets: Go early, bring bags and small bills

HINTS FROM HELOISE

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Dear Heloise: I love to get up early on Saturday mornings to check out local farmers markets. Here are some hints I have learned through the years:

■ Go early. It's cooler earlier in the day, and you will have plenty of items to pick and choose from.

■ Bring reusable bags. Reusable bags are better for the environment and keep sellers from handing out plastic bags.

■ Bring small bills. Have plenty of $1, $5 and $10 bills. Most items are under $10, and if you can give exact change, it is greatly appreciated.

Hope other readers can benefit from these hints. — A.R., via email

I'm sure they will, and readers, if you have not been to one, you are missing out! Visit the website www.localharvest.org, put in your city or ZIP code and see where all the markets are in your area! Nothing beats a tasty, homegrown fruit or veggie. — Heloise

Controlled cooking

Dear Heloise: I am writing regarding a prior column about safety and slow cookers. The reader places the slow cooker on the stove in case of something boiling over. I would like to add I don't place any appliance that emits heat near other appliances, where it can heat up and possibly cause the electric cord to burn or melt. I also don't put the appliances near any moisture.

My advice is to place the slow cooker on a cookie sheet with raised sides. This is how I use mine if I think it could possibly boil over. — Della W. in Houston

Heloise's Coffee Olé

Dear Readers: I get a lot of requests for Heloise's Coffee Olé, so I thought I would share it. You will need:

1 cup of regular coffee
1 tablespoon of powdered skim milk
Some extra skim milk
Sugar or artificial sweetener

Place the mixture in a blender until foamy. Pour the mixture into a microwaveable coffee mug and heat it on "warm" for a couple of seconds. Coffees and teas are delicious and easy to make, which is why I have compiled a pamphlet filled with recipes for flavored coffees and teas. To receive the pamphlet, please send $3 and a long, self-addressed, stamped (65 cents) envelope to: Heloise/Coffee and Tea, P.O. Box 795001, San Antonio, TX 78279-5001. For a hint of flavor, add a sprinkle of cinnamon to the bottom of your coffee cup before adding coffee. Delicious! — Heloise

Easy tomatoes

Dear Heloise: When tomatoes are in abundance, I fix a pot of boiling water. I dip the tomatoes in the water for 30 seconds, give or take, and peel the skin off. I chop them up and put them into paper cupcake holders, then freeze. — A Reader in Dallas

Make sure to place the tomatoes in a freezer-safe bag or container before storing. Frozen tomatoes, once thawed, will not be like fresh tomatoes, but they are perfect for soups and stews. — Heloise

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Former Midlander John Faulkenberry participates in the 2011 Warrior Open hosted by the George W. Bush Presidential Center at the Las Colinas Country Club in Irving.

GOLF

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ing that got me fixed; it got me my life back. I see nothing but happy memories there."

Golf is therapeutic for the mind and body of wounded service members, Faulkenberry said. Not only does it help with core strength and balancing, he explained, but it gives the warriors a break from the demand of physical therapy.

"Mentally it gets you out of the gym and you get to go outdoors," he said. "Most of the time prior to that, you're spending your days in the hospital."

To participate in such a high profile event like the Warrior Open was nerve-wracking for Faulkenberry last year, he said, but he appreciated the ability to meet others with similar backgrounds and spend time with Bush, who he'd met first at Center for the Intrepid. The former president spent all day with the wounded warriors last year while they practiced for the event, and spent four solid days with the service members, Faulkenberry said.

"Personally, I think it's a great way to show how President Bush, during his presidency as commander-in-chief, cared about the decisions he made and how it affected people," he said. "He hasn't quit on us and he goes out of his way to show his gratitude."

This year's event also will give Faulkenberry the chance to reflect on how far he's come since 2007, both physically and mentally. The family man admits his golf game hasn't exactly been a first priority, as he expects the arrival of his second child with his wife Sarah in December.

"Getting wounded myself has changed everything," he said. "It's changed my experiences and my outlook on life. I've seen old opportunities lost but also new ones gained. It was a pretty hard transition from start to finish, but I'm more accepting of what's ahead now."

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NEIL SPERRY

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Fungal growths suggest problem with pecan tree

Dear Neil: I recently discovered a large kind of shelf-shaped growth at the base of one of my large pecan trees and another smaller one growing on the opposite side of the tree. The tree was pruned severely (and topped — not something I requested!) about three years ago. Is there anything that can be done about these tree growths? Will they eventually kill the tree?

Answer: It sounds like your tree has been visited by bracket fungus growths. These are saprophytic (meaning they are not parasitic) funguses that attack decaying wood. You'll commonly see different types of them on the trunks and branches of fallen trees. So, while they're not going to kill the tree in their own right, they do suggest there is something seriously wrong with the bark and wood tissues where they are growing. Obviously, there is some form of active decay going on, and you may want to have a certified arborist check the tree out very carefully. It might be something that could be stopped. The arborist also would be able to determine if corrective pruning farther up in the canopy is needed to correct the damage that unfortunately was done by the topping.

Dear Neil: Attached are photos of three oleanders we planted this spring. As you can see, they differ dramatically in size and color, even though they are the same variety and were planted at the same time in the same medium. Why is one so stunted, and why are its leaves paler green than the others? Even the tall plant is half tall and half short. How can we encourage better growth?

Answer: Two things give oleanders strong growth and deep green color: water and nitrogen. I have many clusters of plants of various sorts in my landscape, and invariably they perform differently from one plant in a group to the next plant in the same group. Actually, our three children did the very same thing, coming right out of the same house and environment. Philosophy aside, this looks like the stunted plant may have needed more water and nitrogen at some critical time. Think back to how you watered them and how you applied fertilizer. Ramp both up just a bit next growing season, and I'll bet things will even out. It almost has to be between those two.

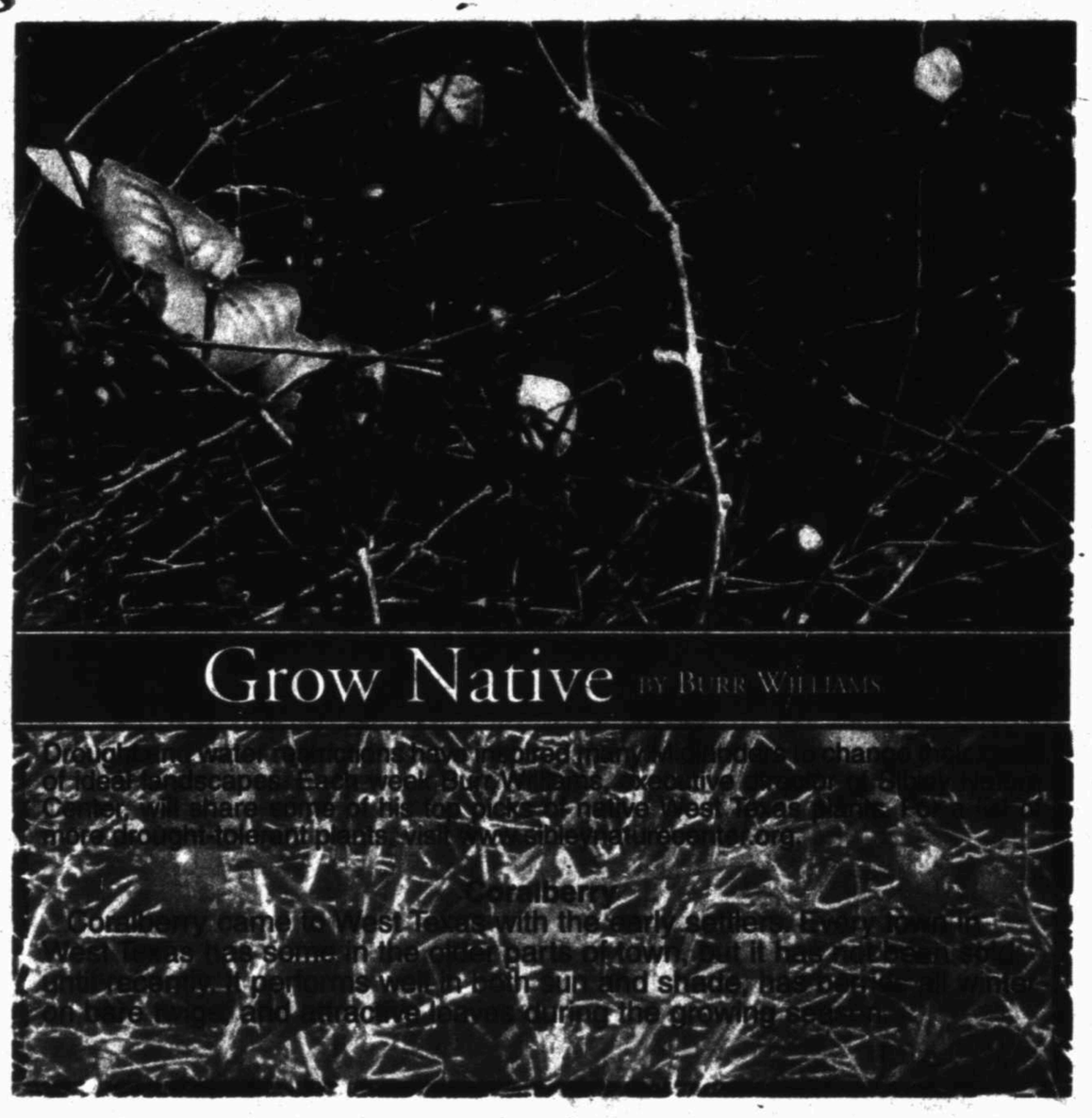
Dear Neil: We have some Rocky Mountain juniper and eastern red cedar trees planted as windblocks on our property. They are six years old, and I'm wondering if I can remove lower branches so they do not extend all the way down to the ground. Will that harm the trees? If it's OK to do so, what time of year would be best?

Answer: You certainly can remove lower branches from almost any plant without doing harm to the plant's health and vigor. Do be warned, however, you'll never get branches to regrow down there, so be very prudent in removing those branches. Do so one branch at a time. Step back to see how the look of the tree is being impacted before you remove the next branch. In fact, I've done the same thing, and I'll usually have someone tie a heavy, soft rope around the outer end of a branch and pull it out of the way before I actually cut the limb. That way, if I decide I need the branch, all I have to do is release the rope and it is still there. You can do that type of pruning at any time, but make the cuts almost flush with the main trunks (1/4-inch branch collar left in place). Finally, you may want to take into account the fact wind now will find an open channel beneath the plants. If you originally planted them as a windbreak, you're about to remove some of that break. (Lots of moving parts on this question and answer.)

Dear Neil: What kind of grass can I grow beneath two large pecan trees? My neighbor and I both have pruned our trees so part of my yard gets morning sun. What type of grass can I use to restart my lawn?

Answer: In 42 years of answering Texas gardeners' questions about lawns, this is far and away the most common question. After all, we all plant trees, and in most cases, the trees do eventually grow large enough to cast heavy shade. All grasses need at least 5 to 6 hours of hot, direct sunlight daily to grow and spread. St. Augustine (southern 80 percent of Texas) and fescue (Northwest Texas) are the most shade-tolerant grasses, but again, 5 or 6 hours of unfiltered sunlight is a minimum.

For what it's worth, I face the very same situation in my half-acre rural landscape, and over the 35 years I've been developing my gardens, I've had to convert thousands of square feet from St. Augustine to groundcover. There weren't any tree limbs left to remove. Mondograss (monkey-grass) is my groundcover of choice. However, it is not a turfgrass. You don't mow it, and you shouldn't routinely walk on it. It's easy to get leaves out of it, since it has no runners. I also have liriope, ferns, Asian jasmine, purple wintercreeper euonymus and a variety of other lawn substitutes in my gardens as well.



Grow Native

BY BURR WILLIAMS

Create unity in landscape with repetition, groupings

JEFF FLOYD

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Unity, texture and balance are terms familiar to landscape architects. Landscape design is a structured process with a defined beginning that flows toward a logical end. Not unlike a great piece of literature, even an untrained observer recognizes the beauty of a well-designed landscape while they may not quite be able to describe the elements that make it so. A haphazardly thrown together grouping of plants is an indicator the design process, if one existed, went awry.

Let's consider just a single component of landscape design: unity. Unity can be achieved by repeated plantings with comparable features such as height, texture or color. Unity also is created by maintaining a consistent theme within the landscape. Unity can be realized when the designer strives to separate groupings of perennials, which live for many seasons, from groupings of short-lived annuals. By assembling garden beds in this fashion, you produce a sense of cohesion rather than incongruence; a oneness, if you will, rather than a chaotic grouping of plants. An example of disunity is an attempt to combine a traditional landscape with a xeriscape. A lush fescue lawn maintained in front of a dry land succulent such as gopher plant in a bed of decomposed granite stone is an example of a lack of unity.

Repetition in unity isn't achieved merely by quantity. In other words, the unremarkable appearance of a dozen or more large rocks evenly spaced like soldiers guarding a front lawn does not lend itself to a theme. However, several groups of three boulders intermittently arranged in a bed do suggest a creative pattern. You need not be extraordinarily imaginative or a student of art to create a beautiful landscape in our arid climate. In fact, simplicity should be the goal.

Unity through repeated elements is achieved easily with a well-executed simple design. Elaborate landscape designs are often too noisy to be appreciated and usually difficult and costly to maintain. The Home landscape School hosted by Texas A&M Agrilife extension and the Permian Basin Master Gardeners will cover design topics such as unity, balance and emphasis. The school will be held at the Commemorative Air Force Museum, 9600 Wright Drive, over the course of four evenings this month. After completing the school, you will receive a personal landscape consultation by a member of the Permian Basin Master Gardener design team or a Texas A&M faculty member. You will learn how to develop a landscape plan that includes unity, to create a visual relationship between your home and landscape. Learn how native and adapted plants fit into your landscape in the Permian Basin. Create a landscape that provides maximum benefits for the way you want to use it.

The first class of the school begins at 6:30 p.m. Monday and the second class will be 6:30 p.m. Tuesday. The last two classes will be Sept. 26 and 27. The school is open to the public. Plan to attend all four evenings. The cost for the school is $125 for a household of two adults. To learn more about landscape design or to register for the Home Landscape School, contact the Midland county extension office at 686-4700.

ReLeaf

BY DEBBIE FROST

Debbie Frost is a horticulturist in the Permian Basin. Each week she will share timely tips for West Texas gardeners. She can be reached at garden.frost@gmail.com.

We are entering the best season of the year for landscaping. If you are ready for a landscape redo, consider these points.

Deciding on the right direction for your landscape design is the most important first step. Need help? Call Texas AgriLife Extension Service, 432-498-4071, for details on next week's home landscape school or contact professional help.

Faced with vulnerable water resources, you may want to consider less grass, larger landscaped beds and more hardscaping. These features can be good for the home landscape in terms of water, labor, aesthetics and function.

Plan to get rid of the Bermuda grass where proposed landscape beds will go. This needs to happen soon, but only when the grass is green and vigorously growing. Skipping this step can create a grass nightmare next summer.

September, October and November are excellent months for planting new trees, shrubs and other winter hardy woody or perennial plants. The shorter days, cooler temperatures and milder conditions foster root growth and development.

Research which are the best landscape plant species. There are many tree, shrub, ground cover, ornamental grasses and flowers you can grow that are good choices for our area.

Even with limited water, a new plant is fairly easy to establish using a combination city water, recycled water, harvested rain water and slow release, portable water containers (buckets or gator bags).

Hummingbird Bush
(Anisacanthus quadrifidus var wrightii)

REPORTER-TELEGRAM AREA PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Stanton's Anderson shines on both sides of the ball

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

Tim Anderson just wants to win, regardless of yards and carries.

But when a running back is as productive as Anderson is, it sure helps Stanton's chances on Friday nights.

Anderson, a 5-foot-10, 150-pound junior, buoyed the Buffaloes' offense by rushing for 197 yards and three touchdowns on 24 carries in a 34-14 victory over Morton. Anderson also plays defensive end for Stanton and added five tackles against the Indians.

For his performance, Anderson is the Reporter-Telegram's Area Football Player of the Week.

"He just had one of those games where everything seemed to click for him and the rest of the offense," Stanton coach John Peterson said. "The line was really blocking well, and Tim just had a really good game."

Peterson said it was Anderson who helped jump-start the offense after a slow start in the scoreless first quarter. But early in the second, Anderson scored his first touchdown on a 6-yard run. After Morton tied the game at 6 before halftime, Anderson gave the Buffaloes the lead for good with a 2-yard run midway through the third quarter.

Anderson, whom Peterson said is one of the team's junior leaders, was quick to credit his teammates.

"Our line did a good job, and I had the fullbacks block really well to be able to get me into the end zone for those touchdowns," he said. "We started off really well, slowed down and then we picked up when the offensive line started opening up big holes for me. Then after halftime the team did an even better job and we were able to score more."

The Buffaloes ended up scoring 21 points in the final quarter as Anderson added a 14-yard TD run.

While Anderson said he was surprised with the number of yards he had on the night, it really shouldn't be surprising that he has been a key for any success the Buffaloes have had. Last year, Anderson had to be the primary ball carrier as a sophomore when teammate Blake Evans was lost for the year with a knee injury. Anderson finished with 743 yards and 16 touchdowns on 113 carries (a 6.58 per carry average).

With Evans back this season, Anderson said his presence in the backfield with him is a tremendous help.

"Blake is a real asset to the team," he said. "He worked real hard to get back and it inspired everybody to work hard in the offseason. He not only works hard, but he's a big guy and he's real strong. He helps me out a lot, we have good chemistry and I'm glad to have him back there."

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Tim Anderson: Ran for 197 yards on 24 carries with three touchdowns on offense and had 5 tackles on defense for Stanton on Friday.

Lee holds off Lady Dawgs

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lee defenders Tessa Bane (14) and Rebecca Brewer (2) block a hit from Midland High outside hitter Channing Burleson (10) during a match Monday at Lee.

Fifth-set rally pushes Lady Rebels past rival

By Len Hayward
Sports Editor

The Lee volleyball team has faced two other fifth set situations already in District 2-5A play this season and split those two matches.

Tuesday night the Lady Rebels were facing another fifth and deciding set against a Midland High team that was rolling after a convincing fourth set victory.

Lee, though, rallied from an early four-point deficit to tie it and then eventually win to take a thrilling 18-25, 25-21, 25-20, 14-25, 15-11 victory at the Lee High School gymnasium.

The Lady Rebels (18-10 overall and 3-2 in District 2-5A) were down 4-0 at one point in the final set and then were down 8-6 before scoring nine of the final 12 points to capture the victory.

"A lot of it is that we've been in that situation so many times before," said Lexi Neighbors, who had 11 kills and three blocks on Tuesday. "We had several key players come on right at the end and that really helped us a lot."

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High outside hitter Channing Burleson (10) attempts to hit against Lee defender Rebecca Brewer (2) during a match Monday at Lee.

Lee's victory creates a logjam in the third through fifth spots in the District 2-5A standings. The Lady Rebels are tied for third with Midland High (23-7 overall), both at 3-2 in league play, while Abilene High and Amarillo Tascosa are tied for fifth.

On Tuesday, Lee and Midland High weren't as concerned about their place in the league standings. The teams focused on finding a way to beat the other squad.

Midland High rolled to a win in the first set as the Lady Bulldogs broke open a tie game with eight straight points with sophomore Jenna Gillean serving. During that run, Gillean served two aces, Channing Burleson had two of her game-high 17 kills and Katy Strickland and Allyson Gordon combined on a block.

In the second and third sets, Lee found momentum by trying to use a game plan of working to slow down Midland High's big three hitters — Burleson, Gillean and Alexa Griggs — and moving the ball around on serve-receive.

Neighbors had three blocks, while Tessa Bane had four during the match.

"They were pretty much hitting cross, and we moved our anchors in and let Ciara (Sheppard) take line and then we were able to get more touches," Lee coach Diane Sandoval said. "With us if we can just slow the ball down, I think we have a good enough back line that we can at least keep the ball in play."

During the second set, Lee took the lead at 19-18 after an Ashley Carter kill and never gave it up the rest of the set as Neighbors recorded a kill on a free ball at the net and Stephanie Brewer had

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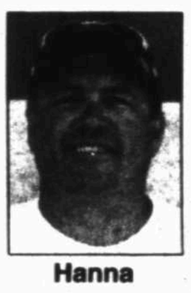
Greenwood's defense shows improvement in a big way

■ Rangers have back-to-back shutout victories.

By Oscar LeRoy
Sports Writer

One area the Greenwood football team wanted to improve for this season was the play of the defense. The Rangers knew they had to be a lot stronger on that side of the ball if they wanted to contend with the top teams on their schedule.

After two weeks, the Rangers' defense has looked pretty good. They have posted back-to-back shutouts with the latest one coming in a 41-0 victory over Brownfield.



Hanna

"I tell you what, our defense is playing really well," Greenwood coach Shad Hanna said. "You can overcome a lot of things each week when you're playing good defense. But we'll be getting a little tougher test this week with Shallowater."

Shallowater, like Greenwood, brings a 2-0 record into Friday night's contest at J.M. King Memorial Stadium. And the Mustangs also bring with them a good offense and are coming off deep playoff run in 2011, which included knocking off the Rangers in the Class 3A Division II area round.

"Shallowater is going to be a tougher test than Brownfield," Hanna said. "We just need to keep getting better and keep swarming to the football. If we continue to do those things, everything will take care of itself."

Swarming to the football is something the Rangers have done well on defense, and Hanna said it's takes all 11 guys doing it.

Against Brownfield, the Rangers held the Cubs to 250 total yards, which included 196 on the ground.

"Their running back did a lot of juking and jiving, which makes it easy for him to find a seam," Hanna said. "But the way our defense keeps swarming to the football, it takes its toll on a running back."

This defensive performance is also impressive considering that they have had to move people around in the linebacking corps because of injuries. Both the starting and backup middle linebackers Brandon Brown (shoulder) and Seth Daniel (shoulder) have been out with injuries, forcing Zach Redwine to move from an outside linebacker spot to the middle. Despite some personnel moves, the Rangers have liked their results.

"Everybody is playing so well together," Hanna said. "Defense is something we feel good about, and that's something we knew we had to improve in order to for us to win big ballgames. And with most of the kids being in the scheme for

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2nd 911 call made from home of Texas Tech basketball coach

Billy Gillispie: Texas Tech head basketball coach is on indefinite sick leave. He also allegedly has mistreated players.

Associated Press

LUBBOCK — An ambulance was sent to the home of Texas Tech coach Billy Gillispie for the second time in 10 days while he remains on leave as the school investigates his leadership of the program.

Lubbock Police Sgt. Jeff Baker said Tuesday that the emergency call came from Gillispie's home around 6 p.m. Monday and that an ambulance was sent.

A spokesman for University Medical Center, where Gillispie earlier spent six days this month, said Gillispie did not come there. A spokeswoman for the other hospital in Lubbock said Gillispie was not brought there.

Gillispie, in a text message to The Associated Press late Tuesday, said he would be treated for high blood pressure "amongst other things," at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

Texas Tech spokesman Blayne Beal said Gillispie told athletic director Kirby Hocutt he was going to the Minnesota medical facility for treatment.

"We hope Billy Gillispie has a full recovery, but we cannot wait forever as we have a basketball team that starts practice soon," Hocutt said in a statement.

"In the meantime, associate head coach Chris Walker will assume the responsibility for day-to-day operations of our men's basketball program. Coach Walker will help ensure that leadership and accountability will be in place for our student-athletes, assistant coaches and staff."

Gillispie is on indefinite sick leave and Hocutt said he is no longer making day-to-day decisions for the basketball program so he can focus on his health.

"Nor is he to engage with our program in any way until he and I have a chance to sit down and talk face to face," Hocutt said.

On Aug. 31, Gillispie called 911 and was taken to the medical center. It was the same day he was supposed to meet with Hocutt to discuss allegations he had mistreated his players. The school has reported excessive practice-time violations to the NCAA and reprimanded Gillispie in January.

Gillispie told the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal on Aug. 31 that he felt like he was having a heart attack or a stroke when he called 911. Doctors told Gillispie his blood pressure was dangerously high, the paper reported.

The school penalized itself for the

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LADY CHAPS TODAY

BY OSCAR LEROY

MIDLAND COLLEGE AT FRANK PHILLIPS COLLEGE

When/where: 7 p.m, Borger Community Athletic Center, Borger

Records: Midland College 7-5, 0-0 in Western Junior College Athletic Conference; Frank Phillips 5-3, 0-0

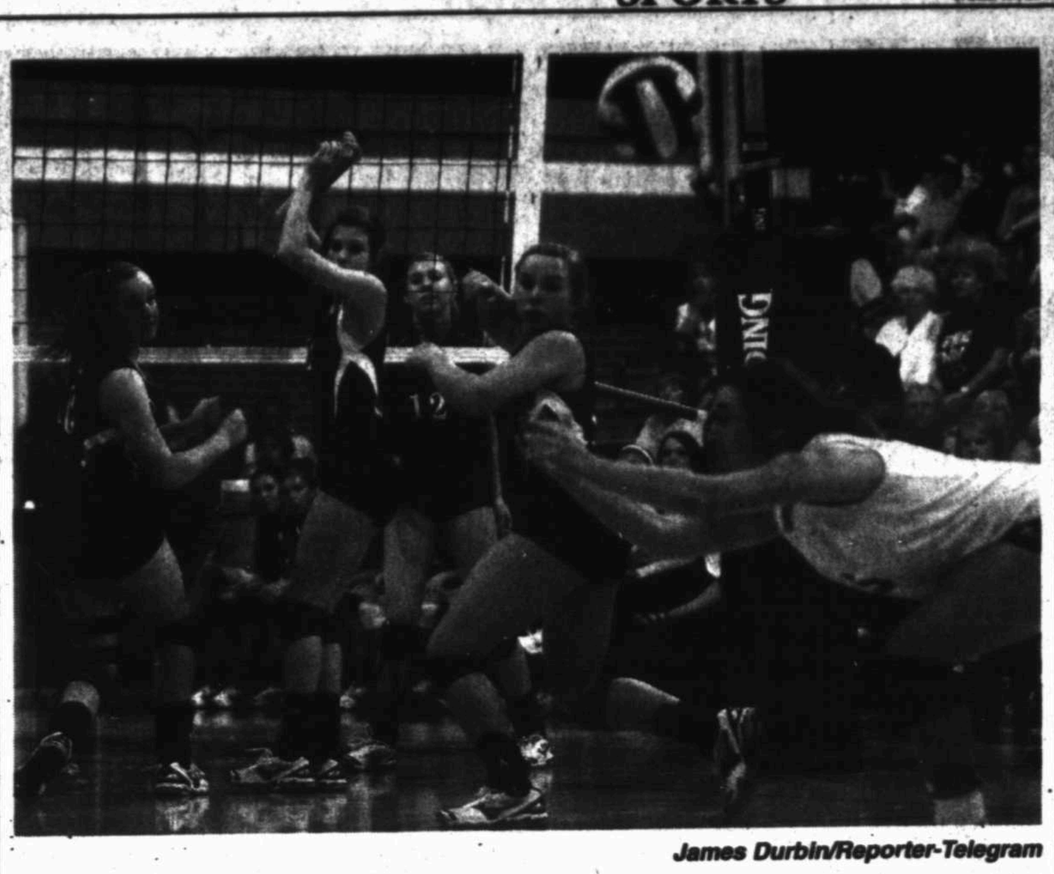
Notes & quotes: Tonight is the start of Western Junior College Athletic Conference play as second-year Lady Chaparrals coach Tammie Jimenez said the team is anxious and little nervous to get going in what she called, "the heart of the schedule." ... Jimenez said the team saw Frank Phillips during a recent trip to Houston and the Lady Plainsmen don't appear as strong as they have in the past but they are scrappy on defense. She said those kind of teams can be challenging to play because they tend to get ball back over the net quite a bit. Jimenez said the key for her team is to play fundamental volleyball and play solid defense. ... The Lady Chaps are coming off a 1-3 showing at the Woodlands Wave Tournament as they defeated Temple College (3-0), but lost to Panola College (3-1), Hill College (3-2), and No. 1-ranked Tyler Community College (3-1). Despite the losses, Jimenez said she saw some good things from her team. "I liked that the girls are competing better," she said. "Even though we came up short in those matches, we did some things we had not done before and started playing better defense. I would still like us to me more of an emotional team, but I guess that will come with time." ... The Lady Chaps have added a player to their roster in 6-foot-2 middle blocker Raiza Kochhann (pronounced Ko-han), from Brazil. Kochhann just arrived to MC over the weekend and Jimenez said she might play some tonight while she is still working to integrate into the offensive and defensive schemes. ... The Lady Chaps are led by returning WJCAC MVP and sophomore OH Dragana Cvoric with 3.18 kills and 3.39 digs per set, while freshman MB Gaby Nieto is chipping in with 2.33 kills and 1.3 blocks per game.

Next: Clarendon College at Midland College, 2 p.m. Saturday; New Mexico Military Institute at Frank Phillips College, 7 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 19

WJCAC Volleyball

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Western Texas	0	0	12	2
Odessa College	0	0	9	4
Frank Phillips	0	0	5	3
Clarendon College	0	0	7	5
Midland College	0	0	7	5
NMMI	0	0	5	5

Today's Matches
Midland College at Frank Phillips College; Odessa College at Western Texas College; Clarendon College at New Mexico Military Institute



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lee defenders let a hit from the Midland High offense slip past them to score during a match Monday at Lee.

RIVALRY

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two kills.

In the third set, Lee went on a run by scoring eight of nine points to turn a 13-11 Midland High lead into a 19-14 Lady Rebel advantage as Lee recorded three blocks during the run.

MHS rallied late in the set when it was down by seven to score three straight points but Lee clinched it with a Lady Bulldogs error.

Midland High had 16 errors in those two set as the Lady Bulldogs struggled to put together long runs.

"Throughout the match we just kind of struggled with keeping the momentum and the excitement," Midland High coach Amanda Lopez said. "Sometimes they looked drained I thought. It's a big game and a lot goes into it, and we were just inconsistent."

Midland High, though, found its groove in the fourth set by gaining a 15-13 lead and then rolling off six straight points and then four more in a row to win convincingly. During that run, Burleson recorded three kills, and Gillean, Erin Robins and Strickland also had kills.

Midland High kept that momentum into the fifth set as the Lady Bulldogs jumped to a 4-0 lead on kills from Shelby Neatherlin and Griggs, and Griggs and Gillean combining on a block, along with a Lee error.

But the Lady Rebels rallied to take a 10-8 lead on four straight points, and then scored five of the final seven points to clinch the game as Neighbors had a block and two kills. The final point was controversial as Neighbors' tip was ruled in as it fell on the corner of the court to end the match.

"They just had to step up and do it, and I was proud of them," Sandoval said.

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District 2-5A Volleyball

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
San Angelo Central	5	0	23	5
Lubbock Coronado	4	0	22	5
Midland High	3	2	23	7
Lee	3	2	16	10
Abilene High	2	2	19	8
Amarillo Tascosa	2	2	17	13
Odessa Permian	0	4	10	14
Abilene Cooper	0	3	12	13
Odessa High	0	4	13	11

Tuesday's Scores
Lee def. Midland High, 18-25, 25-21, 25-20, 14-25, 15-11; Lubbock Coronado def. Abilene High, 25-14, 28-26, 27-29; San Angelo Central def. Odessa Permian, 25-10, 25-20, 25-20; Odessa High def. Abilene Cooper, 25-20, 25-11, 25-16; Abilene Cooper at Amarillo Tascosa were idle.
Friday's Matches
Lee at Abilene Cooper; Abilene High at Amarillo Tascosa; Lubbock Coronado at San Angelo Central; Odessa High at Odessa Permian; Midland High at Midland High, 6 p.m. All matches at 6 p.m. unless otherwise noted.
Tuesday's Match
Abilene Cooper at Amarillo Tascosa, 3 p.m.

LEE DEF. MIDLAND HIGH 18-25, 25-21, 25-20, 14-25, 15-11

Lee statistics

Kills — Ashley Carter 8, Stephanie Brewer 11, Rebecca Brewer 12, Lexi Neighbors 11, Tessa Bane 4, Jenn Jeter 7, Ciara Sheppard 2

Digs — Carter 1, Haley Blackstock 4, J. Jeter 3, Talyn Standard 7, Sheppard 22, Reagan Fink 1, Bree Jeter

Assists — R. Brewer 1, Fink 18, B. Jeter 20

Blocks — Carter 1, S. Brewer 1, R. Brewer 2, Neighbors 3, Bane 4

Aces — Blackstock 1, Sheppard 1

MHS statistics

Kills — Victoria Gerald 2, Channing Burleson 17, Alexa Griggs 15, Erin Robbins 8, Kaydlee Strickland 5, Shelby Neatherlin 4, Katherine Lopez 2, Jenna Gillean 8

Digs — Gerald 7, Selena Muniz 15, Burleson 33, Sara Spears 16, Griggs 26, Katherine Lopez 11, Jenna Gillean 4, Allyson Gordon 2, Carissa Madrid

Assists — Gerald 20, Lopez 34, Madrid 2

Blocks — Griggs 2, Robbins 3, Strickland 1, Gillean 4

Aces — Gerald 1, Muniz 2, Burleson 1, Griggs 1, Gillean 1

Records: Lee 18-10, 3-2 in District 2-5A; Midland High 23-7, 3-2

Next: Lee at Abilene Cooper, 5 p.m. Friday; Amarillo High at Midland High, 6 p.m. Friday

Lee tennis gets win over Midland Christian

From staff reports

Lee took a team tennis victory in a non-district match against Midland Christian at Bush Tennis Center on Tuesday. Powered by a strong showing on the girls side of the draw, Lee held on for an 11-8 victory against the Mustangs.

The Lady Rebels won seven of their nine matches against the Lady Mustangs with top two players Hope Williams and Regan Holderness leading the charge. Williams defeated McKenzie Stubbs, 6-2, 6-1, while Holderness bested Ashley Hedrick, 6-3, 6-1, in singles play.

Williams and Holderness then teamed up to take out Stubbs and Hedrick in a doubles match, 6-1, 6-1.

Midland Christain won six out of the nine boys matches, including all three doubles matches. The Mustangs were off to a good start to taking a seventh match from Lee with Zane Nelson winning his first set against Alex Quinones, 5-7, before having to retire from the match with the second set tied, 2-2, giving Quinones the win.

Lee begins District 2-5A play Saturday, playing host to Lubbock Coronado that morning. Coronado plays Midland High in a second district matchup later Saturday afternoon.

LEE 11, MIDLAND CHRISTIAN 8
(Lee players listed first unless noted.)

Boys Singles

Alex Quinones def. Zane Nelson, 5-7, 2-2, retired
Jonathan Dorman, MCS, def. Nasey Webb, 6-4, 6-1
Austin Hedrick, MCS, def. Michael Sherlick, 6-2, 3-6, 10-8
Joe Simmons def. Kolton Cook, 6-3, 7-6
Akshar Patel def. Matthew Figel, 6-4, 4-6, 10-4
AJ Carter, MCS, def. Bryson Albert, 7-5, 5-7, 10-5

Boys Doubles

Dorman-Cook, MCS def. Mangum-Quinones, 4-6, 6-0, 10-8
Hedrick-Gower, MCS def. Webb-Lynch, 6-4, 2-6, 10-8
Nelson-Adams, MCS def. Simmons-Albert, 7-5, 6-3

Girls Singles

Hope Williams def. McKenzie Stubbs, 6-2, 6-1
Regan Holderness def. Ashley Hedrick, 6-3, 6-1
Jennifer Gerstner def. Caitlin Bell, 6-4, 3-6, 10-4
Lily Hsu def. Natalie Reese, 6-4, 4-6, 10-1
Kaitlyn Kiker def. Bailey Warpula, 6-3, 6-3
Kalinda Wright, MCS def. Chaselyn Richardson, 6-3, 4-6, 10-7

Girls Doubles

Williams-Holderness def. Stubbs-Hedrick, 6-1, 6-1
Parnell-Gerstner def. Reese-McKinney, 6-1, 6-1
Wight-Bell, MCS def. Richardson-Jones, 6-1, 6-2

Mixed Doubles

Kiker-Sherlick def. Franks-Warpula, 6-2, 6-2

UTPB women drop soccer match to McMurry at home

From staff reports

ODESSA — The University of Texas of the Permian Basin rebounded from allowing an early goal right after the start of the match to enter halftime tied, but a pair of second half scores by McMurry took the momentum away as the Falcons lost 3-1 Tuesday at UTPB Soccer Field.

Savannah Whitaker put the War Hawks on top just seconds after the starting whistle, taking a pass from Aleria Luna from the midfield circle and beating UTPB keeper Victoria Easley 10 seconds into the start of play to take a 1-0 lead.

UTPB's Kendeal Stark, a Lee grad, connected to tie the match at 1-1 in the 31st minute, heading an Alyssa Eich cross for her first goal of the season.

McMurry came out hard after halftime, scoring goals from Aleria Luna and Savannah Witaker in the first 15 minutes of the second half.

UTPB returns to home action at 3 p.m. Thursday, hosting Houston Victoria.

AREA VOLLEYBALL ROUNDUP

MCS EXTENDS WIN STREAK

BIG SPRING — Midland Christian kept chalking up the victories on Tuesday, besting Big Spring in four sets, 25-22, 21-25, 25-10, 25-23, at Steer Gym. The Lady Mustangs have now won eight consecutive matches and improve their overall record to 20-3.

The Lady Mustangs were led by Kayla Dupriest's 12 kills, while Morgan Ashton added eight kills, 12 digs and 17 assists.

Midland Christian begins TAPPS 1-4A play at 6 p.m. Friday with a visit to Fort Worth Southwest Christian. The Lady Mustangs play their second district match also on the road against Arlington Pantego at 1 p.m. Saturday.

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN DEF. BIG SPRING
25-22, 21-25, 25-10, 25-13
MCS statistics

Kill — Kayla Dupriest 12, Morgan Ashton 8, Abby Needham 6, Emma Thompson 5, Kyndal Cowan 3, Carleigh Moore 3, Emma Tamplin 2, Kendall Blanchard 1.

Digs — Blanchard 17, Ashton 12, Cowan 9, Madi LeRoy 9, Needham 3, Thompson 3, Dupriest 3, Riley Machen 1, Presley Haner 1.

Assists — Cowan 17, Ashton 17, Thompson 1, Needham 1.

Blocks — Thompson 2, Moore 1, Cowan .5, Needham .5.

Aces — Thompson 5, Needham 1, Blanchard 1, LeRoy 1, Dupriest 1, Machen 1.

Big Spring statistics

Kills — Morgan Seaton 7, Julianna Rodriguez 3, Erin Pollard 14, Haley Dimidjian 5, Carson Reibe 1, Ebony Zavala 4.

Digs — Reibe 20, Zavala 12, Pollard 2, Seaton 5, Rodriguez 4.

Assists — Seaton 19, Rodriguez 10, Dimidjian 1.

Blocks — Seaton 2, Rodriguez 1, Pollard 1, Dimidjian 2, Zaval 1.

Aces — Dimidjian 4, Seaton 1, Reibe 1, Zavala 1.

Record: MCS 20-3.

Next: Midland Christian at Fort Worth Southwest Christian, 6 p.m. Friday; Big Spring hosts dual match with Seminole, Andrews, Sterling City and Water Valley, 10 a.m. Saturday.

TRINITY SWEEPS BALMORHEA

Trinity protected its home court Tuesday with a straight sets rout of Balmorhea, 25-10, 25-7, 25-11.

Ashley Stroup led the charge for Trinity with 11 kills, two blocks and two aces. Sarah Heck had 20 assists and three aces.

The Lady Chargers take the weekend off but return to play at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday with a visit to Kermit.

TRINITY DEF. BALMORHEA
25-10, 25-7, 25-11
Trinity statistics

Kills — Ashley Stroup 11, India Lewis 7, Mykelli Ball 4, Elle Hewett 3, Alex Beggs 2, Kaitlin Hendrick 1.

Digs — Hendrick 5, Margo Edwards 5, Stroup 4, Hewett 4, Beggs 3, Avery Watson 3, Lewis 2, Mylyra Ball 2.

Assists — Sarah Heck 20, Stroup 2.

Blocks — Stroup 2, Myk. Ball 1.

Aces — Heck 3, Myl. Ball 3, Lewis 3, Stroup 2, Beggs 1.

Record: Trinity 14-9

Next: Trinity at Kermit, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday.

GREENWOOD BESTS LAKE VIEW IN 4

A dominant fourth set delivered Greenwood a victory in a non-district match against San Angelo Lake View on Tuesday.

The Rangerettes took the first two sets, 25-22 and 25-18, before falling to Lake View 25-20 in the third set. They left no doubt to the outcome of the match, though, with a 25-9 win in the fourth and final set.

Amanda Bell led the way for Greenwood with 16 kills, seven digs, 14 assists, five blocks and two aces. Courtney Waters had 14 kills and seven digs.

The Rangerettes play in a dual against Lubbock Cooper and Lubbock Monterey at 11 a.m. Saturday at Lubbock Cooper.

GREENWOOD DEF. SAN ANGELO LAKE VIEW
25-22, 25-18, 20-25, 25-9
Greenwood statistics

Kills — Courtney Waters 14, Amanda Bell 16, Candace Kingston 2, Cassie Kraft 1, Whitney Collins 4, Morgan McKee 6, Bailey Morgan 2, Neely Lott 1, Grace Sunderland 2

Digs — Kraft 11, Waters 7, Bell 7, Ashton Hannsz 2, Savannah Cain 3, Morgan McKee 3, Sunderland 1

Assists — Hannsz 24, Bell 14, Kingston 1, Cain 1, Morgan 1

Blocks — Waters 1, Kingston 1, Bell 5, McKee 2, Morgan 2, Sunderland 1

Aces — Hannsz 2, Waters 2, Bell 2, Kraft 2, McKee 2

Record: Greenwood 13-12

Next: Greenwood vs. Lubbock Cooper/Lubbock Monterey, 11 a.m. Saturday, Lubbock Cooper HS

From staff reports

NHL and union plan to meet today in NYC

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The NHL and the players' association will resume negotiations today in an effort to avoid a lockout this weekend.

After not meeting face to face since last Friday, the sides planned to get together at the league office in New York before the NHLPA holds player meetings later Wednesday.

The NHL board of governors will convene on Thursday with Commissioner Gary Bettman, while the union holds a second day of discussions with as many as 250 players.

The hastily scheduled negotiating session for today came just hours after NHL Deputy Commissioner Bill Daly said owners and players were both to blame for their failure to reach a new collective bargaining agreement before current deal expires on Saturday.

Daly wrote in an email to The Associated Press on Tuesday that he hoped both sides would meet before Saturday, but didn't sound optimistic it would happen.

"To this point, we have received no indication that the union has anything new to say to us. And right now, we have nothing new to say to them," he wrote Tuesday. "It's unfortunate, but it's the reality of the situation."

That changed Tuesday night. Whether the restart of talks will lead to a quick resolution remains to be seen.

Jacks start season today

From staff reports

BLAINE, Minn. — The Odessa Jackalopes begin their second season in the North American Hockey League today with the first of four games at the annual NAHL Showcase.

The Jackalopes, who enter this season under a new ownership group, takes on Fairbanks at 8 p.m. today at the Schawns Super Rink. Odessa will face Coulee Region at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Kenai River at 10 a.m. Friday and finish the Showcase with Minot at 12:45 p.m. Saturday.

Odessa finished its first season in the Tier II junior league with a 27-28-5 record and a fourth place finish in the NAHL's South Division. The Jacks also made the playoffs and lost a five-game series to Amarillo 3-1.

Odessa will carry a team of 26 players to the tournament this week and will have to make as many as three cuts after the Showcase is over.

After the Showcase, Odessa will take on Topeka in a 7:05 p.m. game on the road, and then will not play again until Sept. 29 in Amarillo. The Jacks' home opener is scheduled for Oct. 26 against Topeka.

GILLISPIE

From 1C

practice overage, docking twice the number of hours that Gillispie had exceeded during a two-week period in October or 12 hours and 20 minutes. An unidentified assistant coach was also reprimanded.

The NCAA allows 20 hours of practice per week.

Hocutt said the school continues to "work through the process" of looking into allegations players brought to him Aug. 29. Gillispie's assistant coaches, with Hocutt's oversight, are handling the program for now.

Hocutt did not put a timetable on when he and Gillispie would meet.

"I can't anticipate given the other issues related to his health," he said.

US bounces back to beat Jamaica in soccer

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Spurred on by a roaring crowd decked out in red, white and blue, the United States used all of that emotion as fuel to pull off a significant World Cup qualifying victory.

The U.S. rebounded from a loss at Jamaica four nights earlier and moved back into a tie for its group lead by beating the Reggae Boyz 1-0 Tuesday night as Herculez Gomez curled in a free kick in the 55th minute.

It was a night when the only respite from the din from a capacity crowd of 23,881 was the moment of silence before the game in remembrance of the 11th anniversary of Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

"That was an awesome homecoming," Gomez said afterward, almost drowned out as fans left Crew Stadium chanting and cheering. "You couldn't ask for more. The crowd was great, and the guys fed off of it."

The U.S. is tied with Guatemala (2-1-1) at seven points in Group A of the North and Central American and Caribbean semifinals. Jamaica (2-1-1) also has seven points but trails on goal difference.

The top two nations advance to next year's six-team regional finals, which will produce three qualifiers for the 2014 tournament in Brazil.

Seeking its seventh straight World Cup appearance, the U.S. plays at virtually eliminated Antigua and Barbuda on Oct. 12, then completes the semis four days later against Guatemala at Kansas City, Kan.

Coach Jurgen Klinsmann celebrated the win — then moved onto the next hurdle.

"We know it's not done yet," he said. "We know it's down to the wire. That's what World Cup qualifiers are about."

After hitting the frame three times in a dominant first half as goalkeeper Dwayne Miller made several sparkling saves, the U.S. went ahead following a foul by Rodolph Austin on Clint Dempsey. Gomez's drime from 28 yards went over the defensive wall and to the left of a diving Miller, who was only able to lightly brush the ball with his fingertips.

"That was my distance," Gomez said with a grin.

The instant the ball found the net, Gomez knew the gravity what it meant to his team's qualifying chances.

"It was important for us to regroup after what happened in Jamaica," Gomez said. "We knew it wasn't our best performance, and we had to step forward and apply today. With the help of the crowd, we pushed deep and persevered. It wasn't always pretty, but I think we did it very well."

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NFL

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Jets	1	0	0	1.000	48	28
New England	1	0	0	1.000	34	13
Miami	0	1	0	.000	30	30
Buffalo	0	1	0	.000	28	48
South	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	30	10
Jacksonville	0	1	0	.000	23	26
Indianapolis	0	1	0	.000	21	41
Tennessee	0	1	0	.000	13	34
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Baltimore	1	0	0	1.000	44	13
Cincinnati	0	1	0	.000	13	44
Cleveland	0	1	0	.000	16	17
Pittsburgh	0	1	0	.000	17	24
West	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	31	19
Oakland	0	0	0	.000	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Kansas City	0	1	0	.000	24	40

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	1	0	0	1.000	24	17
Washington	1	0	0	1.000	40	32
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1.000	17	16
N.Y. Giants	0	1	0	.000	17	24
South	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Tampa Bay	1	0	0	1.000	16	10
Atlanta	1	0	0	1.000	40	24
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	32	40
Carolina	0	1	0	.000	10	16
North	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Detroit	1	0	0	1.000	27	23
Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	41	21
Minnesota	1	0	0	1.000	35	23
Green Bay	0	1	0	.000	22	30
West	**W**	**L**	**T**	**Pct**	**PF**	**PA**
Arizona	1	0	0	1.000	20	16
San Francisco	1	0	0	1.000	30	22
St. Louis	0	1	0	.000	23	27
Seattle	0	1	0	.000	16	20

Wednesday, Sept. 5
Dallas 24, N.Y. Giants 17

Sunday's Scores
Chicago 41, Indianapolis 21
Minnesota 28, Jacksonville 23, OT
Houston 30, Miami 10
New England 34, Tennessee 13
Washington 40, New Orleans 32
Atlanta 40, Kansas City 24
N.Y. Jets 48, Buffalo 28
Detroit 27, St. Louis 23
Philadelphia 17, Cleveland 16
Arizona 20, Seattle 16
San Francisco 30, Green Bay 22
Tampa Bay 16, Carolina 10
Denver 31, Pittsburgh 19

Monday's Scores
Baltimore 44, Cincinnati 13
San Diego at Oakland, late

Thursday's Game
Chicago at Green Bay, 7:20 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 16
Tampa Bay at N.Y. Giants, Noon
New Orleans at Carolina, Noon
Arizona at New England, Noon
Minnesota at Indianapolis, Noon
Houston at Jacksonville, Noon
Oakland at Miami, Noon
Dallas at Seattle, 3:05 p.m.
Washington at St. Louis, 3:05 p.m.
Tennessee at San Diego, 3:25 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Pittsburgh, 3:25 p.m.
Detroit at San Francisco, 7:20 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 17
Denver at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.

HS Football

Here is The Associated Press high school poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records, points based on 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, and the team's ranking in last week's poll:

Class 5A

School	Total Points	Prv
1. Lake Travis (15)	(2-0) 227	1
2. Dallas Skyline (6)	(2-0) 203	2
3. Katy (1)	(2-0) 183	3
4. Allen (2)	(2-0) 182	4
5. DeSoto	(2-0) 133	6
6. Cibolo Steele	(2-0) 127	5
7. Abilene	(2-0) 84	7
8. Euless Trinity	(1-1) 55	8
9. Southlake Carroll	(2-0) 43	9
10. GP North Shore	(2-0) 28	10

Others receiving votes: 11, Pearland 21. 11, Coppell 21. 13, Colleyville Heritage 2. 13, Pflugerville 2. 13, Smithson Valley 2. 13, Spring DeKaney 2. 13, Hewitt Midway 2. 18, Round Rock Westwood 1. 18, Longview 1. 18, Austin Westlake 1.

Class 4A

School	Total Points	Prv
1. Pearland Dawson (15)	(2-0) 225	3
2. Leander (8)	(2-0) 220	4
3. Angleton	(2-0) 198	5
4. CC Calallen	(2-0) 151	6
5. Nederland	(2-0) 96	10
6. Amarillo	(2-0) 82	
7. Tyler	(1-1) 81	
8. Aledo	(1-1) 56	2
9. Lancaster	(2-0) 48	
10. Wolfforth Frenship	(2-0) 38	

Others receiving votes: 11, Dallas High-land Park 20. 12, Denton Guyer 18. 13, WF Rider (1) 17. 13, Rosenberg Terry 17. 15, Dallas Kimball 16. 16, Frisco Centennial 15. 17, Dayton 8. 18, Kerrville Tivy 7. 19, Port Lavaca Calhoun 3. 19, Cedar Park 3. 21, Buda Hays 2. 22, Dripping Springs 1. 22, Sulphur Springs 1. 22, Northside Brennan 1.

Class 3A

School	Total Points	Prv
1. La Marque (20)	(2-0) 235	1
2. Navasota (2)	(2-0) 214	3
3. Waco La Vega	(2-0) 191	4
4. Alvarado	(2-0) 155	6
5. Abilene Wylie	(2-0) 143	8
6. Stephenville (2)	(1-1) 132	5
7. Carthage	(1-1) 98	
8. Melissa	(2-0) 51	
9. Coldspring-Oakhurst	(1-1) 45	2
T10. Kilgore	(2-0) 20	
T10. West Columbia	(2-0) 20	

Others receiving votes: 12, West Orange-Stark 19. 12, Wimberley 19. 12, Giddings 19. 15, Dalhart 6. 15, El Campo 6. 15, Lubbock Estacado 6. 15, Shallowater 6. 19, Seale 5. 20, Gilmer 4. 21, Devine 2. 22, Henderson 1.

Class 2A

School	Total Points	Prv
1. Refugio (22)	(2-0) 238	1
2. Cameron Yoe (1)	(2-0) 206	2
3. Newton (1)	(2-0) 191	3
4. Tatum	(2-0) 156	5
5. Cisco	(2-0) 152	6
6. Hempstead	(2-0) 111	7
7. Lexington	(1-1) 63	4
8. Daingerfield	(1-1) 62	10
9. East Bernard	(2-0) 61	
10. Rogers	(2-0) 13	

Others receiving votes: 11, Centerville 12. Arp 11. 13, New Boston 9. 13, Holliday 9. 15, Wall 7. 16, Muleshoe 4. 16, Franklin 4. 18, Merkel 3. 19, Hallettsville 2. 19, Hamilton 2. 21, Comanche Mildred 1. 22, Hughes Springs 1. 21, Littlefield 1. 21, Sonora 1.

Class A

School	Total Points	Prv
1. Munday (19)	(2-0) 235	3
2. Mason (3)	(2-0) 197	5
3. Burton	(2-0) 163	6
4. Wellington (1)	(2-0) 148	7
5. Stamford	(1-1) 132	2
6. Mart (1)	(1-1) 116	1
7. Joaquin	(2-0) 79	10
8. Falls City	(1-1) 46	4
9. Albany	(2-0) 39	
10. Tenaha	(1-1) 36	

Others receiving votes: 11, Shiner 22. 12, Stratford 19. 13, Thorndale 12. 13, Springlake-Earth 12. 15, Mount Enterprise 11. 16, Pineland West Sabine 10. 17, Seymour 8. 18, Panhandle 7. 18, Sundown 7. 20, Excel 6. 21, Hubbard 4. 22, Alto 3. 22, Graford 3. 22, San Augustine 3. 25, Price Carlisle 1. 25, Sudan 1.

Fight Schedule

Thursday
At Las Vegas (ESPN2), Jessie Vargas vs. Aaron Martinez, 10, welterweights; Luis Cruz vs. Casey Ramos, 10, light welterweights.

Friday
At Hershey, Chester, Pa., Victor Vasquez vs. Nasim Nelson, 10, for the Pennsylvania State lightweight title.

Saturday
At Thomas & Mack Center, Las Vegas (PPV), Sergio Martinez vs. Julio Cesar Chavez Jr., 12, for Chavez's WBC middleweight title; Ricky Martinez vs. Miguel Beltran Rosas, 12, for the vacant WBO junior lightweight title; Matthew Macklin vs. Joachim Alcine, 10, middleweights.

At MGM Grand, Las Vegas (HBO), Canelo Alvarez, vs. Josesito Lopez, 12, for Alvarez's WBC super welterweight title; Jhonny Gonzalez vs. Daniel Ponce De Leon, 12, for Gonzalez's WBC featherweight title; Marcos Maidana vs. Jesus Soto Karass, 12, junior middleweights; Leo Santa Cruz vs. Eric Morel, 12, for Santa Cruz's IBF bantamweight title.

AL Boxes

RANGERS 6, INDIANS 4

Cleveland	ab	r	h	bi	Texas	ab	r	h	bi
Choo rf	3	1	0	0	Kinsler 2b	4	0	1	1
Kipnis 2b	3	0	2	0	Andrus ss	4	1	1	0
CSantn c	4	0	0	0	Hamilton lf	4	0	0	0
Canzler 1b	4	2	1	1	Beltre 3b	5	2	2	1
LaPort dh	4	3	0	1	DvMrp rf	2	0	0	0
Chanhl ph-dh	0	0	0	0	MWthng dh	3	1	1	1
Lillridg ss	2	1	0	0	Morlnd 1b	4	1	1	0
Kitchn ph	1	0	1	1	Soto c	3	1	0	0
Rottino pr	0	0	0	0	LMartin cf	2	1	1	1
Hannhn ss	3	0	0	0	Gentry ph-cf	1	0	1	0
Santnder 3b	3	0	1	0					
Brantly ph-cf	1	0	0	0					
Neal lf	3	0	0	0					
CPhlps 3b	1	0	0	0					
Carrer cf-lf	4	0	1	1					
Totals	**32**	**4**	**7**	**4**	**Totals**	**32**	**6**	**8**	**5**

Cleveland	000	011	020	— 4
Texas	040	011	00x	— 6

E—Canzler (1), Donald 2 (7). DP—Cleveland 1, Texas 2. LOB—Cleveland 6, Texas 10. 2B—LaPorta (1), Kinsler (39), Moreland (16), L.Martin (5), Gentry (11). HR—Beltre (31). SB—Dav.Murphy (9), Soto (1), L.Martin (3). S—Kinsler. SF—L.Martin.

Cleveland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
U.Jimenez L,9-16	5	4	5	2	4	4
C.Allen	1-1-3	3	1	1	1	0
S.Barnes	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
J.Smith	1	0	0	0	0	1
M.Harrison W,16-9	5 2-3	5	2	2	3	6
Ogando	1-1-3	0	0	0	0	2
M.Adams	2-3	1	2	2	2	2
Uehara	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scheppers	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Nathan S,32-33	1	0	0	0	1	0

Uehara pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
S.Barnes pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
WP—U.Jimenez.
T—3:12. A—34,765 (48,194).

ORIOLES 9, RAYS 2

Tampa Bay	ab	r	h	bi	Baltimore	ab	r	h	bi
BUpton cf	4	0	0	0	McLouth lf	5	2	2	0
Kpnngr 3b	4	0	1	0	Hardy ss	5	3	4	5
Zobrist ss	4	0	1	0	AdJons cf	4	2	1	0
Longori dh	3	0	0	0	Wieters c	3	0	0	2
Joyce rf	3	0	0	0	MParkh 1b	4	0	0	0
BFrncs lf	4	0	1	0	C.Davis dh	4	1	1	1
Scott 1b	2	0	0	0	Ford rf	4	0	0	0
Grmrz ph-1b	1	0	0	0	Machd 3b	4	0	1	0
C.Pena ph	1	0	0	0	Andino 2b	3	1	1	0
RRorts 2b	1	1	1	1					
Loaton ph-c	1	0	0	0					
Fuld ph	1	0	0	0					
JMolin c	2	0	0	0					
EJhnsn 2b	1	1	1	0					
Totals	**32**	**2**	**5**	**2**	**Totals**	**36**	**9**	**13**	**8**

Tampa Bay	001	000	010	— 2
Baltimore	102	021	12x	— 9

E—Joyce (2). DP—Tampa Bay 1. LOB—Tampa Bay 6, Baltimore 6. 2B—B.Francisco (7), Hardy (28), Wieters (22), Andino (11). HR—R.Roberts (4), E.Johnson (6), Hardy (22), C.Davis (25). SB—McLouth (8), Machado (2).

Tampa Bay	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
M.Moore L,10-10	4	4	3	2	3	4
Badenhop	1-3	3	2	2	0	1
C.Ramos	1-2-3	2	1	1	1	0
Howell	1	2	1	1	0	0
D.De La Rosa	1	2	2	0	1	1
Baltimore						
Hammel	3 2-3	1	1	1	1	1
S.Johnson W,3-0	1-1-3	0	0	0	2	2
Ayala	1-1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Matusz	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
O'Day	1	2	1	1	0	1
Strop	1	1	0	0	0	1

T—3:03. A—23,829 (45,971).

MARINERS 4, BLUE JAYS 3

Seattle	ab	r	h	bi	Toronto	ab	r	h	bi
Ackley 2b	5	1	2	0	Lawrie 3b	4	0	1	0
Gutierrez cf	5	1	2	0	Reyns cf	3	2	2	1
Seager 3b	5	2	3	2	Encrnc dh	4	0	0	0
Jaso dh	4	0	1	1	Lind 1b	3	0	1	0
JMontr c	4	0	1	0	Sierra ph	1	0	0	0
MSndrs lf	4	0	2	1	YGoms 1b	0	0	0	0
Thams rf	4	0	0	0	Escor ss	4	0	2	1
C.Wells rf	0	0	0	0	KJhnsn 2b	4	0	0	0
Carp 1b	4	0	2	0	Arencibia c	4	0	0	0
Ryan ss	3	0	1	0	RDavis lf	4	0	1	0
					Gose rf	3	1	1	0
Totals	**37**	**4**	**14**	**4**	**Totals**	**34**	**3**	**8**	**3**

Seattle	201	010	000	— 4
Toronto	101	000	010	— 3

E—Encarnacion (1). LOB—Seattle 8, Toronto 6. 2B—Ackley (19), Gutierrez (5), Seager (27), M.Saunders (29), Reynsom (21), Y.Escobar (20). HR—Seager (18). SB—R.Davis (42). S—Ryan. SF—Rasmus.

Seattle	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Er.Ramirez W,1-2	7	6	2	2	1	6
Furbush	0	1	1	1	0	0
Kinney	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Luetge	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Pryor	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Wilhelmsen S,25-28	1	1	0	0	0	0
Toronto						
Morrow L,8-6	4 2-3	11	4	4	1	4
Cecil	2	2	0	0	0	1
Lincoln	1-1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Frasor	1	1	0	0	0	0

Furbush pitched to 1 batter in the 8th.
WP—Morrow.
T—2:48. A—12,935 (49,260).

RED SOX 4, YANKEES 3

New York	ab	r	h	bi	Boston	ab	r	h	bi
Jeter ss	4	1	1	2	Ellsbry cf	4	0	1	0
Swisher rf-1b	5	0	2	0	Pdsdnik dh	3	0	0	0
ENunez pr	0	0	0	0	Nava ph-dh	1	0	0	0
McGeh 1b	5	0	0	0	Pedroia 2b	4	0	3	2
ARdrg dh	4	0	1	0	Loney 1b	4	0	1	0
Cano 2b	3	0	0	0	C.Ross lf	4	0	1	0
RMartn c	3	0	1	0	Lvrnwy c	4	0	0	0
Pearce lf	3	2	0	0	Middlbr rf	4	0	1	0
iSuzuki ph-rf	1	0	0	0	Ciriaco 3b	3	2	2	0
Gmndrs cf	3	1	0	0	Aviles ss	4	0	1	0
Andrus lf	1	0	0	0					
Dickrsn pr-lf	0	0	0	0					
J.Nix 3b	3	0	1	0					
Totals	**30**	**3**	**6**	**3**	**Totals**	**36**	**4**	**12**	**4**

New York	100	002	000	— 3
Boston	002	001	001	— 4

One out when winning run scored.
E—R.Martin (8). DP—New York 1, Boston 1. LOB—New York 9, Boston 8. 2B—Jeter (30), Swisher (31), R.Martin (16), J.Nix (12), Ellsbury (18), C.Ross (31), Ciriaco (10). HR—Pedroia (15), SB—Ellsbury (13), CS—E.Nunez (2). S—J.Nix, Ciriaco.

New York	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Kuroda	6 1-3	6	3	3	0	6
Logan	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chamberlain	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
D.Robertson L,1-7	1 1-3	3	1	1	0	3
Boston						
Lester	5 1-3	5	3	3	7	5
Tazawa	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	3
Breslow	1	0	0	0	1	0
A.Bailey W,1-0	1	1	0	0	0	0

Logan pitched to 1 batter in the 7th.
T—3:11. A—37,437 (37,495).

ROYALS 9, TWINS 1

Kansas City	ab	r	h	bi	Minnesota	ab	r	h	bi
L.Cain cf	5	1	3	2	Revere cf	5	0	3	0
AEscor ss	5	1	2	2	JCarrll 2b	4	1	1	0
ADunbr lf	5	1	1	0	Wrngh lf	4	0	1	0
Butler dh	4	0	1	0	Mornea 1b	3	0	2	0
S.Perez c	4	1	2	1	Doumit c	4	0	1	1
Mostks 3b	4	0	0	0	Plfblhs dh	4	0	0	0
Franc rf	4	1	1	1	Mstrnn rf	3	0	2	0
Hosmer 1b	5	3	3	1	EEscor 3b	3	0	1	0
Giavtli 2b	5	1	3	1	Florimo ss	4	0	1	0
Totals	**41**	**9**	**16**	**8**	**Totals**	**34**	**1**	**11**	**1**

Kansas City	031	000	041	— 9
Minnesota	000	000	010	— 1

E—L.Cain (4). Doumit (2). DP—Kansas City 2, Minnesota 1. LOB—Kansas City 10, Minnesota 10. 2B—L.Cain (8), A.Escobar (28), Hosmer (21), Giavotella (8). 3B—L.Cain (2), A.Escobar (7), A.Gordon (5). HR—Hosmer (14). CS—J.Carroll (5), Mastroianni (3). SF—

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Baltimore	79	62	.560	—	—	6-4	W-1	42-30	37-32
New York	79	62	.560	—	—	6-4	L-1	41-28	38-34
Tampa Bay	77	64	.546	2	2	6-4	L-1	39-32	38-32
Toronto	64	76	.457	14 1/2	14 1/2	5-5	L-1	34-35	30-41
Boston	64	76	.451	15 1/2	15 1/2	2-8	W-1	33-41	31-37
Central Division									
	W	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**	**WCGB**	**L10**	**Str**	**Home**	**Away**
Chicago	76	65	.539	—	—	4-6	L-1	42-30	34-35
Detroit	74	67	.525	2	5	4-6	W-1	43-28	31-39
Kansas City	64	77	.454	12	15	5-5	W-2	31-38	33-39
Cleveland	59	83	.415	17 1/2	20 1/2	4-6	L-4	32-37	27-46
Minnesota	59	83	.415	17 1/2	20 1/2	5-5	L-1	28-42	31-41
West Division									
	W	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**	**WCGB**	**L10**	**Str**	**Home**	**Away**
Texas	84	57	.596	—	—	6-4	W-1	44-25	40-32
Oakland	80	60	.571	3 1/2	—	7-3	W-4	42-30	38-30
Los Angeles	77	64	.546	7	2	8-2	L-1	39-30	38-34
Seattle	68	74	.479	16 1/2	11 1/2	4-6	W-1	36-36	32-38

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	WCGB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Washington	88	54	.620	—	—	8-2	W-2	44-27	44-27
Atlanta	81	62	.566	7 1/2	—	7-3	L-2	40-32	41-30
Philadelphia	71	71	.500	17	4 1/2	8-2	W-6	37-37	34-34
New York	65	77	.458	23	10 1/2	3-7	L-5	30-40	35-37
Miami	63	80	.441	25 1/2	13	4-6	L-3	32-37	31-43
Central Division									
	W	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**	**WCGB**	**L10**	**Str**	**Home**	**Away**
Cincinnati	86	57	.601	—	—	5-5	W-2	46-28	40-29
St. Louis	75	66	.532	10	—	6-4	L-1	43-29	32-37
Pittsburgh	72	69	.511	13	3	2-8	L-5	42-30	30-39
Milwaukee	71	71	.500	14 1/2	4 1/2	7-3	W-2	43-28	28-43
Chicago	55	87	.387	30 1/2	20 1/2	4-6	L-1	34-34	21-53
Houston	45	97	.317	40 1/2	30 1/2	5-5	W-1	29-44	16-56
West Division									
	W	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**	**WCGB**	**L10**	**Str**	**Home**	**Away**
San Francisco	79	62	.560	—	—	5-5	L-1	43-31	39-31
Los Angeles	74	67	.525	5	1	4-6	L-1	38-33	36-34
Arizona	69	72	.489	10	6	5-5	L-1	33-34	36-38
San Diego	67	75	.472	12 1/2	8 1/2	6-4	W-2	39-34	28-41
Colorado	57	83	.407	21 1/2	17 1/2	4-6	W-1	31-41	26-42

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Tuesday's Scores
Baltimore 9, Tampa Bay 2
Seattle 4, Toronto 3
Boston 4, N.Y. Yankees 3
Texas 6, Cleveland 4
Detroit 5, Chicago White Sox 3
Kansas City 9, Minnesota 1
Oakland at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.

Today's Games
Tampa Bay (Cobb 9-8) at Baltimore (Mig.Gonzalez 6-4), 6:05 p.m.
Seattle (Millwood 5-12) at Toronto (R.Romero 8-13), 6:07 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (D.Phelps 3-4) at Boston (A.Cook 3-9), 6:10 p.m.
Cleveland (J.Gomez 5-7) at Texas (Dempster 5-1), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Peavy 15-6) at Chicago White Sox (Floyd 9-9), 7:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Hochevar 7-13) at Minnesota (Walters 2-3), 7:10 p.m.
Oakland (Griffin 5-0) at L.A. Angels (E.Santana 8-11), 9:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Monday's Scores
Philadelphia 9, Miami 7
Cincinnati 5, Pittsburgh 3
Washington 5, N.Y. Mets 3
Houston 1, Chicago Cubs 0
Milwaukee 5, Atlanta 0
San Francisco at Colorado, late
L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, late
St. Louis at San Diego, late

Today's Games
Miami (Jo.Johnson 8-11) at Philadelphia (C.Lee 4-7), 3:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Lohse 14-2) at San Diego (Richard 12-12), 5:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (J.Leathersich 15-6) at Cincinnati (H.Bailey 10-9), 6:10 p.m.
Washington (Lannan 2-0) at N.Y. Mets (Harvey 3-4), 6:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (T.Wood 5-11) at Houston (Abad 0-3), 7:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Maholm 12-9) at Milwaukee (Gallardo 14-8), 7:10 p.m.
San Francisco (Lincecum 8-14) at Colorado (Francis 5-4), 7:40 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Harang 9-8) at Arizona (Cahill 10-11), 8:40 p.m.

Pittsburgh	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Correia L,10-9	6	7	4	3	3	2
McPherson	2	2	1	1	0	1
Cincinnati						
Leake W,8-9	7	9	3	3	1	3
Ondrusek	1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Marshall	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Broxton S,1-3	1	1	0	0	0	1

WP—Correia.
T—2:43. A—19,620 (42,319).

NATIONALS 5, METS 3

Washington	ab	r	h	bi	New York	ab	r	h	bi
Werth rf	2	1	2	0	Tejada ss	5	1	3	0
Harper cf	5	0	4	1	DnMrp 2b	3	1	1	1
Zimrmn 3b	4	0	1	0	Duda lf	3	1	1	0
LaRoch 1b	4	0	1	0	DLevis 1b	2	0	0	0
Morse lf	5	0	0	0	Baxter rf	3	0	0	0
Clippard p	0	0	0	0	Shppch dh	2	0	0	0
Dsmnd ss	4	0	1	0	Duda ph-rf	1	0	0	0
Espinos 2b	4	1	1	0	Bay lf	3	0	0	0
KSuzuki c	4	2	2	1	FLewis ph	1	0	0	0
Zimmrm p	2	0	0	0	AnTrns cf	3	0	0	0
Grzlny p	0	0	0	0	Hairston ph	1	1	1	1
TMcnrr ph	1	0	1	0	Thole c	4	0	1	0
CGarcia p	0	0	0	0	Dickey p	2	0	0	0
McGinzl p	0	0	0	0	Vldspn ph	1	0	0	0
Storen p	0	0	0	0	Shppch p	0	0	0	0
Tracy ph	1	0	1	0	Frncsco p	0	0	0	0
EPerez pr-lf	0	0	0	0	Edgin p	0	0	0	0
					Acosta p	0	0	0	0
					RCeden ph	1	0	1	0
Totals	**36**	**5**	**14**	**5**	**Totals**	**34**	**3**	**8**	**3**

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E—Zimmerman (15). DP—Washington 2, New York 3. LOB—Washington 9, New York 7. 2B—Harper (30), Desmond (29), Espinosa (34), Dan.Murphy (36). HR—T.Moore (9), Hairston (17), CS—Desmond (5). SF—Zimmerman.

Washington	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Zimmermann	5	6	2	2	3	6
Mic.Gonzalez W,4-2	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
C.Garcia	1-1-3	0	0	0	0	3
Mic.Gonzalez	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Storen	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Clippard S,31-35	1	2	1	1	0	2
New York						
Dickey L,18-5	7	8	3	3	3	2
Rauch	1	2	0	0	0	0
F.Francisco	0	3	2	2

GREENWOOD

From 1C

the second year in a row, there's a lot of carry-over compared to last year. We're excited to be where we're at right now."

WINS HAVE BIG SPRING FEELING GOOD

Another team off to a 2-0 start is Big Spring, which knocked off Midland Christian 17-12 last Friday night at Memorial Stadium.

The defense once again was stellar and the offense made just enough plays to get the job done against a talented Midland Christian team.

"I'm just happy for our kids," Big Spring coach Phillip Ritchey said. "I'm proud of the way they played. They played hard; they played physical. We couldn't have been more pleased as a coaching staff."

One side story coming out of the game is the left ankle injury suffered by wide receiver/safety/kicker Devin Roberson in the fourth quarter when a Midland Christian defender ran into him on a point-after attempt. Roberson did not play the rest of the game and left the game on crutches.

Ritchey said initial X-rays were negative although the doctor said there could be a very small hairline fracture.

Ritchey said Roberson is questionable for this Friday's game at San Angelo Lake View, and the junior will have to "pass a battery of tests" before he is cleared to play.

"It's one of those things that sometimes happens on a kick," said Ritchey of the injury. "It's frustrating, but it's football."

Roberson was having a big game, especially from his receiver position with seven catches for 104 yards. He also keyed a strong Steers defense, which limited MCS' passing game to 138 yards and no big plays.

"Our defense played real well in the first half, shutting them out which is not a very easy thing to do," Ritchey said. "They got some things going in the second half and we were fortunate to hang our hats on our defense to get the win. The things I'm most proud is that didn't allow them to have the big plays they normally get and we made them earn every inch of that turf. Our defense also did a good job of tackling guys, and their running back (Christian Whigham) is as good as we've seen. He got his yards but for the most part, I thought our defense did a pretty good job on him."

Some more good news on the injury front is that RB/DB Michael Vanderbilt is back practicing with the team after sitting out the first two games with a dislocated elbow. Ritchey said there's a chance he will play some against Lake View (1-1).

ANDREWS ALSO OFF TO 2-0 START

First-year coach Ralph Mason he is really proud of the way the Andrews football team is progressing with the latest example of that coming in a 20-16 victory at Sweetwater.

"It was a great win and to be able to go into a tradition-rich environment like the Mustang Bowl with homecoming festivities and a lot of folks in the stands, we were able to play the game until the end," Mason said.

What helped the Mustangs improve to 2-0 on the year was their defense, which saw a lot of improvement from Week 0 against San Angelo Lake View.

The highlight of the defensive performance against Sweetwater came in the final seconds when Andrews had a fourth-down stand from their own 2-yard line.

"We actually had to stop them on several plays in that final drive," Mason said. "We had a penalty that gave them an extra opportunity on that drive, but that's two weeks in a row that our defense kind of bowed up and got the job done. Overall, our defense played more consistent throughout the game against a well-coached Sweetwater team. Our defense bent a little but didn't break. The way the defense is playing is a good sign for the future."

Health-wise, the Mustangs saw another running back get banged up. Jaime Vela left the game with an unspecified leg injury. The Mustangs were already without Joey Prieto (leg), which means Garrett Bawcom will likely get the start for Friday's Homecoming game against Brownfield (1-1).

STANTON GETS FIRST WIN

Stanton got its first win of the season after defeating Morton 30-14, and head coach John Peterson said the Buffaloes' running game helped propel the victory.

Led by Reporter-Telegram Area Player of the Week Tim Anderson's 197 yards and three touchdowns on 24 carries, the Buffaloes (1-1) rushed for 247 yards. That effort helped open up the passing game a little bit and sophomore K.J. Glaspie had his best game in a varsity uniform, completing 10 of 14 passes for 118 yards.

"Our running game was doing such a good job of taking care of things that it allowed us to throw the ball a little bit," Peterson said.

While the offense had 365 yards, the defense held Morton to 285 yards and came up with six turnovers.

"The defense did a good job of containing their fast running back and quarterback, and we were able to play the option a whole lot better than the week before," Peterson said. "The secondary had two picks and that seemed to help turn the tide. The defense getting those kind of stops helped us get good field position."

Peterson said the Buffaloes are getting heathier, although C Logan Fryar (knee) and TE/DE Nathen Swiger (concussion) are still doubtful for Friday's game at Forsan (2-0).

COAHOMA SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Coahoma's third-year coach Trey Gardner said his team had to play smarter in order to overcome Coleman's size and athleticism, and that's exactly what the Bulldogs did in a 27-8 victory over the Bluecats.

"Offensively, I don't think we had any penalties," Gardner said. "We had a few on defense, but for the most part we didn't get many flags. That's great for our offense because the idea is not to do anything that will get us off-scheduled, meaning being in situations like a third-and-long because of penalties."

Gardner said he was also happy with the play of his defense, which shut out Coleman in the second half. Plus, the Bulldogs (1-1) cut down on turnovers from four in the season-opening loss to Forsan to just two against Coleman.

"It's still not where we want to be but at least we're moving in the right direction," Gardner said.

The Bulldogs' Wing-T offense also was churning out the yards as Tanner Ruiz (184 yards), T.J. White (101 yards) and Joseph Melendez (77 yards) all did a good job of running with the football.

"To have three backs that are over or near 100 yards means that there's something good happening," Gardner said. "Throwing the ball is not really what we want to do."

In injury news, Gardner said SE/OLB Ryan Reid suffered an ankle injury and is doubtful for this Friday's home game against Colorado City (1-1). Also, RB Aaron Acevedo just had surgery to repair a torn ACL in one of his knees and is likely out for the rest of the season.

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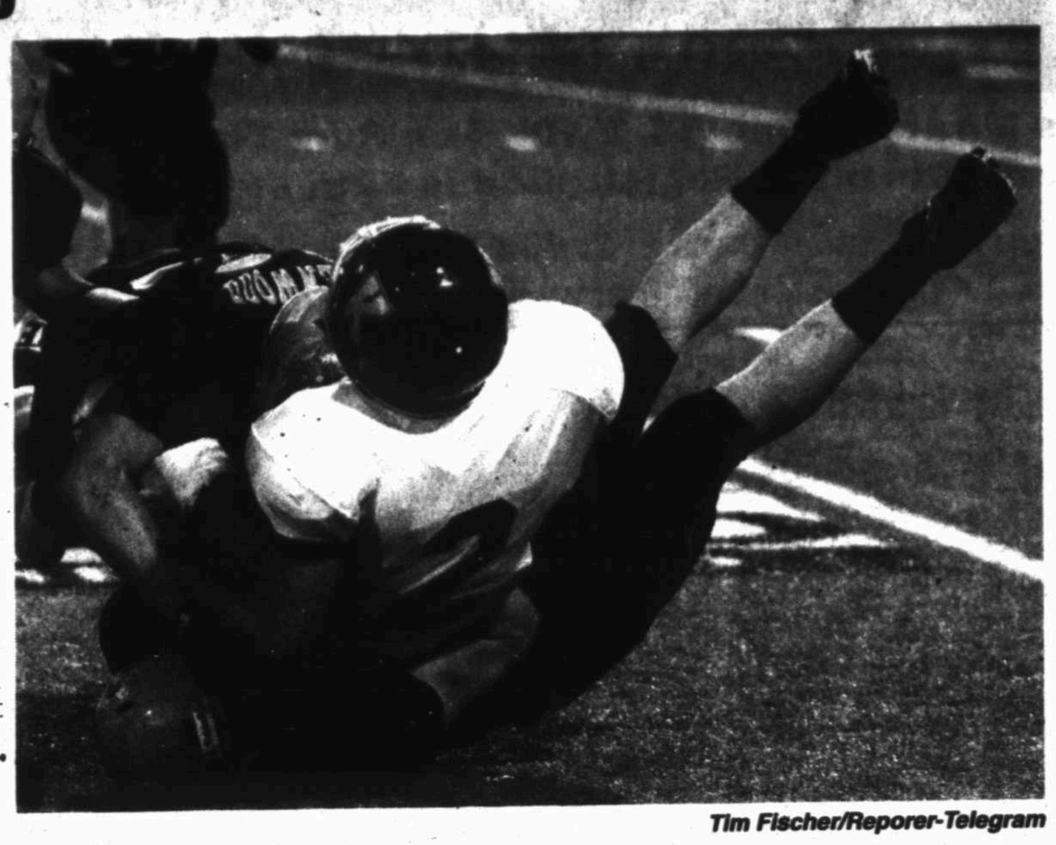

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Greenwood's Rickey Harcrow, bottom, and Dustin Rea combine to bring down Kermit's Xavier Quiroz on Aug. 30 at Grande Communication Stadium in ASCO Midland Football Madness. Greenwood wanted to improve its strength on defense and seems to have done so. The Rangers have allowed zero points so far this season.

> "Our defense bent a little but didn't break. The way the defense is playing is a good sign for the future.
>
> — RALPH MASON
> Andrews coach

AREA STATISTICS

Greenwood
2012 Statistics
(2-0, 0-0)

Opponents	0	0	0	0	-0
Greenwood	48	7	14	12	-81

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Kam Williams	19	108	5.7	2
Brayden Moreland	12	82	6.8	3
Anthony Salas	11	139	12.6	0
Dustin Rea	7	34	4.8	1
Totals	50	448	8.0	6

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
K. Williams	26	40	1	320	4
A. Salas	0	3	1	0	0
Totals	26	43	2	320	4

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Braxton Buck	4	73	18.3	0
A. Salas	4	56	14.0	1
Cali Carmichael	4	38	9.5	0
B. Moreland	3	43	14.3	1
Zane Helms	3	42	14.0	1
Mason Fraley	3	35	11.7	1
Collin Sullivan	3	24	8.0	0
Jose Hernandez	1	7.0	7.0	0
Javier Vizcaino	1	2	2.0	0
Totals	26	320	12.3	4

PUNTING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.
K. Williams	4	176	44.0
Totals	4	176	44.0

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	2PT	FG	TP
B. Moreland	4	0	0	0	24
K. Williams	2	0	1	0	14
A. Salas	2	0	0	0	12
Z. Helms	2	0	0	0	12
Elam Tavarez	0	7	0	0	7
M. Fraley	1	0	0	0	6
Totals	12	7	1	0	81

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	ST	AT	TT	S	INT
Julian Garcia	3	16	19	0	0
Garrett Carfiele	3	14	17	0	0
Rickey Harcrow	9	7	16	2	0
German Martinez	3	9	12	0	0
Dustin Rea	0	11	11	0	0
Zach Redwine	4	7	11	0	0
Logan Day	1	9	10	0	0
Brandon Brown	4	5	9	0	0
C. Sullivan	2	6	8	0	0
Seth Daniel	2	5	7	0	0
K. Williams	3	4	7	1	0
E. Tavarez	4	3	7	0	0
Sean Strickland	0	6	6	0	0
Z. Helms	2	3	5	0	1
B. Moreland	1	3	4	0	0
C. Carmichael	1	2	3	0	0
Tyler Martin	0	3	3	0	0
A. Salas	2	1	3	0	1
R. Amesquita	0	1	1	0	0
M. Fraley	1	0	1	0	0
David Sanchez	0	1	1	0	0
B. Buck	0	1	1	0	0
Stetson Hilger	0	1	1	0	0
Jose Hernandez	0	1	1	0	0
John Adams	0	1	1	0	0
JT Aldrige	0	1	1	0	0

Key: ST - solo tackle, AT - assisted tackle, TT - total tackles, S - sacks, INT - interceptions

Midland Christian
2012 Statistics
(1-1, 0-0)

MIDLAND CHRISTIAN	7	14	14	19	–54
Opponent	9	21	10	14	–45

TEAM STATISTICS

	MCS	Opponent
First Downs	30	36
Rushes-Yards	59-376	93-414
Passing Yards	424	273
Comp-Att-Int	23-48-0	18-32-1
Punts-Avg	2-33	3-30.0
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	5-2
Penalties-Yards	13-123	18-145

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Whigham	46	300	6.5	4
Tamplin	90	70	7.8	0
Aguirre	2	7	3.5	0
McClendon	2	-1	-0.5	0
Totals	59	376	6.4	4

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
McClendon	22	47	0	371	4
Little	1	1	0	53	0
Totals	13	48	0	424	43

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Koym	9	152	16.9	2
Aguirre	7	128	18.4	1
Whigham	4	45	11.3	0
Standard	1	43	43.0	0
Brown	1	36	36.0	0
Little	1	8	8.0	0
Totals	23	413	18.0	3

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Whigham	2	56	28.0	0
Aguirre	1	12	12.0	0
Sanford	1	6	6.0	0
Standard	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	5	74	14.8	0

PUNT RETURNS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Whigham	1	0	0.0	0
Bates	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	2	0	0.0	0

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Standard	1	0	0.0	0
Totals	1	0	0.0	0

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	2PT	FG	TP
Whigham	4	0	0	0	22
Koym	2	0	0	0	12
Causey	0	5	0	0	6
Aguirre	1	0	0	0	6
Koym	1	0	0	0	6
Totals	8	5	0	0	56

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	T	S	TFL	FC	FR	PBU
Ramirez	21	0	0	0	0	0
JFender	15	0	0	1	1	0
Talley	13	0	0	0	0	0
Bates	13	0	1	0	0	0
Counts	12	0	0	0	0	1
Tamplin	10	0	0	0	0	0
Standard	9	0	0	0	0	2
Koym	8	0	0	0	0	0
BTaylor	7	0	2	0	0	0
Perkins	5	0	0	1	0	1
Jones	5	0	0	0	0	0
Brown	4	0	0	0	0	0
Sanford	4	1	1	0	1	0
Reeger North	3	0	0	0	0	0
Ogden	3	0	1	1	0	0
Baquirin	3	0	1	0	0	0
Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	0
DFender	1	0	1	0	0	0
Whigham	1	0	0	0	0	0
Warren	1	0	0	0	0	0
Glossop	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher	1	0	0	0	0	0

Note: Tackle total includes solo and assisted tackles.

Trinity
2012 Statistics
(1-1, 0-0)

Trinity	38	36	12	14	–98
Opponent	44	49	14	12	–118

TEAM STATISTICS

	Trinity	Opponent
First Downs	16	19
Rushes-Yards	46-375	54-658
Passing yards	320	188
Comp-Att-Int	16-33-5	12-28-3
Punts-Avg	0-0.0	1-28.0
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	8-66	11-77

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Watson	29	292	10.07	5
Samuels	9	45	5.0	0
Boley	6	38	6.3	2
Totals	44	375	8.5	7

PASSING

Player	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD
Samuels	16	31	4	320	6
Totals	16	31	4	320	6

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cory	6	150	25.0	2
Boley	5	87	17.4	2
Harrington	4	83	20.8	2
Totals	15	320	21.3	6

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	TFG	1PT	TP
Watson	5	0	0	0	30
Boley	4	0	0	0	24
Grimes	0	7	0	0	14
Cory	2	0	0	0	12
Harrington	2	0	0	0	12
Samules	1	0	0	0	6
Totals	13	7	0	0	98

Note: PAT kicks in Six-Man count for 2 points, and a run or pass on a PAT counts for 1 point; field goals are 4 points

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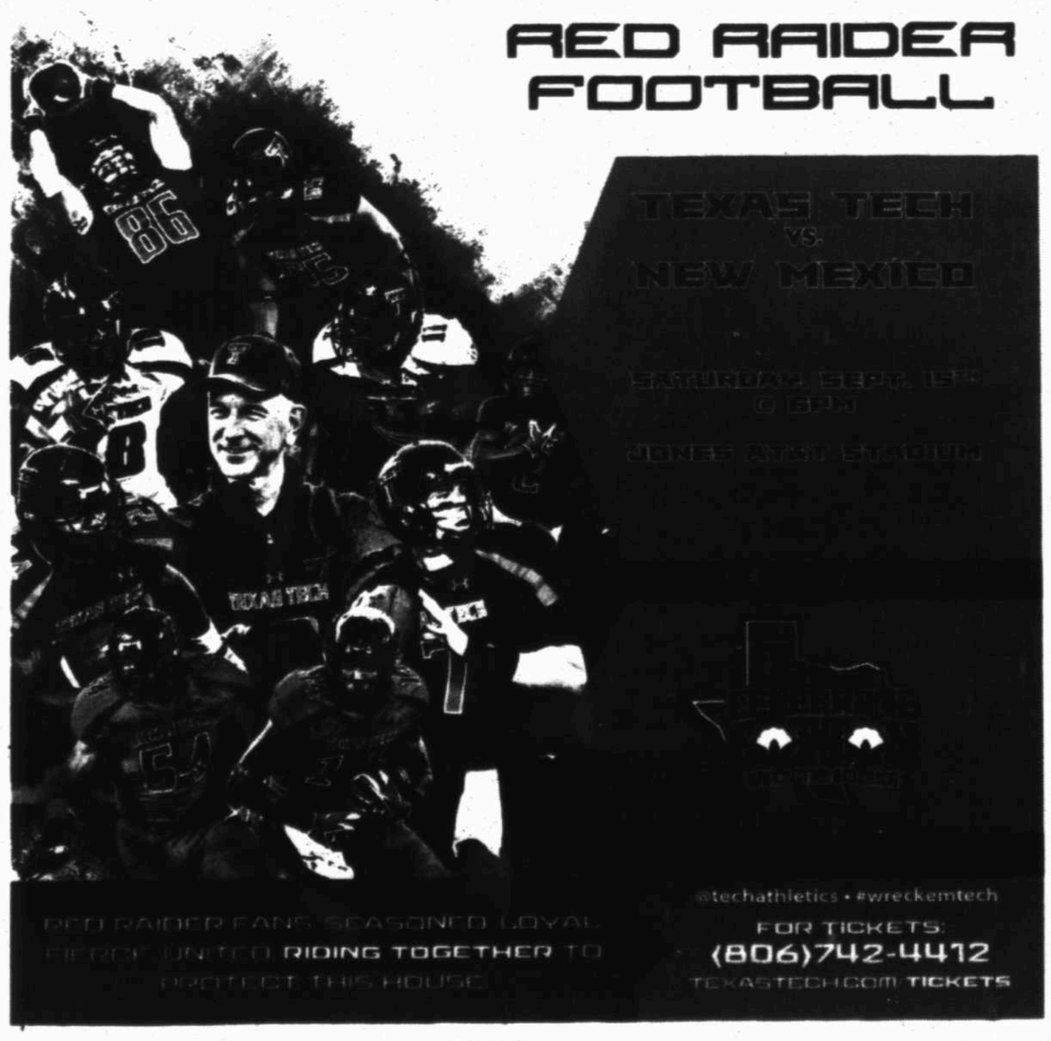

ANDERSON

From 1C

With a win under Stanton's belt, Anderson hopes last week's play propels the team to play well the rest of the season. Anderson and the Buffaloes should get a good test when they play Forsan, which is off to a 2-0 start.

"I think we'll do good," Anderson said. "We need to have a good week of practice and correct our mistakes. Getting that first win was good for us. It got us excited and brought us some confidence. Hopefully we can take that, continue to build and have a winning year."

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Other notable performances from last week:

■ Big Spring got a big 17-12 victory over Midland Christian thanks in part to the play of **WR Devin Roberson**, who had seven receptions for 104 yards and he also completed his only pass attempt for 21 yards. **QB Tobyn Tannehill** was 8-of-13 passing for 118 yards with one interception and also had 82 yards rushing on 13 carries.

■ Midland Christian's **RB Christian Whigham** had 151 yards and one TD on 23 carries to go with two receptions for 34 yards in the loss to Big Spring.

■ In Coahoma's 27-8 victory over Coleman, senior **QB Tanner Ruiz** had 184 yards and three touchdowns on 14 carries.

■ State-ranked Rankin rolled past Trinity 72-26 in six-man action, and Red Devils **QB Dalton Michum** had 240 yards three touchdowns on 13 carries and was also 2-of-4 passing for 24 yards and one TD.

■ Greenwood rolled past Brownfield 41-0, and **QB Kam Williams** was 13 of 22 passing for 145 yards and one touchdown, rushed for 51 yards and one TD on 11 carries, plus he added three tackles and sack on defense.

■ Andrews improved to 2-0 with a 20-16 victory at Sweetwater and the Mustangs were led once again by **QB Shane Dolgener** who was 16 of 26 for 186 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions. He also rushed for 118 yards and two TDs on 21 carries.

AREA HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL STANDINGS

District 2-3A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Shallowater	2	0	84	58	1.000
Estacado	2	0	82	40	1.000
Andrews	2	0	75	57	1.000
Levelland	2	0	68	37	1.000
Lub. Cooper	2	0	67	43	1.000
Seminole	1	1	37	41	.500

Last week's scores
Lubbock Estacado 48, Midland High JV 14; Andrews 20, Sweetwater 16; Levelland 26, Denver City 23; Lubbock Cooper 35, Snyder 21; Idalou 27, Seminole 10; Shallowater 28, Littlefield 18

This week's games
Amarillo Caprock at Lubbock Estacado (Thursday); Brownfield at Andrews;, Levelland at Muleshoe; Lubbock Cooper at Lubbock High; Seminole at Fort Stockton; Shallowater at Greenwood

District 4-3A
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Greenwood	2	0	81	00	1.000
Wylie	2	0	73	14	1.000
Big Spring	2	0	66	12	1.000
Sweetwater	1	1	39	33	.500
Monahans	0	1	28	42	.000
Snyder	0	2	78	105	1.000

Last week's scores
Abilene Wylie 42, Bridgeport 0; Big Spring 17, Midland Christian 12; Greenwood 41, Brownfield 0; Lubbock Cooper 35, Snyder 21; Andrews 20, Sweetwater 16; Monahans was open

This week's games
Shallowater at Greenwood; Graham at Abilene Wylie; Big Spring at San Angelo Lake View; Canyon Randall at Monahans; Brownwood at Snyder; Sweetwater at Breckenridge

District 3-2A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Crane	2	0	108	38	1.000
Alpine	2	0	77	26	1.000
Sonora	2	0	76	07	1.000
Stanton	1	55	44	500
Reagan Co.	2	0	41	13	1.000
Coahoma	1	1	51	38	.500

Last week's scores
Alpine 49, Wink 7; Coahoma 27, Coleman 8; Crane 40, Colorado City 18; Reagan County20, Junction 13; Stanton 34, Morton 14; Sonora 42, Brady 0

This week's games
Alpine at Fabens; Colorado City at Coahoma; Ozona at Crane; Reagan County at Kermit; Stanton at Forsan; Wall at Sonora

District 4-A Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Anson	2	0	51	20	1.000
Forsan	2	0	44	27	1.000
Stamford	1	1	61	27	.500
Haskell	1	1	32	33	.500
Winters	0	2	27	109	.000

Last week's scores
Forsan 14, Paint 0; Anson 26, Olney 0; Seymour 27, Haskell 0; Munday 34, Stamford 27; Bellinger 47, Winters 7

This week's games
Stanton at Forsan; Anson at Jim Ned; Baird at Haskell; Merkel at Stamford; Bronte at Winters

District 5-A Division II
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Iraan	1	1	49	47	.500
McCamey	0	2	07	75	.000
Van Horn	0	2	20	102	.000
Wink	0	2	25	77	.000

Last week's scores
Ozona 33, Iraan 13; Sundown 41, McCamey 7; Slaton 34, Van Horn 0; Alpine 49, Wink 7

This week's games
Rocksprings at Iraan; Christoval at McCamey; Plains at Wink; Van Horn vs. Seagraves at Odessa (Saturday)

District 4 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Klondike	1	1	57	62	.500
Borden Co.	1	1	132	139	.500
Grady	0	2	57	118	.000
O'Donnell	0	2	14	60	.000

Last week's scores
Borden County 72, Garden City 56; Ira 62, Grady 12; Water Valley 62, Klondike 12; Dawson 59, O'Donnell 14

This week's games
Grady at Sands (Thursday); Rankin at Borden County; Dawson at Klondike; O'Donnell at Loop

District 5 Six-man Division I
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Rankin	2	0	126	34	1.000
Fort Davis	2	0	90	85	1.000
Marfa	1	1	55	90	.500
Garden City	0	2	62	126	.000

Last week's scores
Borden County 72, Garden City 56; Fort Davis 44, Loraine 43; Marfa 55, Sanderson 42; Rankin 72, Trinity 26

This week's games
Rankin at Borden County; Grandfalls-Royalty at Fort Davis; Garden City at Sterling City; Marfa at Balmorhea

TAPPS Division II District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
FW Christian	2	0	76	48	1.000
Mid. Christ.	1	1	54	48	.500
Pantego Christ.	1	1	49	62	.500
FWSW Christian	1	1	28	56	.500
Waco Reicher	1	1	26	47	.500
Grace Prep	0	2	17	89	.000
Grapevine Faith	0	2	00	71	.000

Last week's scores
Big Spring 17, Midland Christian 12; Dallas Christian 42, Arlington Grace Prep 7; Fort Worth Christian 28, Episcopal School of Dallas 13; Fort Worth Country Day 35, Fort Worth Southwest Christian 0; Godley 31, Grapevine Faith 0; Waco Reicher 26, College Station 23; Irving Cistercian 42, Arlington Pantego 17

This week's games
Borger at Midland Christian; FW Country Day at Arlington Grace Prep; Dallas Shelton at Arlington Pantego; Dallas Christian at Fort Worth Christian Palmer at Fort Worth Southwest Christian; Gainesville State School at Grapevine Faith; McGregor at Waco Reicher

TAPPS Six-man Division I District 1
Overall Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Abilene Christ.	2	0	130	54	1.000
Trinity	1	1	88	118	.500
Holy Cross	0	2	22	123	.000

Last week's scores
Rankin 72, Trinity 26; Abilene Christian 62, Newcastle 20; Miami 58, Amarillo Holy Cross 6

This week's games
Lubbock Kingdom Prep at Trinity; Abilene Christian at Rockwall Heritage; Groom at Amarillo Holy Cross

PSU coach O'Brien stands by Ficken at kicker

Associated Press

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — Kicking woes underscore a larger problem for Penn State.

Coach Bill O'Brien's offense will need to improve in the red zone if the Nittany Lions plan on making any splash in the Big Ten. It's getting tough enough after an 0-2 start in nonconference play.

After forcing four turnovers inside Virginia territory in a 17-16 loss last week to the Cavaliers, resilient Penn State came away with just three points off those chances.

"Offensively, we've got to do a better job in the red zone. We can't take four turnovers from our defense and come away with only three points," O'Brien said. "That's ridiculous, and we all know that, and it starts with coaching and we've just got to do a better job there."

Better make it quick if Penn State wants to avoid opening a season with three straight losses for the first time since beginning the 2001 campaign 0-4.

Navy (0-1) and its triple-option attack visits Beaver Stadium on Saturday.

Sam Ficken figures to still be attempting the field goals then. The kicker was the obvious player to blame by fickle fans on social media following his dismal day against Virginia.

The sophomore's nightmarish afternoon included a blocked extra-point attempt and four missed four field goals, including the potential game-winner from 42 yards in a heavy drizzle. Ficken's only make Saturday was from 32.

There was no time to sulk Monday.

O'Brien said Ficken was back to work trying to get better. One suggestion for the right-footed Ficken was to concentrate on orienting his left foot so it's pointed and planted in the direction of where he wants to kick the ball.

O'Brien is sticking by Ficken, the only kicker listed on the depth chart. But when asked later, O'Brien also said the kicking job has been open competition each week this season won by Ficken.

Associated Press

Texas Rangers starting pitcher Matt Harrison delivers to the Cleveland Indians in the fourth inning Tuesday in Arlington,Harrison got his 16th win of the season after the Rangers beat the Indians 6-4.

Harrison gets 16th win; Rangers beat Indians

Associated Press

Rangers 6
Indians.....4

ARLINGTON — Adrian Beltre homered, Matt Harrison worked into the sixth inning for his 16th victory and the AL West-leading Texas Rangers beat the Cleveland Indians 6-4 on Tuesday night.

Harrison (16-9) struck out six over 5 2-3 innings while becoming the fourth American League pitcher to reach 16 wins. The left-hander allowed five hits and walked three, all the baserunners coming in his last 2 2-3 innings.

Texas scored four times in the second, which started with Beltre reaching on an error that led to three unearned runs. One of those runs scored on the 16th wild pitch by Ubaldo Jimenez (9-16), who has the most losses and wild pitches in the majors.

Joe Nathan, who began the day in a Tony Romo uniform, worked a perfect ninth for his 32nd save. The right-hander has converted a career-high 30 chances in a row, a Rangers record.

Beltre led off the fifth with a ball that ricocheted high off the top of the left-field wall and was initially ruled a double. Umpires reviewed the play and changed the call to Beltre's 31st homer. The replay showed the ball actually hit a metal brace supporting the wall and not the padding on top of it.

The Rangers opened their six-game homestand with a three-game advantage over Oakland, matching their smallest division lead since the All-Star break. The A's played late Tuesday night at the Los Angeles Angels.

With general manager Chris Antonetti on hand for the final series of their 10-game trip, the Indians played pretty much the same way they have for nearly four months.

Jimenez is 1-9 in 12 starts since the All-Star break, a span in which the Indians are 15-42. Since being the AL Central leader by four games on May 17, Cleveland is 37-67 and its overall record of 59-83 is the AL's worst.

Jimenez struck out four and walked four while allowing five runs (only two earned) and four hits over five innings.

Harrison didn't allow a runner until consecutive walks to Shin-Soo Choo and Jason Kipnis starting the fourth. He got out of that jam with a double-play grounder and a strikeout.

Brent Lillibridge drew a one-out walk in the fifth before Jason Donald singled for Cleveland's first hit, and Lillibridge scored on Ezequiel Carrera's RBI single.

Harrison was pulled after Russ Canzler singled with two down and scored on Matt LaPorta's double that bounced off the center-field wall, trimming the Rangers' lead to 5-2.

Elvis Andrus had an RBI single in the sixth for Texas, but Cleveland scored twice in the eighth against three relievers.

Walker's Tulane teammates miss him, still carry on

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — Devon Walker's Tulane teammates believe he'll continue to be an inspiration to them in the way he deals with a devastating spinal injury because that's the kind of person he is — driven and relentless.

Walker played his first two years without a scholarship while pursuing a degree in cell and molecular biology. He played part of last season with a cast on a broken left arm. And friends say he'll attack this challenge with the same tenacity.

"Without a doubt I know Devon is going to continue to fight on because he's a competitor," said Tulane senior cornerback Ryan Travis, who shares an apartment with Walker and has been his friend since they were freshmen. "He has a lot of courage and will power to overcome adversity."

The Green Wave returned to practice on Tuesday for the first time since Walker, a senior safety, fractured his spine while making a tackle at the end of the first half of a game at Tulsa on Saturday.

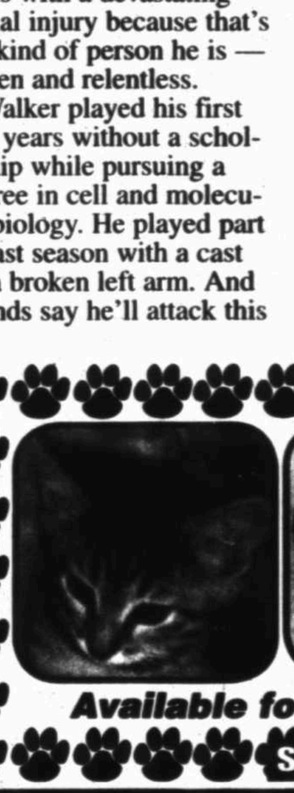
Walker remains hospitalized in Tulsa, where he had surgery on Sunday. Doctors say it is too early to know what the long-term effects of his injury will be, though paralysis is always a concern with spinal injuries.

His teammates say Walker has been in their thoughts constantly.

Travis recalled getting to the visitor's locker room moments after seeing Walker being treated on the field, dropping down to his knees and praying. He's been praying ever since.

"I asked God why this happened. I know if it was allowed to happen, there was a reason," Travis said. "I was asking God to protect him and watch over him.

"On the plane going to Tulsa, he had sat right across from me," Travis continued. "And on the plane ride back, it was kind of tough looking over, seeing him not there, knowing what happened, knowing he's my roommate."



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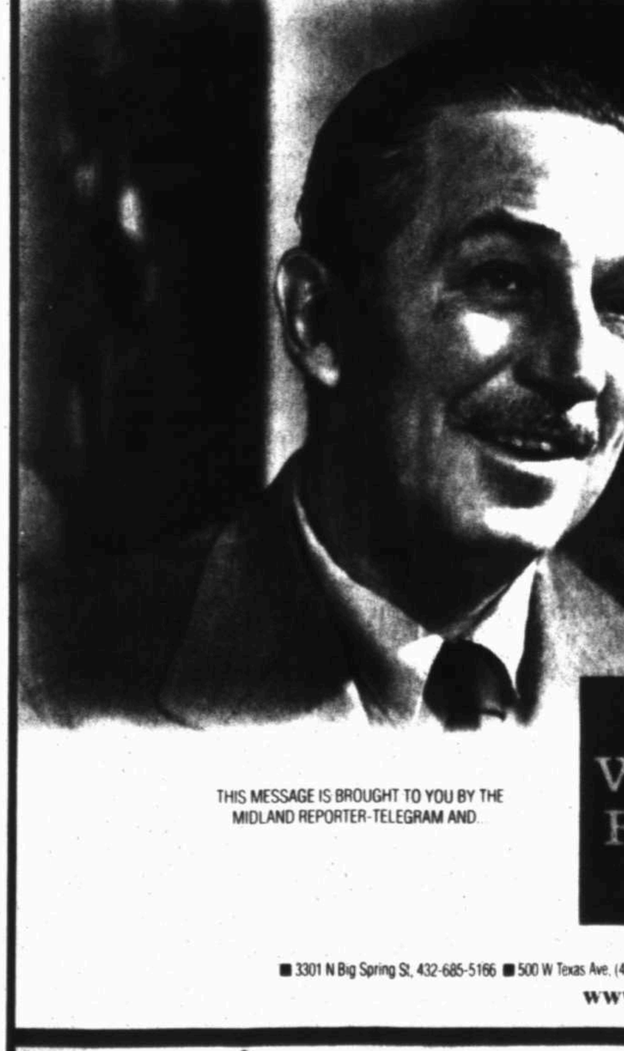

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TODAY Mostly sunny high 91 low 70

THURSDAY Cloudy high 78 low 60

FRIDAY Mostly cloudy high 71 low 54

LOCAL FORECAST

Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 91 and south winds between 5 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly cloudy conditions with a low around 70 and south winds between 5 and 15 mph.

Thursday, look for cloudy skies with a high around 78, a low around 60 and southeast winds between 5 and 15 mph. There is an 80 percent chance of thunderstorms.

Friday look for mostly cloudy skies with a high around 71 and a low around 54 with a 10 percent chance of thunderstorms.

The high on Tuesday reached 95 while the low dropped to 64. The record high for Sept. 11 is 102 set in 2000. The record low is 50 set in 1935.

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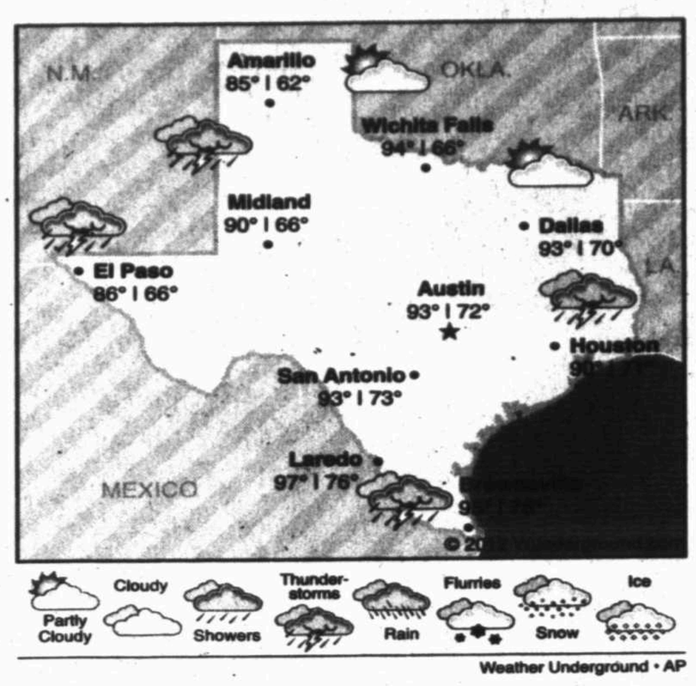
The area from the southern Plains to New England will have another sunny day today. Dry air from a high pressure system will produce a marked temperature rebound during the afternoon, following a cool start in eastern areas. A breeze will signify the approach of a front over the Midwest.

Farther south and east, clouds and spotty downpours are expected. Areas from South Carolina to the Atlantic coast of Florida will have moisture moving in from the ocean.



Precipitation

Monday	0.00 in.
Tuesday	0.00 in.
Total for month	0.05 in.
Total for year	6.76 in.
Normal total (year to date)	10.46 in.

Tuesday's temperatures

High	95
Low	64
Normal high	88
Normal low	64

Sunrise ... 7:31 a.m.
Sunset ... 7:58 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Wednesday, Sept. 12

A good conversationalist lets others have their say

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'm really bad when it comes to speaking. It's hard for me to squeak out the few words I can. I am shy and not very sociable, so when I'm with people, even my two friends, I feel like I come across as rude. I never have the right things to say. When I'm with my family, I don't usually have this problem.

In public, it seems like everyone else is so much more interesting than I am. Making conversation is a lot of trouble. I know this sounds silly, but do you know if there is anything that can be done about it? I heard you had a booklet about being more social. Is it still published? If so, how can I get one? — VICTORIA IN SOUTH CAROLINA

DEAR VICTORIA: Making conversation may seem like "a lot of trouble" to you because making conversation is a SKILL you haven't yet mastered. A surefire way to contribute in social situations is to become informed about what is going on in the world by reading books, magazines, the Dear Abby column (of course) and going on the Internet. The more informed you are about the world, the better you will be.

You don't have to be an "authority" on everything. A good conversationalist is interested in what other people have to say instead of feeling pressured to fill the air with the sound of his or her own voice. My booklet "How to Be Popular" is filled with suggestions about how to polish one's social skills. It isn't meant to be read just once and then put aside. Read it often because it covers a variety of social situations. It can be ordered by sending your name and address, plus check or money order for $7 (U.S. funds) to Dear Abby Popularity Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, IL 61054-0447. Shipping and handling are included in the price.

There are tips not only for what to say, but also what NOT to say, which is one of the keys for becoming the kind of person other people find interesting, attractive and want to know better. If parents, teachers and clergy know people who need help in this regard, it might make an inexpensive gift that could help change the course of their lives.

Most people can concentrate on only one thing at a time. One of the best cures for shyness is to forget about yourself and concentrate on the OTHER person by asking about what he or she is interested in. Try it, and you'll find it works.

DEAR ABBY: I have this little boy I tutor. He is 7 and says he loves me. I'm 18. I try to tell him I'm way too old, and he isn't my type, but all he says is, "Age ain't nothing but a number." Help! I need to know what to do. — ALEX IN NEW JERSEY

DEAR ALEX: Start by telling him that the word "ain't" isn't appropriate — that what he should be saying is, "Age isn't anything but a number." Then tell him that while you are complimented, he is there to study — so you'll revisit the subject when HE is 18.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Spot the queen

North-South vulnerable. West deals.

NORTH
♠ K J 8 2
♡ J 9 7 2
◊ A 10
♣ 8 7 3

WEST
♠ 10 7 5
♡ Q 8
◊ K Q 9 8 6 5
♣ K 6

EAST
♠ Q 9
♡ 10 4 3
◊ 7 3 2
♣ Q J 10 9 2

SOUTH
♠ A 6 4 3
♡ A K 6 5
◊ J 4
♣ A 5 4

The bidding:

WEST	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH
2◊	Pass	3◊	Dbl
Pass	4◊	Pass	4♡
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: King of ◊

This deal is from the Morehead Grand National Teams at the recent ACBL Summer North American Championships in Philadelphia. Sitting South was Michael Schreiber of Fowler, Calif. West's two-diamond opening bid was weakish, three diamonds was a nuisance raise and double was for takeout. North cue-bid to show both majors and South bid game in his stronger four-card major,

Declarer won the opening lead with the ace, cashed the ace and king of hearts, fetching the queen, and drew the last trump with the knave. Now the 10 of diamonds was led to the jack and queen. West exited safely with the king of clubs, ducked by declarer who won the club six continuation with the ace.

West could now likely be counted with six diamonds, two clubs and two hearts, hence three spades, and East was 2-3-3-5. That made the game a sure thing. Declarer cashed the ace and king of spades, dropping the queen, and claimed 10 tricks.

What if the queen did not drop? Declarer would have thrown West on lead with her majesty and the defender would have had to present declarer with a ruff-sluff for the fulfilling trick.

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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 Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2012:

You approach life with sensitivity, yet you demonstrate the ability to openly accept the many surprises that head down your path. Sometimes you might get angry or enraged as a result of being left out of plans. If you are single, often you might feel excluded. Know that this feeling stems from your childhood, and try to get through it. If you are attached, you often might pull in tightly to your sweetie, especially when you feel insecure. Don't worry — this person understands. You pitch in when your significant other needs or wants your support. LEO reads you cold.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You flex and adjust to someone else's plans. You might want to understand what is going on with a key person in your life. If you are too abrupt, what happens as a result might not be all that pleasant. A partner has very different ideas from you. Tonight: Play the night away.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★ Keep a close eye on a certain situation, even if you wish you could do something else or join a friend. To ensure that you are headed in the right direction, you will need to stay on top of a problem. Tempers flare as the day goes on. Tonight: Order in.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ Keep your conversations open and flowing. You might not like what you are hearing. A problem ensues where you least expect it. You do not need to get in the middle of it. Keep your distance, if possible. A boss or older relative surprises you. Tonight: Chat up a storm.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ New beginnings become possible if you make an effort to express your deeper feelings and allow more of the unexpected into your life. Sarcasm marks an interaction. Do you really need to add that touch? Tonight: Your efforts count. Reach out for someone.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★★ You want to understand what is going on behind the scenes. The element of surprise makes all the difference. New beginnings become possible. Curb your anger rather than saying something you might regret later. Tonight: All smiles.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You have the ability to make a difference within your immediate circle. You seem to be able to read others through their actions and sense their feelings. Your responsiveness could make all the difference to someone. Tonight: Play it low-key.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Honor a long-term desire, and find out what you need to do. A meeting points to your relationship within a particular group. You could be surprised by an invitation that seems to come from out of nowhere. If you choose to accept, your schedule will have to change. Tonight: Find your friends.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★ You could find yourself being observed by others. You might wonder whether it would serve you to do something different. In some sense, you are offended; on the other hand, you are flattered. Know what you desire and need from a situation. Tonight: Into the wee hours.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Use your ability to relate to one person directly. You might want to step back from a control game. The unexpected occurs surrounding a personal matter. A discussion could become quite verbal. Be spontaneous. Tonight: Be direct with a loved one.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Still going along with others' plans? If you can't stand it anymore, make a point to be alone. This period is important for others to appreciate how very much you do and offer. Your skills are unique. Tonight: Lighten up the moment with friends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★ Count on giving more than 100 percent, no matter what you are doing. Your efforts to pitch in and help others might be more appreciated than you think. Do what you want for you, and not for others. You will be much happier as a result. Tonight: Choose a favorite stressbuster.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★★ Your very playful personality emerges, which allows greater give-and-take. With humor, you can say much more than usual. People have a more relaxed response when approached in this manner. Use your ability to empathize to sort through an issue. Tonight: Let your hair down!

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BORN TODAY

Actress Linda Gray (1940), singer Jennifer Hudson (1981), singer/songwriter Barry White (1944)

DAILY CROSSWORD

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4 Hanging on every word
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14 Actor Chaney
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17 Perspective-bending artist
19 "Beau Geste" novelist
20 Grade for a tween
21 Scottish hillside
23 Convent residents
24 Runner Sebastian et al.
26 Second and third in a sequence
28 Port relative
30 Sears rival
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35 Final Four initials
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41 KGB counterpart
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44 "Roots" author Haley
45 Game with a 32-card deck
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22 Game player's haunts
25 iPad-to-iMac activity
27 Fourth prime minister of Israel
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29 One of three 'n Coca-Cola
30 Locks up
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32 Poland Spring competitor
33 Dublin-born poet
36 Pacifier site
39 Online tech news site
40 Parkway off-ramp
43 Meat- or fish-filled pastry
45 "Vamoose!"
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49 "Mercy!"
52 "Dracula" novelist Stoker
53 Peak
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59 Garbage barge
60 Salinger heroine
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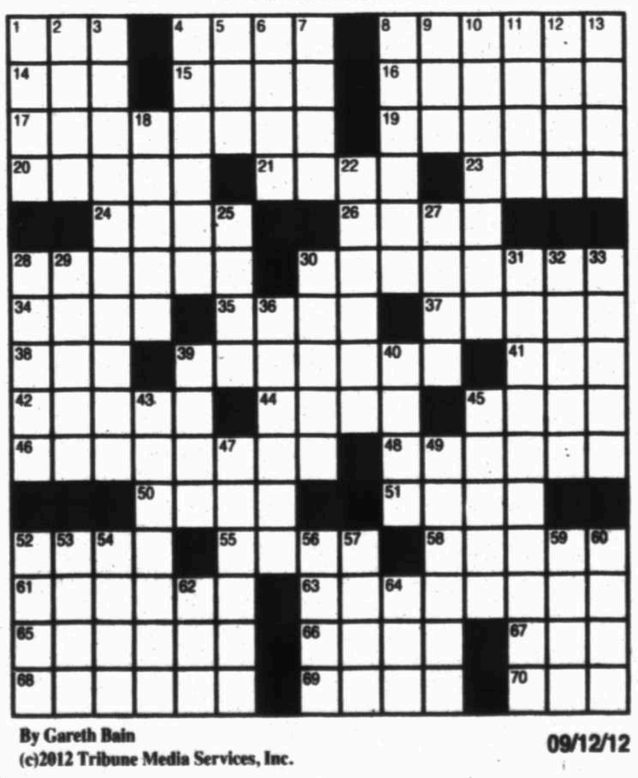

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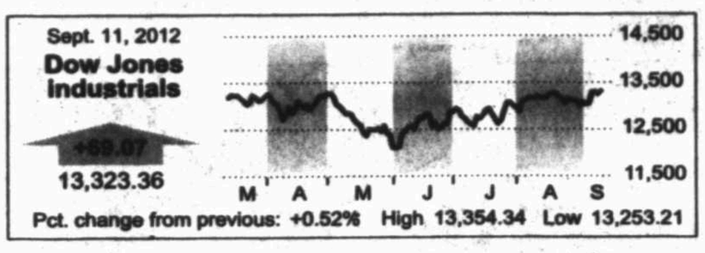

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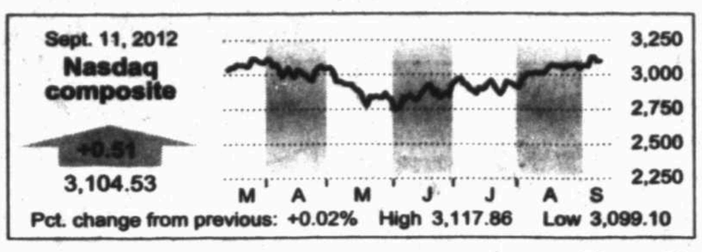

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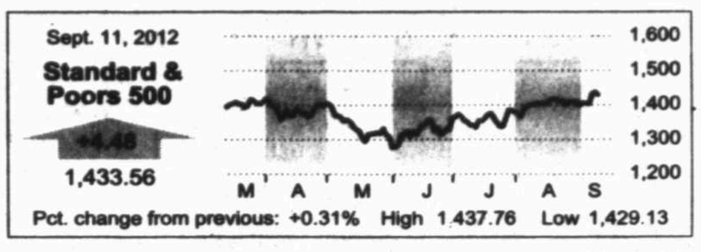

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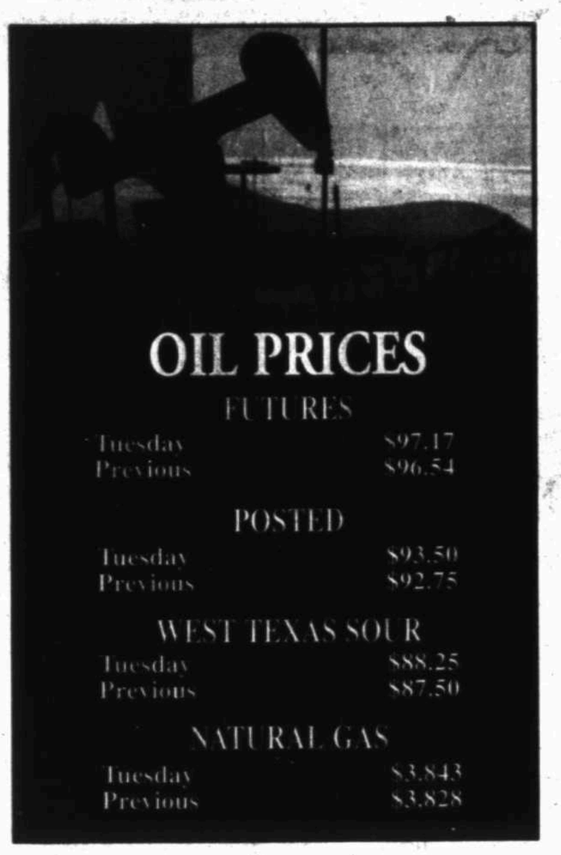

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Most Active ($1 or more) Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg	Gainers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
AminfiGrp	2301300	33.45	+.15	Amrep	8.25	+1.31	+18.9
BkofAm	1972302	9.03	+.45	CSVLgNGs	28.81	+4.32	+17.6
SprintNex	872929	5.00	-.15	Navistr pfD	9.35	+1.39	+17.5
S&P500ETF	733626	143.91	+.40	Gallisa SA	4.34	+.47	+12.1
SPDR Fncl	554300	15.68	+.13	AmrRlty	2.67	+.28	+11.7

Losers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Diary	
ETLg2mVix	25.57	-9.43	-26.9	Advanced	2,039
CSVInvNG	22.32	-4.81	-17.7	Declined	978
DBCmdyS	33.22	-5.37	-13.9	Unchanged	116
K12	20.31	-3.15	-13.4	Total issues	3,133
PltnB pr	250.97	-38.21	-13.3	New Highs	202
				New Lows	15
				Volume	3,363,147,992

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Most Active ($1 or more) Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg	Gainers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
CheniereEn	148420	16.29	+.57	ASpecRlty	5.40	+.66	+13.9
NavideaBio	86970	2.64	-.87	ImpacMtg	8.15	+.81	+11.0
SamsO&G	32011	1.21	+.13	Alderonlr g	2.01	+.17	+9.2
Vringo	22266	3.47	+.05	Suprmind	4.05	+.24	+6.3
Rentech	19981	2.38	+.07	Metalico	2.79	+.16	+6.1

Losers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Diary	
NavideaBio	2.64	-.87	-24.8	Advanced	276
Aerosonic	3.25	-.46	-12.4	Declined	160
Protalix	4.89	-.26	-5.0	Unchanged	28
ImmunoCll	3.06	-.16	-5.0	Total issues	464
PyramidOil	4.19	-.18	-4.1	New Highs	12
				New Lows	3
				Volume	97,545,711

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Most Active ($1 or more) Name	Vol (00)	Last	Chg	Gainers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
SiriusXM	727305	2.50	-.01	WSB Hldgs	5.34	+2.42	+82.9
Intel	528613	23.34	+.08	CellTher rs	3.56	+.99	+38.5
Facebook n	448315	19.43	+.82	SunesisPh	3.49	+.85	+32.2
Cisco	309264	19.04	-.11	Sigmatr	4.50	+.77	+20.6
MicronT	288533	6.36	-.05	Rdiff.com	4.24	+.68	+19.1

Losers ($2 or more) Name	Last	Chg	%Chg	Diary	
CmplGnom	2.69	-.35	-11.5	Advanced	1,447
DigitAlly rs	4.36	-.56	-11.4	Declined	990
CenGrdA ll	11.43	-1.48	-11.4	Unchanged	147
HotTopic	8.96	-.92	-9.3	Total issues	2,584
CentGard ll	11.23	-1.08	-8.8	New Highs	88
				New Lows	23
				Volume	1,562,813,157

AP file photo

In this Aug. 31 file photo, a boy checks an iPhone at an Apple booth at an electronic store in Tokyo. Millions of people likely will buy new iPhones after Apple's expected announcement of a new model today. The new phones would join some 244 million iPhones already sold since the first one launched in 2007. Some have been lost, some stolen and some still are in use. But it's fair to say that millions of iPhones are languishing in desk drawers or gathering dust.

Now what? Things to do with your old iPhone

Associated Press

NEW YORK — In case you haven't heard by now, Apple is unveiling its latest iPhone today. That leaves the question: What should you do with your old one?

The new phones will join some 244 million iPhones sold since the first one launched in 2007. Some have been lost or stolen. Some of us are still hanging on to our old gadgets in some futile attempt to resist the constant upgrade cycle that technology companies are forcing on us.

But it's fair to say that millions of iPhones are languishing in desk drawers or gathering dust. Here are a few things to do with yours to keep it from meeting that fate once you buy the iPhone 5.

1. Give it to your kids so they stop taking yours.

Every parent, aunt and uncle knows that no toy in the history of toys ever has been as appealing to a kid as an iPhone. They are shiny, they have games and grown-ups use them for important things. More importantly, they are either off-limits or doled out in limited quantities as a reward for, say, sitting still for a minute. Load up your old iPhone with games and give it to a deserving child in your life.

2. ... or to your mom so she can finally see the light

Alternately, if a Luddite adult has been thinking of taking the plunge into the world of smartphones, your old iPhone may help him or her get over the hump. If you have an iPhone 4 or 4S, you also might find someone who's still hanging on to an earlier model and give them the gift of an upgrade.

3. Use it as a teeny-tiny iPad

You'll be able to watch videos, send email and search Wikipedia for random facts to end cocktail-party disagreements with your decommissioned iPhone — as long as you have a Wi-Fi connection. There's even a camera, which means you can avoid being that guy (or gal) at the concert who's turning heads for taking photos with an iPad.

4. Donate to charity

Several charities accept old phones for donation, though it's worth remembering that these groups likely won't physically give your old phones to people in need. Rather, they work with phone recyclers and sell your donated phones to them.

A nonprofit group called Cell Phones for Soldiers will take your "gently used" phone and sell it to recycling company ReCellular. It will then use the proceeds to buy calling cards for soldiers.

The National Coalition Against Domestic Violence works with another recycling group in a similar manner. About 60 percent of the phones it collects are refurbished and resold. The money goes toward supporting the coalition. The remaining 40 percent of the phones are recycled, according to the group's website. It pays for shipping if you are mailing three or more phones.

5. Alarm Clock

Do you still use that old radio alarm you bought for your college dorm room in the 20th century? Join the 21st century by turning your old iPhone into an alarm clock. Hide it in a different spot in your bed each night for an added challenge.

6. Sell, sell, sell!

Join the eBay hordes and sell your phone for a few hundred bucks if you can. There likely will be a flood of the gadgets soon after people start getting their new phones, so it might make sense to wait a little.

Gasoline prices rise

The waning days of summer should mean the last increases in gasoline prices for a while.

Average gasoline prices rose 1.5 cents overnight to $3.843 per gallon Tuesday, the biggest gain in two weeks. The price has risen about 50 cents since July 1.

Motorists in about eight states are paying at least $4 per gallon, according to AAA, Wright Express and the Oil Price Information Service. Even the lowest prices — $3.59 in Mississippi and $3.60 in South Carolina — are up more than 60 cents from early in the summer.

Meanwhile, oil prices slightly rose ahead of a meeting this week where the Federal Reserve may decide to take additional steps to promote economic growth. Such measures can mean more demand for oil and other energy products.

Traders also are awaiting a decision from Germany's high court, expected Wednesday, on whether the country can participate in a European bailout fund.

Benchmark oil rose 63 cents to finish at $97.17 per barrel in New York. Brent crude, which is used to price international varieties of oil, gained 59 cents to $115.40 per barrel.

Euro rises to 4-month high

The euro rose to four-month high against the dollar Tuesday as traders wait to see if the Federal Reserve will announce additional steps to help the U.S. economy later this week.

The euro rose to $1.2860 in late trading Tuesday from $1.2769 late Monday. The euro rose as high as $1.2870 Tuesday, its highest point against the dollar since May 14.

The British pound rose to $1.6070 from $1.5998.

The dollar fell to 77.78 Japanese yen from 78.28 yen, to 0.9389 Swiss franc from 0.9464 Swiss franc and to 97.33 Canadian cents from 97.76 Canadian cents.

Gold futures added $3.10 to finish at $1,734.90 an ounce.

MIDLAND STOCKS

Midland-Headquartered Publicly Traded Companies

Basic Energy Services (BAS)
Closing Price $12.05 Up 0.41

Clayton Williams Energy (CWEI)
Closing Price $55.23 Up 1.06

Concho Resources (CXO)
Closing Price $93.99 Up 0.09

Dawson Geophysical (DWSN)
Closing Price $23.36 Up 0.84

Legacy Reserves (LGCY)
Closing Price $28.22 Up 0.11

Mexco Energy (MXC)
Closing Price $6.17 Up 0.03

Natural Gas Services Group (NGS)
Closing Price $14.04 Up 0.02

HOW STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST FARED

Name	Div	PE	Last	Chg	YTD %Chg
AT&T Inc	1.76	50	37.62	+.20	+24.4
Abraxas	...	10	2.23	+.07	-32.4
AdamsEx	.65e	...	11.21	+.02	+16.3
AMD	...	...	3.75	+.28	-30.6
Alcoa	.12	35	9.33	+.28	+7.9
AlonUSA	.16	36	13.46	-.04	+54.5
AlphaNRs	...	...	7.45	+.53	-63.5
AmIntlGrp	...	3	33.45	+.15	+44.2
Amgen	1.44	18	83.94	-.11	+30.7
Anadarko	.36	...	71.82	+1.22	-6.2
A123 Sys h	...	...	.29	+.06	-82.0
Apache	.68	11	89.79	+.21	-.9
Apple Inc	10.60	16	660.59	-2.15	+63.1
ApldMatl	.36	13	11.85	-.04	+8.6
ArchCoal	.12	...	6.83	+.24	-52.9
ATMOS	1.38	15	35.45	-.36	+6.3
AutoData	1.58	21	58.94	-.20	+8.9
BP PLC	1.92	6	42.57	+.53	-.4
BabsCClnv	1.20	...	16.56	+.07	-8.0
BakrHu	.60	12	47.28	+.63	-2.8
BkofAm	.04	10	9.03	+.45	+62.4
Bar iPVix	...	...	9.86	-.07	-72.2
BasicEnSv	...	6	12.05	+.41	-38.8
BerkHa A	...	19	130170.00	+470.00	+13.4
BerryPet	.32	...	38.92	+.48	-7.4
BillHillsCp	1.48	29	34.55	+.11	+2.9
BrlfdSq	1.36	16	33.56	+.42	-4.8
BrownFA s	.93	27	63.19	-1.15	+19.6
BrownFB s	.93	26	65.52	-.92	+22.1
CVS Care	.65	16	46.05	-.14	+12.9
Cameron	...	24	57.20	+1.29	+16.3
Caterpillar	2.08f	10	88.60	+1.50	-2.2
Celestic g	...	7	7.91	+.17	+7.9
CellTher rs	...	...	3.56	+.99	-38.6
CntryLink	2.90	47	42.36	+.46	+13.9
CheniereEn	...	...	16.29	+.57	+87.5
ChesEng	.35	6	20.10	+.53	-9.8
Chevron	3.60	9	114.18	+.22	+7.3
Chicos	.21	20	19.08	-.11	+71.3
Cimarex	.48	13	60.52	+1.13	-2.2
Cisco	.56f	13	19.04	-.11	+5.7
Citigroup	.04	9	32.66	+.83	+24.1
ClayEng	...	7	55.23	+1.06	-37.2
CliffsNRs	2.50	4	41.68	+2.50	-33.2
CocaCola s	1.02	20	37.77	+.11	+8.0
ColgPal	2.48	26	102.82	-.88	+11.3
ConAgra	.96	23	25.69	+.04	-2.7
ConchoRes	...	17	93.99	+.09	+.3
ConocPhil s	2.64	7	56.37	+.19	+1.5
Corning	.30	9	12.77	+.19	-1.6
CrackerB	1.60f	18	65.45	+.45	+29.8
CSVS2xVxS	...	...	1.84	-.08	-94.2
CrosTim	2.61e	12	33.86	+.80	-30.7
DCP Mid	2.68f	28	42.44	+.25	-10.6
DTE	2.48f	16	59.61	+.13	+9.5
Dataram h	...	...	.75	+.04	-7.4
Dawson	...	14	23.36	+.84	-40.9
Dell Inc	.32	6	10.64	+.03	-27.3
DevonE	.80	10	60.62	+1.25	-2.2
DirSCBear	...	...	14.83	-.09	-44.0
Disney	.60f	17	51.56	+.04	+37.5
DowChm	1.28f	19	30.24	-.06	+5.1
eBay	...	17	48.33	-.20	+59.3
EMC Cp	...	23	27.32	-.06	+26.8
EOG Res	.68	22	112.43	+.03	+14.1
EmpDist	1.00	17	21.41	-.03	+1.5
Energen	.56	14	53.31	+.81	+6.6
EngyTsfr	3.58	9	42.76	-.16	-6.7
EnPro	...	18	38.83	+.22	+17.7
EntPrPt	2.54f	20	52.83	-.28	+13.9
Ericsson	.35e	...	9.22	+.15	-9.0
ExterranH	...	...	18.87	+.08	+107.4
ExxonMbl	2.28	11	86.62	+.14	+5.7
Facebook n	...	...	19.43	+.62	-49.2
FifthThird	.32	10	15.18	-.01	+19.3
FordM	.20	8	10.15	+.04	-5.7
ForestOil s	...	12	8.17	+.30	-39.7
FMCG	1.25	12	39.93	+.22	+8.5
FrontierCm	.40	30	4.76	+.13	-7.6
FrozenFd	...	...	2.19	...	+69.8
GATX	1.20	18	43.69	+.22	+.1
GabWutT	.80	...	7.61	+.05	+22.2
GAInv	.50e	...	28.70	+.08	+15.6
GenElec	.68	18	21.59	+.11	+20.5
GenGrPrp	.44f	...	20.09	-.51	+37.6
GenOn En	...	...	2.66	+.06	+1.9
GtPlainEn	.85	17	21.76	+.06	-.1
GreenMtC	...	15	32.16	+1.80	-28.3
Groupon n	...	...	4.61	+.34	-77.7
HaloonR rs	...	...	8.55	+.34	-8.9
Halibrtn	.36	10	35.35	+1.08	+2.4
Heinz	2.06	19	56.09	-.06	+3.8
HewlettP	.53	6	17.95	+.52	-30.3
Hitachi	...	...	63.70	...	+22.2
HuntBncsh	.16	13	6.81	+.13	+24.0
iShJapn	.20e	...	9.11	+.04	...
iShEMkts	.82e	...	40.60	+.48	+7.0
iS Eale	1.72e	...	53.44	+.60	+7.9
iShR2K	1.23e	...	84.06	+.18	+14.0
IntegrysE	2.72	19	54.25	-.01	+.1
Intel	.90f	10	23.34	+.08	-3.8
InterDig	.40	23	34.90	+.12	-19.9
JPMorgCh	1.20	9	39.60	+.84	+19.1
JohnJn	2.44	22	68.20	+.02	+4.0
KimbClk	2.96	18	82.35	-.02	+11.9
KindME	4.92f	...	81.59	+.42	-4.0
KinoMM	4.92t	...	73.55	+.05	-6.3
Kraft	1.16b	20	39.77	-.44	+6.5
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NuvPI	.92	...	15.08	+.11	+4.2
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NTXQI	.77	...	17.00	+.01	+4.1
OcciPet	2.16	11	86.44	+.12	-7.7
Oracle	.24	16	32.32	+.01	+26.0
ParTech	...	16	5.23	+.01	+32.7
ParkDrl	...	...	4.64	+.03	-35.3
PattUTI	.20	7	16.19	+.48	-19.0
PennaRE	.54	...	16.51	+.27	+58.1
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Pfizer	.88	14	24.17	+.07	+11.7
PioNtrl	.08	34	105.57	+2.37	+18.0
PlainsAA	4.26f	15	86.93	-.18	+18.4
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RadianGrp	.01	...	4.84	+.22	+106.8
RangeRs	.16	...	70.57	+2.82	+13.9
RegionsFn	.04	17	7.33	-.09	+70.5
RschMotn	...	3	7.46	+.31	-48.6
Rowan	...	27	37.32	+.68	+23.0
RoyDShllA	3.44	14	71.73	+.75	-1.9
SpdrDJIA	3.60e	...	133.09	+.61	+9.2
S&P500ETF	2.70e	...	143.91	+.40	+14.7
SabnR	3.81e	13	53.24	+.10	-15.6
SanderFm	.68	47	44.71	-.29	-10.8
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SigmaAld	.80	19	72.61	-.52	+16.3
SiriusXM	...	4	2.50	-.01	+37.4
Smucker	2.08f	21	86.01	+.16	+10.0
SprintNex	...	...	5.00	-.15	+113.7
SPDR Fncl	.23e	...	15.68	+.13	+20.6
Staples	.44	9	11.37	+.12	-18.1
SunocoL s	1.88f	13	48.49	+.89	+23.1
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Tesoro	.48	9	40.31	+.21	+72.6
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TriContl	.50e	...	16.24	+.03	+14.1
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US NGs rs	...	...	20.19	+1.15	-21.9
Vale SA	1.74e	...	18.26	+.48	-14.9
ValeroE	.70f	8	32.77	+.75	+55.7
VangEmg	.91e	...	41.46	+.45	+8.5
VulcanM	.04	...	41.97	+.53	+6.7
Walgrn	1.10f	12	35.11	-.03	+6.2
WellsFargo	.88	11	34.15	-.44	+23.9
WstnRefin	.32t	9	26.77	+.14	+101.4
WhitingPet	...	10	49.77	+1.17	+6.6
WmsCos	1.25f	20	33.74	+.12	+25.1
XcelEngy	1.08f	16	28.01	-.10	+1.3
Xerox	.17	8	7.49	+.03	-5.9
Zynga n	...	...	2.79	-.03	-70.4

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13,338.66	10,404.49	Dow Jones Industrials	13,323.36	+69.07	+.52	+9.05	+19.97
5,390.11	3,950.66	Dow Jones Transportation	5,133.50	+34.89	+.68	+2.27	+13.80
499.82	411.54	Dow Jones Utilities	469.91	-1.32	-.28	+1.13	+10.45
8,327.67	6,414.89	NYSE Composite	8,246.15	+53.75	+.66	+10.29	+15.98
2,498.89	1,941.99	Amex Index	2,436.97	+28.61	+1.19	+6.96	+10.72
3,139.61	2,298.89	Nasdaq Composite	3,104.53	+.51	+.02	+19.17	+22.60
1,438.74	1,074.77	S&P 500	1,433.56	+4.48	+.31	+13.99	+22.23
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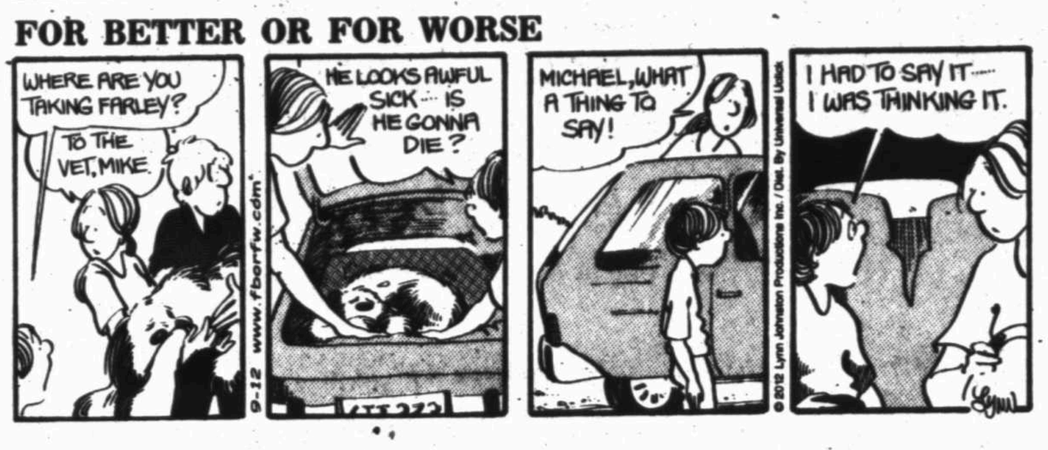

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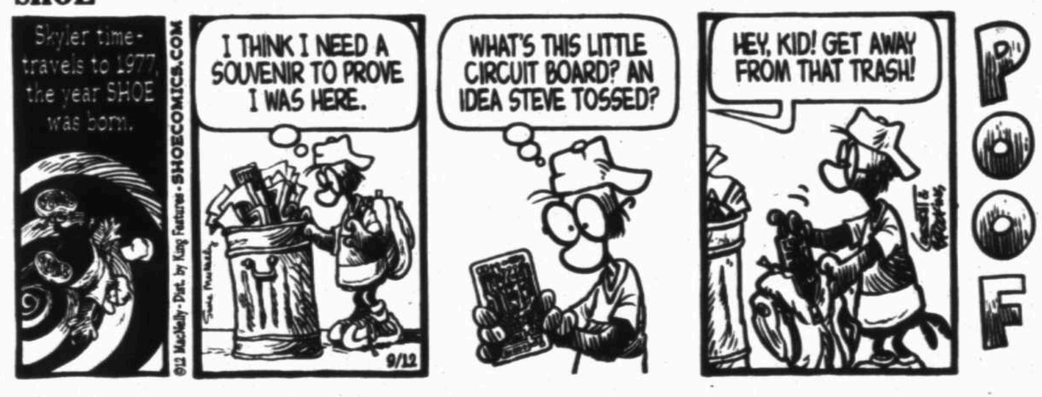

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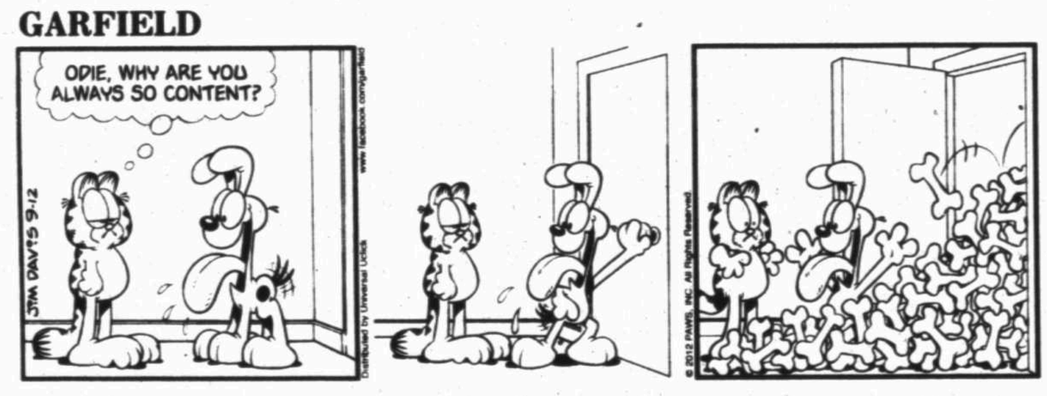

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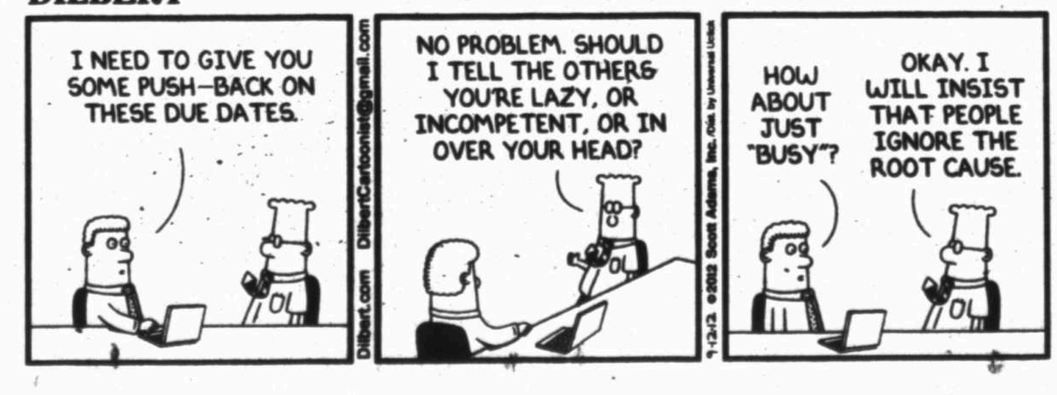

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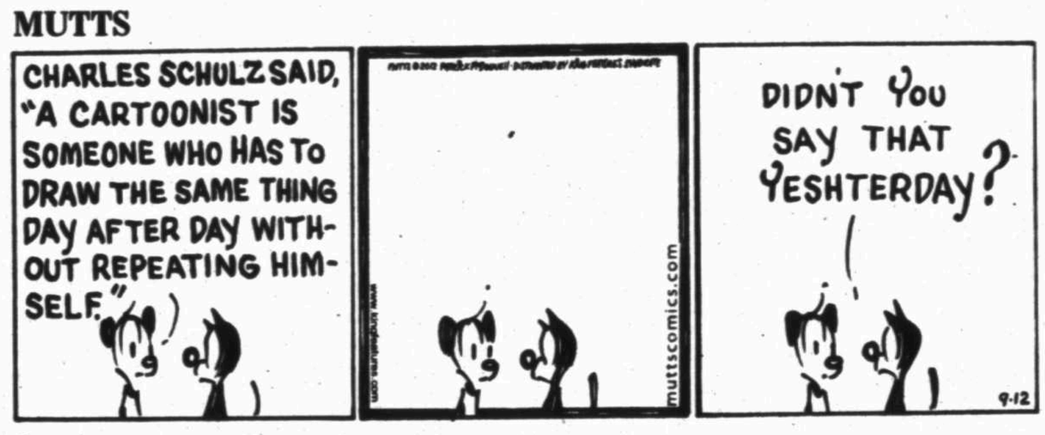

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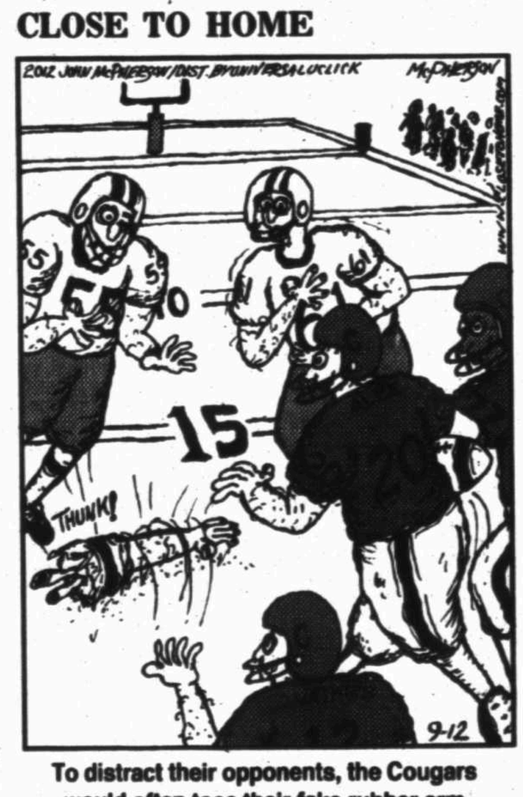


To distract their opponents, the Cougars would often toss their fake rubber arm onto the field.

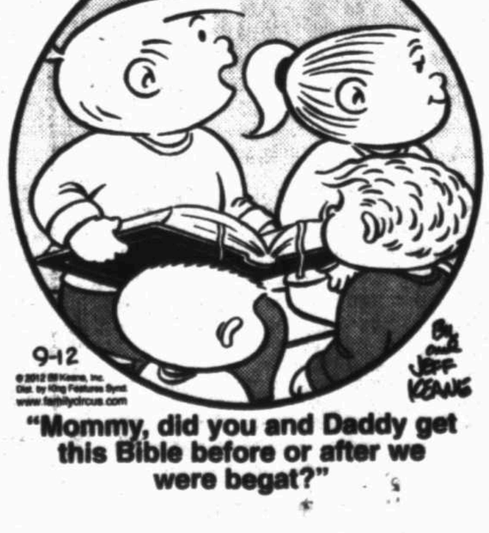
DENNIS THE MENACE

"MY DAD SAYS YOUR BILLS ARE MORE PAINFUL THAN HIS TOOTHACHE."

LOCKHORNS

"I'D HAVE REMEMBERED OUR ANNIVERSARY IF YOU HAD SENT A SAVE-THE-DATE CARD."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"Mommy, did you and Daddy get this Bible before or after we were begat?"

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FOUND: 3 Dogs near 1788 & WCR 60. Two female and one male. Call 432-553-4620.

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FOUND BLUE Heeler mix, near College & Garfield with collar. Call 230-9667 or 697-2724.

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FOUND PIT BULL mix pup in Woodlands area. He is very young. Call 889-0097

FOUND SMALL white male puppy near Pleasant Dr. Collar, no tags. 325-260-2516.

LOST LARGE Yorkie off West County Rd.120/Rankin Hwy. Call 661-0173.

Legal & Public Notices

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of **Doris R. Schumpert**, deceased:

Robert E. Schumpert, having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of **Doris R. Schumpert**, deceased, late of Midland, Midland County, Texas, by the Judge of the County Court of Midland County, Texas, in Cause No. P17161 on September 11, 2012, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to said Independent Executor within the time prescribed by law, at the following address:

Robert E. Schumpert
Independent Executor of the Estate
of Doris. R. Schumpert, deceased
c/o Mary Lou Cassidy
550 W. Texas, Suite 800
Midland, Texas 79701

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Request for Proposals will be received until 11:00 AM, October 3, 2012, in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas-for the following:

RFP 5438-13: Request for Proposals for Federal Reimbursement Opportunities and Consultant Services.

The RFPs will be available on or about 09/10/12. To receive a copy of the RFP you must submit a written request to the City of Midland Purchasing Manager, P. O. Box 1152, Midland, TX 79702 or 432-685-0523 (fax) or purchasing@midlandtexas.gov. Proposals must be submitted no later than 10/03/12 at 11:00 AM to the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

City of Midland, Texas

Legal & Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR BID

Midland County Hospital District is accepting bids for the construction project entitled: **Midland Memorial Hospital Desktop Installation and Relocation IT Services to assists in the relocation of existing and dissemination of new desktop equipment** at Midland Memorial Hospital, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79701 and at West Campus at 4124 Andrews Highway, Midland, TX, 2.2 miles west.

Bidders may obtain bid documents via Midland Memorial Hospital on or after **Wednesday, September 12, 2012** by contacting the Purchasing Department at the following address:

Midland Memorial Hospital
2200 W. Illinois Ave.
Midland, Texas 79701
432-685-1595
432-685-3488 (fax)

A Bid Bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the greatest amount bid will be required for all bid proposals in excess of $50,000.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract with Midland Memorial Hospital.

One (1) Original and three hard (3) copies and (1) electronic PDF copy of all bids must be received in the Department of Materials Management of Midland Memorial Hospital – Main Campus, 2200 West Illinois, Midland, Texas, 79701, by time **12:00 P.M. (noon), Tuesday, September 25, 2012.**

Concurrently, **one (1) hard copy and one (1) electronic PDF copy** shall be sent to EDI, Ltd., 1600 Riveredge Pkwy., Suite 900, Atlanta, GA 30328.

All bids must be sealed and labeled **"BID #1082-091212 Enclosed".**

Under no circumstances will faxed or emailed bids from bidders be accepted.

All bids must remain valid December 31, 2012.

All bids will remain confidential until after an award has been made. Vendors will then be allowed to review the bids in the purchasing office according to the policy/procedure of Midland Memorial Hospital. Midland County Hospital District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.

Bids shall be addressed to:
Midland County Hospital District
Materials Management Office
Attn: Rachel Hanna Jones
Director of Materials Management
Midland Memorial Hospital
2200 West Illinois
Midland, Texas 79701

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Legal & Public Notices

Dr. Eileen Li announces the closing of her practice effective October 12, 2012. A copy of medical records may be obtained or transferred to another physician by signing a release of information, which may be obtained by contacting the office. After October 12, 2012, medical records will remain on file at the office of Dr. James Y. Li, 540 W. 5th St, Ste. 360, Odessa, TX 79761, (432) 332-9263. Please contact the office at (432) 332-7337 with any questions. 540 W. 5th St., Ste. 360, Odessa, TX 79761.

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 11:00 A.M., September 26, 2012 to be opened at 11:00 A.M., in the Office of the City Secretary City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid No. 5458-13
For: Seat Replacement at the Scharbauer Sports Complex.

If the Contract is awarded, it will be awarded to either the lowest responsible bidder, or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value for the City of Midland. In determining the best value for the City of Midland, the City of Midland may consider the criteria enumerated in Section 252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code. Information for Bidders, Proposal Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

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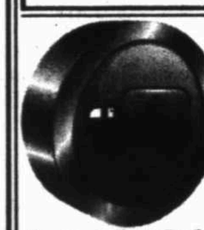
Business Opportunity

For Sale: Established daycare center. 1,776 sq ft building, built to code, high enrollment. The only licensed daycare center in Martin County. For more information call Shirley Wood with LMB Real Estate Group. 432-686-2800



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1992 BMW 525 extra clean, all service & records. $3,995. 432-559-9966

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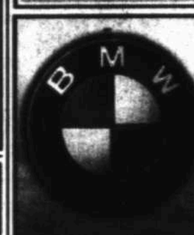

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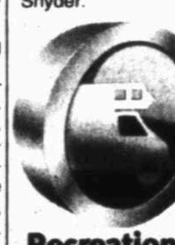

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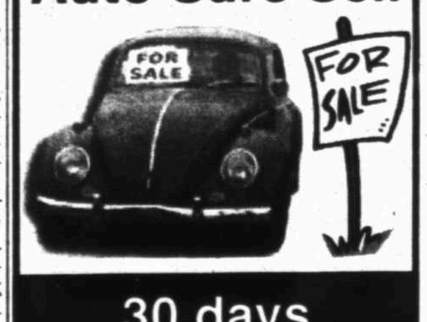

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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit **www.sudoku.org.uk**

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NOTES:
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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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Duties for this position will include, but are not limited to selling advertising in all print publications of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and all online products, including mywesttexas.com.

The right individual will enjoy an excellent compensation and full benefits package. If you are the one we are looking for, please send current resume to:

Desirable Qualifications & Skills:
- Ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline oriented environment
- Excellent customer service and time management skills.
- Highly organized with the ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- Detail-oriented with good communication, spelling and math skills

Midland Reporter-Telegram

Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager
Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701
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- Knowledge of advertising concepts, promotions, and marketing.
- Ability to interpret a variety of instructions furnished in written, oral, diagram, or schedule form.
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Midland, TX 79707
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Oilfield Construction Manager
Minimum 5 years experience with bidding, invoicing, and job cost tracking. Over see building locations, roads, and containment pads. Please send resume to P-138 c/o Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, TX. 79701

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Welders
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Cornell Wireline, LLC FT
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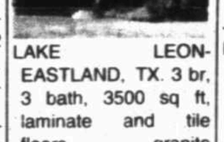

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