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STAGE HONORS

Midlander Michael Arden was nominated for a Tony award.

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BIG NAME CHANGE

With girls joining the Boy Scouts, Boy Scouts of America is planning to change its name to one that doesn't include the word "boy" while preserving its heritage. Find out the new name inside.

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Report: Half of kids 'kindergarten ready'

■ Early Development Instrument looks at five key areas, such as physical health, well-being and cognitive and communication skills

By Stewart Doreen
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While Midland's population has been growing, the availability of affordable child care hasn't kept pace. The result is slightly more than 50 percent of kindergarten students inside Midland ISD were "kindergarten ready," according to a study initiated by Educate Midland.

On Tuesday, Educate Midland led a contingent to announce a program called "I am my child's first teacher."

The announcement included information on Midland's Early Development Instrument, or EDI, which provides a communitywide snapshot of young children's health, development and school readiness in five key areas.

Those areas are:

■ physical health and well-being,
■ social competence,
■ emotional maturity,
■ language and cognitive skills and
■ communication skills and general knowledge.

Officials with Educate Midland, University of Texas of the Permian Basin, Midland ISD and others in the Early Child Action Network on Tuesday offered more information on what Midlanders could do to help prepare all children for schooling.

Parents, other family members and friends are a child's first teachers, and a child doesn't have to be in day care to work on those five key areas, the groups said. Opportunities to work on physical, social and communication skills are available at places such as at a store or a park.

Information used in a community survey included data from more than 100 MISD teachers from 26 schools concerning about 1,900 students and student readiness. The information and ensuing survey will help campuses develop goals

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NIGHT SET ALIGHT



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lightning is visible in the sky over downtown Midland on Wednesday. The National Weather Service recorded 0.16 of a inch of rainfall as of 10:20 p.m. at Midland International Airport. The tally doubles the year total to 0.32 of an inch — well below the average. Is more rainfall predicted for today? Find out on **Page 3A**.

Midland's jobless rate ties for 7th lowest in US

From staff reports

Despite having an unemployment rate of 2.4 percent in March, Midland dropped down on the list of metropolitan areas with lowest jobless rates across the nation.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported Tuesday that Midland went from tied for fifth in the country in February to falling into a tie for seventh in March. The unemployment rate in Midland was 2.4 percent in March.

Ames, Iowa, took the top spot in March with a jobless rate of 1.7 percent. Honolulu, Hawaii, and Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, Hawaii, each posted rates of 1.9 percent. Iowa City, Iowa (2.1 percent), and Elkhart-Goshen, Indiana (2.2 percent) rounded out the top 5.

All totaled, there were 12 MSAs in the United States with a jobless rate of 2.5 percent or lower in March.

Midland's civilian labor workforce grew by close to 9,000 over the past 12 months. The 97,263 in the labor force was an increase of almost nearly 1,000 compared to February. The unemployment rate in March 2017 was 3.5 percent.

By the numbers

The lowest unemployment rates in the United States during the month of March, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

■ Ames, Iowa, 1.7
■ Honolulu, Hawaii 1.9
■ Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, Hawaii, 1.9
■ Iowa City, Iowa, 2.1
■ Elkhart-Goshen, Indiana, 2.2
■ Burlington, Vermont, 2.3
■ Midland 2.4
■ Portland, Maine, 2.4
■ Madison, Wisconsin, 2.4
■ Boulder, Colorado, 2.5
■ Fort Collins, Colorado, 2.5
■ Columbus, Indiana, 2.5

NRA agenda stalls despite gun-friendly Congress, president

By Lisa Marie Pane and Jamie Stengle
Associated Press

DALLAS — A year ago, the nation's most powerful gun lobby was riding high: The millions the National Rifle Association had spent to help elect Donald Trump, one of the nation's most gun-friendly presidents, had paid off, and members were hopeful that more firearms restrictions would soon be eased.

Oh, how things have changed.

In the last 12 months, Americans have witnessed the deadliest mass shooting in modern U.S. history, a gut-wrenching attack at a Florida high school and bitterly divided politics in Washington. Those factors gave fresh momentum to gun-control advocates and stalled the NRA's agenda, despite firm GOP control of Congress and the White House. Then corporate America began turning its back on the group, dropping scores of discount programs or refusing to sell gun-industry products.

When the NRA holds its annual meeting this weekend in Dallas, the gathering will provide a window into the organization's message and strategy ahead of this year's midterm elections. The convention will also have a return guest: Trump, making his fourth consecutive visit to the meeting.

For the NRA, the meeting provides an opportunity to unite around the idea that members must push back against a liberal agenda that seeks to trample their Second Amendment rights. The thousands of people in attendance will listen to political speeches, check out the latest firearms, attend gun training courses and socialize. The audience consists mostly of hardcore gun-rights supporters.

"They're taking a very hard line in the sand of our Constitution" that has to be protected "at all costs," said Julianna Crowder, a firearms instructor and

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The big number
9 million veterans are served by the VA. Check out Page 7A for an update on VA affairs.

Word of the Day: palindrome
Do you know what it means? Find out the definition on Page 3A.

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Obituaries



Faye Worthington Chapman

Faye Worthington Chapman, age 87, of Midland, Texas passed away on April 28, 2018.

Faye was born in Ponder, Texas on January 4, 1931 to Author and Lena Worthington. She graduated from Peacock High School as class Valedictorian in Peacock, Texas. Faye was married to John A. Chapman on April 2, 1949. They were married a total of 69 years.

Faye worked as a waitress until marrying the love of her life, John Chapman and later she worked at the school cafeteria in Breckenridge, Texas. Her main hobby/activity was raising kids, kids, and more kids. Together she and John had 9 children, raising 8 to adulthood. Life was hard at times for the family, but it never lacked in love.

Faye was preceded in death by her parents, Author and Lena; her husband, John and three of their sons, Clifford Dalton (C.D.), John Paul and Bobby Ray; granddaughter, Miranda Watson and brother, Jim Worthington of Aspermont, Texas.

She is survived by six children - David Chapman and his wife Karen of Lubbock, Texas; Judy Johnson and her husband Dan of Midland; Debbie Watson of Midland; Lea Richardson and husband Merle of Brownwood, Texas; sisters, Mittie (Smokey) Dunham and husband Pide, of Old Glory, Texas; Carol Watts of Tulsa, Oklahoma; brothers Dan Worthington of McAllen, Texas, and Don Worthington of Elgin, Texas, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation for Faye will be held Thursday, May 3, from 6:00p.m.-8:00p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Hwy., Midland, Texas 79701. The funeral service will be at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, May 4, also at Ellis Funeral Home. Pastor Bob Miller will be officiating along with Pastor Dan Chapman of Brownwood, Texas.

Online condolences may be offered at *www.ellisfunerals.com*

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801 Andrews Hwy.
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Frank Nevin Cremer Jr.

Frank Nevin Cremer Jr., 56, of Midland, Texas passed away on Tuesday, May 1, 2018. The family will receive friends on Friday, May 4, 2018 from 6:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church Midland in the Welcome Center. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. at First Baptist Church in Midland.

Frank was born on August 2, 1961 to Fran and Frank Sr. in San Francisco, California.

Frank was raised all over the world from San Francisco, to Germany, to West Point due to his father's position in the United States Army. The Cremer family eventually settled in El Paso, Texas when Frank was a sophomore in high school. Frank graduated from Burgess High School and went on to attend Baylor University to study geology and law. Frank met the love of his life Kimberley while attending Baylor and they were married in 1984. Frank and Kim moved to Midland shortly after, started a family, and have lived there since 1985.

In addition to practicing law with his beloved partners and associates at Davis, Gerald & Cremer, in Midland, Frank was a loving father and husband. Frank loved being with his family.

He loved taking his children camping with the YMCA Indian Guides and Princesses, coaching little league sports, and attending orchestra and band concerts. Frank also loved his dogs and could often be seen sitting in the front yard in his red chairs watching the dogs run around entertaining the neighbors and their children. Frank loved attending any live sporting event or music event including MOSC. He also enjoyed cooking and all the things that made life rich, including his grandmother's lasagna.

Frank was also a devoted philanthropist. He was passionate about serving High Sky Children's Ranch which is an organization that helps abused and neglected children. In addition to his time spent with High Sky, Frank was a faithful member of First Baptist Church serving as a Deacon, Sunday School Director, and a member of the church orchestra.

Frank is survived by his mother, Fran, his sisters, Cathy Larson and Lori Anaya, his wife, Kim, his sons, Paul and Joey, his daughter, Abbye, his daughter-in-law, Isabella as well as four nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his father, Frank Sr.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials be donated to High Sky Children's Ranch.

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

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Raymond Lee Swafford

Raymond Lee Swafford, 64, of Abilene, Texas formerly of Midland, Texas passed away peacefully at home, surrounded by his loving family on April 30, 2018. There will be a Celebration of his life at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, May 3rd, at Myers & Smith Chapel in Big Spring with Chad Mitchell and Mark Umstot, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park.

He was born December 31, 1953 in Big Spring, Texas. He was a resident of Big Spring most of his life and was a member of Hillcrest Baptist Church. He later resided in Midland and recently relocated to Abilene. He was employed by Superod in Big Spring. Raymond lived life to the fullest. It was not uncommon to find him picking away at his guitar, singing his favorite songs and making jokes with his friends. He loved every second he spent with his family, but above all, Raymond loved his Savior.

He is survived by his loving wife, Kathy Swafford of Abilene; his son, Cash Rainer and his wife Whitney of Gunter; and three daughters, Mitzi Umstot and her husband Mark of Lubbock, Mindi Lambert and her husband John of Pflugerville and Tracy Barnett of San Angelo; his mother, Neoma J. Clanton of Big Spring; two brothers, Bill Swafford and his wife Jane of Coahoma and Larry Swafford and his wife Jennan of Big Spring.

He was loved tremendously by ten grandchildren, one great grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his late wife Janie Swafford, his daughter Cheyenne Rainer, his sister Ruth Graham and his father Vernon Swafford.

Following the ceremony, the family will receive visitors at the Big Spring Country Club at 2401 Driver Road.

The family would like to thank Dr. John Mathews and his staff, as well as the nurses at Medical City Dallas Cancer Unit, for their wonderful care.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to: The American Cancer Society, 2438 Industrial #143, Abilene, Texas 79605.

Pallbearers will be Bill Swafford, Larry Swafford, Don Hopson, Pete Robinson, Scott Emerson and Russ Rutledge.

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



Susan Chaney

Susan Chaney born Susan Lynell Brown, a resident of Midland, Texas died unexpectedly on April 28th, 2018 at the age of 58. Susan passed away peacefully while asleep.

Susan is survived by her spouse Raymond Ramirez of Midland, her mother Sunny Brown of Midland, her son John Paul Reyes of Midland, her daughter-in-law Amber Bowen of Arlington and her grandchildren: Issac Srubar, Brandon Scott, Kyrie Hamilton, Jubilation Hamilton and Raistlin Hamilton. Susan is also survived by her brother Mark Brown of Midland, her sister Cheryl Valenzuela of Midland, her brother-in-law Sam Valenzuela of Midland, her sister-in-law Linda Brown of Midland and her nieces and nephews: Nicholas Brown of Odessa, Marissa Hoelscher of Lubbock, Sam Valenzuela of Midland and Jacob Valenzuela of Midland, and many aunts and uncles.

Susan is predeceased by her father Glen Brown, her son Rodney Lee Hamilton, her brother Rickey Brown, her paternal grandparents Forrest and LaFloy Brown and her maternal grandparents Oz and Dolores Nies.

Susan was born on March 19th 1960, in Dumas Texas, to the late Glen Brown and Sunny Brown, currently residing in Midland, TX. Susan moved to Midland with her family in 1962 on her birthday. As a child Susan spent many of her summers visiting a farm owned by her paternal grandparents in the panhandle. On the farm, Susan developed a love of gardening and a deep appreciation for all types of animals. She fondly recalled riding her pet cow Sweet Mama and chasing after lizards. These traits served her well in life as she became a skilled gardener and had a very special relationship with her dog Cookie. Susan was also an accomplished artist, winning many competitions in her youth. She especially had a fondness for charcoal sketchings.

Susan attended Robert E. Lee High School. For many years, she worked as a service writer in the automotive industry. While married to Rudy Reyes II, she adopted John Paul into her generous heart. She became a devoted mother who took care of her family and always had time to listen.

In her 50's, Susan reconnected with her lost love, Raymond Ramirez. Susan spent the last of her years with Raymond and her dog Cookie. She loved to travel to Arlington to visit her beloved grandchildren and catch a Rangers game. Susan was a die-hard Texas Rangers fan and some of her favorite moments were spent at the Rangers Ball Park. Susan was a wild soul with an amazing heart. She will be deeply missed by her friends, family and all who knew her.

A funeral service is scheduled for 10:00a.m. on Friday May 4th at the Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home at 2508 Big Spring St. in Midland, TX. A viewing will be held the day before on Thursday May 3rd from 10:00a.m. - 9:00p.m. and a Rosary is scheduled for 7pm on Thursday night. All are welcome to attend the services.

Funeral service is under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: *pipkin@nts-online.net* or you can visit our website at *www.lewallengarciapipkinfh.com*

Lewallen Garcia Pipkin
Funeral Home
2508 N. Big Spring - Midland, TX (432) 682-3703



Tommy Dwain Sullivan

Tommy Dwain Sullivan was born October 13, 1959 to Caleb Joshua Sullivan and Gwendolyn Jean Bayless in Big Spring, Texas. He died Monday, April 30, 2018 at his home surrounded by his family. He is survived by his wife, Valarie Sullivan; his three children, Ginger Herrod and husband, Dustin, Joshua Sullivan and wife, Louann, and Shawna Privett all of Big Spring; five grandchildren, Austin Herrod, Sylas Privett, Esan Sullivan, Lorelei Herrod and Wyatt Sullivan; three sisters, Claudia Turner of Bangs, Lou Pardy and husband, Doug of Murray, Kentucky, and Gwen Ray and husband, Pat of Big Spring; two brothers, Robert Sullivan and wife Ila, of Cedar Hill, and William Sullivan of Big Spring.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and one brother, Caleb Joshua Sullivan, Jr.

Tommy attended and graduated from Big Spring High School in 1978. He held many jobs from oilfield electrician lineman, security guard at the V.A., security supervisor at the Fina Refinery, and as director for Howard County 911. He joined the Volunteer Fire Department in 1983 and worked his way up to Chief in 1993, where he remained for 25 years.

He has many accomplishments, but most notable was his role in extinguishing the Alon Refinery fire in 2008. He was known by family and friends as "Chief". Chief Tommy Sullivan was a leader of the community, giving his time to serve the citizens of Howard County. His beautiful heart and amazing strength through adversity poured into the Howard County community day in and day out. Everyone who met him found a hero in him in some way or the other; whether it was through the fire department or as a paramedic. He will be missed.

Memorial services will be 2:00 PM Saturday, May 5, 2018 at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum at Howard College.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to your local Volunteer Fire Department or to Pancreatic Cancer Research.

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

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Dean Soper

Dean Soper, 72, passed away on Monday, April 30, 2018. Funeral service will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, May 3, 2018 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Dean was born in East Alton, Illinois on September 6, 1945 to Ted and Minnie Soper. He came from a family of pilots. His father was a pilot in WWII, and he learned to fly before he learned to drive. Dean met Cinda Cunningham on a blind date to go flying. A week later he flew Cinda to a Ray Price concert in New Mexico. They eloped 3 months later on August 23, 1968.

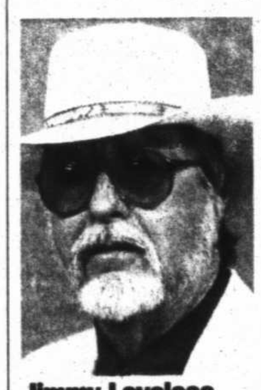
Dean was a professional pilot for more than 50 years. He first soloed at 17 and flew until he was 72. He loved to golf, fish, shoot and spend time with his family. He was an avid runner and biker. Dean rode 66 miles on his bicycle on his 66th Birthday. Family dinners were always a special time and no one could grill like Grandpa.

Dean is survived by his wife Cinda; his 2 sons Jeffery and Michael; his daughter Jackye and her husband John, and their 3 children Grace, Georgia and Quint; and his sister Carol Fillingim.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to MARC of Midland or a charity of your choice.

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Jimmy Loveless Slatton

Jimmy Loveless Slatton, 80 of Midland, Texas passed away on Monday, April 30, 2018.

The family will be accepting guests at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, May 3, 2018 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland with funeral services starting at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Jimmy was born on January 22, 1938 in Lamesa, Texas to Burett and Jewel Slatton. He married Martha Young on August 30, 1958.

Jimmy is survived by his wife, Martha Slatton; children, Blain Slatton, Lissa Horn, Tina Briley, and Justin Slatton; 9 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Jimmy is preceded in death by his parents, Burett and Jewel Slatton; brothers, Wayne Slatton and G.W. Slatton and sister, Ruth Murray.

The family would like to express their gratitude towards Hospice of Midland and all relatives and friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital or a charity of your choice.

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Death Notices

Karen Ruth Cox

Karen Ruth Cox, 64, of Lubbock, formerly of Garden City died Friday, April 27, 2018 in a Lubbock nursing home. Graveside inurnment services will be 1:00 PM, Saturday, May 5, 2018 at the Garden City Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM, Friday, May 4, 2018 at the funeral home.

She is survived by two sons, Jason Cox of Sterling City, and Michael Cox of New Braunfels; a daughter, Collene Cox of Muleshoe; and two grandchildren.

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

Manuela Saenz

Manuela Saenz, 70, of Midland, Texas passed away Tuesday, May 1, 2018. A prayer service will be held at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, May 3, 2018 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel in Midland. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Friday, May 4, 2018 at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Chapel. Interment will follow at Serenity Memorial Gardens.

Margarita G. Carrillo

Funeral Services for Margarita G. Carrillo of Stanton, are pending with Stanton Memorial Funeral Home.

All Obituaries must be submitted by 3:30 P.M. prior to next publication day.

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Runnin' with Rocky

Rocky the RockHound races a student around the bases Wednesday in between innings at Security Bank Ballpark during Kid's Day at the Midland RockHounds' game.

National Day of Prayer

National Day of Prayer calls on people of different faiths in the United States to pray for the nation and its leaders. It is held on the first Thursday of May each year.

Source: timeanddate.com

Things to do

■ Dinner and dancing with free bachata lessons by West Texas Salseros, 5-10 p.m., Cafe at the Gardens, 3300 N. Fairgrounds Road. alldredgegardens.com. Reservations required for dinner. Music by DJ Rey.

■ Pasta Night, 6 p.m., Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 1600 E. Wadley Ave. ranchlandhills.com.

■ Adult Sip and Paint: "Derby Girl," 6:30 p.m., Kidd's and Canvas Parties, 3300 N. Midkiff Road. kiddsart.com.

■ Bridge game play, 6:45 p.m., Allison Bridge Center, 913 W. Wadley Ave. $6. For more information call 682-8595.

■ Carnegie Send-off Concert with the UT Permian Basin choir is presented by the Rea Charitable Trust, 7 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 415 N. Lee St., Odessa. Free.

■ Diva Night is a girls' night out art class, 7-10 p.m., The Pottery, 3001 W. Loop 250 N. Outside beverages allowed. $15. potterymidland.com.

■ Bingo Nights, 7 p.m., American Legion, 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 682-5511.

■ Mariachi Los Camperos perform as part of the Phyllis and Bob Cowan Performing Arts Series, 7:30 p.m., Midland College, 3600 Garfield St. Free. midland.edu.

■ Reckless Kelly, 8 p.m., Rockin' Rodeo, 4400 N. Big Spring St. $15. rockinrodeomidland.com.

■ DJ Bryan. 9 p.m., Supernova Nightclub, 2215 N. Midland Drive.

Know a member of the military coming home?

Military families can call 352-0785 or email Vickie Gomez (zemogv@cableone.net) when they know their member of the military is flying into Midland International Airport so the Permian Basin Welcome Home Committee can be there to greet them. Honor those who served There are many organizations in operation right here in the Permian Basin that are at the task of serving all kinds of needs for present and former members of our military. Some of them are:

■ Show of Support (687-2167)

■ Honor Our Troops (889-0177), Reel Thanx (528-6633)

■ Centers for Children and Families (570-1084)

■ Midland College Veterans Affairs Office (685-4511)

■ Permian Basin Welcome Home Committee (366-3458)

■ Soldiers of Today and Yesterday (631-3429)

Recycling container locations

Large 30-cubic yard open top containers: Centennial Library 2503 W. Loop 250, (Behind IHOP), plastic and cardboard Super Mercado 2208 N. Big Spring St. (Behind Bush's Chicken), cardboard Midland College 3600 N. Garfield St. (Chaparral Center), plastic, aluminum and cardboard Security Bank Ballpark 5514 Champions Drive (southwest corner of the stadium), cardboard, paper, plastic and aluminum There are also 3-cubic yard containers at most of the local elementary schools where you can recycle cardboard and paper. All recyclables can be taken to Butts Recycling Monday through Saturday. Butts Recycling is located at 26 West Industrial Loop. For more information call Keep Midland Beautiful at 688-7745 or visit KMB's website at keepmidlandbeautiful.org.

Watering schedule The current outdoor watering schedule allows residents and businesses in the city of Midland to water twice per week. Even-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Saturdays and Wednesdays. Odd-numbered addresses may water outdoors on Fridays and Tuesdays. Any violation may result in a fine up to $500. The ban on washing outdoor surfaces is still in effect.

Today in History

Today is Thursday, May 3, the 123rd day of 2018. There are 242 days left in the year.

Today's highlight

On May 3, 1978, spam email was born, as Gary Thuerk, a marketing executive for the Digital Equipment Corp. of Maynard, Massachusetts, transmitted an unsolicited sales pitch for a new line of computers to 400 prospective customers on ARPANET, a precursor to the internet; the stunt generated some business, as well as complaints.

On this date

In 1937, Margaret Mitchell won the Pulitzer Prize for her novel, "Gone with the Wind."

In 1948, the Supreme Court, in Shelley v. Kraemer, ruled that covenants prohibiting the sale of real estate to blacks or members of other racial groups were legally unenforceable.

In 1999, about 70 tornadoes roared across Oklahoma and Kansas, killing 46 people and injuring hundreds.

Lottery

Pick 3 morning: 1-9-0
Pick 3 day: 9-5-0
Pick 3 evening: 6-1-7
Pick 3 night: 8-2-3
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Daily 4 night: 2-4-6-0
Cash Five: 03-05-13-15-31
Triple Chance: 02-06-12-14-24-33-42-43-46-50
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Powerball: 05-14-31-40-50, Powerball: 6, Power Play: 2
All or Nothing morning: 01-03-08-11-12-14-15-16-17-19-20-24
All or Nothing day: 02-03-05-07-09-11-12-13-19-21-22-23
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Weather

Wednesday's temperatures

High	96
Low	72
Normal high	84
Normal low	55

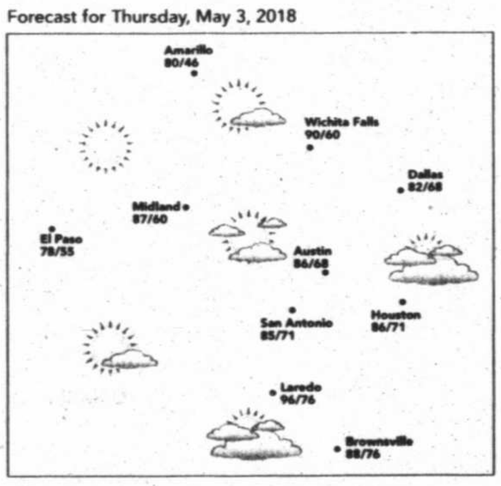
May 2 records
High: 98, set in 1996 and equaled in 2012
Low: 36, set in 1967

Precipitation

Tuesday	0.00 inches
Wednesday	0.16 of an inch
Month total	0.00 inches
Year total	0.32 of an inch
Normal total (year to date)	2.58 inches

Winds
Average wind speed: 21.4 mph
Highest sustained wind speed: 28 mph
Highest gust speed: 51 mph

Forecast for Thursday, May 3, 2018



Today's forecast
High: 83
Low: 58
Conditions: Mostly sunny during the day/partly cloudy at night
Winds: 10-20 mph
Chance of rain: 20 percent chance of showers at night
Sunrise: 7:01 a.m.
Sunset: 8:31 p.m.

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

Note: Bigar's Stars is based on the degree of your sun at birth. The sign name is simply a label astrologers put on a set of degrees for convenience. For best results, readers should refer to the dates following each sign.

A baby born today has a Sun in Taurus and a Moon in Sagittarius if born before 9:05 p.m. Afterward, the Moon will be in Capricorn.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Thursday, May 3, 2018: This year you open up to new adventures and seem more willing to relate directly to key loved ones. Sometimes it appears as if you have a shyness about you, but that trait is likely to dissipate over the course of the year. Make it OK to be practical and conservative in your approach. If you are single, you might meet someone of significance before next winter. Take your time getting to know this person. If you are attached, the two of you seem more heavily intertwined than in the recent past. Your relationship will benefit as a result. CAPRICORN likes your earthiness.

ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ You are full of excitement and energy. You might shock someone when you create some fun and unexpected moments. Do some needed research in order to clear up a problem. You tend to provide an unusual perspective, which others appreciate. Tonight: Think about taking a trip.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★ Others might have too great of an expectation that you can't seem to fill. They might be pushing you hard to achieve a certain goal that is nearly impossible. Be as clear as you can in a discussion. Feedback provides significant insight. **Tonight:** Have a one-on-one conversation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ Others can be provocative at times. How you handle a personal matter could change radically in a few weeks, when events allow you to gain a different perspective. Be more direct in your communication. **Tonight:** A friend surprises you with his or her choices and actions.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ Defer to others in your immediate environment. You will want to take some time to consider a personal dilemma. Get feedback from others, and be ready to make an important decision. **Tonight:** Nap, and then participate in a fun happening with a loved one.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ You might wonder what would be best to do under the present circumstances. You'll weigh the pros and cons of taking action. You might creatively brainstorm about a situation, but know that you can't make a solid decision until tomorrow. Tonight: Slow the hectic pace.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★ Pressure builds around a family member or a domestic situation. Listen to what a friend shares. Remain open to possibilities that you typically wouldn't consider. You are more willing to move in a new direction than you have been in the past. **Tonight:** Let the good times roll.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ You will experience a challenging moment or two throughout the day. Accept differences between you and others, and do not push too hard to achieve certain results. Time is your ally. Refuse to back out of an important get-together. **Tonight:** A cozy night with a loved one.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★★ Curb a need to be possessive. When you push someone as hard as you can, you sometimes get a negative response. Be willing to act on a financial matter. Others will come forward and share their thoughts and ideas with you. **Tonight:** Put on your dancing shoes.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★★ You perk up in the morning. You feel as if you can talk a friend into joining you in a project. This person enjoys some of your sassiness and drive, and knows when he or she has what you want. Exchange some fun stories. **Tonight:** Be a little more cautious than usual.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ You will feel a little off, as you could be drained from all the recent activity. You'll want to have a more social situation arise. Know that you don't need to push so hard to achieve certain results. Relax a little, and allow someone else to take the lead. **Tonight:** Head out the door.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ A friendship plays a significant role in a decision. You might not be sure as to what you want to do. You could feel unusually tired and withdrawn. Make a point of clearing out some must-do errands. Later, you will want some personal time. **Tonight:** Let it all hang out.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★★ Pressure builds. You might be weighing the pros and cons of a certain situation. Open up to news that allows more give-and-take. You might want to share more of your feelings. Do not neglect a boss's request, if you know what is good for you. **Tonight:** Out with your friends.

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Singer/songwriter James Brown (1933), actress Christina Hendricks (1975), actor Rob Brydon (1965)

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NRA

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founder and president of A Girl and Gun Women's Shooting League in Austin.

Gun-control groups have been spurred on by a younger generation impatient with inaction. Teenagers from Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in Florida began pushing for gun restrictions almost immediately after a former student killed 17 people at the school in February. The survivors have led a series of rallies and marches, most notably an event in Washington in March that was the anchor for a national day of protest.

The students have pressed to raise the legal age to purchase a rifle, curb access to AR-style firearms and adopt other gun restrictions. While there's been no movement at the federal level, several states have enacted tougher gun laws.

The NRA's top priorities — allowing gun owners with a state-issued concealed-carry permit to carry a handgun in any state and easing restrictions on the sales of suppressors — remain unfulfilled. But at the same time, the group has not lost any ground in Congress. Lawmakers have struggled to make even minor adjustments to background check systems.

Still, the leading manufacturer of bump stocks, which allow a semi-automatic long gun to mimic the firepower of a fully automatic weapon, is going out of business. Several states have enacted "red flag" laws that make it easier to confiscate firearms from someone considered to be a danger to themselves or others, including two historically gun-friendly states: Florida and Vermont.

Gun-control measures historically take years to become law. The Gun Control Act of 1968 was initially proposed after John F. Kennedy's assassination in 1963 but wasn't enacted until five years later, just months after Robert Kennedy and Martin Luther King Jr. were gunned down. The Brady Act, which created the national background check system and imposed a five-day waiting period, was enacted in 1993, more than a decade after White House press secretary Jim Brady was shot during an assassination attempt on then-President Ronald Reagan.

Gun-control advocates consider the midterm elections the first big test for their reinvigorated movement.

"I think you're going to see gun safety played out very prominently in many, many races, particularly in suburban swing districts," said John Feinblatt, president of Everytown for Gun Safety. "That will give you a very, very good sign of how much staying power and how much traction there is."

Officials: Teen planned shooting at Dallas mall

Associated Press

PLANO — A suburban Dallas teenager accused of planning a mass shooting at a mall inspired by the Islamic State terror group has been charged with terrorism.

The Collin County district attorney's office says 17-year-old Matin Azizi-Yarand of Plano had planned to release a "Message to America" explaining the attack.

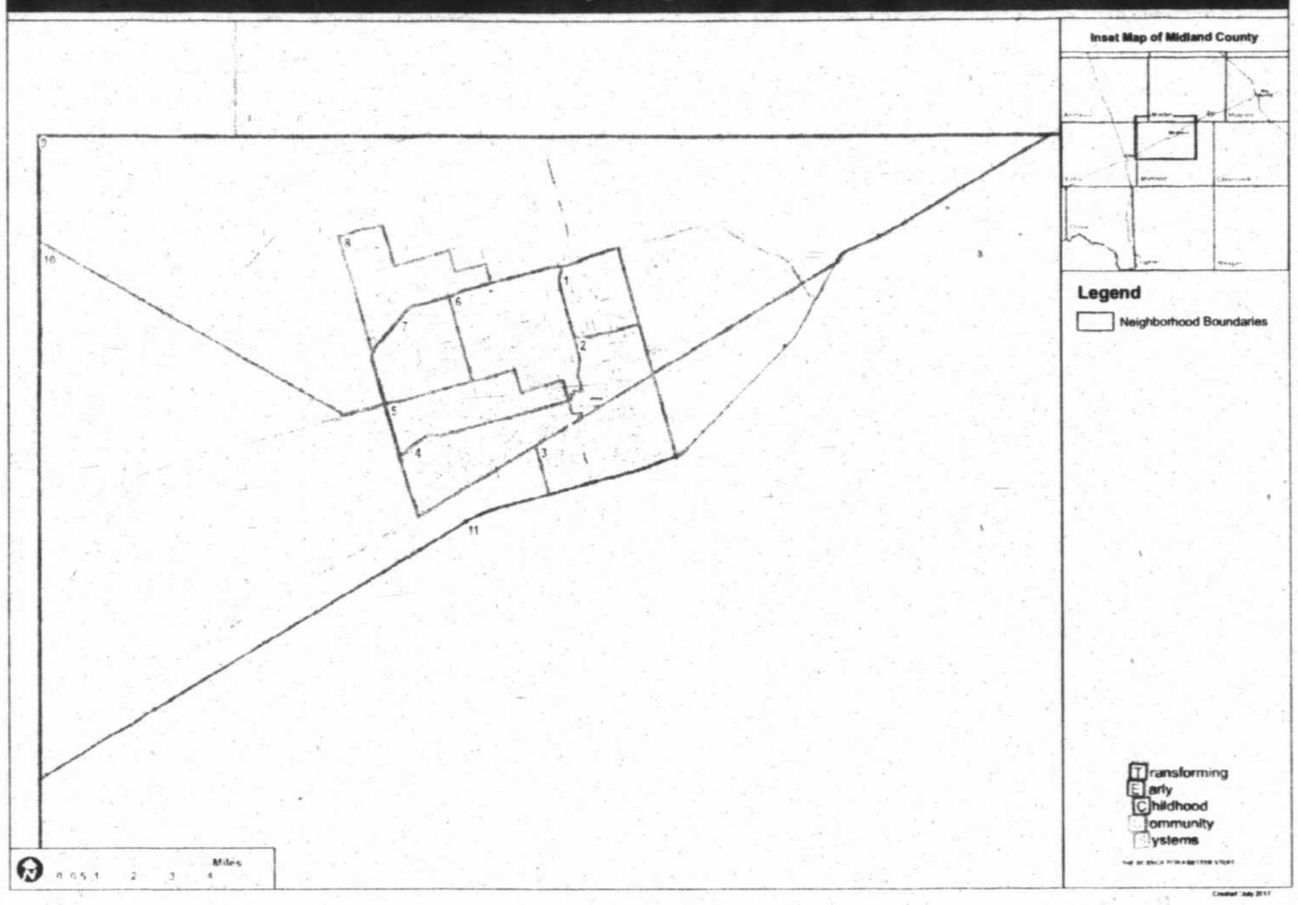
Authorities say he spent more than $1,400 buying weapons and tactical gear, and had been trying to recruit others to help him in the shooting planned for this month.

Authorities learned of the plan when Azizi-Yarand began corresponding with an FBI informant.

Azizi-Yarand is charged with criminal solicitation of capital murder and making a terroristic threat.

He's being held at the Collin County jail on a $3 million bond. Online jail records don't indicate that he has an attorney.

Midland County: Neighborhoods, 2017



Courtesy graphic

This graphic shows the so-called neighborhoods in Midland that were part of a study about kindergarten readiness for Midland ISD students.

Report

From 1A

for campuses and help align teaching strategies and best practices.

The study breaks down information by 11 "neighborhoods" or parts of the city. The study's data show that 47 percent of students were as not ready across all five developmental areas. Nearly half or more than half of students surveyed in seven of 11 neighborhoods "are not ready in some key areas," according to the study, which also shows that at least 25 percent of students in six of 11 neighborhoods were not ready in all five key areas.

There are tools available to support a child's "first teachers." These tools include the digital app "Bright by Text," which is being sponsored by the United Way of Midland. Bright by Text offers age-appropriate tips and resources to parents and caregivers via their cellphone. To sign up, parents and caregivers with children under 5 can text the word "family" or "familia" to 274448. Additionally, CLI Engage offers free online resources, including access to online professional development courses, child assessment tools and lessons, via cliengage.org.

To learn more about the Midland County EDI report and the work of the ECAN, contact Educate Midland at 432-818-2620 or www.educatemidland.org.

Report results at a glance

Neighborhoods

Neighborhood 1
Boundaries: Loop 250 (north), Fairgrounds (east), Scharbauer Drive (south), Big Spring Street /SH 349 (west)
Children surveyed: 70
Ready: 57 percent
Somewhat ready: 27 percent
Not ready: 16 percent
Note: Nearly half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 2
Boundaries: Scharbauer Drive (north), Fairgrounds Road (east), Business 20 (south), Big Spring Street (west)
Children surveyed: 107
Ready: 47 percent
Somewhat ready: 23 percent
Not ready: 30 percent
Note: More than half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 3
Boundaries: Business 20 (north), Fairgrounds Road (east), Interstate 20 (south), Cotton Flat Road (west)
Children surveyed: 155
Ready: 43 percent
Somewhat ready: 27 percent
Not ready: 30 percent
Note: More than half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 4
Boundaries: Illinois Avenue (north), "A" Street and SH 349 (east), Business 20 (south), Loop 250 (west)
Children surveyed: 240
Ready: 43 percent
Somewhat ready: 24 percent
Not ready: 33 percent
Note: More than half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 5
Boundaries: Andrews Highway/Golf Course Road (north), "A" Street (east), Illinois Avenue (south), Loop 250 (west)
Children surveyed: 145
Ready: 48 percent
Somewhat ready: 26 percent
Not Ready: 26 percent
Note: About half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 6
Boundaries: Loop 250 (north), Big Spring Street (east), Golf Course/Garfield/Cuthbert/"A" Street (south), Midkiff Road (west)
Children surveyed: 187
Ready: 50 percent
Somewhat ready: 24 percent
Not ready: 26 percent
Note: Half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Neighborhood 7
Boundaries: Loop 250 (north), Midkiff Road (east), Andrews Highway (south), Loop 250 (west)
Children surveyed: 199
Ready: 63 percent
Somewhat ready: 20 percent
Not ready: 17 percent
Note: More than the community average of these students were ready.

Neighborhood 8
Boundaries: Green Tree/Mockingbird Lane (north), Midland Drive/Garfield Street (east), Loop 250 (south), Holiday Hill Road (west)
Children surveyed: 140
Ready: 61 percent
Somewhat ready: 18 percent
Not ready: 21 percent
Note: More than the community average of these students were ready.

Neighborhood 9
Boundaries: Edge of county (north, east and west), SH 158/191 (south)
Children surveyed: 227
Ready: 62 percent
Somewhat ready: 25 percent
Not ready: 13 percent
Note: Notes: More than the community average of these students were ready.

Neighborhood 10
Boundaries: SH 158, I-20, Industrial, Cotton Flat Road, Loop 250, Ector/Midland county line
Children surveyed: 157
Ready: 59 percent
Somewhat ready: 18 percent
Not ready: 23 percent
Note: More than the community average of these students were ready.

Neighborhood 11
Boundaries: South of I-20, Ector/Midland county line, south of Fairgrounds, Business 20 east
Children surveyed: 228
Ready: 53 percent
Somewhat ready: 19 percent
Not ready: 28 percent
Note: About half of those surveyed are not ready in some key areas.

Community information

Children: 1,873 surveyed
Children who are English language learners (ELL): 15 percent
Children who have individualized education program (IEP) for children with disabilities: 6 percent
Race: African-American, black, 6 percent; Asian, native Hawaiian or Pacific islander, 3 percent; Hispanic/Latino, 62 percent; white, 27 percent; other, 2 percent.

EDI results

(By developmental area in Midland County)

Physical health and well-being
on track: 79 percent
at risk: 12 percent
vulnerable: 9 percent
Social competence
on track: 75 percent
at risk: 13 percent
vulnerable: 12 percent
Emotional maturity
on track: 74 percent
at risk: 14 percent
vulnerable: 12 percent
Language and cognitive development
on track: 77 percent
at risk: 15 percent
vulnerable: 8 percent
Communication skills and general knowledge
on track: 79 percent
at risk: 17 percent
vulnerable: 7 percent
Distribution across all developmental domains
on track: 53 percent
at risk: 23 percent
vulnerable: 24 percent

Source: Educate Midland

NEWSBRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

HOUSTON

Spokesman: Doctors pleased with George H.W. Bush's progress

A family spokesman says former President George H.W. Bush will remain hospitalized at least another day, but that doctors "are very pleased with his progress."

Bush was admitted April 22 to Houston Methodist Hospital, the day after his wife's funeral. He's being treated for an infection that spread to his blood.

Family spokesman Jim McGrath said Wednesday that the 93-year-old Bush "continues to regain strength."

McGrath has said Bush hopes to travel next month to his family's home in Maine, where he spends the summers.

Bush has a form of Parkinson's disease and a history of pneumonia and other infections.

He was hospitalized after attending the funeral and burial of his 92-year-old wife, Barbara, who died April 17 at their Houston home.

OKLAHOMA

Rig blast victims died of burns, smoke inhalation

TULSA — Autopsies show five men killed in a natural gas rig explosion in southeastern Oklahoma died of burns and smoke inhalation.

The state medical examiner's office report released Tuesday classifies each death in the Jan. 22 blast as an accident.

The blast occurred in Pittsburg County near Quinton, about 100 miles southeast of Tulsa. It killed: Matt Smith of McAlester; Parker Waldridge of Crescent; Roger Cunningham from Seminole; Josh Ray of Fort Worth; and Cody Risk of Wellington, Colorado.

Survivors and estates of the five men have filed wrongful death lawsuits.

An initial state regulator incident report indicates that the blast happened when an uncontrolled release of gas caught fire. A worker at the scene tried unsuccessfully to shut down the well.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Air Force: New bombers could be headed to Abilene base

PIERRE — The U.S. Air Force says bases in Missouri, South Dakota and Texas will receive the next-generation B-21 bomber to replace existing aircraft starting in the mid-2020s.

The Air Force said Wednesday that Dyess Air Force Base in Texas, Ellsworth Air Force Base in South Dakota and Whiteman Air Force Base in Missouri have been chosen as "reasonable alternatives" to host the new B-21 bomber.

Officials are expected to make a final basing decision in 2019 after compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act and other regulations. The B-21 is to replace B-1 and B-2 aircraft.

Air Force Secretary Heather Wilson says current bomber bases are best suited for the B-21.

South Dakota U.S. Sen. Mike Rounds says Ellsworth is a candidate to be the first base to get the next-generation bomber.

MASSACHUSETTS

Fingerprint left in Play-Doh leads to shoplifting suspect

LEICESTER — A Massachusetts police department says a fingerprint left in a hunk of Play-Doh led them to a shoplifting suspect.

Leicester police responded to Walmart on Dec. 11 after an employee found several electronic anti-theft devices that had been covered in the malleable clay-like toy in an apparent attempt to neutralize them.

The attempt to disable the spider-wrap devices failed, and the suspect had fled.

He did, however, leave a fingerprint impression in the Play-Doh.

Police announced Monday the Connecticut Forensics Laboratory helped find a match for the print.

Police charged 55-year-old Dennis Jackson with unlawful removal of an anti-theft device. Police say he has a long criminal record and faces arrest warrants in at least two other states.

As girls arrive, Boy Scouts change name of flagship program

By David Crary
Associated Press

NEW YORK — For 108 years, the Boy Scouts of America's flagship program has been known simply as the Boy Scouts. With girls soon entering the ranks, the group says that iconic name will change.

The organization on Wednesday announced a new name for its Boy Scouts program: Scouts BSA. The change will take effect in February.

Chief Scout Executive Mike Surbaugh said many possibilities were considered during lengthy and "incredibly fun" deliberations before the new name was chosen.

"We wanted to land on something that evokes the past but also conveys the inclusive nature of the program going forward," he said. "We're trying to find the right way to say we're here for both young men and young women."

The parent organization will remain the Boy Scouts of America, and the Cub Scouts — its program serving children from kindergarten through fifth grade — will keep its title, as well.

But the Boy Scouts — the program for 11- to 17-year-olds — will now be Scouts BSA.

The organization already has started admitting girls into the Cub Scouts, and Scouts BSA begins accepting girls next year.

Surbaugh predicted that both boys and girls in Scouts BSA would refer to themselves simply as scouts, rather than adding "boy" or "girl."

The program for the older boys and girls will largely be divided along gender-lines, with single-sex units pursuing the same types of activities, earning the same array of merit badges and potentially having the same pathway to the coveted Eagle Scout award.

Surbaugh said having separate units for boys and girls should alleviate concerns that girls joining the BSA for the first time might be at a disadvantage in seeking leadership opportunities.

So far, more than 3,000 girls have joined about 170 Cub Scout packs participating in the first phase of the new policy, and the pace will intensify this summer under a nationwide multimedia recruitment campaign titled "Scout Me In."



AP file photo

Tatum Weir, center, carries a tool box she built as her twin brother, Ian, left, follows after a Cub Scout meeting in Madbury, N.H., on March 1. For 108 years, the Boy Scouts of America's flagship program for older boys has been known simply as the Boy Scouts. With girls soon entering the ranks, the BSA says that iconic name will change to "Scouts BSA." The change will take effect in February 2019.

On social media, there was widespread criticism of the name change, generally suggesting it's a misguided display of political correctness that undercuts the Boy Scouts' legacy. But many other people dismissed such criticism as an overreaction.

"Get over it," Kevin Aldrich, a member-at-large with a Boy Scout council in central Indiana, told The Indianapolis Star. "There is every reason to be co-ed. The Future Farmers of America is co-ed. 4-H is co-ed. Band in school is co-ed."

Dr. Eugene Gu, a physician at Vanderbilt University Medical Center and CEO of a biotech company, said on Twitter that the outrage is misplaced. He views the name change as a business decision.

"With declining membership, they need the girls or it would be called Bankrupt Scouts," Gu tweeted.

The name change comes amid strained relations between the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts of America.

Girl Scout leaders said they were blindsided by the move, and they are gearing up an aggressive campaign to recruit and retain girls as members.

Among the initiatives is creation of numerous new badges that girls can earn, focusing on outdoor activities and on science, engineering, technology and math. The organization is expanding corporate partnerships in both those areas. and developing a Girl Scout Network Page on LinkedIn to support career advancement for former Girl Scouts.

"Girl Scouts is the premier leadership development organization for girls," said Sylvia Acevedo, the Girl Scouts' CEO. "We are, and will remain, the first choice for girls and parents who want to provide their girls opportunities to build new skills ... and grow into happy, successful, civically engaged adults."

The Girl Scouts and the BSA are among several major youth organizations in the U.S. experiencing sharp drops in membership in recent years. Reasons include competition from sports leagues, a perception by some families that they are old-fashioned and busy family schedules.

The Boy Scouts say current youth participation is about 2.3 million, down from 2.6 million in 2013 and more than 4 million in peak years of the past.

The Girl Scouts say they have about 1.76 million girls and more than 780,000 adult members, down from more than 2 million youth members and about 800,000 adult members in 2014.

The overall impact of the BSA's policy change on Girl Scouts membership won't be known any time soon. But one regional leader, Fiona Cummings of Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois, believes the BSA's decision to admit girls is among the factors that have shrunk her council's youth membership by more than 500 girls so far this year.

She said relations with the Boy Scouts in her region used to be collaborative and now are "very chilly."

"How do you manage these strategic tensions?" she asked. "We both need to increase our membership numbers."

Surbaugh said BSA's national leadership respected the Girl Scouts' program and hoped both organizations could gain strength.

"If the best fit for your girl is the Girl Scouts, that's fantastic," he said. "If it's not them, it might be us."

Judge dismisses lawsuit against scoutmaster

HARTFORD, Conn. — A Connecticut judge has dismissed a lawsuit against the Boy Scouts of America by 17 men and two women who say a scoutmaster sexually abused them when they were children in the 1960s and 1970s, ruling a 30-year statute of limitations prohibited the lawsuit.

The lawsuit filed in 2015 against the national Boy Scouts organization and two local affiliates alleged scouting leaders knew or should have known that Ridgefield Scoutmaster Donald Dennis was a danger to children and did not protect them. Dennis died in 2013. Scouting officials said they only learned of the allegations against Dennis a month before the lawsuit was filed.

Judge Charles Lee in Stamford ruled April 20 in favor of the Boy Scouts, whose lawyers argued the lawsuit was barred by a state statute of limitations that requires child sexual abuse lawsuits to be filed within 30 years of a plaintiff turning 18. The plaintiffs were all in their 50s and 60s when they sued.

The plaintiffs said they couldn't file the lawsuit within the 30 years because scouting officials fraudulently concealed their knowledge and the facts about the abuse by Dennis. There is a fraud exception to the statute of limitations, but the judge ruled the plaintiffs did not prove any such fraud.

Lawyers for the plaintiffs, who are known only as either John Doe or Jane Doe in the lawsuit, did not immediately return messages seeking comment Wednesday.

One of their lawyers, Brooke Goff, has said the abuse included anal and oral sex, and many of the plaintiffs continue to suffer psychological trauma. Some of the plaintiffs say they were assaulted more than 1,000 times.

When the lawsuit was filed, Goff said it appeared to be the largest lawsuit filed in the country — in terms of the number of plaintiffs — against the Boy Scouts alleging sexual abuse against a Scout leader.

The Boy Scouts of America, based in Irving, Texas, thanked the judge in a statement released Wednesday.

"The behavior included in these allegations is abhorrent and runs counter to everything for which the Boy Scouts of America stands. Nothing is more important than the safety of our youth members," the statement said. "The BSA deeply regrets that there have been times when individuals abused Scouts and we offer our sincerest condolences to victims and their families."

The Boy Scouts have taken numerous steps to prevent child abuse in the 40 years since the alleged acts in the Connecticut lawsuit occurred, including background checks on scouting leaders and requiring two adult leaders to be present at all times during programs, the statement said.

Lee's ruling said Dennis' name was not in the Boy Scouts' so-called "perversion files," internal records on adult volunteers suspected of molestation that have been made public in similar lawsuits.

The plaintiffs allege the name of Dennis' assistant scoutmaster is in the files in connection with morals charges, so Boy Scouts leaders knew of the abuse by Dennis.

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Wolf, West criticism illustrates coalition instinct

■ This is another example of the hypocrisy and opportunism that currently saturates American politics



JONAH GOLDBERG
Tribune News Service

Last year, John Tooby, a founder of evolutionary psychology, was asked by the website Edge.org what scientific concept should be more widely known. He argued for something called the "coalition instinct."

In our natural environment, humans form coalitions. Coalitions are slightly different from tribes, families or nations in that those are all groups we are involuntarily born into. Coalitions are the teams we join.

"Coalitions," Tooby explained, "are sets of individuals interpreted by their members and/or by others as sharing a common abstract identity." The coalition instinct is a bundle of "programs" that "enable us and induce us to form, maintain, join, support, recognize, defend, defect from, factionalize, exploit, resist, subordinate, distrust, dislike, oppose and attack coalitions." Most animals don't have this instinct, and none have it as finely honed as humans do.

Because coalitions are formed to protect the interests of their members, we have a remarkable ability to forgive behavior when it is done by our teammates and condemn similar behavior when it is done by members of a rival coalition. "This," Tooby said, "is why group beliefs are free to be so weird."

And that brings me to last week. Kanye West, a legendarily skilled self-promoter, had some kind words for Candace Owens, a young African-American conservative activist. "I love the way Candace Owens thinks," the rap mogul tweeted. He then doubled down and praised President Trump.

Many liberals reacted with unbridled moral horror and a seething sense of betrayal. Meanwhile, many avowed conservatives — particularly those who are most ostentatiously in the Trump coalition, and who had spent years ridiculing West — suddenly embraced him as a free-thinking hero.

On one level, this is just another example of the hypocrisy and opportunism that saturates so much of our politics today. But hypocrisy can be an underappreciated sin, because it illuminates a principle: Without a standard to violate, there's no hypocrisy.

The challenge of the coalition instinct is that it blinds us to the violations of our own team while exaggerating the violations of rival coalitions. As George W. Bush once put it, "Too often, we judge other groups by their worst examples while judging ourselves by our best intentions."

Over the weekend, Trump held a rally at the same time as the White House Correspondents' Association Dinner. CNN ran a graphic from the latter event's red carpet: "Trump Skips Event Honoring First Amendment to Rally His Base."

Now, it's true that the annual dinner is supposed to honor the First Amendment. But come on. The event has long been a riot of narcissistic self-adulation and Hollywood envy, which explains the red carpet in the first place.

Days later, the air is still thick with conservative denunciations of Michelle Wolf's caustic routine — and with liberal defenses of it.

Conservatives insist, rightly, that Wolf was crude and nasty toward White House press secretary Sarah Huckabee Sanders. Wolf's liberal defenders, who'd never accept the comedian's vitriol if it were aimed at one of their own, ludicrously celebrate her courage for speaking truth to power.

Liberals have a better argument when they note that Sanders and her conservative defenders have been, at best, blind to Trump's even cruder personal attacks on women and others. When Trump says indefensible things, those in his coalition leap to his immediate defense and say, in effect, "Lighten up, don't be so sensitive."

Indeed, Sanders' father, former Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee, is understandably angered by the attacks on his daughter. But he is also apparently oblivious to the fact that he routinely denounces "snowflakes" who can't take a joke (or what he passes off as jokes).

Of course, last week was just the latest chapter in an ancient story. Humans have always come preloaded with the coalition instinct.

What feels different these days is that, more and more, one hears people jettisoning universal norms — free speech, constitutional fidelity, rhetorical decency — in favor of relativistic ones that simply suit the needs of one coalitional identity group or another. Some on the left now denounce free speech solely because it is a threat to their power. Many Trump supporters wave off his rhetorical grotesqueries because "he fights!"

Rather than simple blindness to our hypocritical violations of standards, we're declaring war on the standards themselves. If this trend continues, we may get less hypocrisy and more open war between coalitions.

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OUR VIEW

Divisive media makes National Day of Prayer needed more than ever

Today is National Day of Prayer.

The website nationaldayofprayer.org describes the annual observance held on the first Thursday of May as "inviting people of all faiths to pray for the nation."

We can't think of a better thing for our country at this point. We know there is a political sideshow conducted through the media that is turning people against one other. We know there are opinion leaders with personal agendas who have no interest in making our community, state and nation stronger. We read, hear and watch them spew their hate on a daily basis in an effort to garner page views, ratings, viewers and the almighty dollar.

We also know our nation is stronger than the decisiveness that currently hinders its path forward. We know the hatred for a united America can't overcome what the Founding Fathers established. We also trust there are real leaders in our communities, at the state level and in Washington who will fight and help carry on the tradition that our nation will survive attacks from outside and from within. We are also confident the goal of those elected officials — who put their constituents ahead of themselves — will result in a community, state and nation better off than how they found it.

The National Day of Prayer, according to nationaldayofprayer.org, is important because it enables Americans to recall and to teach the way in which the Founders sought the wisdom of God when faced with critical decisions. We celebrate that tradition, and we hope that today — no matter your faith — you ask for that guidance for our representatives.

Prayer is a powerful thing. When thousands of people come together in prayer, the impact can be much greater than the ill-will being spread through the media, which often seeks to divide and conquer.

Today, we urge our readers to take part in a National Day of Prayer event. If that's not possible, take a few minutes to offer a prayer for those who will lead us into the future. Then remember those things that you desire for a stronger community, state and nation. Communicate with those politicians, let them know they are in your prayers and relay those things you want to see take place.

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Don't give away the Nobel quite yet

■ Trump should conceive of his meeting with Kim as a continuation of his campaign of coercive diplomacy



RICH LOWRY
King Features Syndicate

Who would have guessed that a Trump crowd 15 months into his presidency would be chanting, "Nobel! Nobel! Nobel!"

As in Alfred Nobel, the Swedish inventor and philanthropist who created the eponymous prizes, including one for peace. The prize was on the minds of Trump fans thanks to developments on the Korean peninsula, where Kim Jong Un has stopped testing missiles and started love-bombing the South.

Donald Trump has a typically modulated view of how much he had to do with this. "Everything," he told his Michigan rally. If that's too boastful, the president deserves credit for breaking with Barack Obama's policy of "strategic patience" that effectively meant accepting North Korea's march toward a nuclear-tipped ICBM.

Trump tightened up on a sanctions regime that had considerable slack (it still does). And he undertook a Trumpian pressure campaign consisting of insults, fiery rhetoric, extreme ambiguity about his true intentions and braggadocio about the size of his nuclear button. If many in the United States were freaked out, it stands to reason that Kim, at the receiving end of the bullying and potentially of something much worse, took notice.

This is all to the good, but the problem is that nothing we have seen so far from Kim is inconsistent with the decadeslong North Korean diplomatic pattern of selling us the same fake concessions in exchange for sanctions relief and economic benefits.

Inspiring talk with the South Koreans about a breakthrough to a new era of peace? To paraphrase Barack Obama's famous put-down of Mitt Romney, 1992, 2000 and 2007 all want their foreign policies back. High-flying joint declarations in each of those years proved meaningless.

Mothballing nuclear facilities as a sign of good faith? Kim is inviting the press to witness the shuttering of a tunnel complex used to test nuclear weapons. His father destroyed a cooling tower in front of the international media in 2008.

Promises to the U.S. to disarm? Pyongyang said it was ending its illicit plutonium program in the 1994 Agreed Framework. It said it was giving up "all nuclear weapons and existing nuclear programs" in 2005 as part of the so-called Six-Party Talks. It said in 2007 that it was agreeing to specific steps to follow through on its 2005 commitment. All came to naught.

This is why the ultimate test of Trump's mettle isn't getting Kim to the negotiating table, but being willing to walk away from it.

The temptation will be very strong to go down the path we've trod so many times before. Negotiations develop a momentum of their own, especially ones this public and high-stakes. Any deal, even an inadequate one, would hold out the alluring possibility of changing the political dynamic in the run-up to the midterms. And hold out the possibility of Trump getting, if not a Nobel Peace Prize, the kind approval from elites that he simultaneously disdains and craves.

So far, Trump is saying the right things, both about turning aside an ill-considered deal and keeping up "maximum pressure" on the North.

He'd do well to familiarize himself with Ronald Reagan's high-wire summit with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev at Reykjavik in 1986. They audaciously discussed eliminating all nuclear weapons, before the Soviets demanded an end to the SDI missile-defense program. Reagan walked away. The summit was considered a failure, but Reagan had convinced the Soviets that we weren't going to give up our technological advantage over them.

Trump should conceive of his meeting with Kim as a continuation of his campaign of coercive diplomacy. Should it (in all likelihood) fail to elicit a credible decision by the North to give up its nukes, it should be the pivot toward an even harsher clampdown on the North.

None of the great and good are going to shower Trump with accolades for being cleareyed and tough-minded, but that's what his negotiations with Kim require. The Nobel can wait.

From the Left | Doonesbury



From the Right | Mallard Fillmore



POLITICS BRIEFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

WASHINGTON

Trump asks judge to dismiss DC hotel 'emoluments' suit

President Donald Trump is asking a federal judge in Maryland to dismiss a lawsuit that argues that Trump's acceptance of payments from foreign and state governments at his Washington hotel violates the Constitution.

A private lawyer for the president wrote in court papers this week that the suit should be tossed because the president cannot be sued in the matter either as an individual or in his official capacity.

At issue is the Constitution's "emoluments" clause, which prohibits a president and other government employees from accepting gifts and payments from foreign or state governments without congressional approval. In this case, the payments come from foreign governments that have patronized the Trump International Hotel near the White House since his inauguration in January 2017.

Maryland and the District of Columbia originally sued Trump only as president but later accused him as a private citizen after U.S. District Judge Peter Messitte raised that legal issue at a hearing in January. Messitte noted at the time that the original suit was "not challenging a presidential function. They're challenging the president as an individual."

WASHINGTON

White House meets with VA candidates after Jackson withdraws

The White House is considering a number of candidates to lead the Department of Veterans Affairs after White House physician Ronny Jackson withdrew his nomination for the post.

White House officials said the president intends to take some time finding the right person to lead the sprawling federal agency with 360,000 employees serving 9 million veterans. It's a marked contrast from how President Donald Trump picked Jackson for the post in March after firing former Obama administration official David Shulkin following an ethics scandal and mounting rebellion within the agency.

White House aides were meeting Wednesday with former Florida Rep. Jeff Miller, a Republican congressman who once led the House Veterans' Affairs Committee. White House staffers planned to meet Thursday with Ron Nichol, a senior adviser to The Boston Consulting Group, who helped oversee the president's transition.

White House officials are also considering acting VA Secretary Robert Wilkie for a permanent role. Wilkie, a former Pentagon undersecretary for personnel and readiness, is well-regarded within the administration, including among White House chief of staff John Kelly and Defense Secretary Jim Mattis.

WASHINGTON

Republican House members seek Nobel Peace Prize for Trump

A group of House Republicans is seeking the Nobel Peace Prize for President Donald Trump because of his work to ease nuclear tensions with North Korea.

Trump and North Korean leader Kim Jong Un are working out the details of a historic summit that could take place by the end of May or early June. Yet an agreement by which the North would give up its nuclear weapons and allow for the world to confirm it still seems far off.

Recent comments from the leaders of the two Koreas have raised hopes. Rep. Luke Messer, R-Ind., made the suggestion in a letter Wednesday sent to members of the Norwegian Nobel Committee. It was signed by 18 Republicans.

Trump hires Clinton's impeachment lawyer

By Chad Day and Eric Tucker
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump on Wednesday hired a veteran attorney who represented Bill Clinton during his impeachment process as the White House shifted to a more aggressive approach to the Russia investigation that has reached a critical stage.

The White House announced the hiring of lawyer Emmet Flood after disclosing the retirement of Ty Cobb, who for months has been the administration's point person dealing with special counsel Robert Mueller.

It's the latest shake-up for a legal team grappling with unresolved questions on how to protect the president from legal and political jeopardy in Mueller's Russia probe, which is nearing its one-year anniversary.

White House spokesman Sarah Huckabee Sanders said Cobb had been discussing the decision for weeks and would retire at the end of May, and that Flood would be joining the White House staff to "represent the president and the administration against the Russia witch hunt."

The replacement of Cobb with Flood may herald a more adversarial stance toward the Mueller team as Trump's lawyers debate whether to make the president available for an interview with the special counsel and brace for the prospect of a grand jury subpoena if they refuse.

Though Cobb did not personally represent the president, he functioned as a critical point person for Mueller's document and interview requests, coordinated dealings with prosecutors and worked closely with Trump's personal lawyers. He had repeatedly urged cooperation with the investigation in hopes of bringing it to a quick end and viewed his role as largely finished now that interviews with dozens of current and former White House official have been completed.

Yet Flood, who was embroiled in the bitterly partisan Clinton impeachment fight 20 years ago, may well advocate a more confrontational approach. His law firm, Williams & Connolly, is one of Washington's most prominent, with a reputation for aggressive advocacy for its clients and a history of tangling with the government — but also representing senior White House officials, including presidents.

Flood, a former law clerk to the late Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia, has defended former Vice President Dick Cheney in a lawsuit brought by former CIA official Valerie Plame and represented George W. Bush in executive-privilege disputes with Congress — suggesting he is well-versed in the powers of the presidency and may invoke those authorities as the Mueller investigation moves forward.

Flood was always the top choice of White House counsel Don McGahn for the job Cobb was given last summer, according to a person familiar with the hiring decision who described Flood as a "fighter." The person spoke on condition of anonymity to discuss private conversations.

Cobb and McGahn had different views on how cooperative the White House should be with the special counsel investigation.

Cobb's retirement, though not a surprise, was nonetheless the latest evolution for a legal team marked by turnover.

Trump's lead personal lawyer, John Dowd, left in March. Another attorney who Trump tried to bring on ultimately passed because of conflicts, and the president two weeks ago added former New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani and a pair of former prosecutors, Martin and Jane Raskin, to work alongside mainstay lawyer Jay Sekulow.

Critical decisions lie ahead. The president's legal team has not committed him to an interview with Mueller, who has dozens of questions on a broad array of topics he'd like to ask. Trump initially said he was eager for an interview, but he hasn't said so recently. His view of Mueller soured further after raids last month that targeted one of his personal lawyers, Michael Cohen, in a separate investigation.

Those interview negotiations are hugely consequential, especially after Dowd confirmed to The Associated Press this week that Mueller's team in March raised the prospect of issuing a grand jury subpoena for Trump, an extraordinary idea that would seek to force a sitting president to testify under oath.

It was not immediately clear in what context the possibility of a subpoena was raised or how serious Mueller's prosecutors were about such a move. Mueller is probing not only Russian election interference and possible coordination with Trump associates but possible obstruction of justice by Trump after he took office.

If Mueller's team decides to subpoena Trump as part of the investigation, the president could still fight it in court or refuse to answer questions by invoking his Fifth Amendment protection from self-incrimination.

Trump lashed out against the investigation in familiar fashion Wednesday, saying on Twitter: "There was no Collusion (it is a Hoax) and there is no Obstruction of Justice (that is a setup & trap)."

Trump presents award to educator of refugees

By Darlene Superville and Jill Colvin
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump on Wednesday presented the National Teacher of the Year award to a Washington state educator who leads a classroom for teenage refugees.

But Trump did not mention the kinds of students Mandy Manning teaches during a White House ceremony held to honor her and other winners. Manning teaches English to new refugee and immigrant students at the Newcomer Center at Joel E. Ferris High School in Spokane.

"Teachers like Mandy play a vital role in the well-being of our children, the strength of our communities and the success of our nation," Trump said. "The job of a teacher is not only to instruct the next generation of workers but the next generations of citizens to teach our children to care for others, to think for themselves, to love their country, to be proud of our history and to be true pillars of their families and their communities."

The word "citizens" was written in all-caps in the president's prepared remarks while the other words were lowercased. The remarks were projected on three teleprompters in the room for him to read.

Trump has taken a hardline approach to both legal and illegal immigration and for a period suspended the U.S. refugee program. During his Republican campaign for president, he compared refugees fleeing war-torn Syria to a Trojan horse carrying would-be terrorists, and he proposed banning Muslims from entering the country.

The National Teacher of the Year Program began in 1952 and describes itself as the "oldest, most prestigious national honors program that focuses public attention on excellence in teaching."

Every president since Harry Truman has honored its winners in a White House ceremony.

At the Newcomer Center where Manning teaches, students spend five hours a day working to set up a base of academic knowledge so that the teens can ultimately join their peers in general education classes. Manning also helps them adjust to American culture — from navigating the cafeteria and reading body language to understanding classroom etiquette, like taking turns when speaking.

Manning's students come from all over the world, many escaping chaotic, conflict-torn homelands across the Middle East, Africa, Asia and the Americas.

But while she had a record 33 students in the fall of 2016, she's now working with just five.

It's a correlation Manning can't ignore — that there has been such a drop in the number of refugees and immigrants landing in eastern Washington coinciding with the Trump administration's tightening immigration policies.

Fewer refugee families mean the children just feel more isolated in their new world, she had said.

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Fed keeps key rate steady but notes rising inflation

By Martin Crutsinger
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Federal Reserve kept its benchmark interest rate unchanged Wednesday but noted that inflation is nearing its 2 percent target rate after years of remaining undesirably low.

The Fed ended its latest policy meeting by leaving its key short-term rate unchanged at 1.5 percent to 1.75 percent, the level it set in March after its sixth rate increase since December 2015. The Fed is gradually tightening credit to control inflation against the backdrop of a tight job market, a resilient economy and a pickup in consumer prices.

In a statement, the central bank said it expects "further gradual increases" in rates and says recent data show it's edging close to achieving its annual 2 percent target for annual inflation.

"Inflation on a 12-month basis is expected to run near the committee's symmetric 2 percent objective over the medium term," the Fed said.

The use of "symmetric" suggests that Fed officials might be willing to let inflation run slightly above its 2 percent target for some time, given that inflation has run below the target for six years.

Analysts said the Fed's statement Wednesday made it even clearer that it intends to resume raising rates at its next meeting in mid-June. And some Fed watchers said they interpreted the statement to suggest that the central bank foresees four hikes for 2018, up from the three it predicted in March.

Ben Ayers, senior economist at Nationwide, said he was increasing his forecast from three rate increases this year to four in the belief that the Fed will follow its hike in March with increases in June, September and December.

"With improved GDP growth expected over the rest of 2018, further declines in unemployment and inflation readings likely to trend higher, we expect the Fed to continue on its path of tightening monetary policy at roughly a 25 basis point increase per quarter through the end of 2019," Ayers said.

Stocks closed sharply lower, with the Dow Jones industrial average dropping 174 points. It wasn't clear to what extent the Fed's statement contributed to the pullback, though the prospect of an accelerated pace of rate increases could eventually weigh down a stock market that has long been supported by ultra-low rates.

The Fed's statement noted that the U.S. job market has continued to strengthen along with a steady economy, now into its ninth year of expansion since the Great Recession ended.

"Job gains have been strong, on average, in recent months and the unemployment rate has stayed low," the statement said.

It did observe that household spending has slowed from a robust pace in the final months of 2017 and held back growth in the January-March quarter. But most economists expect a solid rebound, with the economy expanding at a 3 percent annual rate or better, in the current April-June quarter.

The Fed's decision Wednesday, which had been expected, came on an 8-0 vote. It was Jerome Powell's second meeting as chairman since succeeding Janet Yellen earlier this year. Powell in the past has signaled support for the gradual pace of rate hikes that Yellen oversaw.

At a news conference after the Fed's meeting in March, Powell had said, "We're trying to take the middle ground, and the committee continues to believe that the middle ground consists of further gradual increases in the federal-funds rate."

Bond investors are signaling that they expect a pickup in U.S. inflation, having bid up the yield on the 10-year Treasury note last week above 3 percent before the yield settled just below that. A year ago, the 10-year yield was just 2.3 percent.

The central bank is meeting as its board is undergoing a makeover, with a raft of new Trump appointees who appear generally supportive of the Fed's cautious approach to rates since the Great Recession ended.

Despite Trump's complaints during the presidential race that the Fed was aiding Democrats in keeping rates ultra-low under President Barack Obama, his choices for a chairman and for other board positions have been moderates rather than hard-core conservatives who would favor a faster tightening of credit.

Under Powell's predecessors, Yellen and Ben Bernanke, the board endured criticism from some Republicans over its decision to pursue a bond purchase program designed to cut long-term borrowing rates and to leave its key rate at a record low near zero for seven years. The critics charged that those policies would eventually produce destructive bubbles in the prices of stocks and other assets and, eventually, undesirably high inflation.

Since the Fed began raising rates in December 2015, the pace has been modest and gradual: One quarter-point rate increase in 2015, one in 2016, three in 2017 and one so far this year. Even now, the Fed's benchmark short-term rate, which influences consumer and business loan rates throughout the economy, remains in a low range.

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■ Cinco de Mayo 5K by Midland Athletic Company. 9 a.m. at Neme's Cocina Fresca

■ Cinco de Migos hip-hop show with Mic Murda, Kuntry dela Rosa, Lil DMann, Phaze-a-Matics, Cashmere the Prince. Noon at The Club in Odessa.

■ The Apache 12th annual Cinco de Mayo Victory Run and Walk by Gifts of Hope and the Midland RockHounds for cancer awareness and fundraising. 4:30 p.m. at the Scharbauer Sports Complex.

■ Cinco de Mayo with music by The Ne'erdowells. 9 p.m. at Midland Beer Garden.

TODAY



MORE OR LESS Austin country rock band and Grammy nominee Reckless Kelly will headline the Rockin' Rodeo stage today. Doors at 8 p.m.

SATURDAY



OFF TO MARKET Midland Downtown Farmers Market celebrates its 11th season at the Museum of the Southwest with selections of produce and foods, live music and food trucks. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



GRAPHIC CONTENT The HIVE Comics in Odessa celebrates Free Comic Book Day 2018 with complimentary titles while supplies last, face painting, door prize and more. Noon.

See complete schedule of weekend events on 2B.

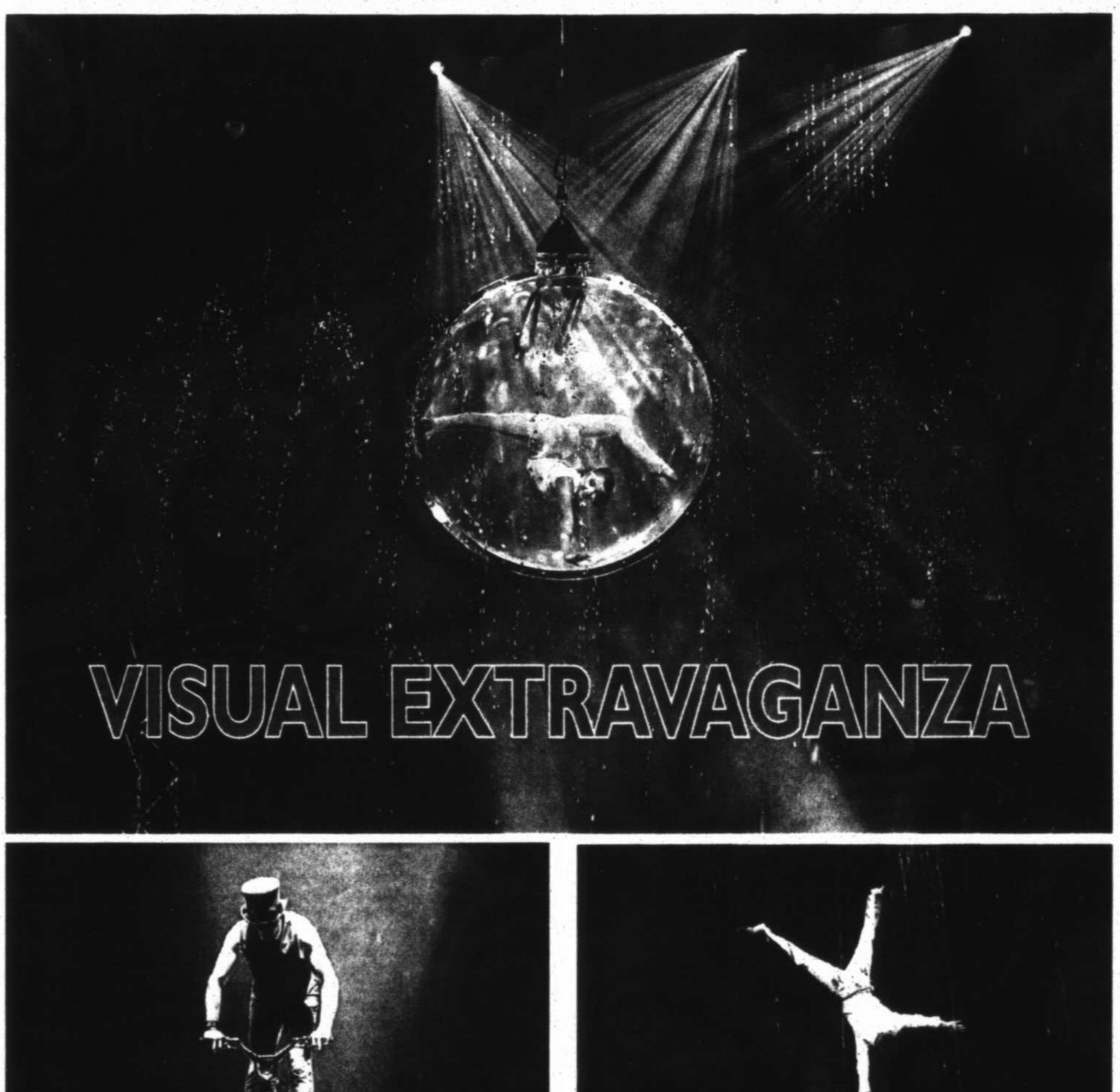
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Closing: "The Miracle Season"

CINERGY CINEMAS
Opening: "Overboard"

STAYING IN? Find out which movies are worth watching from the comfort of your couch. **Page 4B**







Cirque Italia makes aquatic West Texas debut

From staff reports

After six years of enhancements, rigorous casting and numerous performances nationwide, the newest form of Cirque Italia's innovative and "traveling circus" is set with its new water circus, "Aquatic Spectacular." With a blend of human skills and abilities, technology and the element of water, the production combines water fountains, jet-skis, pirates and more in its West Texas debut under the big tent at Music City Mall in Odessa.

"Aquatic Spectacular" offers a visual extravaganza on the ground and in the air.

Like many cirque shows, audiences can expect an artistic side with the 17-year-old bubbled contortionist, Juliette Carballo; chandelier dancers Chelcie Christine, Gergana Georgieva and Krysta Graham; and aerial duo Morgaine and Dee.

But the show will also feature more boisterous circus elements. The Wheel of Death will show off Alberto Castillo Parrera's balancing skills on a Ferris wheel; high wire Mexican trio Mauricio Castrio, Damian Horwath and Manuel Esqueda perform on a quarter-inch cable; and Hungary's Karchy Zeman performs old-school BMX bike tricks. For added entertainment, there is the roller-skating Zeman Duo from "America's Got Talent."

The cirque advises guests to arrive 45 minutes to an hour in advance of show time.

IF YOU GO

Cirque Italia: "Aquatic Spectacular," 7:30 p.m. today through Sunday, 1:30 and 4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. At Music City Mall, 4101 E. 42nd St., Odessa. $20-$40 adults, $10-$35. cirqueitalia.com/tickets.

HEAT INDEX: Scotty Dykema art show opens, Beach Boys tribute Surf's Up performs

SCOTTY DYKEMA ART SHOW OPENS

Texas artist Scott Dykema returns to Midland for a two-day art show, so time is limited to see a colorful display of his works. Dykema's work is something to behold. He covers a wide range of subjects that examine Japanese and Native American cultures and provides a modern take on animals, cowboys and cowgirls with some abstracts thrown in to round it all out. Through it all, he splashes them each the color that has become his style. Check out his works while you can.

As an added tidbit, the Arlington-based artist was commissioned to design this year's official poster for the Tall City Blues Festival.

4-8 p.m. today and Friday at



SCOTTY DYKEMA ART SHOW

The Ballroom Dance Studio, 4400 N. Big Spring St.

DINNER AND DANCING AT CAFÉ AT THE GARDENS

If you and your other half are in need of a date night, this checks off a whole lot of boxes.

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Mariachi Los Camperos use spotlight to its advantage

By Rich Lopez
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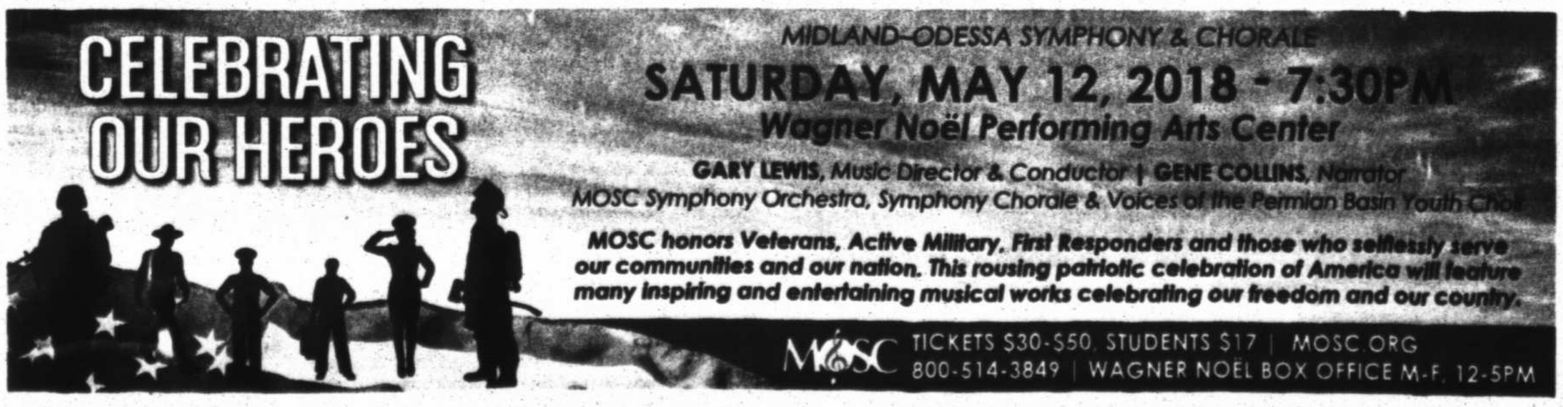
Midland College invites the community to get a jump on the Cinco de Mayo celebration this weekend. As part of its Phyllis and Bob Cowan Performing Arts Series, the college hosts Mariachi Los Camperos today at the Chaparral Center. The concert is free and open to the public.

IF YOU GO

Phyllis and Bob Cowan Performing Arts Series presents Mariachi Los Camperos, 7:30 p.m. today at Chaparral Center, 3600 Garfield St. midland.edu.

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CALENDAR

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

CLASSES, LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

Adult Sip and Paint: "Derby Girl." 6:30 p.m. today at Kidd's and Canvas Parties, 3300 N. Midkiff Road. kiddsart.com.

Diva Night is a girls' night out instructional class to create a piece of art and enjoy food and refreshments. Outside beverages allowed. 7-10 pm. today at The Pottery, 3001 W. Loop 250 N. $15. potterymidland.com.

Date and Paint: Adult Paint Class. 7-9:30 p.m. Friday at Kidd's and Canvas Parties, 3300 N. Midkiff Road. kiddsart.com.

Pranayama Workshop, 10 a.m.-noon Saturday at Pilates Reformer and Namaste Yoga Studios, 3303 N. Midkiff Road. Attendance by RSVP only to kachazeh@gmail.com.

Beltane Ritual: Solar Invocation by Tree of Life Open Circle. 7 p.m. Saturday at Unitarian Universalist Church, 3301 Neely Ave.

Open Shop Nights are hosted by the Midland Gem and Mineral Society and open to the public. Visitors can watch members cut rock and work on lapidary projects. 6:30-9 p.m. Mondays at 602 S. Main St. midlandgemandmineral.org.

Watercolor Workshop with Ken Roland. Class will cover color mixing, design and application for all levels. 6-8:30 p.m. Monday-Wednesday at Midland Palette Club, 907 W. Wadley Ave. palletteclubmidland.com.

Palette Club Painting, 9 a.m. to noon, Tuesdays at the Palette Club. 907 W. Wadley Ave. palletteclubmidland.com.

Watercolor art classes by Sara Drescher. The class is for all levels. 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at Arts Council of Midland, 1506 W. Illinois Ave. acmidland.org.

Midland Quilters Guild: "My Scrappy World" with Allison Bayer. 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Alamo Heights Baptist Church, 1305 N. Midland Drive. Free. midlandquiltersguild.com.

EVENTS

Star Wars Day will feature a costume contest, trivia and photo ops with Star Wars characters. Guests can also learn blaster and lightsaber skills. 4:30-6:30 p.m. at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch. 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

Fiesta West Texas will feature Tejano and country concerts, Lucha Libre Mexicana, Sea Lion Splash, Nerger's Tigers, the Human Rocket Man, XMetal Riders, the Fiesta Car Show and the Miss Chiquitita Pageant. Friday-Sunday at Ector County Coliseum, 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa. myfiestawesttexas.com.

Spring "Fajitas and Margaritas" Tennis Social kicks off the Jim Henry Open. Food and drink is followed by King of the Court match play. RSVP required. 6-8 p.m. Friday at Bush Tennis Center, 5700 Briarwood Ave. $25. bushtenniscenter.org.

The sixth annual **Jockeys Juleps and All that Jazz by Communities in Schools Permian Basin.** The event will feature a hosted cocktail party, three-course dinner, live music, derby hat contest, auctions and more. 7-11 p.m. Friday at the Petroleum Club of Midland, 501 W. Wall St. cispb.org.

The Black/Gold Car Show will include children's activities, food and cash-only bar. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday at Pueblo Viejo, 104 S. Terrell St.

Free Comic Book Day. Free comics while supplies last. The event includes face painting, prizes and more. Noon-10 p.m. Saturday at The HIVE Comics, 3615 N. Dixie Blvd., Odessa.

Four to Sixer Mixer by Visit Midland. 4-6 p.m. Tuesday at George W. Bush Childhood Home, 1412 W. Ohio Ave. visitmidlandtexas.com.

FAMILY & YOUTH

Writing is Magic teen writing club for ages 13-19. 4:30 p.m. Friday at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

Evening Storytime at the Library. 4:30 p.m. (2-6 years) Fridays at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

Re|Engage: A date night for married couples. The dinner date includes child care with pizza for children. 6-8 p.m. Friday at First Baptist Church of Midland, 2104 W. Louisiana Ave. $30. fbc-midland.org.

First Friday voter registration. Permian Basin LGBTQ (plus) will register voters at its monthly family game night event. 7 p.m. Friday at Sleep Inn and Suites of Midland, 5612 Deauville Road. Free. pblgbtq.org.

Mini Picasso art class for ages 2-5. 10 a.m. Saturdays through June 30 at Kidd's and Canvas Parties, 3300 N. Midkiff Road. kiddsart.com.

Evening Family Storytime offers songs, stories and literacy activities for ages 2 to 6 and their caregivers. 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

Wednesday Storytime with crafts for preschool children. 11 a.m. weekly at Barnes and Noble, 2617 West Loop 250 N. barnesandnoble.com.

Storytime at the Library. 10:30 a.m. (birth-2 years), 11:30 a.m. (2-6 years). Wednesdays. Tickets required for later sessions due to limited space. Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N.

FINE ART & DANCE

CLOSING: The 2018 UT Permian Basin Junior/Senior Juried Art Exhibition. Closes today at the Nancy Fyfe Cardozier Gallery at UTPB, 4901 E. University Blvd., Odessa. utpb.edu.

OPENING: Scott Dykema 2018 art show. 4-8 p.m. today and 4 at the Ballroom Dance Studio, 4400 N. Big Spring St.

OPENING: Artist of the Quarter featuring works by Carol Fairlie of Alpine. Opens Tuesday and runs through June 30. Hours are 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays at Sibley Nature Center, 1307 E. Wadley Ave. sibleynaturecenter.org.

"Modern Frescos: Ali Cavanaugh." Through May 13. Hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays (open to 8 p.m. Thursdays), 2-5 p.m. Sundays. At the Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. Free. noelartmuseum.org.

"Somehow, I Don't Feel Comfortable" is an installation by Momoyo Torimitsu of two giant, smiling pink bunnies facing off and pitching forward within a confined space. Through May 20. Hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays (open to 8 p.m. Thursdays), 2-5 p.m. Sundays. At the Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. Free. noelartmuseum.org.

"Captured by Detail: Camille Engel." The exhibition runs through May 20. Hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays (open to 8 p.m. Thursdays), 2-5 p.m. Sundays. At the Ellen Noel Art Museum, 4909 E. University Blvd., Odessa. Free. noelartmuseum.org.

Visions 2018: "An Eastern Interpretation of Western Art." The series by the Arts Council of Midland hosts works by Lubbock artist Bo Tan through June 10 at Arts Council of Midland, 1506 W. Illinois Ave.

"The Fragile Bee" is an exhibition of artwork by Nancy Macko comprised of photographs, prints and mixed media installation. Through July 8. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. from Tuesday through Saturday, and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. At the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

Spring exhibit features works by the Midland Arts Association, Palette Club of Midland and Sibley Camera Club at The Gallery at Midland Shared Spaces, 3500 N. A St.

West Texas Line Dancing Classes, 7 p.m. Tuesdays at Midland Senior Center, 3303 W. Illinois Ave. meetup.com/crossingthelinewesttexas.

Permian Basin Dance Club with live country music, 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Crown Royal Club, 1110 E. Scharbauer Drive. $6. For more information, call 638-3707 or 250-8215.

FOOD & DRINK

Dinner and dancing with free bachata lessons by West Texas Salseros. Reservations required for dinner. Music by DJ Rey. 5-10 p.m. today at Cafe at the Gardens, 3300 N. Fairgrounds Road. alldredgegardens.com.

Pasta Night, 6 p.m. Thursdays at Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 1600 E. Wadley Ave. ranchlandhills.com.

Friday Night Fish Fry. 6 p.m. Fridays at Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 1600 E. Wadley Ave. ranchlandhills.com.

Midland Downtown Farmers Market celebrates its 11th season. Along with a variety of vendors, the market will include Music on the Porch, DELL workshops and onsite food trucks. Visit the calendar online for details and changes. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Saturdays through Oct. 27 at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. midlanddowntownfarmersmarket.com.

Steak Night, 6 p.m. Saturdays at Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 1600 E. Wadley Ave. ranchlandhills.com.

GAMES

Bingo Nights. The American Legion Auxiliary hosts weekly play throughout the week. 7 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, 4 p.m. Sundays. 501 Veterans Airpark Lane. 682-5511.

Zia Park Casino Hotel and Racetrack bus trips by Midland Shuttle Services. Departs at 5 p.m. First Fridays and Sundays to Hobbs, New Mexico. $55 for adults, $45 for 65 and older. RSVP by calling 260-5428. midlandshuttleservices.com.

Hold 'em poker tournaments, 7 p.m. Fridays at The Detour, 1709 Rankin Highway.

Bridge lessons, 10 a.m. Saturdays at Allison Bridge Center, 913 W. Wadley Ave. $3. permianbridgeclub.com.

Yugioh tournaments. 6-10 p.m. Saturdays at Entertainmart, 3111 W. Cuthbert Ave. $5.

Bingo, 6 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays at the Tall City VFW Post 7208, 1306 E. Taylor Ave. Children welcome.

Bridge game play, 6:45 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; 1 p.m. Tuesdays; 10:30 a.m. Saturdays; 1:30 p.m. Sundays. Allison Bridge Center, 913 W. Wadley Ave. $6. For more information call 682-8595.

Monday Mayhem features unlimited bowling for $14.09 with free shoe rentals after 8 p.m. Bowlero, 5320 W. Loop 250 N. bowlero.com.

Live Trivia by Challenge Entertainment. 7 p.m. Tuesdays at Basin Burger House, 607 N. Colorado St.

Two-Dollar Tuesdays with the same price for games, shoes, select beers and arcade card after 8 p.m. Bowlero, 5320 W. Loop 250 N. bowlero.com.

Trivia Game Night, 7 p.m. Wednesdays at True Texas BBQ, 5407 Andrews Highway. Free.

Live Trivia by Challenge Entertainment. 8 p.m. Wednesdays at Torino's, 3303 N. Midkiff Road. challengeentertainment.com.

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Country

Reckless Kelly, 8 p.m. Today at Rockin' Rodeo, 4400 N. Big Spring St. $15. rockinrodeomidland.com.

Phil Hamilton, 9 p.m. Friday at the Lone Star Bar, 621 W. Wall St.

Jay Statham and the Tokie Show. 9 p.m. Saturday at the Lone Star Bar, 621 W. Wall St.

Cover/Tribute

Aphasia Awareness Concert with Beach Boys tribute band Surf's Up. 7 p.m. Friday at Horseshoe Amphitheater, 2514 Arena Trail. Free. aphasiawtx.org.

Cinco de Mayo with music by The Ne'erdowells. 9 p.m. Saturday at Midland Beer Garden, 7112 W. Highway 80.

Party on the Patio with live music and food trucks. 5 p.m. Wednesdays at Shack in the Back, 11610 W. Highway 80, Odessa.

DJ/Dance

DJ Bryan. 9 p.m. Thursdays at Supernova Nightclub, 2215 N. Midland Drive.

DJ Wildman, 9 p.m. Friday and Sunday at the Lift on 7th, 1401 E. Seventh St. Odessa.

DJ Boris. 9 p.m. Friday at Supernova Nightclub, 2215 N. Midland Drive. $10.

DJ Joel. 9 p.m. Saturdays at Supernova Nightclub, 2215 N. Midland Drive. $10.

#HangoverSundays, 7 p.m. Sunday at Atrium Lounge, 3904 W. Wall St.

Festivals

Fiesta West Texas: Country Fest with Pat Green, Kevin Fowler, Mike Ryan, Grant Gilbert. 5 p.m. Friday at Ector County Coliseum, 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa. $20. myfiestawesttexas.com.

Fiesta West Texas with Siggno, Lucky Joe, Jaime y Los Chamacos, Massore, Shelly Lares, La Dez. Noon Saturday at Ector County Coliseum, 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa. $13. myfiestawesttexas.com.

Fiesta West Texas with Perdidos de Sinaloa, La Energia Nortena, Fiera de Ojinaga, Geru y su Legion, El Nuevo Corcel. Noon Sunday at Ector County Coliseum, 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa. $15. myfiestawesttexas.com.

Hip-hop

Cinco de Migos with Mic Murda, Kuntry dela Rosa, Lil DMann, Phaze-a-Matics, Cashmere the Prince. Noon Saturday at The Club, 1023 S. Grant Ave., Odessa. $20.

Karaoke

Karaoke, 9 p.m. Sunday at The Detour Bar, 1708 Rankin Hwy. thedetourbar.com.

Karaoke and pool tournament, Tuesdays at The Lone Star Bar, 621 W. Wall St.

Karaoke Wednesdays with DJ Savage and host Ayyva Nevaeh. 9 p.m. Wednesdays at The Recovery Room, 2802 N. County Road West, Odessa. Facebook: @therecoveryroom432.

Latin

Mariachi Los Camperos perform as part of the Phyllis and Bob Cowan Performing Arts Series. 7:30 p.m. today at Midland College, 3600 Garfield St. Free. midland.edu.

Vocal/Choral

Carnegie Send-off Concert with the UT Permian Basin choir is presented by the Rea Charitable Trust. 7 p.m. today at First United Methodist Church, 415 N. Lee St., Odessa. Free.

OUTDOORS, SPORTS & FITNESS

Midland RockHounds play the Corpus Christi Hooks. 7 p.m. today and Friday at Security Bank Ballpark, 5514 Champions Way. $10-$16. midlandrockhounds.org.

Halliburton Gunsmoke Benefit Shoot benefiting the West Texas Food Bank's Food 2 Kids program. 9 a.m. Friday at Jake's Clays, 13301 Farm-to-Market Road 1379. $300 per shooter. For more information on the shoot, email yuri.garcia@halliburton.com.

The sixth annual **Kenya Widows and Orphans Sunset Scramble.** The nine-hole tournament will feature mulligans, longest drive contests, dinner and awards. 5-9 p.m. Friday at Ranchland Hills Golf Club, 1600 E. Wadley Ave. kwoministries.org.

Basin Race Series: Cinco de Mayo 5K by Midland Athletic Company. The run will end with a celebration of food and music. Proceeds benefit 3:11 Ministries. 9 a.m.-noon Saturday at Neme's Cocina Fresca, 4401 N. Big Spring St. $40. midlandathleticcompany.com.

Pilates Day! To celebrate National Pilates Day, free classes will include Yogalates, Piloxing and Barr-Lates. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday at Lacy J Pilates and Fitness Studio, 3211 W. Wadley Ave. Registration encouraged. lacyjpilates.com.

The Apache 12th annual **Cinco de Mayo Victory Run and Walk.** The event is hosted by Gifts of Hope and the Midland RockHounds for cancer awareness and fundraising. 4:30-10 p.m. Saturday at the Scharbauer Sports Complex, 5514 Champions Drive. $20-$35. raceplanner.com.

Family Nite roller skating, Sundays from 2-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at KC's Nutty Roller, 1004 Andrews Highway. kcsnuttyroller.com.

March for Moms: Rally to Improve Birth. 4-6 p.m. Sunday at Butler Soccer Park, 3801 Bluebird Lane. improvingbirth.org.

Piloxing combines Pilates, boxing and dance. Grip socks are required. 4-5 p.m. Sunday at Lacy J Pilates and Fitness Studio, 3211 W. Wadley Ave. $5. lacyjpilates.com.

STAGE, COMEDY & FILM

"No Business Like It." 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Runs through May 19 at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. $28. mctmidland.org.

"Oasis in Space" dome show. Recommended for ages 3-5. 1 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays in May. Blakemore Planetarium, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"Astronaut" dome show. Recommended for ages 3-5. 3 p.m. Sundays, 4 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays in May. Blakemore Planetarium, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"The Boxcar Children: Surprise Island." 4 p.m. Tuesday at Tall City Stadium 14, 4915 SW Loop 250. $13.50. fathomevents.com.

COMING

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Midland Quilters Guild: Scrap Users System Workshop with Allison Bayers. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday and May 10 at Alamo Heights Baptist Church, 1305 N. Midland Drive. $70. To register, call 432-687-2307 or email cinpetric@gmail.com. midlandquiltersguild.com.

Shooter Jennings, 7 p.m. Wednesday at Rolling 7s Ranch Event Center, 11700 W. County Road 122., Odessa. $15 advance, $20 door. R7rec.com.

Understanding and Overcoming Food Addictions by the Lifestyle Medicine Center. Limited space so online registration is required. 6-7 p.m. May 10 at Midland Memorial West Campus, 4214 Andrews Highway $5. eventbrite.com.

Clay Bustin' Beats benefiting the Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale and hosted by the Symphony Young Professionals. 9 a.m.-noon May 11 at Jake's Clays, 13301 Farm-to-Market Road 1379. $175 per shooter, $50 per two-man cart. MOSC.org.

Nature Writing Workshop: "The history of the Rocky Mountain locust and its impact on American agriculture in the 18th and 19th centuries" with Jeffrey Lockwood. Lunch provided. Noon-3 p.m. May 12 at Sibley Nature Center, 1307 E. Wadley Ave. $30 members, $40 nonmembers. sibleynaturecenter.org.

Night Market. 6:30-10:30 p.m. May 11 at The Urban Market, 312 N. Colorado Ave.

Casey Donahew Band, 9 pm. May 11 at Dos Amigos, 4700 N. Golder Ave., Odessa. $20 advance, $25 door. dosamigos.com.

Rise 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament. The tourney will include four age divisions. 8 a.m.-8 p.m. May 12 at Palmer Activity Christian Center, 1305 E. Illinois Ave. $75 per team. mtrosefgbc.org.

Family Free-For-All will feature a reception for artist Nancy Macko. Guests can enjoy refreshments and learn about bees and conservation in conjunction with "The Fragile Bee" exhibition. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. May 12 at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

"Tips and Tricks for doing Genealogy Research in Ancestry, FamilySearch and on the Web" with Sarah Ross Kelliher. 10:30 a.m. May 12 at Midland County Public Library Centennial branch, 2503 W. Loop 250 N. Facebook: @midlandtxgenealogocialsociety.

Pre- and postnatal yoga. Noon-1 p.m. May 12 at Lacy J Pilates and Fitness Studio, 3211 W. Wadley Ave. $10 members, $15 nonmembers. lacyjpilates.com.

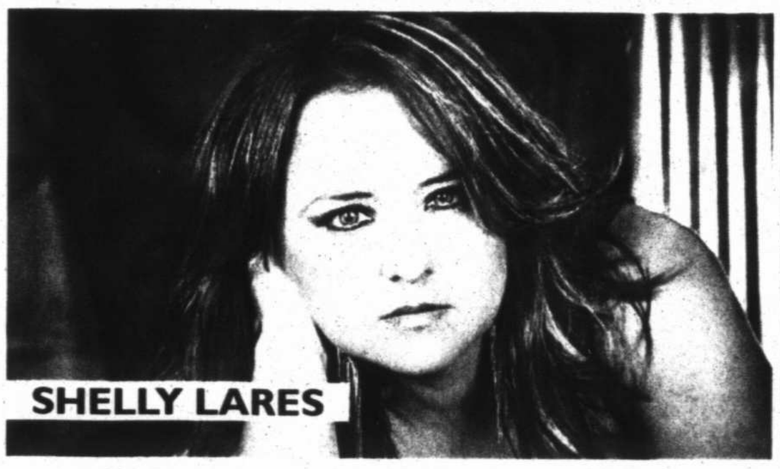
Business of Art Lecture Series. The series will feature artist Nancy Macko discussing her exhibition "The Fragile Bee." 1 p.m. May 12 at Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. museumsw.org.

Beer Garden Brewstival by Midland Beer Garden and the Midland RockHounds. 3-11 p.m. May 12 at Security Bank Ballpark, 5515 Champions Drive. $35. midlandrockhounds.org.

Runway in the Gardens fashion show. 3-5:30 p.m. May 12 at Alldredge Gardens, 3300 N. Fairgrounds Road. $25. thepinkpugshop.com.

Basin Bikefest features bicycle rides, a bike parade, painting zoo, games, refreshments and more. The event benefits Midland Children's Rehabilitation Center. Register online. 8 a.m.-1 p.m. May 12 at MCRC, 802 Ventura Ave. $10-$15. midlandchildrens.org.

EVENTS & MORE


SHELLY LARES

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With dinner, music and dancing involved, you're already ahead. The night starts with dinner, followed by free bachata lessons given by the West Texas Salseros dance club. Once you've learned the steps, DJ Rey will guide you through a night of social dancing.

5-10 p.m. today at 3300 N. Fairgrounds Road. Call 432-687-1478 for reservations and to sign up for the class. alldredgegardens.com.

Fiesta West Texas at Ector County Coliseum

This three-day celebration is jam-packed. Now in its 23rd year, the cultural event offers a full weekend of fun. This year, Fiesta West Texas will showcase wrestling with Lucha Libre Mexicana, as well as displays such as the Human Rocket Man, the Fiesta Car Show and the Miss Chiquitita Pageant. Perhaps the centerpiece of the festival is the three days of concerts — and the lineups are impressive.

Country Fest kicks off the weekend with Pat Green, Kevin Fowler, Mike Ryan and Grant Gilbert performing. Saturday begins Tejano Nights with Siggno, Lucky Joe, Jaime y Los Chamacos, Massore, Shelly Lares and La Dez. Sunday will feature Perdidos de Sinaloa, La Energia Nortena, Fiera de Ojinaga, Geru y su Legion and El Nuevo Corcel. Visit the website for a schedule of events and concerts.

Friday-Sunday at 4201 Andrews Highway, Odessa. $13-$20. myfiestawesttexas.com.

"Fajitas and Margaritas" Tennis Social at Bush Tennis Center

Whether you just want to hang out or get in a fun game of tennis, the Bush Tennis Center has it covered. With admission, guests will enjoy a spread of fajitas with margaritas. Competitive types can jump in on the King of the Court match play in which teams of doubles move their way up or down the top and bottom courts for the ultimate title. RSVPs are due today.

6-8 p.m. Friday at 5700 Briarwood Ave. $25. 432-934-7792 or jacob@bushtenniscenter.org.

Aphasia Awareness Concert 2018 at the Horseshoe Amphitheater

"Wouldn't it be Nice" to go to the beach this weekend? Well, you can do just that – sort of. Have some "Fun, Fun, Fun" when the Beach Boys tribute band Surf's Up headlines the annual Aphasia Awareness Concert. Get some "Good Vibrations" out on the breezy lawn, but also learn more about the Aphasia Center of West Texas and its mission to help those in the Permian Basin. Also, it's a free concert. Who can beat that?

7 p.m. Friday at 2514 Arena Trail. aphasiawtx.org.

Midlander Michael Arden garners Tony nomination for 'Once on This Island'

By Rich Lopez
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MICHAEL ARDEN

Midlander Michael Arden was up for a Tony Award in 2016 for directing the musical "Spring Awakening." The odds were not in his favor because he and every other director in the category were up against the blockbuster "Hamilton." He now has another chance for the gold.

The Tony Award nominations were announced Tuesday morning, and Arden received his second nomination in the musical category for "Once on This Island," a love story set in the Caribbean that is part romance, part fairy tale. "Once on This Island" received a total of eight nominations, including one for Best Revival of a Musical.

"To be honored in such incredible company of artists and theater is truly a career highlight thus far," Arden told Broadway World upon hearing the news. "I am so incredibly proud of the work of all the artists, technicians, musicians, designers and producers who toiled in the sand and debris to make 'Once on this Island' the magical and relevant piece of theater that it is. It's apparent that art is needed now more than ever, and I am humbled to be part of this brilliant community. Congrats to all the nominees and everyone making theater this season."

Arden attended Trinity School and was a member of the Pickwick Players, the junior company of Midland Community Theatre. He worked with MCT artistic director Tim Jebsen, who saw the production in March with the theater's Legacy Society.

"When I arrived at Midland Community Theatre in 1997, Michael was a member of the Pickwick Players and also appeared as Jack in our production of 'Into the Woods' which I directed," Jebsen said. "Michael has carved out an amazing professional career as an actor on stage, television and movies and now as a stage director. I was fortunate to have the chance to see 'Once on This Island' and said afterward that he better be nominated because his directing work was so good. Midland Community Theatre is proud of Michael and his career and we wish him all the best."

Jebsen said another Midlander has ties to this year's nominations. Matt Hinkley, also a former Pickwick Player, serves as the assistant conductor for "SpongeBob SquarePants," which received 12 nominations.

Tied with "SpongeBob" for the most nominations is "Mean Girls." Other major contenders for awards this year include the musical "The Band's Visit" and the revivals of "Angels in America" and "Carousel," with 11 nominations each. "Harry Potter and the Cursed Child, Parts One and Two" and the revival of "My Fair Lady" both received 10 nominations.

The Tony Awards, hosted this year by Sara Bareilles and Josh Groban, are scheduled to air 7 p.m. June 10 on CBS. See photos of the production "Once On This Island" at mrt.com.

Concert

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band has been an influence on the genre while also being an innovative one. Founder Natividad Cano pushed to have mariachi move beyond its perceived bar or cantina music into an appreciated art form.

Cano died in 2014, but his legacy continues, particularly as mariachi has increased in popularity through popular Latin music. movies such as "Coco" and the TV crime drama "El Mariachi" but also in music education.

Before the concert, band director Jesus Guzman discussed MLC's role as mariachis today and where it goes from here.

MRT: Mariachi music seems to be having a spotlight moment right now. Why do you think that is?

MLC: Currently, there is a huge movement among youth and this, in a way, is making the school districts include mariachi classes to their curriculum. The youth have become interested in our music and with the activities that relate to it. They see the ensembles and they like the challenge that mariachi music has. Everyone wants to play what the "popular mariachis" perform on, so it's like a contest to better themselves and execute the songs as best as possible.

Mariachi music and institutions like Mariachi Los Camperos have helped the youth to keep discipline and focused for a better education as well as elevating their potential in music.

MRT: Does popular Latin music help introduce listeners to mariachi at all?

MLC: Most popular music has been used to influence, due to it being played by radio stations. With this said, students have also performed those songs with mariachi instruments showing no borders in the genre. Currently, we see a lot of talent in the youth where they want to perform and compose arrangements for songs.

MRT: MLC gave the genre a certain prominence, particularly with the Grammy awards. What is important now about both the band and the music?

MLC: It is important that we continue to preserve our regional music but also to work with other genres where mariachi music can be heard and appreciated. We invade the other genres, such as classical, where we perform in symphony halls along with symphonies and opera houses. The word "invade" might sound harsh but really, we work in unison with other genres while keeping our mariachi sound alive.

MRT: Condolences on the recent loss of Cuco del Cid. How does his passing and influence affect MLC today?

MLC: To those of us that had the privilege of knowing Cuco del Cid, it hurts to have lost a friend. Cuco was a great musician and a pillar in our organization. He parted ways from our ensemble and moved to Tucson where he dedicated his time and skills with the youth.

We do mourn his death, the same way we mourn the death of Nati Cano, Chema, Pablo and many other friends we have lost along the way. Mariachi Los Camperos must remain strong and continue our agenda to project great mariachi performances.

MRT: Could you talk about your live show for any who have no experience with mariachi outside of maybe restaurants or parties?

MLC: Our presentation is full of emotions. Our song selection brings emotions out of you to truly feel what we are projecting. Our concert has a variety of topics, from hyped and happy songs that raises your spirit, to romantic boleros that touch your heart, to nostalgic topics that remind you of our past. Our goal is that our guest feels and connects with our music.

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Charming 'Paddington 2' outclasses its predecessor

PICK O' THE WEEK

"Paddington 2" (PG) Resplendent sequel is, in many ways, better than the first film. The high jinx aren't so outlandish, and the title character is a lot more warm and fuzzy. One of the year's best family films. **A-**

ICK! O' THE WEEK

"Lies We Tell" (unrated) The complicated, muddled plot is not helped by Gabriel Byrne's muddled delivery of the dialogue. Everyone in this film looks as if they wish they were anywhere else, and that feeling is mutual for the viewer. **F**

MORE REVIEWS

"Accident Man" (R) Although it runs out of steam right before the third act, the idea is nifty and the action is top notch. B-

"Battalion" (unrated) There hasn't been a bad rip-off of "Independence Day" for quite a few years — until now. **D**

"The Beyond" (TV-14) Sci-fi story draws interest but cannot fulfill expectations thanks to its dialogue-driven format. **C**

"Cannibal Farm" (R) If gore and a plot fused from remnants of "Texas Chainsaw Massacre," "The Hills Have Eyes" and every cabin-in-the-woods film ever made interests you, this bloodbath fits the bill. **B-**

'Chasing Gold" (R) Low-budget, B movie that shows its weaknesses, mostly in the inconsistent storyline, **C+**

"The Commuter" (PG-13) The performances make this film a whole lot better than its weak plot. Some have called it "taken on a train," but Liam Neeson shows a vulnerability absent in the "Taken" series or his other action fare, and it's a welcome departure. **B-**

"Deep Blue Sea 2" (R) After a mere 19-year wait, the sequel to the original film has been released and it's just as stupid as the first. The "Sharknado" films are more believable. **D**

"Den of Thieves" (unrated) Calling this Gerard Butler's best film in quite a while may not be the best of compliments. The plot has holes big enough to drive an armored truck through — such as the part where the most heavily fortified bank in the nation allows food delivery guys to roam the halls. But if you can get past them, the action can be infectious. **C+**

"Elvis Presley: The Searcher" (TV-PG) HBO's two-part, ambitious documentary isn't the definitive account of his life and career, but it sure comes close. Taking a unique approach, the film contains the usual commentary by friends, historians and famous fans — notably Tom Petty and Bruce Springsteen — but only the audio is heard. Images and clips of Elvis dominate the show. Casual and hardcore fans alike will cherish this salute. **B+**

"Film Stars Don't Die in Liverpool" (R) Annette Bening is superb as Gloria Grahame, an actress whose career went from Oscar winner to the dinner theater circuit. Her story is fascinating but this story is told from the perspective of her younger boyfriend (based on his book). It's still compelling but not what it could have been. **B-**

"Forever My Girl" (PG) There's not a line of dialogue or scene that you can't see coming from a mile away. Yet, there's something magical about this romantic drama that tugs at the heart and balances all the sentiment. **B**

"Hostiles" (R) Nothing says American Western quite like casting Brits in the male and female leads. That aside, this is a terrific story, and though it has progressive leanings that were probably not popular in that time or place, the gritty story overcomes any slight flaws. **A-**

"Molly's Game" (R) Smart, crisp dialogue is Aaron Sorkin's trademark and he doesn't disappoint with this story based on actual events. Jessica Chastain and Idris Elba play off each other beautifully, and Sorkin, who makes his directorial debut with this feature, shows he's up to the task. **A-**

"Still/Born" (R) Creepy and mostly effective horror fare follows a new mom as strange things start to happen after she and the baby come home. The buildup is superb; it's the follow-through that's lacking. **B**

"Stratton" (R) It's funny and really sad to watch the behind-the-scenes featurette in which the director thinks he's crafted a film to pave the way for a new kind of British super spy to follow in the footsteps of James Bond. The title character in this profoundly awful film couldn't lick the boots of 007. **D**

"7 Guardians of the Tomb" (TV-14) In the tradition of the old adventure films that were the rage in the 1950s -- and inspired a young Steven Spielberg and George Lucas to pay tribute to them in a few films they found some success with —this surprisingly good film doesn't have the big budget of an Indiana Jones story but it sure has the heart. **B**

"The Vanishing of Sidney Hall" (R) If someone who never passed an English lit class decided to blend the ideas from "The Catcher in the Rye" and "Into the Wild," this might be the result. I suppose all that's lacking in this self-indulgent drivel is a red hunting cap. **F**

"The Zen Diaries of Garry Shandling" (TV-MA) Judd Apatow's four-hour-plus documentary about his friend and colleague shows a complex man who was an unflinching control freak at times and a kind-hearted mentor at other times. Through it all, Shandling's journals were his refuge, holding his deepest and often mundane thoughts. Nothing, though, can prepare you for the heartbreaking sight of Bob Saget's unguarded testimonial about the falling out he and Shandling had. **B+**

Reeled Stream

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REDBOX TOP 10

The top 10 DVD rentals at Redbox kiosks for the week of April 24:

1. Den of Thieves — Universal
2. The Commuter — Lionsgate
3. Hostiles — Lionsgate
4. Paddington 2 — Warner
5. The Greatest Showman — Fox
6. Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle — Sony
7. Forever My Girl — Lionsgate
8. The Post — Fox
9. Father Figures — Warner
10. Thor: Ragnarok — Disney

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FILM CAPS

"Avengers: Infinity War." (PG-13) Iron Man, Thor, Captain America and the rest unite to battle their most powerful enemy yet — the evil Thanos — who's on a mission to collect the Infinity Stones. Robert Downey Jr., Chris Evans, Chris Pratt, Scarlett Johannson, Chadwick Boseman star. Written by Christopher Markus and Stephen McFeely, based on Marvel comics characters. Directed by Anthony and Joe Russo.

"Blockers." (R) Three parents attempt to prevent their teenage daughters from losing their virginity at prom. With Leslie Mann, Ike Barinholtz, John Cena, Kathryn Newton, Geraldine Indira Viswanathan, Gideon Adlan. Written by Brian Kehoe & Jim Kehoe, Jon Hurwitz and Hayden Schlossberg, Eben Russell. Directed by Kay Cannon.

"Blumhouse's Truth or Dare." (PG-13) Repercussions befall friends when they don't play the notorious game correctly. With Lucy Hale, Tyler Posey, Violett Beane. Written by Michael Reisz and Jillian Jacobs and Chris Roach & Jeff Wadlow, story by Michael Reisz. Directed by Wadlow.

"I Can Only Imagine." (PG) Faith-based drama based on the life of MercyMe singer Bart Millard. With J. Michael Finley, Madeline Carroll, Trace Adkins, Priscilla Shirer, Cloris Leachman, Dennis Quaid. Written by Jon Erwin and Brent McCorkle, based on the song by MercyMe. Directed by the Erwin Brothers.

"I Feel Pretty." (PG-13) An accident makes an insecure woman believe she's a supermodel. With Amy Schumer, Michelle Williams, Rory Scovel, Emily Ratajkowski, Aidy Bryant, Busy Phillips, Tom Hopper, Naomi Campbell, Lauren Hutton. Written and directed by Abby Kohn and Marc Silverstein.

"Overboard." (PG-13) A debauched Mexican billionaire falls off his yacht, wakes with amnesia and is convinced by the woman who cleans his boat that he's her working-class husband in this reboot of the 1987 Goldie Hawn-Kurt Russell comedy. With Eugenio Derbez, Anna Faris, Eva Longoria, John Hannah. Written by Bob Fisher, Rob Greenberg, Leslie Dixon. Directed by Greenberg.

"A Quiet Place" (PG-13) A family faces terror in the woods. With Emily Blunt, John Krasinski, Noah Jupe, Millicent Simmonds. Written by Bryan Woods and Scott Beck and Krasinski. Directed by Krasinski.

"Rampage." (PG-13) A genetic experiment goes haywire turning a silverback gorilla and other beasts into giant, angry mutants. With Dwayne Johnson, Naomie Harris, Malin Akerman, Jake Lacy, Joe Manganiello, Jeffrey Dean Morgan. Written by Ryan Engle and Carlton Cuse and Ryan J. Condal and Adam Sztykiel, story by Engle, based on the video game. Directed by Brad Peyton..

"Ready Player One." (PG-13) An immense virtual reality universe of the future is the location of a treasure hunt after its creator dies and leaves his fortune to be found within. With Tye Sheridan, Letitia Wright, Olivia Cooke, Ben Mendelsohn, T.J. Miller, Simon Pegg, Mark Rylance. Written by Zak Penn and Ernest Cline, based on the novel by Cline. Directed by Steven Spielberg.

"Sherlock Gnomes." (PG) Garden gnomes Gnomeo and Juliet and their family and friends return, aided by the famous detective in this animated sequel. Voices by James McAvoy, Emily Blunt, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Maggie Smith, Michael Caine, Johnny Depp. Directed by John Stevenson.

"Super Troopers 2." (R) An international border dispute between the U.S. and Canada propels the team into action in this sequel to the 2001 comedy. Written by and starring Broken Lizard (Jay Chandrasekhar, Kevin Heffernan, Steve Lemme, Paul Soter, Erik Stolhanske). With Lynda Carter, Emmanuelle Chriqui, Marisa Coughlan. Directed by Chandrasekhar.

"Traffik." (R) On a weekend mountain getaway, four friends run into a terrifying bike gang determined to keep their secret world secret. With Paula Patton, Omar Epps, Laz Alonso, Roselyn Sanchez, William Fichtner, Missi Pyle. Written, directed by Deon Taylor.

"Tully." "Juno" writer Diablo Cody reunites with director Jason Reitman for a comedy about a night nurse who provides a stressed-out mother of three unexpected relief. With Charlize Theron, Mackenzie Davis, Mark Duplass, Ron Livingston. Written by Diablo Cody. Directed by Jason Reitman.

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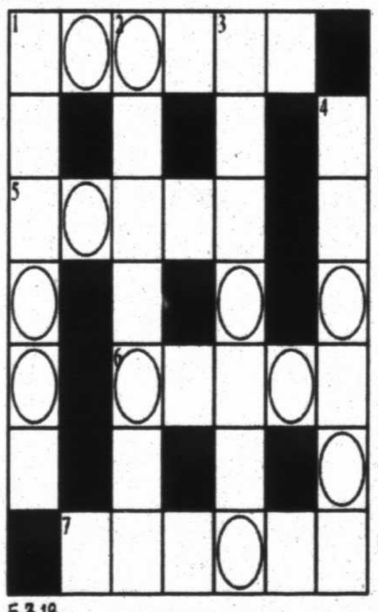
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Answer: The boy who questioned every request from his parents was a — "WHYS" GUY

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CLUE	ANSWER
1. ___ beans	FEFCEO
5. Concerning, regarding	TBUAO
6. Entertain	MSAUE
7. Tea ___	LTEEKT

DOWN

CLUE	ANSWER
1. Blanched, milky	HKCLYA
2. Movie scenes	GOFTOEA
3. Authorize, confide	RTTSNEU
4. Defraud	ECEFEL

How to play - Complete the crossword puzzle by looking at the clues and unscrambling the answers. When the puzzle is complete, unscramble the circled letters to solve the BONUS.

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CLUE: The ___ ___ is approximately 100 miles long by 30 miles wide.

BONUS ( ) ( )

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ANSWERS: 1A-Coffee 5A-About 6A-Amuse 7A-Kettle 1D-Clunky 2D-Footage 3D-Entrust 4D-Fleece B-Black Forest

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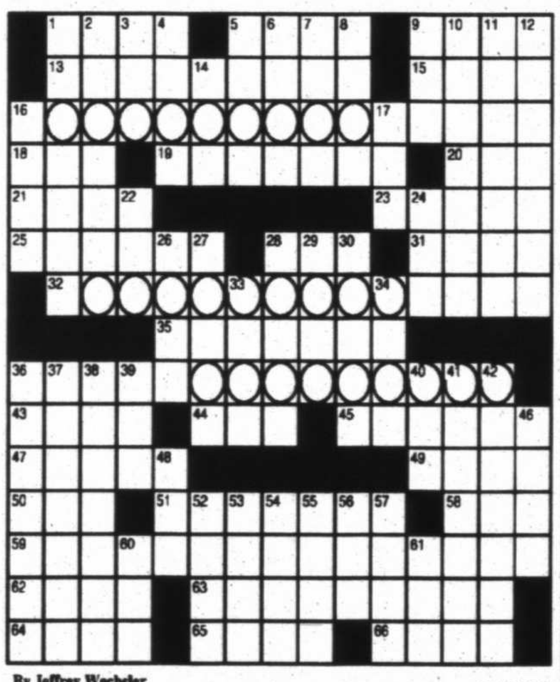
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5 Troublesome types
9 Cleaning tool
13 Any number
15 River through Florence
16 Natural analog of sonar
18 Toyota RAV4, e.g.
19 The best policy, so it's said
20 VW Golf model
21 Fronded plant
23 Small cube?
25 Facebook __
28 SDI weapon
31 Jazz singer Laine
32 Ones who have class?
35 Developing, biologically
36 Old General Motors model
43 Literary award with a spaceship logo
44 Head for the hills
45 Nothing new
47 Billiards concern
49 Phantasy Star game maker
50 Big name in ATMs
51 Egret habitats
58 Braggart's abundance
59 Ice cream features found, in a way, in this puzzle's circles
62 Hard to control
63 Harley-Davidson Museum city
64 Cholesterol nos.
65 Presently
66 Scrip items

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5 "__ your side"
6 "The Wind in the Willows" figure
7 They know the ropes
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9 Wasn't used
10 Squirm
11 "And __ thing ..."
12 Fish that sound good in Spanish
14 Density symbol, in physics
16 Like bodybuilders
17 Right at sea?
22 Book before Esth.
24 Hessian pronoun
26 Crime movie genre
27 Name on a museum wall
28 When some news shows begin
29 Sugar source
30 Half of a call-and-response game
33 Whopper
34 "Very nice!"
36 Area around the altar
37 Bent (over)
38 Asian appetizer
39 Remote control abbr.
40 Cause of a paper weight increase
41 Brightened
42 Tries for a better price
46 New Mexico county bordering Colorado
48 Punk rock subgenre
52 Diva Gluck
53 Dust Bowl deficiency
54 WWII invasion city
55 Cut
56 Spanish "that"
57 Like many laps
60 Pitcher Young and painter Twombly
61 Presidential nickname

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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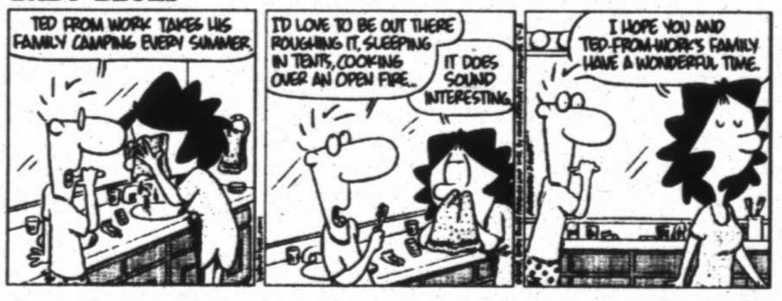
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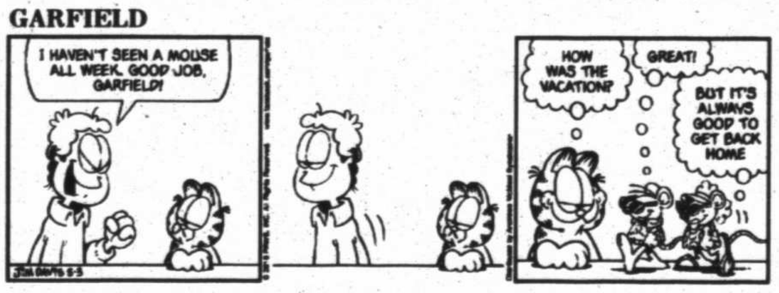
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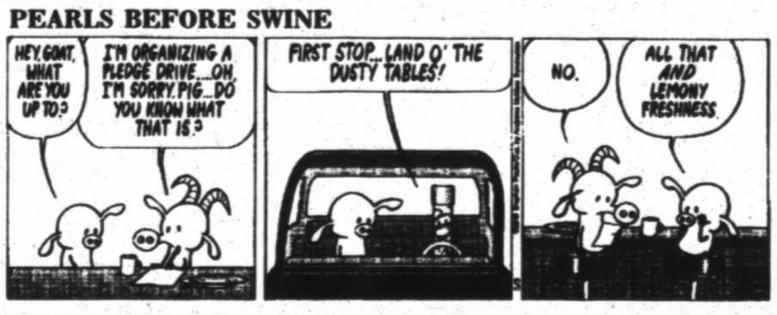
"Nuts! If only we could find some vital evidence, like the weapon! There's a phrase for it!...'The Coup de Gras'...no, that's not it...'Tip of the iceberg!'...No..."

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BROADCAST	KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel of Fortune (N)	Grey's A. "Fight for Your Mind" (N)		Station 19 "Every Second Counts" (N)		Quantico "Fear and Flesh" (N)		News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live		(:35) News Nightline
	KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	CBS 7 News (N)	Ent. Tonight	The Big Bang (N)	Young Sheldon	Mom (N)	Life in Pieces (N)	S.W.A.T. "Vendetta" (N)		CBS 7 News (N)	(:35) The Late Show		(:35) J.Corden
	KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	A. Griffith	A. Griffith	Gomer Pyle	WKRP "Baseball"	Hogan's Heroes	Hogan's Heroes	Carol Burnett	Perry Mason		Twilight Zone
	KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Gotham "That Old Corpse" (N)		Showtime at the Apollo "Week 9" (N)		Fox 24 News (N)	TMZ	Mom	Modern Family	Modern Family	Met Your Mother
	KMLM IND	11	12	12	11	11	All About Us	Mission: M25	Update News	Wings of Truth	Light of the Southwest		Light of the Southwest		Faith for Families	Our Messiah	Fruits of Zion	Biblical Israel
	KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	NewsWest 9 (N)	NewsWest 9 Now	Superstore (N)	A.P. Bio (N)	Will & Grace	Champions (N)	Chicago Fire (N)		NewsWest 9 (N)	(:35) The Tonight Show		(:35) Seth Meyers
	KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	PBS NewsHour (N)		Daytripper	Two for the Road	The Tunnel		Antiques Rd. "Green Bay (Hour Two)"		Amanpour (N)	News (N)	News (N)	Stories
	KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Rosa "La nina mas fea del mundo"		El Rico y Lazaro		Papa a Toda Madre		Por Amar Sin Ley		Noticias Tejas	Noticiero noctu.	Contacto Deportivo	
	KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Last Man	Last Man	Law:CI "Ex Stasis"		Law:CI "Shibboleth"		Mike&M.	Mike&M.	Anger M.	Anger M.	News	Game
PREMIUM	FLIX	340	575		165		(5:15) ★★ Killshot		(:55) ★★ Play It to the Bone				★★★ Miracle ('04, True) Kurt Russell.					Movie
	HBO	300	550	14	14		Movie	News (N)	Girls Trip ('17, Com) Jada Pinkett Smith.				(:05) Westworld		(:15) Westworld		(:15) The Hitman...	
	HBO2	302	551	15	101	23	(5:05) Scott Pilgr...		Silicon	VICE	Paterno Riley Keough.				(:45) ★★ You've Got Mail Meg Ryan.			(:45) Elvis
	HBO5	304	552	16	102		(:05) ★★ The Time Traveler's Wife				★★★ The Omen ('76, Hor) Gregory Peck.				★★★ The Omen II: Damien			Movie
	MAX	380	557	17	120	24	(5:15) Along Cam...		★★ Edge of Darkness Mel Gibson.				★★★★ Nocturnal		Animals Amy Adams.			Rellik "Episode Three"
	MAX2	382	558	18	122		(5:30) ★★★★ Inherent Vice				★★★ Taking Woodstock				(:05) Rules Don't Apply Alec Baldwin.			
	PLEX			96			(5:30) ★★ Surf's Up		10 Years Channing Tatum.		(:45) ★★ Blo-Dome				(:20) ★★ Dirty Work			Movie
	SHOW	320	585	19	140	25	(:15) Homeland		(:15) ★★ Before I Fall Zoey Deutch.				Billions		Gigolos	Homeland		Billions
	TMC	336	573	22	155	26	(5:30) Surviving th...		Middle School: The Worst ...		(:35) The Edge of Seventeen				(:20) The Truth About Lies			
CABLE	A&E	27	58	28	35	47	The First 48		The First 48 "A Murder in Mobile"		M. Clark: First 48 "Jam Master Jay" Marcia explores the mysterious death of this icon. (N)				(:05) Grace Abrams "Laci Peterson" (N)		(:05) The First 48 "A Murder in Mobile"	
	AMC	40	74	23	42	51	(3:55) Fury Brad Pitt.		★★★ Tombstone ('93, West) Val Kilmer, Kurt Russell.						(:05) ★★★ Tombstone Kurt Russell.			
	BET	58	-		40		★★ The Players Club ('97, Dra) Bernie Mac, LisaRaye McCoy.						★★ Set It Off ('96, Act) Queen Latifah, Jada Pinkett Smith.					
	BRAVO	65	76		41		Southern Charm		Southern Charm		Southern Charm		Imposters (N)		Watch (N)	Southern Charm		Wives
	CNBC	46	52		39	72	Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Shark Tank		Jay Leno's Garage (N)		Jay Leno's Garage		Jay Leno's Garage	
	CNN	43	50	51	30	56	OutFront		A. Cooper 360		A. Cooper 360		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		A. Cooper 360	
	DISC	50	60	31	24	42	Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid XL		Naked and Afraid (N)		Naked and Afraid (N)		Naked and Afraid		Naked and Afraid	
	DISNEY	56	64	36	25	36	(5:20) Monsters, ...		DuckTal.		★★★ Monsters, Inc.		Bunk'd	Jessie	Andi M.	StuckMid.	Underc.	GoodLuck
	ESPN	32	35	48	31	30	NBA Countdown (L)		NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)						NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)			
	ESPN2	34	36	49	32	31	NFL Live			Cornhole ACL Mania					SportsCenter (N)			SportsCenter (N)
	FNC	45	48	53	23	55	The Story		Tucker Carlson		Hannity		The Ingraham Angle		Fox News @ Night			Tucker Carlson
	FOOD	64	70	27	68	54	Chopped		Chopped		Chopped		BeatFlay	Beat Flay	Beat Flay	Beat Flay		Chopped
	FREEFORM	53	63	34	42	33	(5:00) Bring It On		Siren (N)		★★ The Last Song ('10, Dra) Miley Cyrus.				The 700 Club			A Walk to Reme...
	FSSW	37	38	50	45	29	Cape Cod	Pre-game (L)	MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at Texas Rangers Site: Globe Life Park -- Arlington, Texas (L)						Rangers Live (L)	Texas Insider Report (N)	Fishing	Riders Insider
	FX	31	56	59	64	69	(4:00) Spectre		★ Ride Along 2 ('16, Act/Com) Ice Cube.				Atlanta	Atlanta	Atlanta	Atlanta		The Bourne Le...
	HALLMARK	54	71	58		34	F.House	Full House	F.House	F.House	F.House	F.House	Middle	Middle	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
	HGTV	63	69	26	48	44	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipFlop	FlipVega	FlipVega	H.Hunt	House (N)	H.Hunt	H.Hunt	FlipVega	FlipVega
	HISTORY	71	59	29	50	43	Swamp People		Swamp: Blood (N)		Swamp People (N)		(:05) Truck Night (N)		(:55) Swamp People		(:05) Swamp: Blood	
	LIFETIME	28	30	25	28	48	(5:00) ★★ Jumping the Broom		The Single Mom's Club ('14, Com/Dra) Wendi McLendon-Covey, Nia Long, Amy Smart.				Addicted (2014, Drama) William Levy, Boris Kodjoe, Sharon Leal.					The Single Mom's Club Amy Smart.
	MSNBC	47	53		49	73	Hardball (N)		All In (N)		Rachel Maddow (N)		The Last Word (N)		The 11th Hour (N)			Rachel Maddow
	NBCSN	38	43				NHL Live	NHL Hockey Stanley Cup Playoffs (L)					(:15) NHL Overtime (L)		NASCAR (N)			Auto Auctions
	NICK	55	-	39	34	37	Loud H.	Loud H.	★★ Journey to the Center of the Earth				Fresh P.	Fresh P.	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
	SPIKE	30	-	55	53	58	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	★★ Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby					Movie
	SYFY	66	82	41	57	67	(5:00) ★★ Gods of Egypt		★★ Hellboy II: The Golden Army Ron Perlman.						(:05) The Expanse		(:05) Krypton	
	TBS	25	33	44	66	41	Seinfeld "The Rye"	Seinf. "The Caddy"	Sein. "The Seven"	Seinfeld	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Conan (N)		Brooklyn 99	Conan
	TCM	41	75	24	63	66	(5:45) Gildersleе...		Priv. Screening "Robert Osborne"		★★★★ Dodsworth Walter Huston.					20th Anniv Trib		★ Laura
	TELE	20	-	10	20		Caso cerrado (N)		Mi Familia Perfe (N)		Al Otro Lado del (N)		Enemigo Intimo (N)		Al rojo	(:35) Thaler.		Al Otro Lado del
	TLC	51	61	32	38	52	My 600-lb Life "Amber's Story"		My 600-lb Life: Supersized "One Ton Family: Part One" (N)				Skin Tight "Ronnie, Michael and Renee"		My 600-lb Life: Supersized "One Ton Family: Part One"			
	TNT	24	34	40	26	50	NCIS: New Orleans "End of the Line"		★★★ American Gangster Denzel Washington. A detective works to bring down a heroin kingpin smuggling drugs into 1970s America.						Claws "Tirana"		(:10) Claws "Funerary"	
	TVLAND	49	-	35	54	35	MASH	M*A*S*H	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Loves Ray	Nobodies	Mom	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
	USA	26	55	42	27	49	Law & Order: S.V.U. "American Disgrace"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Producer's Backend"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Terrorized"		Law & Order: S.V.U. "Making a Rapist"		Modern "Pilot"	Modern "My Hero"	Modern Family	Modern Family
	WGN	19	85				Cops	Cops	Cops "Liar Liar #5"	Cops	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Cops	Cops

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Wife annoyed with husband's call of nature

DEAR ABBY

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DEAR ABBY: We moved to the country, but we're not really far out of town. My educated, urbane, professional husband who has always lived in the city, now bypasses our 2 1/2 bathrooms and relieves himself outdoors in a "king of all he surveys" pose.

We no longer have children living at home, and he refrains from doing it when we have company or there's any possibility of his being seen, but it still drives me crazy! Could I be jealous because I am female, or should I join him? Is it truly as unsanitary as it seems, and is my letter a "first"? — TEMPTED IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR TEMPTED: "Public" urination is against the law in most communities because of sanitation — as well as indecent exposure — issues. That said, however, the practice is not as unusual as you may believe. If you want to try it, I can't stop you, but I do suggest you bring along some tissue and plan ahead for a place to dispose of it.

As to whether your letter is a first, the answer is no. The topic arose about 20 years ago when "The Whiz-zard's Wife" wrote me about her husband doing it after dark, and occasionally in the side yard during daylight hours. She wondered if it was a normal male ritual. I replied:

"This is not a subject that's often discussed, but I suspect the practice is not unusual. Dogs and cats urinate to mark their territory. Your husband may be doing it for the same reason. For pets, the problem can be resolved by neutering; however, I wouldn't recommend that for your husband. The Los Angeles Police Department informs me that it's 'not illegal as long as it is not in public view.'"

I then suggested she check with the police in her city to be sure there are no ordinances against it.

When people ask me what some of my favorite letters are, I tell them the correspondence generated by "The Whiz-zard's Wife's" letter ranks among them. A sample:

DEAR ABBY: Though a frequent reader (after my wife), I've only now found reason to write to you, in response to the lady who feared her husband's habit of urinating on their lawn was inappropriate. So it may be, but all men pee outdoors.

My best to you and continued good luck with your column. — CHARLTON HESTON, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF.

DEAR CHARLTON: Thank you for the input. Your letter is but a drop in the bucket compared to the deluge that has flooded my office since I printed that letter.

DEAR ABBY: My husband did the same thing over my vigorous objections, always after dark. When we moved to our new home, we had a wooden fence built. I decided to teach him a lesson and do the same. He was shocked. He told me I had better not do it again. I told him as long he continued, I would do it, too.

Abby, he hasn't done it since. Sometimes, when they won't listen, you have to SHOW 'em. — HAPPY WIFE, FORNEY, TEXAS

DEAR ABBY: I strongly disagree with your answer to "Whiz-zard's Wife." You said you suspect the practice is not unusual. My husband doesn't do it, my ex didn't (except when he was drunk) and I've never seen my neighbors do it. My husband says the guy is an exhibitionist. I say he's lazy and ignorant.

However, I once knew a psychiatrist who confessed to occasionally "watering" the rubber tree in his outer office in this manner. I can't imagine why he disclosed this to me, unless it was to coax me into sharing personal secrets. — ARIZONA ANNIE

DEAR ANNIE: I can't imagine why he did it, either. It would certainly discourage a patient from using the chair closest to the plant.

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With Bob Jones

Criss-cross

East-West vulnerable, South deals

NORTH
♠ Q J 7 2
♡ 5
◇ A J 9 7 6
♣ J 4 3

WEST
♠ 9 8
♡ Q 10 9 8 7 6
◇ 8
♣ 10 9 8 6

EAST
♠ 4
♡ K 4 3 2
◇ Q 10 5 4
♣ K 7 5 2

SOUTH
♠ A K 10 6 5 3
♡ A J
◇ K 3 2
♣ A Q

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♠	Pass	4♡*	Pass
4NT	Pass	5♢	Pass
6♠	All pass		

*Splinter bid — a raise to four spades with shortness in hearts

Opening lead: Eight of ♢

Today's deal is from an important pairs competition in Australia not long ago. South was young Australian expert Nye Griffiths. The slam contract was rock solid. This was a pairs game, however, and an overtrick would turn a good result into a great one.

The opening diamond lead was covered with dummy's nine, East's 10, and won by Griffiths with his king.

The ace of spades and a spade to the queen drew the trumps, and a club to the queen held the trick. The opening lead marked the queen of diamonds with East, who was also known to have the king of clubs. Griffiths now cashed the ace of hearts, ruffed a heart, and cashed all of his trumps. This was the position with one trump to go:

NORTH
♠ Void
♡ Void
◇ A J
♣ J 4

WEST
♠ Void
♡ Q 10
◇ Void
♣ 10 9

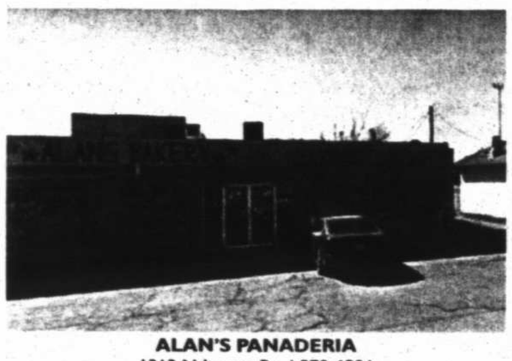
EAST
♠ Void
♡ Void
◇ Q 5
♣ K 7

SOUTH
♠ 5
♡ Void
◇ 3 2
♣ A

Griffiths cashed his last trump and discarded the jack of diamonds from dummy. East was cooked. A club discard would see South cash the ace of clubs and cross to dummy with the ace of diamonds to cash the club jack. A diamond discard would also give the overtrick in a similar way. Very well played!

DINING

WEEKENDER PUBLISHES A PORTION OF THE RESTAURANT GUIDE EACH WEEK. ENTREE PRICE RANGE IS BASED ON THE AVERAGE ENTREE PRICE ON THE MENU: $ = $1-10, $$ = $10-20 AND $$$ = $20 OR MORE. RESTAURANTS ARE GIVEN A GENERAL RATING BASED ON QUALITY OF FOOD, SERVICE, CLEANLINESS, ATMOSPHERE AND OVERALL EXPERIENCE. 1 SPOON = POOR, 2 SPOONS = AVERAGE, 3 SPOONS = ABOVE AVERAGE, 4 SPOONS = GOOD AND 5 SPOONS = EXCELLENT.



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305 W. FLORIDA AVE. | 683-6727

MEXICAN

ABUELOS Mix of traditional Tex-Mex with unique menu items featuring steak and seafood. Tired of rice and beans on the side? Try papas con chile and espinaca casserole. 2908 W. Loop 250 N. | 685-3335 | abuelos.com | $$ | 4 spoons

AJUUA'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT Tex-Mex favorites such as enchiladas, tacos, burritos and combination plates. Daily specials and menudo served on weekends. 3205 W. Cuthbert Ave. 694-4116 | $ | 2 spoons

ALAN'S PANADERIA Specializing in breakfast with what many claim is the best menudo in town. We also recommend the tacos de barbacoa. 1313 N. Lamesa Rd. | 570-6806 | $ | 3 spoons

CANCUN GRILL Stylish downtown Mexican restaurant inside Wall Towers. Start with the corn queso and then move on to the seafood enchiladas or one of the steaks. 223 W. Wall St. 618-0390 | $$ | 4 spoons

CANDILEJAS MEXICAN RESTAURANTE Don't underestimate this hole-in-the-wall restaurant serving traditional Tex-Mex fare. Quick service, daily specials and delicious food. 701 S. Marienfeld St. 683-5344 | $ | 3 spoons

CARAMBA'S SPANISH INN Bustling Mexican restaurant with a variety of foods and combination plates. Tex-Mex favorites and burgers, steaks and seafood. 3116 W. Front St. 520-9724 or 520-9525 | $ | 4 spoons

CASA LOPEZ CAFE Sports bar, restaurant and catering service with entrees including enchiladas and fajitas and appetizers such as bacon wrapped shrimp and stuffed jalapenos. 4411 W. Illinois Ave. 699-7373 | $ | 4 spoons

CHARLAS RESTAURANTE & BAR With a casual atmosphere and full service bar, Charla's serves enchiladas, shrimp nachos, tortilla soup and tropical salad. Delicious chips and salsa. 3330 W. Illinois Ave. 699-2440 | $ | 3 spoons

CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL The chain restaurant offers overstuffed burritos but go for the bowl with tasty carnita meat that's somewhere between a salad and a meal. | 2820 W. Loop 250 | 633-0173 | Chipotle.com | $ | 4 spoons

CHITO'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT & SPORTS Traditional Mexican fare with sports bar atmosphere. Breakfast served on weekends. 4400 N. Midland Drive 689-8646 | $ | 4 spoons

DONA ANITA'S Some of the best chile rellenos in town. Or try the tacos or enchiladas. Hueves con chorizo, menudo, huevos rancheros and migas on Sundays. 305 W. Florida Ave. 683-6727 | $ | 3 spoons

DOS COMPADRES We recommend the carne guisada or any of the enchiladas with a tangy and mild green sauce. 2200 W. Wadley Ave, #1 Oak Ridge Square 684-7239 www.Doscompadres.net | $ | 3 spoons

EL BANQUETE Traditional Mexican cuisine such as soft beef and pork tacos. Breakfast burritos, fajitas and enchiladas. 1802 Rankin Highway 620-0123 | $ | 2 spoons

EL BURRITO RESTAURANT Serving burritos for more than 30 years. Breakfast and lunch burritos on homemade tortillas and other Tex-Mex favorites. Also known for their burgers. 1106 N. Big Spring St. 683-9701 | $ | 4 spoons

FAJITAS BRAVO Delicious and tender beef and chicken fajita burritos. Or try nachos, burgers, quesadillas or barbecue. 409 E. Scharbauer Drive 682-6848 | $ | 3 spoons

FREEBIRDS Create your own burrito, tacos, nacho, salad or bowl with fillings that range from cilantro lime rice, black beans and tomatillo sauce to carnitas, queso and pico de gallo. 3322 N. Loop 250 West www.freebirds.com 689-9100 | $ | 4 spoons

GARCIA'S BURRITOS Pick up a breakfast burrito starting at 7:30 a.m. on weekdays. Or try a fajita plate with beans, rice, guacamole and sour cream. 1306 N. Lamesa Road 684-4383 | $ | 2 spoons

GARELY'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT Chilaquiles Rojos and the enchilada suprema paltes are just a couple of the tasty, authentic dishes at this restaurant but the service is spotty. 1805 Rankin Hwy., 686-7393 | $$ | 3 spoons

GERARDO'S CASITA Try the tortilla soup or the fajitas. Don't forget a margarita from the full-service bar. 2407 N. Big Spring St. 570-8012 www.gerardoscasita.net | $ | 4 spoons

GRANADO'S CAFÉ AND CATERING Students and downtown workers flock to this small eatery with big flavors. Nachos, tacos and burgers all make a good lunch but breakfast is a nice morning option. Menudo and caldo on Fridays and Saturdays. | 703 W. Wall St. | 698-3238 | 3 spoons

JORGE'S CAFÉ Serving Tex-Mex fare. Jorge's does a simple queso without chunks of peppers or tomatoes — you'll either love it or hate it. 4400 N. Big Spring St. 683-6303 | jorges.com | $ | 4 spoons

JUMBURRITO Drive-thru or eat-in for breakfast, lunch or dinner. Try the stew meat with cheese and avocado and smother it with queso and/or Jumburritos' hot sauce. Expect a line for weekend breakfast. 1301 Lamesa Road, 682-5060 | 2101 W. Wadley Ave. 683-7017 | 908 S. Midkiff Road, 689-0350 | 4509 N. Midkiff Road, 689-3894 | jumburrito.com | 4 spoons

LA BODEGA MEXICAN RESTAURANT AND BAR Try the chile rellenos — stuffed with beef, chicken, cheese or shrimp, deep-fried and topped with red sauce, sour cream, pecans and raisins — or the rueda, described on the menu as a Mexican pizza. The upstairs bar allows smoking and keeps later hours than the restaurant. 2700 N. Big Spring St. 684-5594 www.mylabodega.com | $ | 4 spoons

LA HERRADURA MEXICAN CUISINE Go for breakfast and try the huevos rancheros with beans, potatoes and tortillas. Menudo, caldo de res and cabrito en salsa verde on the weekends. 1422 Rankin Highway 687-3000 | $ | 2 spoons

LA MISION Festive, colorful restaurant with great Tex-Mex favorites. In a hurry? Go for the lunch buffet. 1008 S. Big Spring St. 682-0320 | $ | 4 spoons

MANUEL'S COUNTRY STORE AND DELI Home of the "Son of a Gun" plate — a 90 percent lean hamburger steak with onions, jalapeno gravy, beans, potatoes and tortillas — Manuel's also is known for its hot sauce. After you try it, you can buy some to take home with you. 3905 State Highway 349 | manuelsdeli.com | 682-2258 | $ | 4 spoons

MICAELA'S ON THE GO Take-out only restaurant specializing in burritos. 4411 West Illinois Avenue, Suite A1., 689-0920 | $ | 3 spoons

MOE'S SOUTHWEST GRILL A slightly confusing menu but the selection of burritos, tacos, nachos come freshly made in front of you. 3302 Garden City Highway | 687-1481 | Moes.com | $$ | 3 spoons

MONTERREY COCINA MEXICANA The same family has been running this restaurant since 1957. Many may remember the wonderful food and live music when it was located on East Illinois Avenue. It's been in West Midland for several years now, and the food is just as fabulous. 3323 Midland Drive, #100 689-0032 www.monterreycocina.com | $ | 4 spoons

NEME'S COCINA FRESCA This outpost off Big Spring Street and Loop 250 serves tacos, tortas and quesadillas. Flavorful but spice can sneak up on you for an extra kick. | 4401 N. Big Spring St. | 312-4302 | Mkt.com/nemes | $ | 3 spoons

ON THE BORDER MEXICAN GRILL & CANTINA Atmosphere is busy and fun at this casual restaurant chain featuring Tex-Mex standards such as fajitas, burritos and grilled meats. 4306 Loop 250 Frontage Rd., 897-4740 | ontheborder.com | $ | 3 spoons

OSCAR'S SUPER BURRITO Serving Lee High School students, and other loyal customers, for years, Oscar's offers almost endless choices of burritos and other Tex-Mex favorites for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Try the brisket and cheese burrito and don't skimp on the salsa. 4306 Neely Ave. | 699-0242 | 4 spoons

PENO'S CAFÉ & CATERING COMPANY Try the tacos or the variety of breakfast burritos. Some menu items can be bought by the pound. Order tamales by the dozen. 4305 W. Illinois Ave. 262-5720 Facebook: Café J-Peno | $ | 3 spoons

REYNA'S DELI Offer a wide range of authentic Mexican dishes and classics such as tacos and enchiladas. Open for breakfast. 3100 S County Rd 1210 699-1495 | reynasdeli.com | $ | 3 spoons

REYNA'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT An order of fajitas is too much for one person to eat, but they're so good you'll try anyway. 3601 W. Wall St. 699-2109 | $ | 4 spoons

ROSA'S CAFÉ & TORTILLA FACTORY If you're a native Midlander, you get it. If you're not, try the queso and tortillas or the chicken fajitas with queso or the combo burritos. It's worth the long drive-through lines. 903 Andrews Highway 520-2358 2501 N. Big Spring St. 620-0634 | 4301 N. Midland Drive 520-0489 | $ | 4 spoons

TAQUERIA JALISCO One patron on Yelp called it a "hidden gem." Another said the carnitas are "delicious, juicy morsels of fried porky goodness." We heartily agree. 4416 Briarwood Ave., Suite100 | facebook.com/Taqueriajalisco | 699-2195 | $ | 5 spoons

TAMPICO SPANISH INN Go early to get a table. Start with an appetizer such as queso, quesadillas or avocado salad. 2411 W. Wall St. 682-5074 | $ | 4 spoons

STEAKS & SEAFOOD

BILL'S BISTRO Locally-owned fine-dining establishment featuring steaks and fresh seafood specials for dinner service and salads and burgers for lunch. Located next to The Wine Rack, diners may sit inside Bill's Bistro or The Wine Rack for lunch service. Appetizers from the restaurant are offered in the evenings at The Wine Rack. 4610 N. Garfield St. Suite D3 | 218-7383 | $$$ | 4 spoons

CATTLE BARON Western-themed steakhouse with prime rib, fresh catfish and Alaskan king crab. The salad bar is worth the trip. 418 Wadley Ave. | 683-2334. cattlebaron.com | $$ | 3 spoons

GARLIC PRESS Fine dining with menu items including hand-cut steaks, seafood and pasta. Or try something from the small plates menu. Dessert menu changes weekly. 2200 W. Wadley Ave. No. 6 Oak Ridge Square | 570-4020 | thegarlicpress.net | $$$ | 4 spoons

LOGAN'S ROADHOUSE American standards including burgers, steaks and ribs, plus signature cocktails and all the peanuts you can shell and eat. The chain's Midland location has had some issues with slow service and cold food but things look to be on the mend. 609 N. Loop 250 W | 689-6464 | $$ | 2 spoons

LONESTAR STEAKHOUSE Casual steakhouse chain known for grilled beef and other American dishes in a ranch-style space. 3401 Loop 250 Frontage Road | 689-0274 | longhornsteakhouse.com | $$$ | 4 spoons

RANCHLAND HILLS GOLF CLUB Renovated club restaurant doesn't require a membership. Go for breakfast or try steak or seafood at dinner. 1600 E. Wadley Ave. | 682-3729 | Ranchlandhills.com | $$ | 4 spoons

RED LOBSTER Chain restaurant serving American seafood standards amid New England-themed decor. There's not a Midland location but the trip to Odessa is worth the drive. 4536 E University Blvd, Odessa, 432-367-8926 | redlobster.com | $$ | 4 spoons

SALTGRASS STEAKHOUSE Midland's only restaurant from the Landry's chain specializes in steaks. For something different, try the warm steak salad that includes grilled veggies and steak piled on top of a bed of greens. 4511 W. Loop 250 699-0476 saltgrass.com | $$ | 4 spoons

STEAK 42 Locally-owned steakhouse with fine dining menu and occasional live music and special events. Look for quarterly pop-up brunches. 911 S. Big Spring St. | 704-5242 | 3 spoons

STEAK EXPRESS Surprisingly good steaks and burgers for take-out or delivery. Burgers are a meal by themselves. Steaks come with traditional sides. 3316 W. Illinois Ave. 694-4040 | $$ | 4 spoons

TEXAS ROADHOUSE Call-ahead seating is available for busy chain restaurant that offers steaks, burgers, sandwiches and some of the best green beans you'll ever eat.. 4512 W. Loop 250 N. | 689-7427 | $$ | 4 spoons

WALL STREET BAR & GRILL Arguably the best steak and seafood in Midland. If you're in the mood for something else, try the chicken fried steak or the Dijon chicken. And save room for the Gold Brick dessert. 115 East Wall St. | 684-8686 | $$ | 5 spoons



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Sundberg gives inspirational message to FCA

By Will Korn
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For 16 years, Jim Sundberg donned the "Tools of Ignorance" as a major league catcher, battling the rough and tumble conditions that come with the demanding position.

But Sundberg, who spent the first decade of his career with the Texas Rangers from 1974-1983, brings with him a shining persona of positivity and hope that is anything but ignorant.

Sundberg, conveyed that message of hope and Christianity to area student athletes at the Permian Basin Fellowship of Christian Athletes Impact Awards ceremony, Wednesday night at Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center.

As his life after baseball continues, he is aiming to make that message as accessible as ever. Over the last several months, Sundberg and his wife Janet have been putting the finishing touches on a website called Sports2LifeNation, a resource centered on the concept of young athletes leaving a positive legacy in their lives – in both their relationships with others and with God.

"As I have gotten older, I have probably realized that legacy matters as much as anything," Sundberg said. "The website is really going to be a place of ministering through the concept of legacy of what that means and the principles of what go behind that: Love, truth, purpose, promise and many other things."

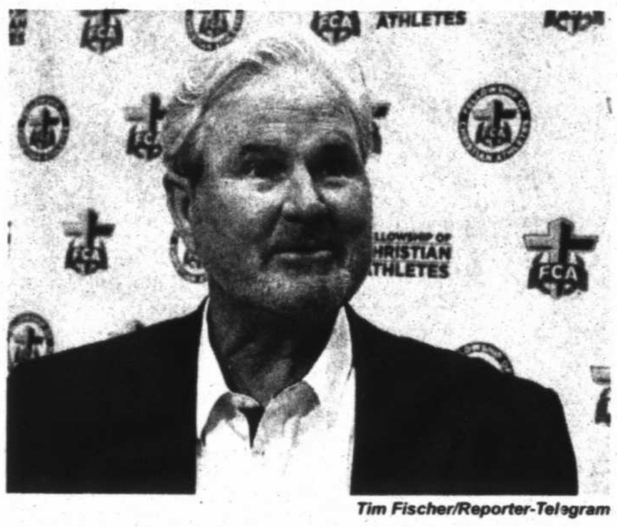
"For most people, (the word) legacy is kind of held in place for those who have been in the public eye, those who have done great things. I personally believe that in a relationship with God, everybody has a chance to have a great legacy."

It was during Sundberg's rookie season with the Rangers in 1974 that he was first introduced to the FCA by former Dallas Cowboys greats Tom Landry and Roger Staubach. Once he caught wind of the organization's principles, he began to implement them into his daily routine as a player and eventually, as the Rangers' Senior Executive Vice President from 2004-14.

Sundberg, a six-time Gold Glove winner who caught an astonishing 1,398 games during his first 10 years with Texas, is a beacon of durability and is considered a defensive icon. He is in the Rangers Hall of Fame, is a three-time all-star, carried a career fielding percentage of .993 and still holds the American League record for most games caught in a season, with 155 in 1975.

He said many of the same principles he preaches about

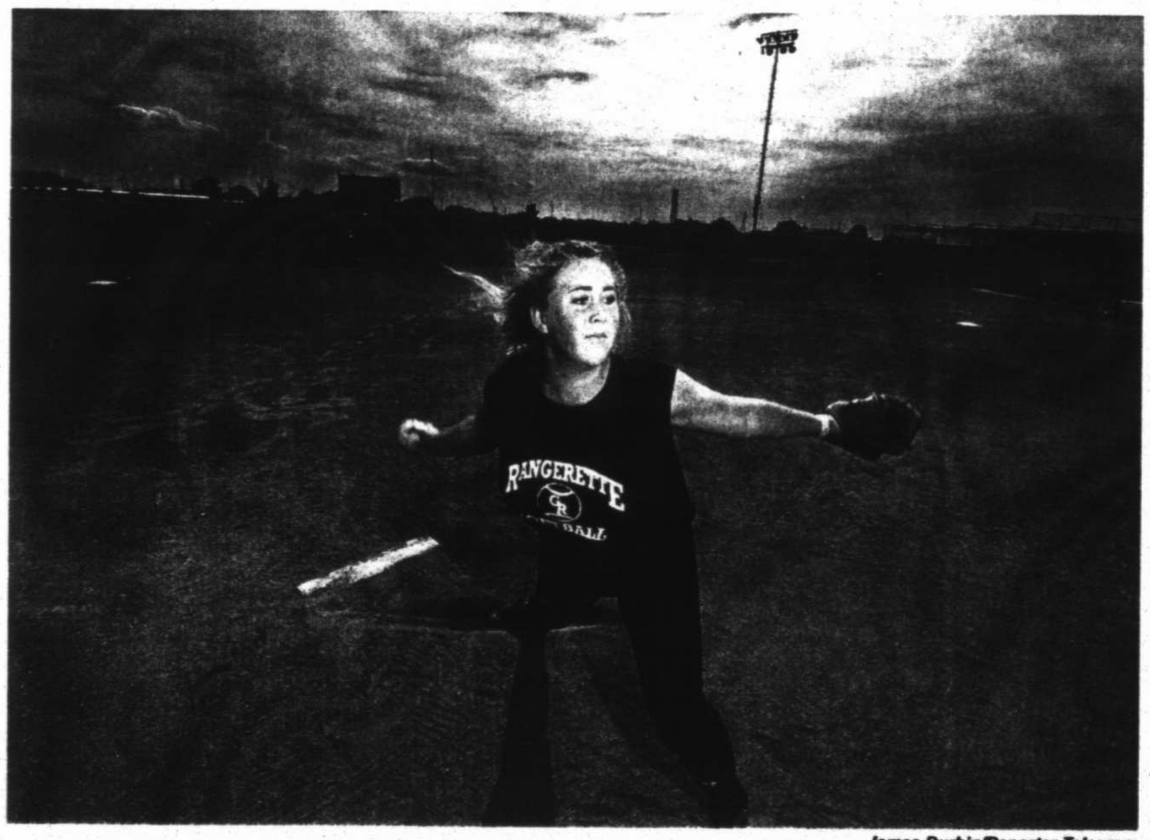
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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Jim Sundberg, former Major League All-Star catcher, speaks to the media on Wednesday before the Fellowship of Christian Athletes Impact Awards where he was the guest speaker.

Rangerettes flying high



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Greenwood softball pitcher Kyndall Dove in portrait on Tuesday, at Greenwood High School.

Dove's pedigree in big games leads Greenwood into area

By Christopher Hadorn
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The Greenwood softball team plays with confidence knowing it has senior Kyndall Dove in the circle.

Dove brings a lot of clout as a four-year starter that has pitched many big games since 2015.

And last week, the 5-foot-9 right-hander stepped up when her team needed her the most by throwing a pair of gems to lead the Rangerettes to a bi-district playoff series sweep of Fabens in Pecos.

With Dove taking the ball, Greenwood (17-13-3) aims to advance to the regional quarterfinal round for the first time since 2011 when it meets Levelland (21-13-1) in a Class 4A area playoff series that begins today at Snyder High School in Snyder.

Game 1 is 5 p.m., Game 2 is at 5 p.m. Friday and Game 3, if needed, will follow Game 2.

"The girls definitely play (hard) behind Kyndall when she's on the circle," Rangerettes head coach Lee Anne Curry said. "They know what she's capable of throwing, what she is doing. I know they're excited to have her there."

In the first game of bi-district, Dove allowed only one run and six hits over seven innings, while striking out six to propel Greenwood to a 4-1 win over Fabens.

On the next day, Dove followed with a three-hit shutout to push the Rangerettes to a 10-0 run-rule victory over Fabens, which helped them advance to the area round for the first time since 2015 when Dove was a freshman.

"We were ready for kind of revenge on them for losing last year," Dove said of Fabens, which eliminated Greenwood in 2017. "We've just been playing really well together and the energy in the dugout, it was so much fun. We were all having fun. We were all hitting. The chemistry on our team this year has been so different. We've just been getting along and it's just been like a family, more than it has in the past few years."

As a freshman, Dove split time in the circle with then senior Kassie Maddox, who now pitches and plays a utility role for Texas Lutheran in Seguin.

Maddox battled injuries, which thrust Dove into pitching in district games as a

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Alvarez's 2 homers helps Corpus Christi beat Midland

By Christopher Hadorn
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Corpus Christi left fielder Yordan Alvarez showed Wednesday that he can drive the ball out to any place in the park, much to the chagrin of the Midland RockHounds.

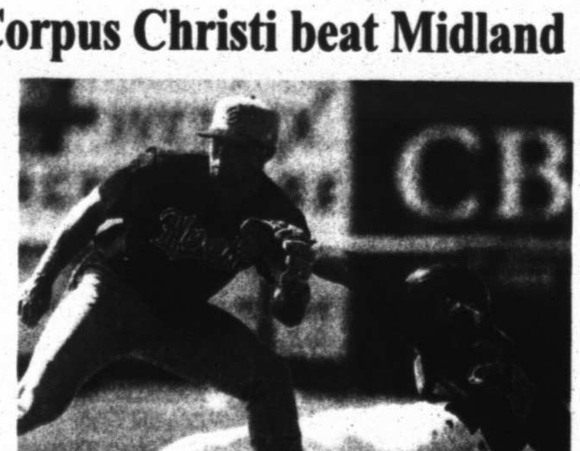
Alvarez cracked two home runs, both to the opposite field, to lead the Hooks to an 8-3 win over Midland in front of an announced crowd of 3,908 during Field Trip Day at Security Bank Ballpark. Alvarez went 2-for-3 with two home runs, three RBI and two walks to highlight Corpus Christi's 17-hit parade.

In the first inning, Alvarez launched a two-run homer down the left-field line that sailed right of the fair pole. The 20-year-old left-handed hitter homered again in the ninth, this time he smoked a line drive into the RockHounds' bullpen during a 3-2 count.

The Cuban is hitting .303 with six home runs, 24 RBI, 24 runs scored, a .394 on-base percentage and a .573 slugging percentage in 89 at-bats with Corpus Christi this season.

"That's his strength to the opposite field," Hooks manager Omar Lopez said. "He's got pop to the opposite way. He uses the whole field, but more to left-center field. When they start to do something different with him, he will make the adjustment to drive the ball to the right-center field gap. As long they keep throwing him in the same way, he's going to make the adjustment. He's

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Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

RockHounds' J.P. Sportman slides in for a double Wednesday at Security Bank Ballpark as Corpus Christi Hooks' Ryne Birk reaches for the ball.

Ingles' career night leads Jazz over Rockets

By Kristie Rieken
Associated Press

HOUSTON — Joe Ingles scored a career-high 27 points and the Utah Jazz squandered a huge early lead before using a big fourth quarter to regain control and beat the Houston Rockets 116-108 on Wednesday night and tie the Western Conference semifinals at 1-1.

Ingles made a career-best seven 3-pointers and star rookie Donovan Mitchell added 17 points and 11 assists for his first game this postseason where he scored fewer than 20 points and didn't lead the team in scoring.

The Jazz were behind by two with eight minutes left before using a 16-2 run to pull away. Game 3 is Friday night in Utah.

After trailing by 25 points at halftime of the 110-96 loss in the series opener, the Jazz jumped out to an early lead in this one and led by as many as 19 in the first half.

Houston regained the lead in the third quarter but couldn't keep pace with the Jazz in the fourth as their normally potent offense went cold.

James Harden had 32 points and 11 assists, and Chris Paul added 23 points as Houston fell to the Jazz for the first time this season after winning the first five meetings.

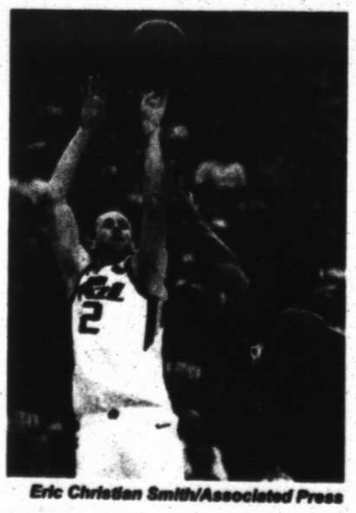
Houston was down by one entering the fourth but Utah scored eight straight points on 3-pointers from Dante Exum and Jae Crowder before Mitchell capped it with a nifty one-handed follow dunk to make it 100-94. Mitchell missed a jumper and sailed above three Rockets to grab the rebound and slam it down with one hand. He did it right near the Jazz bench and his teammates went wild, cheering and pretending to fall backward on each other in awe.

Harden made a basket after that before Utah scored another eight straight points, with two 3s from Ingles, to make it 108-96 with 4 1/2 minutes left.

Harden ended a 2 ½-minute Houston scoring drought with a 3-pointer about a minute later that was the start of a 9-3 run that got the Rockets within 111-105 with 1:46 left. But Rudy Gobert made one of two free throws before Exum put it out of reach with a dunk.

Utah led by nine before Houston used a 16-5 run to go up 71-69 for its first

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Eric Christian Smith/Associated Press

Utah Jazz forward Joe Ingles (2) shoots as Houston Rockets center Clint Capela defends during the second half Wednesday, in Houston.

'HOUNDSWATCH

WEDNESDAY'S SCORE
Corpus Christi 8
Midland 3

TODAY'S GAME
Corpus Christi at Midland
7 p.m.

INTERNET
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RECORDS
Midland 14-12
Corpus Christi 16-10

Wednesday	Today	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Corpus Christi 8 Midland 3	Corpus Christi at Midland 7 p.m.	Corpus Christi at Midland 7 p.m.	Midland at Frisco 7:05 p.m.	Midland at Frisco 4:05 p.m.

DAILY RUNDOWN

FROM STAFF AND WIRE REPORTS

ON THE AIR

Australian Football League
Geelong vs. Greater Western Sydney, 4:30 a.m., FSP

College Baseball
Georgia at Missouri, 6 p.m., SEC

Golf
LPGA: Volunteers of America Texas Classic, 1st Round, 9:30 a.m., GOLF
PGA: Wells Fargo Championship, 1st Round, 1 p.m., GOLF

Major League Baseball
Pittsburgh at Washington, Noon, MLB
NY Yankees at Houston, 1 p.m., ATTSW
Minnesota at Chicago White Sox, 7 p.m., MLB
Boston at Texas, 7 p.m., FSSW

Men's Soccer
UEFA Europa Semifinal, Leg 2: Atletico Madrid vs. Arsenal FC, 2 p.m., FS1, ESPNDEP
UEFA Europa Semifinal, Leg 2: FC Red Bull Salzburg vs. Olympique de Marseille, 2 p.m., FS2
Copa Libertadores: Racing Club vs. Universidad de Chile, 5 p.m., FXDEP
Copa Libertadores: Independiente Santa Fe vs. CA River Plate, 7:30 p.m., FXDEP
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 1: Tigres UANL vs. Santos Laguna, 7 p.m. or 9 p.m., UDN or GALA
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 1: Club Tijuana vs. Monterrey, 7 p.m. or 9 p.m., UDN or GALA
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 1: Pumas de la UNAM vs. Club America, 7 p.m. or 9 p.m., UDN or GALA
Liga MX Quarterfinal, Leg 1: CF Monarcas Morelia vs. Toluca, 7 p.m. or 9 p.m., UDN or GALA

National Basketball Association
East Semifinal, Gm 2: Cleveland at Toronto, 5 p.m., ESPN, ESPNDEP
East Semifinal, Gm 2: Philadelphia at Boston, 7:30 p.m., TNT

National Hockey League
East Semifinal, Gm 4: Washington at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m., NBCSN
West Semifinal, Gm 4: Nashville at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m., NBCSN

Rugby
Super League: St. Helen's vs. Catalans, 1:30 p.m., FSP

Tennis
ATP: BMW Open by FWU, 5 a.m., TENNIS

RADIO

Major League Baseball
NY Yankees at Houston, 1 p.m., KBYG 106.1 FM/1400 AM (Big Spring)
Boston at Texas, 7 p.m., KBEST 95.7 FM (Big Spring), KPET 105.1 FM/690 AM (Lamesa)

Texas League Baseball
Corpus Christi at Midland, 7 p.m., KCRS 95.5 FM/97.5 FM/550 AM

WHAT'S ON DECK

HS Baseball

TAPPS Division II bi-district, Midland Christian vs. Austin St. Michael's, 7 p.m., Austin
TAPPS Division IV bi-district, MCA vs. Denton Calvary, 5 p.m.

HS Softball

Class 4A area, Greenwood vs. Levelland, 5 p.m., Snyder Class 2A area, Forsan vs. Abernathy, 6:30 p.m., Sundown

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
BOSTON RED SOX — Placed LHP Eduardo Rodriguez on the family medical leave list. Reinstated RHP Joe Kelly from suspension. Recalled RHP Marcus Walden from Pawtucket (IL).
CLEVELAND INDIANS — Designated RHP Matt Belisle for assignment. Selected the contract of RHP Ben Taylor from Columbus (IL).
MINNESOTA TWINS — Designated LHP Dietrich Enns for assignment. Optioned RHP John Curtiss to Rochester (IL).
NEW YORK YANKEES — Placed LHP Jordan Montgomery on the 10-day DL. Reinstated OF Clint Frazier from the 7-day DL and optioned him to Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (IL). Selected the contract of RHP David Hale from Scranton/Wilkes-Barre. Transferred OF Jacoby Ellsbury to the 60-day DL.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Optioned RHP Emilio Pagan to Nashville (PCL). Selected the contract of LHP Brett Anderson from Nashville.
TEXAS RANGERS — Placed RHP Chris Martin on the 10-day DL, retroactive to May 1. Recalled RHP Nick Gardewine from Round Rock (PCL). Claimed C Carlos Perez off waivers from Atlanta. Transferred SS Elvis Andrus to the 60-day DL.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES — Signed OF Peter Bourjos to a minor league contract.
MIAMI MARLINS — Optioned SS JT Riddle to New Orleans (PCL). Assigned C Tomas Telis outright to New Orleans.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Designated RHP Oliver Drake for assignment. Selected the contract of LHP Wade Miley from Biloxi (SL). Signed RHP Paolo Espino to a minor league contract and assigned him to extended spring training.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Optioned OF Austin Slater to Sacramento (PCL). Reinstated LHP Will Smith from the 10-day DL.
American Association
CHICAGO DOGS — Traded INF Tony Thomas to Wichita to complete an earlier trade.
CLEBURNE RAILROADERS — Signed RHP Jared Mortensen.
ST. PAUL SAINTS — Signed RHP Tom Wilhelmsen.
WICHITA WINGNUTS — Signed RHP Seth Harvey.
WINNIPEG GOLDEYES — Signed RHP Brandon Bingel.
Atlantic League
SUGAR LAND SKEETERS — Announced the contract of Paco Rodriguez was purchased by the Minnesota Twins.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS — Traded TE Randall Telfer to Kansas City for DE Dadi Nicolas. Claimed LB Jermaine Grace off waivers from Indianapolis.
JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS — Declined to exercise the fifth-year option on DE Dante Fowler.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed DT A.J. Francis and QB Alex Tanney.
PITTSBURGH STEELERS — Placed LB Ryan Shazier on injured reserve.
TENNESSEE TITANS — Waived S Denzel Johnson. Agreed to terms with S Kendrick Lewis.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Signed S Quin Blanding, RB Martez Carter, WR Semmie Cobbs Jr., LB Jerod Fernandez, WR Shay Fields, TE Matt Flanagan, WR Mikah Holder, CB Danny Johnson, OT Timon Parris, WR De'Mornay Pierson-El, WR Cam Sims, CB Ranthony Texada and FB Elijah Wellman.
Canadian Football League
EDMONTON ESKIMOS — Acquired Hamilton's 2018 second- (No. 10) and third-round (No. 20) draft picks for their 2018 first- (No. 6) and fifth-round (No. 37) draft picks.
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Traded their 2018 first- (No. 7) and second-round (No. 16) draft picks to the B.C. Lions for a 2019 first-round draft pick and a 2018 second-round (No. 12) draft pick.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
BUFFALO SABRES — Re-signed D Casey Nelson to a two-year contract.
COLORADO AVALANCHE — Signed G Pavel Francouz to a one-year contract.
MINNESOTA WILD — Signed F Dmitry Sokolov to a three-year, entry-level contract.
NEW YORK RANGERS — Agreed to terms with F Michael Lindqvist.
WASHINGTON CAPITALS — Signed F Axel Jonsson-Fjallby to a three-year, entry-level contract. Signed F Jusso Ikonen to a two-year, two-way contract.
MOTORSPORTS
NASCAR — Suspended driver Spencer Gallagher indefinitely for violating its substance-abuse policy.
SOCCER
Major League Soccer
LOS ANGELES FC — Signed F Adama Diomande from Hull City (Championship-England).
MINNESOTA UNITED — Traded M Sam Nicholson and an international roster spot to Colorado for D Eric Miller and general allocation money.
NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION — Traded F Lee Nguyen to Los Angeles FC for general and targeted allocation money.
COLLEGE
NEW MEXICO — Announced women's basketball G/F Najala Howell is transferring from UTEP.
NORTHWESTERN — Announced graduate men's basketball G Ryan Taylor is transferring from Evansville.
ST. DILBERT — Announced it will add men's volleyball as an intercollegiate varsity sport for the 2019-20 school year.
SIENA — Named Jamion Christian men's basketball coach.
WAKE FOREST — Announced graduate men's basketball F Ikenna Smart is transferring from Buffalo.

NHL PLAYOFF GLANCE

Associated Press

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Pittsburgh 1, Washington 2
Thursday, April 26: Pittsburgh 3, Washington 2
Sunday, April 29: Washington 4, Pittsburgh 1
Tuesday, May 1: Washington 4, Pittsburgh, 3
Today: Washington at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Saturday, May 5: Pittsburgh at Washington, TBA
x-Monday, May 7: Washington at Pittsburgh, TBA
x-Wednesday, May 9: Pittsburgh at Washington, TBA
Boston 1, Tampa Bay 2
Saturday, April 28: Boston 6, Tampa Bay 2
Monday, April 30: Tampa Bay 4, Boston 2
Wednesday, May 1: Tampa Bay 4 ,Boston 1
Friday, May 4: Tampa Bay at Boston, 6 p.m.
Sunday, May 6: Boston at Tampa Bay, TBA
x-Tuesday, May 8: Tampa Bay at Boston, TBA
x-Thursday, May 10: Boston at Tampa Bay, TBA
WESTERN CONFERENCE
Winnipeg 2, Nashville 1
Friday, April 27: Winnipeg 4, Nashville 1
Sunday, April 29: Nashville 5, Winnipeg 4, 2OT
Tuesday, May 1: Nashville 4 ,Winnipeg 7
Today: Nashville at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 5: Winnipeg at Nashville, TBA
x-Monday, May 7: Nashville at Winnipeg, TBA
x-Thursday, May 10: Winnipeg at Nashville, TBA
Vegas 2, San Jose 1
Thursday, April 26: Vegas 7, San Jose 0
Saturday, April 28: San Jose 4, Vegas 3, 2OT
Monday, April 30: Vegas 4, San Jose 3
Wednesday, May 2: Vegas at San Jose late
Friday, May 4: San Jose at Vegas, 9 p.m.
x-Sunday, May 6: Vegas at San Jose, TBA
x-Tuesday, May 8: San Jose at Vegas, TBA

FIGHT SCHEDULE

Today
At StubHub Center, Carson, Calif. (ESPN), Ryan Garcia vs. Jayson Velez, 10, super featherweights.

May 5
At StubHub Center, Carson, Calif. (HBO), Gennady Golovkin vs. Vanes Martirosyan, 12, for Golovkin's WBC-WBA middleweight titles.
At London, Tony Bellew vs. David Haye, 12, heavyweights; Martin J. Ward vs. James Tennyson, 12, for Ward's European junior lightweight title; John Ryder vs. Jamie Cox, 12, super middleweights.

May 11
At 2300 Arena, Philadelphia (SHO), Devin Haney vs. Mason Menard, 10, lightweights.
At Doubletree Hotel, Ontario, Calif., Roberto Arriaza vs. Juan Ruiz, 10, welterweights.

May 12
At New York (ESPN), Jorge Linares vs. Vasiliy Lomachenko, 12, for Linares' WBA lightweight title; Carlos Adames vs. Alejandro Blanco, 10, welterweights.
At Turning Stone Resort Casino, Verona, N.Y. (HBO), Sadam Ali vs. Liam Smith, 12 for Ali's WBO junior middleweight title; Ray Vargas vs. Azat Hovhannisyan, 12, for Vargas' WBC super bantamweight title.

May 17
At Fantasy Springs Resort Casino in Indio, Calif. (ESPN), Romeo Duno vs. Gilberto Gonzalez, 10, lightweights; Oscar Duarte vs. Ray Perez, 10, lightweights.

May 19
At MGM National Harbor, Oxon Hill, Md. (HBO), Gary Russell Jr. vs. Joseph Diaz Jr., 12, for Russell's WBC featherweight title.
At Leeds, England, Lee Selby vs. Josh Warrington, 12, for Selby's IBF featherweight title; Darren Tetley vs. Mason Cartwright, 12, welterweights.



Michael Ciaglo / Houston Chronicle

Houston Rockets guard Chris Paul (3) fouls Utah Jazz guard Donovan Mitchell (45) during the second half of Game 2 of the NBA second-round playoff series at the Toyota Center on Wednesday in Houston.

JAZZ

From 1C

lead since it was 6-5 with about seven minutes left in the third. The Jazz went back up 86-85 by the end of the period.

After taking just four shots in Game 1 and finishing with 11 points, Gobert got going early Wednesday and had 13 points on 5-of-7 shooting by halftime. But he was mostly quiet after the break, and finished with 15 points and 14 rebounds.

Tip-ins

Jazz: Coach Quin Snyder said before the game that he didn't know when point guard Ricky Rubio would return. ... Utah assistant Igor Kokoskov was hired as head coach of the Phoenix Suns on Wednesday. ... Ingles got a technical in the second quarter for arguing with Paul.

Rockets: Luc Mbah a Moute had four points and four rebounds in his second game back after missing the first series after dislocating his right shoulder on April 10. Paul also received a technical for barking at Ingles. Capela finished with 21 points and 11 rebounds.

NBA PLAYOFF GLANCE

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CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
Eastern Conference
Cleveland 1, Toronto 0
Tuesday, May 1: Cleveland 113 Toronto 112 OT
Today: Cleveland at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Saturday, May 5: Toronto at Cleveland, 8:30 p.m.
Monday, May 7: Toronto at Cleveland, 8:30 p.m.
x-Wednesday, May 9: Cleveland at Toronto, TBA
x-Friday, May 11: Toronto at Cleveland, TBA
x-Sunday, May 13: Cleveland at Toronto, TBA
Boston 1, Philadelphia 0
Monday, April 30: Boston 117,Philadelphia 101
Today: Philadelphia at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 5: Boston at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Monday, May 7: Boston at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.
x-Wednesday, May 9: Philadelphia at Boston, TBA
x-Friday, May 11: Boston at Philadelphia, TBA
x-Sunday, May 13: Philadelphia at Boston, TBA
Western Conference
Houston 1, Utah 1
Sunday, April 29: Houston 110, Utah 96
Wednesday, May 2: Utah 116,Houston 108
Friday, May 4: Houston at Utah, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 6: Houston at Utah, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, May 8: Utah at Houston, TBA
x-Thursday, May 10: Houston at Utah, TBA
x-Monday, May 14: Utah at Houston, TBA
Golden State 2, New Orleans 0
Saturday, April 28: Golden State 123, New Orleans 101
Tuesday, May 1: Golden State 121, New Orleans 116
Friday, May 4: Golden State at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 6: Golden State at New Orleans, 3:30 p.m.
x-Tuesday, May 8: New Orleans at Golden State, TBA
x-Thursday, May 10: Golden State at New Orleans, TBA
x-Monday, May 14: New Orleans at Golden State, TBA

LEE FOOTBALL SIGNING CAPSULE

NACHO RUBIO
School: Lee
Sport: Football, men's track and field
Signing school: Sul Ross State University, NCAA Division III, Alpine
Rubio on why he chose Sul Ross: "(I liked) where it's at. It's a little town and close to home. (Playing college football) is a dream come true."
Lee head football coach Clint Hartman on Rubio: "You can trust him. A center touches the ball every play, so we trusted him. He's like the other guys (from Lee) who are playing college football – he took care of his class work and he comes from a good family, a good support system. The best thing I can say about him is he's consistent. He doesn't talk a lot but he can play and we're proud of him."
Notes: Rubio was the Rebels' starting center last season and was a key cog in a unit that paved the way for the most prolific team rushing yardage season in program history. At 5-foot-11 and 255 pounds, he recorded 46 pancake blocks – second most among Lee offensive lineman – in 12 games and was an honorable mention selection to the All-District 2-6A team. ... Rubio also signed to compete with the men's track and field team at SRSU as a discus thrower. ... He said he wanted to study engineering, but as SRSU doesn't offer an engineering program, he'll be studying business instead. ... Rubio said he isn't yet sure where on the Lobos' line he'll play. ... SRSU went 5-5 overall and 4-5 in American Southwest Conference play.



Rubio

-Compiled by Will Korn

Lightning strike quickly, beat Bruins

By Jimmy Golen
Associated Press

BOSTON — Between the birth of his first child in Tampa Bay and Game 3 of the Eastern Conference semifinals in Boston, Yanni Gourde squeezed in what could be his last nap for a while. The Lightning forward spent the night with his wife and newborn daughter in the hospital on the off-day and flew to Boston on Wednesday. He missed the morning skate, but was waiting for his teammates at lunch.

He received quite a greeting.

"It was like we scored a game-winning goal," coach Jon Cooper said after Ondrej Palat scored twice and Gourde assisted on Tampa Bay's third goal in a 4-1 victory over Boston that gave the Lightning a 2-1 lead in the series.

"It's a team that cares," Cooper said. "We were so happy for him."

Palat scored twice in the first 3:19 of the game, and Andrei Vasilevskiy stopped 28 shots to help Tampa Bay to its second win in a row since losing the series opener at home.

Game 4 is Friday night.

"Boston came in and took one of our games at home, we had to take one of theirs on the road," Cooper said. "We did that."

After Patrice Bergeron made it a one-goal game, Anthony Cirelli scored his first career NHL playoff goal to give the Lightning a 3-1 lead late in the first. Gourde provided an assist, chasing the puck into the zone before finding Cirelli in the slot.

"The last 24 hours have been amazing," Gourde said. "Obviously, I wanted to be there for my wife and, I think, it ended up it was perfect."

Tuukka Rask made 33 saves for Boston.

"Playoffs are desperate hockey," Bruins defenseman Charlie McAvoy said. "You don't ever go into any games saying 'Oh, we have the luxury of being able to lose this one.' That's not how it goes."

Palat scored just 1:47 in after Boston defenseman Matt Grzelcyk settled the puck with his glove in his own end, then appeared to lose track of it and skated away, leaving the Lightning with an easy 2-on-1 opportunity.

Palat made it 2-0 just 92 seconds later on a shot that deflected off Bruins defenseman Torey Krug and into the net.

"It's not good, obviously, but we've come back a lot," said Bruins coach Bruce Cassidy, whose team has won 21 games this season in which it gave up the first goal.

"So this is nothing new," he said "You've still got 50-some minutes left. There's going to be a lull from the crowd, but you've got to get it back. ... The second and third goals, to me, are much worse."

It stayed 3-1 through the second period and most of the third, until the Lightning picked up a power play in the final two minutes of the game when Krug tripped Cirelli as he chased after the puck with an empty net in front of him.

The Lightning made it 4-1 anyway when Steven Stamkos found the empty net on the power play with 42 seconds left.

NOTES: Former Red Sox pitcher Pedro Martinez was the honorary fan banner captain, waving a Bruins flag before the game. He was also showed several times on the scoreboard trying to get the fans fired up. ... Brad Marchand picked up a second-period slashing penalty and had to be forcibly steered to the penalty box by a linesman while he argued the call. ... The Lightning won for just the 10th time in 54 visits to TD Garden. Tampa Bay is 13-9 all-time in Game 3s and 7-5 in Game 3s on the road.

MIDLAND HUMANE COALITION
5/03 6:30-8:30 Microchip Clinic at Beer Garden's Yappy Hour
5/07 6:00 Adoption Center Volunteer Orientation, PetSmart
5/13 9:00-11:00 Shot & Microchip Clinic at Ulmer Park
6/16 am 4th Annual Hot Dog Run 5K and 1 Mile

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ROCKHOUNDS REPORT

HOOKS 8
ROCKHOUNDS 3
At Security Bank Ballpark

TOP HITTERS: Hooks left fielder Yordan Alvarez was 2-for-3 with two home runs, three RBI, two walks and two runs scored. ... Also for Corpus Christi, Taylor Jones went 4-for-5 with two RBI; Lorenzo Quintana was 3-for-4 with two RBI and Josh Rojas went 2-for-3 with a double, a triple, an RBI, two runs scored and a walk.

TOP PITCHER: Corpus Christi's Akeem Bostick notched his first save after firing four shutout innings of two-hit ball. Bostick struck out three and walked two.

HIGHLIGHTS: Alvarez's two-run homer in the top of the first pushed Corpus Christi to a 2-0 lead. ... Midland answered with three runs in the bottom of the first, as Tyler Ramirez had an RBI triple, Tyler Marincov provided an RBI single and Seth Brown drove home a run on a groundout. ... The Hooks took a 4-3 lead in the third when Jones singled home two, and pushed their advantage to 5-3 when Quintana had an RBI single. ...Corpus Christi went up 7-3 in the eighth, as Rojas had an RBI triple and Quintana added an run-scoring single.

NOTES: Wednesday's 11 a.m. start was Safety Awareness Day, as the game was attended by students from area grade schools. ... The Hooks tied the four-game series at 1-1. The four-game series continues at 7 p.m. today.

TODAY'S PROBABLES: Corpus Christi – RHP Corbin Martin (first start); Midland – RHP Kyle Friedrichs (1-1, 6.87).

TL standings

North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Tulsa (Dodgers)	15	10	.600	—
Springfield (Cardinals)	14	10	.583	½
Arkansas (Manners)	12	12	.500	2½
NW Arkansas (Royals)	8	17	.320	7

South Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Antonio (Padres)	16	10	.615	—
Corpus Christi (Astros)	16	10	.615	—
Midland (Athletics)	**14**	**12**	**.538**	**2**
Frisco (Rangers)	6	20	.231	10

Wednesday's scores
Corpus Christi 8, Midland 3
San Antonio 5, Frisco 2
Springfield 7, Northwest Arkansas 2
Arkansas 5, Tulsa 3

Today's Games
Corpus Christi at Midland, 7 p.m.
San Antonio at Frisco, 7:05 p.m.
Arkansas at Tulsa, 7:05 p.m.
Springfield at Northwest Arkansas, 7:05 p.m.

HOOKS 8, ROCKHOUNDS 3

Corpus	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Straw rf	5	1	1	0	Verbigan lf	5	0	1	0
Wrenn cf	4	2	1	0	Sportman 3b	4	1	1	0
Alvarez lf	3	2	2	3	Ramirez cf	4	1	1	1
Jones 1b	5	0	4	2	Marincov rf	4	1	1	1
Birk 2b	5	0	2	0	Siddall dh	3	0	1	0
Cesar 3b	5	1	1	0	M. White 2b	2	0	0	0
Rojas dh	3	2	2	1	Brown 1b	4	0	1	1
Quintana c	4	0	3	2	Martin ss	4	0	0	0
De Goti ss	4	0	1	0	Chavez c	4	0	1	0
Totals	**38**	**8**	**17**	**8**	**Totals**	**34**	**3**	**7**	**3**

Corpus Christi.....202 100 021--8
Midland.....300 000 000--3

E – Cesar (8). DP – Midland 2. LOB – Corpus Christi 7, Midland 7. 2B – Straw (3), Rojas (1), Cesar (7), Sportman (4). 3B – De Goti (2), Rojas (1), Ramirez (2). HR – Alvarez 2 (6). CS – Birk (1), Quintana (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Corpus Christi						
Quala W, 2-2	5.0	5	3	3	0	2
Bostick S, 1	4.0	2	0	0	2	3
Midland						
Ruiz L, 2-2	6.2	11	5	5	3	2
Gorman	1.1	4	2	2	0	0
Cochran-Gill	1.0	2	1	1	0	0

WP – Bostick 2. HBP – by Ruiz (Wrenn), by Quala (M. White)
T – 2:31. A – 3,908.

'HOUNDS

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a good hitter. He has good plate discipline."

Alvarez, who brings an intimidating presence to the plate with his 6-foot-5, 225-pound frame, is ranked as the No. 3 prospect in the Astros' system by the publication Baseball America.

"I usually have a good approach going to left field," Alvarez said through a translator. "The pitchers were pitching me away today so it kind of ran into my approach and I drove the ball well to left field."

Alvarez said his hitting approach was ingrained in him growing up in Cuba.

"In Cuba, a lot of people use the opposite field and they work on that a lot," Alvarez said. "I also hit the ball to all fields too so it's not just to left field."

On defense, Alvarez threw out Mikey White on a play at home for an assist following a single to left by Midland's Seth Brown in the sixth inning.

"I don't get offended (when someone runs on me), it's part of the game," Alvarez said. "They're trying to do their job and I'm trying to do my job. When I get a chance to throw someone out, I'm going to throw them out."

Alvarez has played 19 games in left, one at first base for the Hooks this season.

Because his bat is his calling card, the Astros want to improve his defensive options by getting him more time at first base.

"Left field is what he has been playing since spring training," Lopez said. "We want to start to give him more time soon at first base because he played a little bit of it last year."

Alvarez was signed in 2016 by the Los Angeles Dodgers for a reported $2 million signing bonus.

Forty-five days after signing, the Astros acquired Alvarez from the Dodgers in a trade, and he's made a quick assent through their farm system despite getting acclimated to a new culture.

Alvarez said Wednesday that the language barrier was the most difficult adjustment for him.

In his first full season, the outfielder hit a blistering .360 with nine home runs, 33 RBI and a 1.175 OPS in 32 games for low Single-A Quad Cities before cooling off during a promotion to high Single-A Buies Creek, where he hit .277 with three home runs and a .722 OPS over 58 games. Lopez said Alvarez had to adjust to the 142-game minor league season, which is much more grueling compared to the 90-game Cuban campaign.

"He worked extremely hard to be physically ready to play 100 something games and that's what I think we want to see from Yordan Alvarez, a little bit more consistency throughout the season," Lopez said.

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MLB ROUNDUP

American League

INDIANS 12
RANGERS 4

CLEVELAND — Edwin Encarnacion homered three times and drove in six runs, helping Corey Kluber and the Cleveland Indians beat the Texas Rangers 12-4 on Wednesday.

Encarnacion hit a three-homer in the first, a two-run shot in the second and a solo drive in the eighth. The designated hitter leads the team with nine homers despite a .191 batting average.

Jason Kipnis and Francisco Lindor also connected in Cleveland's highest scoring game of the season. Kipnis' three-run shot in the second was his first of the season.

Kluber (5-1) allowed three solo homers in seven innings in his fifth straight win. The reigning AL Cy Young Award winner struck out six and walked none.

YANKEES 4
ASTROS 0

HOUSTON — Luis Severino pitched a five-hit shutout with 10 strikeouts for his first career complete game, Giancarlo Stanton homered twice and drove in four runs, and the New York Yankees beat the World Series champion Houston Astros 4-0 for the second consecutive night Wednesday.

Stanton hit a two-run homer to right field that just made it over the wall in the first inning. He added a solo homer to left off Yankees nemesis Dallas Keuchel (1-5) in the fourth and tacked on an RBI double in the eighth.

Severino (5-1) walked one and threw 110 pitches in his 60th major league start, earning his third straight win. He was still throwing 99 mph in the ninth inning as he polished off New York's third complete game over the last three seasons.

The 24-year-old righty became the youngest Yankees pitcher to toss a shutout since Sterling Hitchcock, who was also 24, in 1995.

RED SOX 5
ROYALS 4

BOSTON — Mookie Betts belted three solo homers and J.D. Martinez also went deep, powering the Boston Red Sox to a 5-4 victory over the Kansas City Royals on Wednesday.

It was the fourth three-homer game for the 25-year-old Betts, who snapped a tie with Hall of Famer Ted Williams for most three-homer games in franchise history. Betts also became the first player in major league history with four three-homer games before turning 26, according to STATS.

AL East-leading Boston won for the third time in four games after losing 7-6 in 13 innings on Tuesday night.

Cheslor Cuthbert homered for Kansas City, and Drew Butera had a two-run double. The Royals were trying for consecutive wins for just the second time this season.

TWINS 4
BLUE JAYS 0

MINNEAPOLIS — Fernando Romero kept Toronto scoreless while pitching into the sixth inning of his major league debut for Minnesota, giving the Twins a badly needed boost in a 4-0 victory over the Toronto Blue Jays on Wednesday.

Eddie Rosario homered for the Twins, who won for only the second time in their last 13 games. Romero (1-0) was a big reason why, striking out five in 5 2/3 innings while allowing four hits and three walks. Four relievers preserved the shutout, allowing only two singles the rest of the way.

TIGERS 3
RAYS 2
12 INNINGS

DETROIT — JaCoby Jones led off the 12th inning with a triple and scored on John Hicks' bunt single, lifting the Detroit Tigers to a 3-2 win over the Tampa Bay Rays on Wednesday.

Hicks bunted toward first and the Rays didn't have a chance to make a play at the plate. First baseman Brad Miller fielded the ball and collided with right-hander Matt Andriese (0-1).

Warwick Saupold (1-0) got three outs for the win, striking out two. He combined with five other relievers for six scoreless innings, yielding just two hits.

Tampa Bay left-hander Blake Snell was pulled after he surrendered James McCann's tying solo homer with two out in the seventh. Snell, who had won his previous four starts, gave up five hits, struck out four and walked one.

National League

ROCKIES 11
CUBS 2

CHICAGO — Nolan Arenado hit two of Colorado's four homers and drove in five runs to back Tyler Anderson and lift the Rockies to an 11-2 victory over the Chicago Cubs on Wednesday.

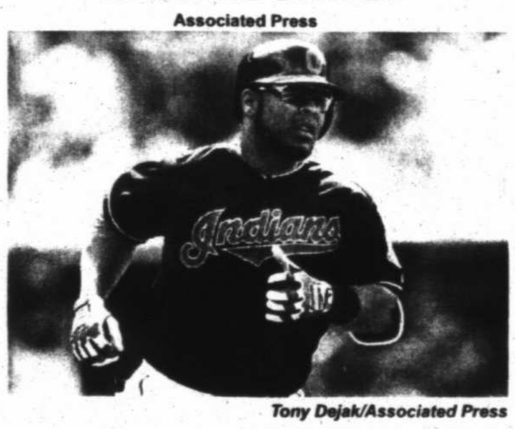
Arenado hit a long two-run homer to center off Yu Darvish in the first inning. He connected again in the eighth, hitting a three-run drive to left off Luke Farrell.

Trevor Story led off the fifth with a long homer to left, and Chris Iannetta chased Darvish one out later with a solo drive that made it 6-1.

Anderson (2-0) pitched a season-high seven innings after leaving his previous start because he was feeling light-headed. The left-hander struck out a season-high nine while permitting two runs and three hits.

Anthony Rizzo homered in the fourth and Kris Bryant went deep in the sixth, but that was it for Chicago. The Cubs finished with four hits in their eighth consecutive game with three or fewer runs.

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Cleveland Indians' Edwin Encarnacion runs the bases after hitting a solo home run off Texas Rangers relief pitcher Jesse Chavez in the eighth inning Wednesday, in Cleveland.

GIANTS 9
PADRES 4

SAN FRANCISCO — Nick Hundley homered, doubled and matched his career high with four hits, Brandon Crawford broke out of a lengthy slump with three RBIs and the San Francisco Giants beat the San Diego Padres 9-4 on Wednesday.

Austin Jackson added two hits and two RBIs and Derek Holland pitched five innings for his first win of the season for San Francisco.

The Giants finished 7-3 on their homestand and celebrated left-handed reliever Will Smith's first appearance in the big leagues in nearly 19 months after undergoing Tommy John surgery on March 30, 2017. Smith pitched one scoreless inning.

BRAVES 7
METS 0

NEW YORK — Jacob deGrom was pulled after four dominant innings with a hyperextended right elbow, and the Atlanta Braves broke out against the bullpen to back a stellar start by Sean Newcomb and beat the New York Mets 7-0 Wednesday night.

DeGrom got 12 outs on 46 pitches and pitched smoothly through the heart of Atlanta's order in his final inning. Yet he was replaced by Paul Sewald to begin the fifth. The Mets telecast showed deGrom marching frustrated back to the clubhouse, glove-hand on his head.

Atlanta also had an injury concern when shortstop Dansby Swanson was lifted in the sixth inning with a sore left wrist. The Braves said it was a precautionary measure.

BREWERS 3
REDS 1

CINCINNATI — Christian Yelich homered, Wade Miley pitched six effective innings in his Milwaukee debut and the Brewers swept the sloppy Cincinnati Reds with a 3-1 win on Wednesday night.

Yelich hit a tiebreaking drive to right off Luis Castillo (1-4) in the fifth. It was his first homer since April 22 and No. 3 in his first season with Milwaukee.

Miley (1-0) allowed three hits, struck out four and walked three. The veteran left-hander agreed to a minor league deal with the Brewers in February and was promoted ahead of the finale of the three-game set, replacing Brent Suter in the rotation.

It was Miley's first major league win since Aug. 27 for Baltimore. He went 0-5 with a 9.74 ERA in his last five starts with the Orioles last season.

Dan Jennings got three outs before Jeremy Jeffress worked two innings for this second save in two nights.

Cincinnati committed three errors while slipping to 7-24, matching the franchise's worst 31-game start. It also lost 24 of its first 31 games in 1931 and 1934.

Castillo allowed nine hits in six innings, but permitted just two runs. He struck out seven and walked one.

Devin Mesoraco doubled in Eugenio Suarez in the fourth, but that was it for the Reds. They finished with just four hits.

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NATIONALS 9
PIRATES 3

WASHINGTON — Bryce Harper hit a leadoff homer and drove in three runs, Stephen Strasburg struck out 11 and the Washington Nationals beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 9-3 on Wednesday night for their fourth straight win.

Matt Adams clubbed his third homer in two games for Washington. Strasburg (3-3) allowed three runs — two earned — and seven hits in seven innings.

Batting at the top of the lineup for the second straight game, Harper sent a first-inning pitch from Ivan Nova (2-2) into the second deck in right-center for his 10th homer this season and second in two nights.

PHILLIES 6
MARLINS 0

MIAMI — Aaron Nola allowed four hits in 7 1/3 innings to lead the Philadelphia Phillies to a 6-0 victory over the Miami Marlins on Wednesday night.

Cesar Hernandez led off the game with a home run and Maikel Franco had two doubles and drove in a run for the Phillies, who snapped a season-high, four-game losing streak.

Nola (4-1) retired 17 consecutive batters at one point. He walked one and struck out seven.

Jose Urena (0-5) remained winless in his last nine starts dating to last season despite allowing two runs, one earned, in seven innings.

Interleague

CARDINALS 3
WHITE SOX 2

ST. LOUIS — Carlos Martinez hit his first major league home run and also threw 7 1-3 effective innings to lead the St. Louis Cardinals to a 3-2 win over the Chicago White Sox on Wednesday.

Dexter Fowler added a two-run homer for the Cardinals, who won their second game in a row.

Chicago has dropped four straight and 13 of 17. The White Sox fell to a season-low 12 games under .500.

Martinez (3-1) hit a 407-foot shot off Lucas Giolito (1-4) with two outs in the sixth to break a scoreless tie. Martinez allowed one run on five hits and left with a 3-0 lead. He struck out five and walked two. The Cardinals have won each of his six starts.

Giolito surrendered three runs on four hits over 6 1-3 innings. He struck out seven and walked two. He had walked 21 batters and struck out 11 over his first five starts.

SUNDBERG

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today within FCA fully applied to being a successful backstop — being a great teammate and a dependable leader chief among them.

Sundberg caught for the Kansas City Royals in their seven-game 1985 World Series title and also spent time catching for the Milwaukee Brewers and Chicago Cubs. He returned to the Rangers for a final year and half before retiring as a player in 1989.

"You're the only person that has the entire view of the field. Everybody else has some part of the field behind them," said Sundberg, who finished his career with 95 home runs and 647 RBI. "It's about communication with the pitcher, helping him get through (a lineup), moving an infielder when you think a hitter will hit the ball to them, communicating with the manager. It's kind of (about) leading and guiding. A lot of those things with leadership have to do with being behind the plate."

Now, Sundberg, currently in remission from an August 2016 diagnosis of prostate cancer, is continuously teaching others that there is much more to life than just winning and losing in sports.

He says what is even more significant than the final result is competing for the right purpose and prioritizing what is important to one's self and to others.

For Sundberg's decades-long impact in his community both during and after his career, the Rangers' community service award is aptly named the "Jim Sundberg Community Service Award."

"I don't think I've ever asked (God) to win a game, except maybe one (Game 7 of the 1985 World Series)," Sundberg said. "During the national anthem I always prayed that I my abilities would flow, that I would enjoy it, the guys would stay healthy and let the ability flow for His glory.

"I've never seen God as one who thinks about winning, but he thinks about gift giving and character building. Gift giving means sometimes you win and character building means sometimes you lose. There is an opportunity to build character on both sides of the score."

LOCAL ATHLETES HONORED: Twelve Midland County student athletes and coaches were awarded scholarships at Wednesday's ceremonies.

Lee senior linebacker and Air Force signee Isaiah Nunez, as well as Midland Christian senior girls basketball forward Blaire Neatherlin were named Permian Basin's FCA's Impact Players of the Year.

Also earning scholarships were Greenwood's Cade Bracey in football; Midland Classical's Makenna Beattie in basketball; Midland High's Allison Stewart in tennis; MCA's Jaxson Bayley in baseball; MHS' Mia Bejil in cross country; Greenwood's Brett Liles in track and field; MHS' Mollie Wright in swimming and diving and MHS tennis coach Carmen Stewart was chosen as the Coach of the Year.

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MLB GLANCE

Standings

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	22	8	.733	—
New York	20	10	.667	2
Toronto	17	13	.567	5
Tampa Bay	13	16	.448	8½
Baltimore	8	21	.276	13½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	16	13	.552	—
Detroit	13	16	.448	3
Minnesota	10	16	.385	4½
Chicago	8	20	.286	7½
Kansas City	8	22	.267	8½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	20	12	.625	—
Seattle	17	11	.607	1
Los Angeles	17	12	.586	1½
Oakland	14	15	.483	4½
Texas	12	20	.375	8

National League

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	18	11	.621	—
New York	17	11	.607	½
Philadelphia	17	13	.567	1½
Washington	15	16	.484	4
Miami	11	19	.367	7½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	19	13	.594	—
St. Louis	17	12	.586	½
Chicago	16	12	.571	1
Pittsburgh	17	14	.548	1½
Cincinnati	7	24	.226	11½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	21	8	.724	—
Colorado	17	15	.531	5½
San Francisco	16	15	.516	6
Los Angeles	12	17	.414	9
San Diego	11	21	.344	11½

American League
Wednesday's scores
Boston 5, Kansas City 4
Detroit 3, Tampa Bay 2, 12 innings
Minnesota 4, Toronto 0
Cleveland 12, Texas 4
St. Louis 3, Chicago White Sox 2
N.Y. Yankees 4, Houston 0
Baltimore at L.A. Angels, late
Oakland at Seattle, late

Today's games
Toronto (Garcia 2-2) at Cleveland (Carrasco 4-1), 12:10 p.m., 1st game
N.Y. Yankees (Tanaka 4-2) at Houston (McCullers 4-1), 1:10 p.m.
Detroit (Fiers 2-2) at Kansas City (Skoglund 1-2), 1:15 p.m.
Toronto (Biagini 0-0) at Cleveland (Plutko 0-0), 3:40 p.m., 2nd game
Boston (Price 2-3) at Texas (Minor 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Odorizzi 2-2) at Chicago White Sox (Lopez 0-2), 7:10 p.m.
Baltimore (Tillman 1-4) at L.A. Angels (Richards 3-1), 9:07 p.m.
Oakland (Manaea 4-2) at Seattle (LeBlanc 0-0), 9:10 p.m.

National League
Wednesday's scores
St. Louis 3, Chicago White Sox 2
Colorado 11, Chicago Cubs 2
San Francisco 9, San Diego 4
Washington 9, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 7, N.Y. Mets 0
Milwaukee 3, Cincinnati 1
Philadelphia 6, Miami 0
L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, late

Today's games
Pittsburgh (Williams 4-1) at Washington (Hellickson 0-0), 12:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Teheran 1-1) at N.Y. Mets (Vargas 0-1), 12:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Wood 0-0) at Arizona (Corbin 4-0), 2:40 p.m.

Texas boxes

INDIANS 12, RANGERS 4

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	Cleveland	ab	r	h	bi
DShields cf	4	0	1	0	R.Davis cf	2	1	1	1
Choo dh	4	0	2	1	Zimmer ph-cf	2	0	0	0
Profar ss	4	0	0	0	Kipnis 2b	4	2	2	3
Mazara rf	3	1	1	1	Lindor ss	5	3	3	1
R.Nunez pr	0	0	0	0	Bentley lf	5	1	2	1
Gallo lf	3	1	1	1	Naquin rf	0	0	0	0
Rua lf	1	0	0	0	Encarnac dh	5	3	3	6
Kiv-Fl 3b	4	0	0	0	Alonso 1b	4	0	0	0
Guzman 1b	4	0	1	0	Guyer rf-lf	4	1	1	0
Contreo c	3	1	1	1	R.Perez c	3	0	0	0
Robinson 2b	3	1	1	0	E.Gnzal 3b	4	1	3	0
Totals	33	4	8	4	Totals	39	12	19	12

Texas.....011 000 110—4
Cleveland.....401 000 02x—12

DP—Cleveland 2. LOB—Texas 3, Cleveland 6. 2B—Robinson (2), Kipnis (8), Bentley (8), Guyer (4), E.Gonzalez (1). 3B—E.Gonzalez (1). HR—Mazara (5), Gallo (10), Contreo (1), Kipnis (1), Lindor (6), Encarnacion 3 (9). SF—R.Davis (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
Moore L,1-4	4	11	10	10	2	1
Gardenhire	2	3	0	0	0	1
Chavez	2	2	2	2	0	3
Cleveland						
Kluber W,5-1	7	6	3	3	0	6
Otero	1	2	1	1	0	0
Taylor	1	0	0	0	1	1

HBP—by Gardenhire (Bentley).
T—2:41. A—15,057 (38,225).

YANKEES 4, ASTROS 0

New York	ab	r	h	bi	Houston	ab	r	h	bi
A.Hicks cf	5	1	1	0	Springer dh	4	0	0	0
Judge rf	4	0	1	0	Altuve 2b	4	0	1	0
Gregrus ss	4	1	1	0	Correa ss	4	0	0	0
Stanton lf	4	2	3	4	Gurriel 1b	4	0	1	0
G.Sanch dh	3	0	0	0	Reddick rf	4	0	2	0
Austin 1b	3	0	0	0	Bregman 3b	4	0	1	0
N.Wlker ph-1b	1	0	0	0	Ma.Gnza lf	2	0	0	0
Andujar 3b	4	0	0	0	Stassi c	2	0	0	0
Au.Rmne c	4	0	1	0	B.McCnn ph-c	1	0	0	0
G.Tres 2b	4	0	2	0	Fisher cf	3	0	0	0
Totals	**36**	**4**	**9**	**4**	**Totals**	**32**	**0**	**5**	**0**

New York.....200 100 010—4
Houston.....000 000 000—0

E—Bregman (4). DP—Houston 1. LOB—New York 6, Houston 6. 2B—A.Hicks (3), Judge (7), Stanton (6), Au.Romine (2), Reddick (2). HR—Stanton 2 (7). SB—A.Hicks (3).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
New York						
Severino W,5-1	9	5	0	0	1	10
Houston						
Keuchel L,1-5	7	6	3	3	0	5
Rondon	2-3	2	1	1	1	1
McHugh	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	1

T—2:31. A—31,617 (41,168).

Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE

RED SOX 5, ROYALS 4
Kansas City.....120 000010—4 10 0
Boston.....000 31010x—5 10 0
D.Duffy, Keller (7) and Butera; Pomeranz, Kelly (7), Barnes (8), Kimbrel (9) and Leon. W—Pomeranz 1-1. L—D.Duffy 0-4. Sv—Kimbrel (8). HRs—Kansas City, Cuthbert (3). Boston, Betts 3 (11), Martinez (6).

TWINS 4, BLUE JAYS 0
Toronto.....000 000000—0 6 1
Minnesota.....011 00002x—4 9 0
Stroman, Loup (8), Ramirez (8) and Martin; Romero, Hildenberger (6), Duke (7), Reed (8), Rodney (9) and J.Castro. W—Romero 1-0. L—Stroman 0-4. HRs—Minnesota, Rosario (5).

TIGERS 3, RAYS 2 (12 innings)
Tampa Bay.....110 000 000000—2 8 0
Detroit.....000 010 100001—3 9 0
Snell, Roe (7), Alvarado (8), Romo (9), Kittredge (10), Andriese (11) and Ramos; Fulmer, Wilson (7), Stumpf (8), Jimenez (8), Greene (9), Farmer (10), Saupold (12) and McCann. W—Saupold 1-0. L—Andriese 0-1. HRs—Detroit, McCann (3).

INTERLEAGUE

CARDINALS 3, WHITE SOX 2
Chicago.....000 000 020—2 6 1
St. Louis.....000 001 20x—3 4 0
Giolito, Bummer (7), Beck (8) and Narvaez; C.Martinez, Leone (8), Norris (8) and Molina. W—C.Martinez 3-1. L—Giolito 1-4. Sv—Norris (6). HRs—St. Louis, Fowler (4), Martinez (1).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

ROCKIES 11, CUBS 2
Colorado.....211 020 050— 11 15 2
Chicago.....000 101 000— 2 4 2
Ty.Anderson, McGee (8), Musgrave (9) and Iannetta; Darvish, Duensing (5), Montgomery (6), Farrell (8) and Contreras, Caratini. W—Ty.Anderson 2-0. L—Darvish 0-3. HRs—Colorado, Arenado 2 (7), Iannetta (3), Story (7). Chicago, Rizzo (3), Bryant (3).

GIANTS 9, PADRES 4
San Diego.....002 010 001—4 8 1
San Francisco.....302 202 00x—9 14 1
Richard, Erlin (5), Lyles (6), Maton (8) and Ellis; Holland, Johnson (6), W.Smith (7), Gearrin (8), Shelton (9), Dyson (9) and Hundley. W—Holland 1-3. L—Richard 1-4. HRs—San Diego, Bazzar (1). San Francisco, Hundley (3).

BRAVES 7, METS 0
Atlanta.....000 001 240—7 11 0
New York.....000 000 000—0 3 0
Newcomb, S.Freeman (6), Maylon (9) and Flowers; deGrom, Sewald (5), Gsellman (6), A.Ramos (9) and Lobaton. W—Newcomb 2-1. L—Sewald 0-2. HRs—Atlanta, Inciarte (1), Camargo (2), Flaherty (2).

BREWERS 3, REDS 1
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Cincinnati.....000 100 000—1 4 3
Miley, Jennings (7), Jeffress (8) and Pina, Bandy; Castillo, Garrett (7), Hughes (8), Peralta (9), R.Iglesias (9) and Maseroma. W—Miley 1-0. L—Castillo 1-4. Sv—Jeffress (2). HRs—Milwaukee, Yelich (3).

NATIONALS 9, PIRATES 3
Pittsburgh.....101 001 000—3 9 1
Washington.....201 141 00x—9 14 1
Nova, Crick (5), Baach (7) and Cervelli; Strasburg, Gott (8), Treinen (9) and Severino. W—Strasburg 3-3. L—Nova 3-2. HRs—Pittsburgh, Cervelli (5). Washington, Adams (8), Harper (10).

PHILLIES 6, MARLINS 0
Philadelphia.....110 000 022—6 12 0
Miami.....000 000 000—0 5 1
Nola, Morgan (8), Garcia (8), Neris (9) and Alfaro; Urena, Tazawa (6), Peters (9) and Realmuto. W—Nola 4-1. L—Urena 0-5. HRs—Philadelphia, Hernandez (5).

GREENWOOD

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freshman for Greenwood.

"She did a good job," Curry said of Dove. "I know she was nervous at that point. It seems like forever ago, but she knew then that was going to be her role, so she embraced it and went with it."

Since that time, Dove has blossomed into the Rangerettes' ace.

Dove attacks opposing batters with an assortment of pitches that includes a fastball, a rise, a drop and a changeup, which she calls her most improved offering and her strikeout pitch.

"I've grown in my skill a lot since freshman year and also my mental game," Dove said. "I'm a lot more confident in my pitching and in myself than I had been in my freshman year. It's been refreshing to know that I can go out there and get the job done and my team can be behind me."

Throughout her entire Greenwood career, Dove has had only one catcher – fellow senior Payslee Sims – guiding her through the games.

Sims and Dove have both signed to play for Sul Ross State, so their unique battery will continue in college.

"We have a special relationship," Dove said of Sims. "We have been playing for so long together, for us to be able to go into Sul Ross together, it's just really awesome. I think it's going to be really good.

"I think I started pitching to her whenever we first started playing. As long as I can remember, she has been catching for me."

The Rangerettes will be trying to stave off elimination against the Loboettes, and Dove has the poise and even-keel demeanor to handle the pressure.

"Kyndall is our mild mannered player," Curry said. "She just does her thing. She doesn't show a ton of emotion. She knows what her job is. She knows what her expectations are and that makes it very to coach. She already has all these expectations for herself, so you don't have to lean on her that much or add to it."

Dove, a National Honor Society student who loves science and plans to major in biology in college, is trying to soak in the entire playoff experience, knowing she just has three weeks left until graduation.

"The last time we made it to this round was my freshman year," Dove said. "It's pretty awesome to continue on and keep playing and keep coming to practice. We've been doing very well. I'm really proud of us."

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CLASS 4A AREA PLAYOFF SERIES
GREENWOOD VS. LEVELLAND

When/where: Game 1: 5 p.m. today; Game 2: 5 p.m. Saturday; *Game 3: 30 minutes after Game 2 if needed; Snyder High School, Snyder

Records/seeds: Greenwood 17-13-3, No. 4 seed in 4-4A; Levelland 21-13-1, No. 2 in 2-4A

Last series: Greenwood 2, Fabens 0, bi-district; Levelland 2, Borger 0, bi-district

Notes: The Lady Loboettes rolled past Borger, winning 13-1 and 14-0 in last week's bi-district series. "They're scrappy," Curry said. "They remind me a lot of us from what I have gathered. It seems the pitching might be a bit like we saw this past weekend. I know they're aggressive. We've played against that and I think we will be prepared for that." ... The Rangerettes could only muster four runs in their final two District 4-4A games against fellow playoff teams Fort Stockton and Andrews, but they exploded for 10 runs in the series clinching win over Fabens. "Offensively, I was never so pleased," Curry said. "We've been kind of struggling in that area because we like to overthink. We've been really focusing on a coaching staff to get them to have fun and go hit the ball, just play and don't think about it. They fundamentally are able to do it, it's just in their head. The last several games you can see it start to come along. Saturday they just put on an exhibition and it was really fun to watch and it was fun to coach. We were able to steal, were able to do a lot the fun stuff that we were doing at the beginning of the year. So if we keep that up, that will be our bread and butter for sure." ... Greenwood out-scored Fabens, 14-1, in its bi-district series victory. "They played probably their best games they've played all year, which tells me they are very driven, they want to prove a point and that they're peaking at the right time and this is the time to peak," Curry said.

Next: Winner plays Fort Stockton-Pampa winner, TBA, regional quarterfinal

HS BASEBALL/SOFTBALL PAIRINGS

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL
CLASS 6A
(x-if necessary)
BI-DISTRICT

Fort Worth Paschal (21-8, W4) vs. Weatherford (16-12, F3) at Justin Northwest: Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 11:30 a.m. Saturday

El Paso Franklin (21-11, R1) vs. Lee (17-13, T2) at McCanlies Field, Odessa: Game 1, 4:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11:30 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Keller (20-6, W3) vs. Mansfield (15-9, F4) at North Crowley: Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 2 p.m. Saturday

Odessa Permian (23-12, R2) vs. El Paso Socorro (25-8, T1) at Carlsbad, N.M.: Game 1, 8 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 4 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Waco Midway (25-7, W8) vs. Grand Prairie (17-12, F7): Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday, Midway; Game 2, 5:30 p.m. Friday, Grand Prairie; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Hurst Bell (19-9, R5) vs. McKinney Boyd (16-14, T8) at Plano John Paul II: Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday

Cedar Hill (13-8, W7) vs. Belton (12-14, F8): Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday, Belton; Game 2, 2 p.m. Saturday, Cedar Hill; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2

Plano West (16-12, R6) vs. Flower Mound Marcus (21-9, T5): Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Plano West; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Marcus; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday, site TBA.

Wolfforth Frenship (27-5, W2) vs. El Paso Coronado (20-12, F4) at Pecos: Game 1, 1 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2

Keller Timber Creek (23-9, R3) vs. Arlington Martin (16-9, T4): Game 1, 8 p.m. Thursday, AirHog Stadium, Grand Prairie; Game 2, 8 p.m. Friday, AirHog Stadium, Grand Prairie; x-Game 3, 11 a.m. Saturday, North Crowley

El Paso Americas (24-6, W1) vs. Odessa High (22-9, F2) at Zachery Field: Game 1, 4:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Arlington High (19-8, R4) vs. Abilene High (18-11, T3) at Hoskins Field, Wichita Falls: Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Allen (22-8, W5) vs. Trophy Club Nelson (10-15, F5): Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Allen; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nelson; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday, Allen.

South Grand Prairie (21-7, R7) vs. San Angelo Central (15-19, T8) at Eastland: Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 1; x-Game 3, 11 a.m. Saturday

Southlake Carroll (24-6, W5) vs. Plano (19-11, F6): Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday, AirHog Stadium, Grand Prairie; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday, AirHog Stadium, Grand Prairie; x-Game 3, noon Saturday, Dallas Jesuit.

Copperas Cove (23-4, R8) vs. Irving MacArthur (19-11, T7) at West: Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday.

CLASS 4A
BI-DISTRICT

Pecos (17-8-2, W4) vs. Clint Mountain View (1-8, F3), 7 p.m. Friday, Pecos.

Perryton (13-15, R1) vs. Denver City (15-12-1, T2) at Canyon Randall: Game 1, 2 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Clint (18-6-1, W3) vs. Andrews (12-14-1, F4) at Van Horn: Game 1, 1 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 1; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday.

Lubbock Estacado (17-14, R2) vs. Pampa (17-8, T1) at Plainview HS: Game 1, 1 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Godley (21-1, W8) vs. Mineral Wells (10-15, F7) at Brock: Game 1, 4:30 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, noon Saturday.

Sweetwater (13-12, R5) vs. Burkburnett (16-9, T6): Game 1, 4 p.m. Thursday, Crutcher Scott Field, Abilene; Game 2, 4 p.m. Friday, Iowa Park; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Kennedale (20-5-1, W7) vs. Glen Rose (14-10, F8): Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday, Kennedale; Game 2, noon Saturday, Glen Rose; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Vernon (12-9-2, R6) vs. Brownwood (17-10, T5), 6 p.m. Saturday, Crutcher Scott Field, Abilene.

Levelland (17-14, W2) vs. Dalhart (9-15-1, F1): Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday, Lubbock Cooper; Game 2, 2 p.m. Saturday, Stinnett West Texas; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

San Elizario (14-13, R3) vs. Monahans (14-14, T4) at Veterans Memorial Complex, Hobbs, N.M.: Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Bushland (24-4, W1) vs. Lamesa (15-11, F2) at Lubbock Cooper: Game 1, 1 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 1; x-Game 3, 11 a.m. Saturday

Greenwood (18-14-2, R4) vs. Fabens (3-6, T3), 7 p.m. Friday, Greenwood.

Iowa Park (23-1, W6) vs. Snyder (10-17-1, F5), 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Brock.

Benbrook (16-12, R7) vs. Stephenville (13-12-2, T8) at Cleburne: Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Abilene Wylie (19-3-1, W5) vs. Graham (16-13-1, F8): Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday, Graham; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday, Abilene Wylie; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Midlothian Heritage (18-5, R6) vs. Fort Worth Castleberry (18-6-1, T7) at White Settlement Brewer: Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

CLASS 3A PLAYOFFS
(x-if necessary)
BI-DISTRICT

Wall (22-5-1, W4) vs. Kermit (8-15, F3), 7 p.m. Thursday, Foster Field, San Angelo.

Childress (12-16-1, R1) vs. Slaton (13-10, T2) at Ralls: Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Alpine (14-6-1, W3) vs. San Angelo TLCA (13-13, F4), 7 p.m. Friday, Crane.

Idalou (14-14-1, R2) vs. Dimmitt (7-12, T1), 7 p.m. Friday, Littlefield.

Holliday (18-7, W6) vs. Tolar (8-13, F7), 5 p.m. Friday, Graham.

Coahoma (19-12-2, R5) vs. Dublin (8-11, T6) at Hawley: Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Brock (23-2-1, W7) vs. Paradise (10-13, F8) at Weatherford College: Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Comanche (10-6, R6) vs. Tuscola Jim Ned (17-9-1, T5), 6 p.m. Thursday, Eastland.

Shallowater (24-1-3, W2) vs. Amarillo River Road (8-17, F1) at Littlefield: Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 4 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 2 p.m. Saturday.

Presidio (7-10-1, R3) vs. Ballinger (11-11-1, T4), 7 p.m. Thursday, Crane.

Tulia (18-4, W1) vs. Lubbock Roosevelt (8-16, F2) at Lubbock Christian: Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 3 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Reagan County (21-5, R4) vs. Tornillo (5-8, T3) at Fort Stockton: Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 4 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Brady (16-4-1, W6) vs. Merkel (9-10, F5) at Brownwood: Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Peaster (19-5, R7) vs. Boyd (15-14-1, T8) at Graford: Game 1, 4:30 p.m. Friday; Game 2, time 4:30 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Clyde (22-3, W5) vs. Bangs (7-13, F6), 7 p.m. Thursday, Crutcher Scott Field, Abilene.

Jacksboro (14-12-1, R8) vs. Breckenridge (17-10, T7) at Graford: Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

CLASS 2A PLAYOFFS
(x-if necessary)
BI-DISTRICT

Post (19-1-1, W4) vs. Lockney (20-7, F3): Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday, Post; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday, Lockney; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Stinnett West Texas (14-5, R1) vs. Claude (6-13, T2), 7 p.m. Friday, Stinnett.

New Deal (21-2, W3) vs. Smyer (10-7, F4) at Levelland: Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 1; x-Game 3, noon Saturday

Wellington (6-3, R2) vs. Sanford-Fritch (1-8, T1), TBD

Albany (13-2-3, W8) vs. Winters (4-15, F7) at Walt Driggers Field, Abilene: Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 3, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Anthony (6-10, R5), bye.

De Leon (17-2, W7) vs. Haskell (8-10, F8): Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday, Haskell; Game 2, noon Saturday, De Leon; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Fort Hancock (3-4, T5), bye.

Clarendon 25, Boys Ranch 1

Abernathy (18-5, R3) vs. Tahoka (13-8, T4) at Lubbock Christian: Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 9:30 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Gruver (16-7, W1) vs. Memphis (8-11, F2), 6 p.m. Wednesday, Stinnett West Texas.

Sundown (13-5, R4) vs. Floydada (16-10-1, T3) at Westerner Field, Lubbock: Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following conclusion of Game 2.

Forsan (6-11-1, W6) vs. Van Horn (3-8, F5), 6 p.m. Friday, Monahans.

Miles (R7) vs. Stanford (10-10, T8) at Hermleigh: Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 1 p.m. Saturday.

McCamey (11-8, W5), bye.

Hawley (20-5, R8) vs. Goldthwaite (T7), 2 p.m. Saturday, Walt Driggers Field, Abilene.

TAPPS
Division II
BI-District

Midland Christian (18-11-1, R1) vs. Austin St. Michael's, 7 p.m. Thursday, Austin

Division IV
BI-District

Midland Classical 10, Dallas Lakehills Prep 4

Area

Midland Classical vs. Denton Calvary, 5 p.m. Thursday, Denton

HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL
CLASS 6A
(x-if necessary)
AREA

Mansfield (27-0-1, W4) vs. Odessa High (23-6-1, T2), Wells Field, Abilene Christian University; Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 6 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, noon Saturday.

Keller High (27-2-1, W3) vs. Wolfforth Frenship (24-9, R2) 4 p.m. Friday, Coahoma H.S.

Belton (W8) vs. Wylie (17-3, T6), Glen Rose HS: Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday; Game 2, 7:30 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 2 p.m. Saturday

Duncanville (23-1-1, W7) vs. Denton Guyer (22-3-2, R6), 7:30 p.m. Friday, Southlake Carroll HS.

Odessa Permian (29-2, W2) vs. Keller Timber Creek (18-6, R3), Wells Field, Abilene Christian University; Game 1, 4 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 4 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 10 a.m. Saturday.

El Paso Coronado (30-4, W1) vs. Abilene High (14-12, T3),Ratliff Softball Complex; Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, TBA Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Plano (21-3, W6) vs. South Grand Prairie (17-10-1, R7), 7 p.m. Thursday, Highland Park HS.

Flower Mound (23-7-2, W5) vs. Waco Midway (22-5, R8), Cleburne; Game 1, 5 p.m. Wednesday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

CLASS 4A
(x-if necessary)
AREA

Fort Stockton (W4) vs. Pampa (R1), Lubbock: Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Greenwood (17-13-3) vs. Levelland (19-13-1, R2), Snyder; Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Alvarado (20-6, W8) vs. Brownwood (20-6-1, R5), Brock; Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Godley (14-9, F8) vs. Vernon (20-3, R6), TBA; One game, 6 p.m. Thursday.

Seminole (14-5, W2) vs. Monahans (25-9, T4), Jal (N.M.) HS; Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Bushland (W1) vs. Andrews (15-13-2, R4), Lubbock Coronado; Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Graham (23-6, W6) vs. Stephenville (12-5-1, T8), Mineral Wells; Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 6 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Big Spring (12-6-1, W5) vs. Venus (15-7-1, R8), Hawley; Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

CLASS 3A
AREA

Wall (21-5-1, W4) vs. Idalou (T2), Snyder: Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Alpine (22-10, W3) vs. Slaton (R2), Stanton HS: Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Henrietta (17-6, W8) vs. Coahoma (18-3, R5), Albany; Game 1, 6 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 2 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Brock (25-5, W7) vs. Merkel (12-9), Game 1, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Hawley HS; Game 2, 2 p.m. Saturday, Graford HS; x-Game 3, 30 minutes after Game 2, Graford HS.

Shallowater (W2) vs. Presidio (R3), Crane HS; Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Amarillo River Road (23-2, W1) vs. Ballinger (12-7, F4), Lubbock-Cooper; Game 1, 7 p.m. Friday; Game 2, noon Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Colorado City (8-12, F5) vs. Eastland (R7), Hawley; Game 1, 5 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 7 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Clyde (24-4, W5) vs. Wichita Falls City View (R8); Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday, Iowa Park; Game 2, 8 p.m. Friday, Abilene Christian; x-Game 3, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Graford.

CLASS 2A
AREA

Sundown (F3) vs. Floydada (13-8, T2), Lubbock High; Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 2 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Post (15-4, W3) vs. Ralls (18-7-1, R2), Lubbock Estacado; Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 6 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, noon Saturday.

Windthorst-Anson winner vs. Miles (R5), TBD

Albany (19-7, W7) vs. Ozona (T5), Coahoma; One game, 6 p.m. Thursday

Abernathy (14-3, W2) vs. Forsan (13-17, R3), Sundown; Game 1, 6 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 1 p.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

New Deal (F2) vs. Tahoka (16-12, T3), TBD

Junction (7-18, F5) vs. Hawley (20-8, R7), Junction; Game 1, 7 p.m. Thursday; Game 2, 5 p.m. Friday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

Mason (12-5, W3) vs. Petrolia (22-9, R6), Trent; Game 1, 5 p.m. Friday; Game 2, 11 a.m. Saturday; x-Game 3, 30 minutes following Game 2.

TAPPS
Division II
BI-district

Midland Christian (5-21) vs. Austin Hyde Park (15-4), 5 p.m. Friday, Leander Rouse

HS BASEBALL PLAYOFF CAPSULES

TAPPS DIVISION II BI-DISTRICT
MIDLAND CHRISTIAN VS. AUSTIN ST. MICHAEL'S

When/where: 7 p.m. Today, Austin St. Michael's High School, Austin

Records/seeds: MCS 18-11-1, No. 2 seed out of TAPPS Division II District I; St. Michael's 15-10-3, No. 1 seed out of TAPPS Division II District 4

Notes: The Mustangs clinched the No. 2 seed playoff courtesy of a 5-3 win over Fort Worth Christian last Saturday at Security Bank Ballpark. The win secured the MCS a 2-1 season series tiebreaker against the Cardinals, as well as a first round bye ... Austin St. Michael's, the TAPPS Division II District 4 champion, is coming off a bye, but dropped its regular season finale to Austin Hyde Park, 8-6 on April 27. ... MCS head coach Mike Robles said today's one-game playoff will come down to his team executing the same things he's been preaching all season long. "We're going to go out, play clean defense, throw strikes, play for each other and take care of the ball," Robles said. ... Robles said he expects the Crusaders to start senior pitcher and 2017 first team all-state selection Rorik Maltrud today and added that offensively, St. Michael's tends to play small ball to manufacture offense. ... MCS is returning to the postseason for the first time since 2016, when the Mustangs fell to Houston Second Baptist in the TAPPS Division II state championship. Four MCS seniors – Zac Tilton, Hunter Robertson, Quinn Kenney and Josh Brown – were on that Mustangs squad.

Next: Winner plays TBA in TAPPS Division II state quarterfinal

TAPPS DIVISION IV AREA
MIDLAND CLASSICAL VS. DENTON CALVARY CHRISTIAN

When/where: 5 p.m. Today, Denton

Records/seeds: MCA 6-10, No. 4 seed out of TAPPS Division IV District I; Calvary Christian 12-10, No. 1 seed out of TAPPS Division IV District I

Notes: The Knights topped Dallas Lake Hills Prep, 10-4 in the bi-district round on Monday. ... MCA recovered just in time to make the playoffs for the second time in the last four seasons. The Knights dropped six of their first eight district games, but rallied to win their final three, including a thrilling 14-13 victory at Abilene Christian on April 24. ... First year head coach Charlie McMillian said the key for his team's late season turnaround was competing with greater confidence in all phases of the game. "I would say (the key) was playing with more confidence, playing loose and freely, going up to the plate not hoping they'll hit, but knowing they'll hit," McMillian said. "The guys really came through in the field and at the plate." ... McMillian said Denton Calvary, the District I champion, is a talented team with consistency and plenty of experience. But he added that his players believe in themselves. "We have a team of players who truly believe anything is possible," he said. "I don't think Calvary will take us lightly because they are a great team. But we don't have anything to lose."... Denton Calvary defeated MCA, 21-6 in a district contest on April 14.

Next: Winner plays winner of Watauga Harvest Christian-Dallas Lutheran, TBA Saturday in TAPPS Division IV state quarterfinal

-Compiled by Will Korn

Coahoma holds Athletic Banquet

From staff reports

Zach Holmes and Joe Manning were both named Outstanding Male Athletes of the Year and Caitlyn Corley and MaKynlee Overton were named Outstanding Female Athletes of the Year at the 2018 Coahoma Athletic Banquet held Monday.

CHS honors one male and female athlete of the year but when the votes came in for both categories, it resulted in a tie.

Baseball and softball awards will be given out following the end of the playoff season.

The following awards were presented:

Outstanding Female Athletes of the Year: Caitlyn Corley and MaKynlee Overton

Outstanding Male Athletes of the Year: Zach Holmes and Joe Manning

Athletic Booster Club Scholarship Winners: MaKayla Overton, Alyssa Cardona, Mason Moore, and Logan Franklin.

Football: MVP - Adam Clark, Offensive MVP - Zack Schneider; Defensive MVP - Caimon Billingsley; Offensive Lineman of the Year - Rolando Ortiz; Defensive Lineman of the Year - Keegan Dobbs.

Volleyball: MVP - MaKayla Overton; Offensive MVP - Julia Mashburn; Defensive MVP - Julia Cox; Most Improved - Caitlyn Corley; Fighting Heart - Naughtia Rockwell; Newcomer of the Year - MaKynlee Overton.

Cross Country - MVP - Austyn Montgomery; Fighting Heart - Chris King.

Boys Basketball: MVP - Mason Moore; Offensive MVP - Bryson Cline; Defensive MVP - Gage Clark; New Comer of the Year - Gaige Hill; 6th Man - Zack Schneider; Hustle Award - Brice Martin; Most Improved - Joe Manning.

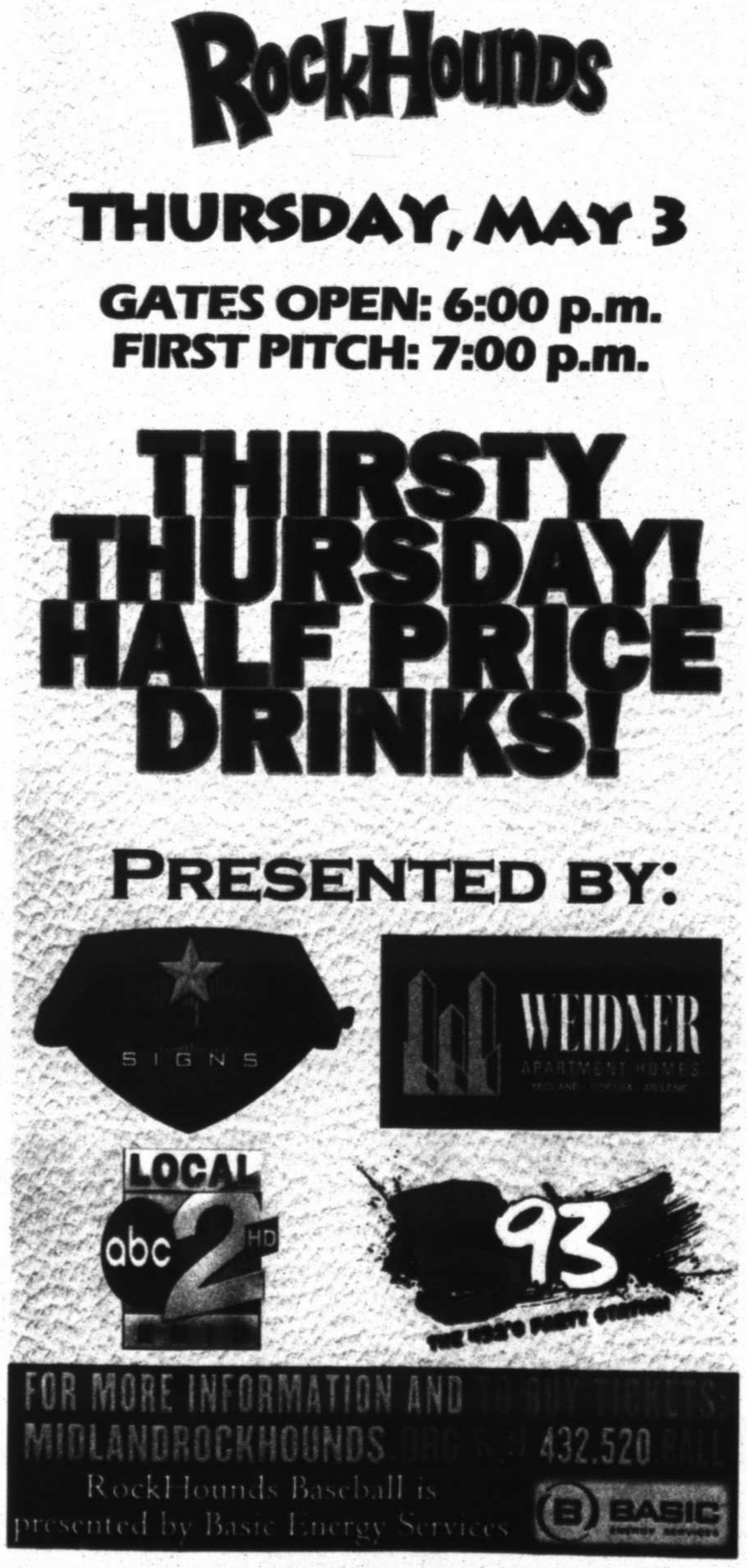
Girls Basketball: MVP - MaKynlee Overton; Offensive MVP - MaKayla Overton; Defensive MVP - MaKynlee Overton; Fighting Heart - Cailtyn Corley.

Powerlifting: Most Valuable Lifter - Girls, Cailey Glover; Most Valuable Lifter - Boys, Zach Holmes; Most Improved Lifter - Girls, Megan McDonald; Most Improved Lifter, Boys - Shane Deel.

Track: MVP Boys - Joe Manning; MVP Girls - Austyn Montgomery

Tennis: MVP - Girls, Cassie Gutierrez; MVP-Boys, Felix Cruz; Newcomer of the Year - Patrick Gutierrez

Golf: MVP - Boys, Mason Moore; MVP - Girls, Providence Dickson



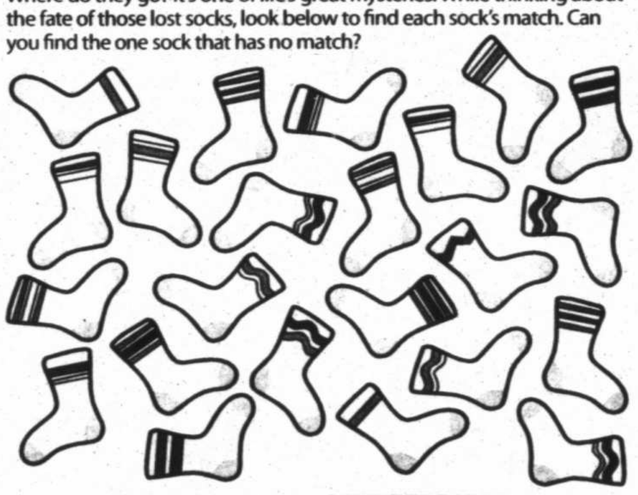
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Fun Days in May!

Check out some of these unusual holidays that you can celebrate in May.

MAY 7 National Lost Sock Day

You throw your dirty socks in the hamper. *(You **do**, don't you?)* But after washing, not every sock is found! Where do they go? It's one of life's great mysteries. While thinking about the fate of those lost socks, look below to find each sock's match. Can you find the one sock that has no match?



MAY 10 Clean Your Room Day

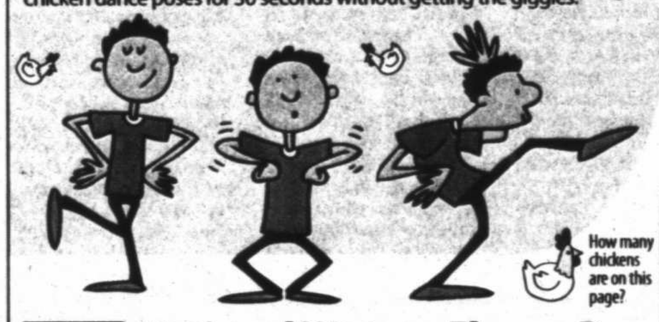
If your room has gotten out of control, spend this May 10 cleaning up your messy room. But first, help Chloe find the following things in this big pile of stuff from her room:

- ☐ 1 hairbrush
- ☐ 2 sneakers
- ☐ 3 pencils
- ☐ 6 books
- ☐ 6 baseballs
- ☐ 2 cups
- ☐ 4 paint brushes
- ☐ 2 Teddy bears
- ☐ 3 basketballs
- ☐ 8 crayons
- ☐ 2 dominoes
- ☐ 3 pans



MAY 14 Dance Like a Chicken Day

Fold your arms like wings, play your favorite music and dance like a funky chicken! Sure, it's silly. But it's really good eggs-ercise! With some friends, try to stand in these crazy chicken dance poses for 30 seconds without getting the giggles.



How many chickens are on this page?

MAY 18 National Pizza Party Day

Gather friends and family and order some pizzas. Or, make your own! Find your way through this maze to grab your slice of yummy pizza.

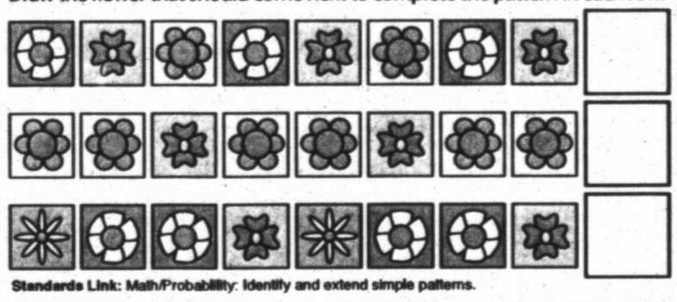


Extra! Extra!
May is National Hamburger Month!
Survey 15 friends to find out what topping they prefer on a hamburger. Create a graph to show the results.

Standards Link: Math/Data Analysis: Display results using a graph.

MAY 30 National Water a Flower Day

Go on a hike with your family. Bring along some extra water and give it to a wildflower you find along the way. Draw the flower that should come next to complete the pattern in each row.



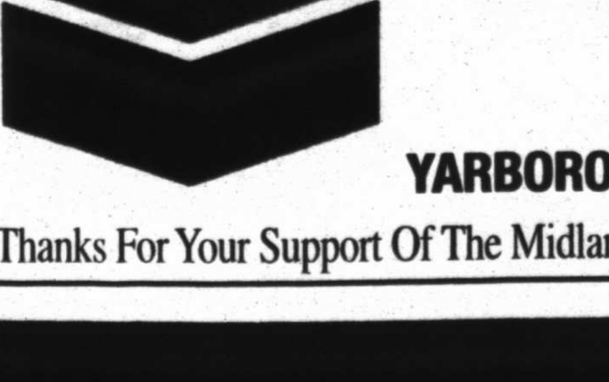
Standards Link: Math/Probability: Identify and extend simple patterns.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

MAY 5 Free Comic Book Day

Most comic book shops offer customers a free comic book the first Saturday in May. Visit your local comic book store and be sure to say a mighty, "Thank you!"

How many differences can you find between these two comics?



Kid Scoop Word Search

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.

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UNUSUAL
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FATE
FLOWER
SILLY
COMIC
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HIKE
MESSY
WATER
MAY
DANCE
ROW
FUN

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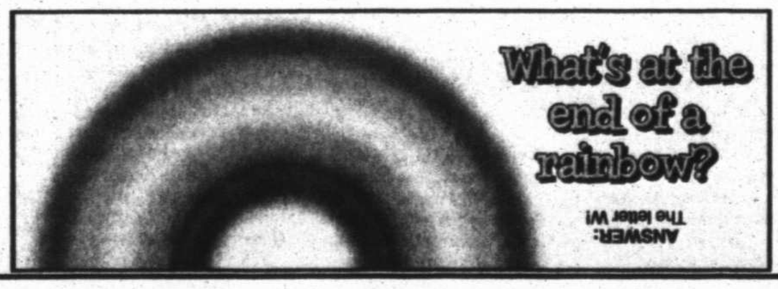
Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

May is Teacher Appreciation Month

Design a newspaper ad telling your teacher how much you appreciate him or her. Look at some ads in your newspaper for ideas.

Standards Link: Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.



Weekly Writing Corner

Animal Riddle

Students write a "Who am I?" riddle with three clues.

1. I slither. I bite. I'm poisonous. When I sense danger, I make a noise that sounds like a baby's toy. Who am I?

Olivia, 2nd grade

2. I have four legs. I have horns on my head. People come to a "fight" to see me. Who am I?

Amar, 1st grade

3. I can sting. I live in the water. I am not a mammal or a fish. What am I?

Dawson, 2nd grade

4. I can change my size, color and texture of my skin. I have a beak. If I lose an arm, I can grow another one. I am one of the fastest animals in the world. Animals in my family can be the size of a bee to about 60 feet long. Who am I?

Paul, 5th grade

5. I live in Antarctica. I slide on my stomach. I'm in a book with Mr. Popper. Who am I?

Ethan, 2nd grade

6. I live in the jungle. I roar and I am yellow. Who am I?

Havilyn 1st grade

7. I live in the deep part of the ocean. I generate electricity and use it against my enemies and prey. I can detect my prey from five miles away. What am I?

Alex, 2nd grade

8. I have no fur. I am pink and my tail is squiggly. I am fat. I eat anything! I can have lots of brothers and sisters. What am I?

Callie, 2nd grade

9. I am yellow. I play in the water and I quack. Who am I?

Megan, 2nd grade

10. I am a good swimmer and an endangered species. I have a poisonous foot. I am a semi-aquatic mammal. Who am I?

Mason, 2nd grade

11. I am a mammal. When you pet me I get happy. You can ride me. I wear shoes on my feet. What am I?

Taylor, 1st grade

Answers: 1 rattlesnake; 2 bull; 3 jellyfish; 4 squid; 5 penguin; 6 lion; 7 moray eel; 8 pig; 9 duck; 10 platypus; 11 horse.

Write On!

Water Games

Make up a game that includes water. It could be played in water or with water. It might use a hose or squirting device.

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San Francisco 49ers quarterback Colin Kaepernick, left, and safety Eric Reid kneel during the national anthem before a game against the Dallas Cowboys in 2016 in Santa Clara, Calif.

Unsigned safety Reid files collusion grievance against NFL

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The NFL players' union says former San Francisco 49ers safety Eric Reid filed a grievance against the league, alleging that he remains unsigned as a result of collusion by owners.

Reid, a Pro Bowler in 2013, had joined former teammate Colin Kaepernick two seasons ago in kneeling during the national anthem to protest police brutality and racial inequality.

Kaepernick wasn't signed for the 2017 season following his release in San Francisco. Reid continued the quarterback's protests. The 26-year-old safety became a free agent this offseason when his rookie contract with the 49ers expired.

"Our union is aware that Eric Reid and his legal representatives filed a collusion claim, which will be heard through the arbitration process as spelled out in our collective bargaining agreement," the NFL Players Association said in a statement Wednesday. "Our union supports Eric and we are considering other legal options to pursue."

Kaepernick previously filed a collusion grievance that is in the discovery stage. He deposed several league owners and executives, including Commissioner Roger Goodell. Reid is using the same attorneys as Kaepernick.

A league spokesman said Wednesday: "We are abiding by the confidentiality provision of the CBA and have no comment."

In March, Goodell was asked about Reid, one of the better players at his position in the NFL, not having a job.

"I've said this repeatedly to you: The 32 teams make individual decisions on the players who are going to best help their franchises," Goodell said. "Those are decisions they have to make. They do that every day in the best interest of winning. Teams make those decisions. I'm not directly involved with that."

Last month, Kaepernick praised Reid for continuing to make a stand for social justice when the quarterback was presented an Amnesty International award in Amsterdam.

TEXAS FISHING REPORT

CENTRAL

AUSTIN: Water stained; 65-72 degrees; 0.79 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on chatterbaits, on Texas rigs and weightless watermelon/red flukes. Sunfish are fair on cut nightcrawlers. Catfish are good on live bait and nightcrawlers.

BASTROP: Water stained; 76-80 degrees. Black bass are good on chartreuse/white soft plastics and Rat-L-Traps. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on nightcrawlers, shrimp, and chicken livers. Yellow catfish are slow.

BELTON: Water stained; 74-78 degrees; 2.29 feet low. Black bass are good on Rat-L-Traps and spinnerbaits. Hybrid striper are fair on live shad. White bass are fair on minnows. Crappie are fair on minnows under lights at night. Channel and blue catfish are good on shrimp and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines and throwlines baited with live perch.

BROWNWOOD: Water stained; 74-78 degrees; 4.46 feet low. Black bass are excellent on craw and shad colored crankbaits, chartreuse/white Rat-L-Traps, and shad colored SPINNERBAITS in 4-10 feet. Hybrid striper are slow. White bass are excellent on minnows and jigs off lighted docks at night in 1-8 feet. Crappie are good on minnows, and white or shad t/l Fishies. Channel and blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.

BUCHANAN: Water stained; 76-80 degrees; 2.23 feet low. Black bass are good on white/chartreuse spinnerbaits, pumpkin/chartreuse-tailed Whacky Sticks, and soft jerkbaits in 4-12 feet. Striped bass are good vertically jigging silver Park Minnows in 25-35 feet. White bass are good on Bleeding Shiner Tiny Traps and live minnows in 15-25 feet. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Channel catfish are good on live bait. Yellow and blue catfish are good on jugilines baited with live bait.

CANYON LAKE: Water stained; 75-79 degrees; 3.71 feet low. Black bass are good on jerkbaits, white Terminator spinnerbaits, and pumpkin Whacky Sticks in 4-10 feet. Striped bass are slow. White bass are slow. Smallmouth bass are good on smoke/red tubes and root beer curl tail grubs on ledges in 10-25 feet. Crappie are fair on live minnows upriver in 5-15 feet. Channel catfish are fair upriver. Yellow and blue catfish are good on juglines.

COLEMAN: Water stained; 73-77 degrees; 2.93 feet low. Black bass are good on dark soft plastic worms, lizards, and spinnerbaits. Hybrid striper are fair on live shad. Crappie are slow. Channel catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.

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

FAYETTE: Water murky. Black bass are fair on watermelon and chartreuse Carolina rigged soft plastics, crankbaits, and Rat-L-Traps. Channel and blue catfish are good on shrimp and shad.

GRANBURY: Water stained; 74-78 degrees; 0.43 feet low. Black bass are good on watermelon red soft plastics, spinnerbaits, crankbaits, and Rat-L-Traps. Striped bass are slow. White bass are slow. Crappie are fair on minnows. Catfish are slow.

GRANGER: Water stained; 75-79 degrees; 0.36 feet high. Black bass are slow. White bass are fair on small spinnerbaits and crankbaits. Crappie are fair on minnows upriver at night. Blue catfish are good on stinkbait. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch in the river.

LBJ: Water stained; 77-81 degrees; 0.80 feet low. Black bass are good on blue/white spinnerbaits, watermelon Whacky Sticks, and green pumpkin soft plastic jerkbaits. Striped bass are fair on Spoiler Shads early. White bass are fair on Spoiler Shads and chrome/blue Tiny Traps early. Crappie are good on blue tube jigs and live minnows. Channel catfish are good on live bait. Yellow and blue catfish are good on trotlines.

NAVARRO MILLS: Water stained; 73-77 degrees; 0.09 feet low. Black bass are fair on crankbaits and Rat-L-Traps along banks and near the dam. White bass are fair on slabs and spoons. Crappie are good on red/chartreuse and orange/chartreuse jigs and minnows. Channel catfish are slow. Blue catfish are fair on juglines baited with live bait. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with perch and goldfish.

PROCTOR: Water murky; 74-78 degrees; 2.58 feet low. Black bass are fair on chartreuse/black soft plastic worms and lizards. Striped bass are good on live shad and white striper jigs. White bass are slow. Crappie are fair on minnows and white tube jigs in 10-15 feet. Channel and blue catfish are fair on live shad. Yellow catfish are slow.

SOMERVILLE: Water murky; 75-79 degrees; 0.13 feet high. Black bass are fair on watermelon soft plastics and crankbaits. Hybrid striper are slow. White bass are fair on minnows and slabs. Crappie are good on minnows and chartreuse/white tube jigs. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and chicken livers. Yellow catfish are slow.

STILLHOUSE HOLLOW: Water murky; 73-77 degrees; 4.44 feet low. Black bass are good on pumpkinseed soft plastics and spinnerbaits. White bass are slow. Crappie are good on minnows and white tube jigs. Channel and blue catfish are fair on live bait. Yellow catfish are slow.

TRAVIS: Water stained; 74-78 degrees; 13.52 feet low. Black bass are good on smoke grubs and Baby Brush Hogs. Striped bass are slow. White bass are fair on chrome crankbaits and minnows in 10-20 feet. Crappie are good on minnows in 10-20 feet. Channel and blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.

WALTER E. LONG: Water murky. Black bass are slow. Hybrid striper are good on chartreuse striper jigs and silver spoons. White bass are fair on pet spoons. Crappie are good on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and punchbait. Yellow catfish are slow.

WHITNEY: Water stained; 72-76 degrees; 2.01 feet low. Black bass are good on green pumpkin spinnerbaits, crankbaits, and soft plastics. Striped bass are slow. White bass are fair on silver spoons and Charlie slabs. Crappie are fair on minnows. Catfish are good on live bait and frozen shrimp.

SOUTH

AMISTAD: Water murky; 78-82 degrees; 27.01 feet low. Black bass are very good on chartreuse soft plastics, spinnerbaits, swimbaits, and jigs. Striped bass are good on slabs, crankbaits, and jigging spoons. White bass are good on slabs, crankbaits, and jigging spoons. Crappie are good on live minnows and pink tube jigs. Catfish are fair on stinkbait, shrimp, and liver over baited holes. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines baited with live perch at night. Everyone in a boat must have a Mexico fishing license (if fishing the Mexico side) whether fishing or not.

WEST

ALAN HENRY: Water clear main lake, stained up the river; 62 degrees main lake, 67 up the creeks; 7.37 feet low. Black bass are fair on topwaters, weightless flukes, shaky/heads with trick worms, Senkos and chatterbaits. Crappie are slow on minnows. Catfish are slow on live perch and live worms.

ARROWHEAD: Water fairly clear; 62-67 degrees; 1.62 feet low. Black bass are fair on jigs, Texas rigs and chrome Rat-L-Traps. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are fair to good on cut bait and nightcrawlers.

COLORADO CITY: 16.49 feet low. After a period of drought, this lake caught water and boating is now allowed. However, it is not currently recommended for fishing due to severe golden alga blooms.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water off color; 61-66 degrees; 2.84 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on silver spinnerbaits, Texas rigs and jigs. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are good on live and cut bait.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water off color; 63-68 degrees; 3.8 feet low. Black bass are fair on white/chartreuse spinnerbaits, Texas rigs and weightless Senkos. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are good on live and cut bait.

NASWORTHY: 61-65 degrees; 1.12 feet low. Black bass are fair on watermelon seed jigs, Texas rigs and red Rat-L-Traps. No reports on crappie. Catfish are fair to good on live bait and nightcrawlers.

OAK CREEK: Water stained; 62-66 degrees; 11.69 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on Texas rigs, Senkos and orange/brown crankbaits. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are fair to good on live and cut bait.

O.H. IVIE: Water stained; 61-67 degrees; 39.77 feet low. Black bass are fair on split-shot rigged flukes, Texas rigs and chad pattern crankbaits. Crappie are fair to good on live minnows. Catfish are good on cut and live bait.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water fairly clear; 62-67 degrees; 1.27 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on drop shot rigs, Texas rigs and chrome Rat-L-Traps. Crappie are fair on live minnow. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Striped bass are fair on live shad. Catfish are good on live and cut bait.

SPENCE: 52.55 feet low. No report on black bass. No report on crappie. Catfish are fair on live bait, cut bait and nightcrawlers.

STAMFORD: Water stained to muddy; 61-65 degrees; 1.59 feet low. Black bass are fair to good on small swimbaits, Texas rigs and shallow running crankbaits. Crappie are fair on jigs and live minnows. White bass are fair on slabs and tail spinners. Blue catfish are good on cut and live bait.

SWEETWATER: Water off color; 61-67 degrees; 25.1 feet low. This lake is currently experiencing a fish kill due to golden alga. Biologists are monitoring the situation and will post updates as they become available.

WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 62-68 degrees; 23.06 feet low. Black bass are fair on chatterbaits and Texas rigs. No reports on crappie. Catfish are good on live bait.



Chuck Burton/Associated Press

Tiger Woods watches his tee shot on the 11th hole during the pro-am of the Wells Fargo Championship golf tournament at Quail Hollow Club Wednesday in Charlotte, N.C.

Woods ready to return to work at Quail Hollow

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Tiger Woods spent three months working toward one week in April.

The Masters has come and gone.

Woods took a small step back at Augusta National when he misfired with his iron play, didn't break par until the final round and tied for 32nd. He finished 16 shots back, his widest distance from the lead in 19 appearances at the Masters.

It was a big step forward for Patrick Reed, who slept three hours after winning his first major, woke up at 5 a.m. because he couldn't sleep and responded to 155 text messages and about 180 emails.

"Every one," he said with a big smile.

This is no time to rest. Golf shifts into overdrive starting Thursday with the Wells Fargo Championship at Quail Hollow, a course that hosted the PGA Championship last summer and boasts enough star players to make it feel like the next best thing to a major.

The Players Championship is the following week. Three major championships, starting with the U.S. Open at Shinnecock Hills, are played in a nine-week span.

"Building toward next week," Woods said. "Hopefully, I can have everything peak for this week and next week, but mainly next week. And after that, it's getting ready for Shinnecock."

Woods put a new set of irons in his bag for Quail Hollow, and in some respects, the course feels new. He hasn't played the Wells Fargo Championship since 2012, and while he won in 2007, he has missed the cut the last two times he played. It's the only golf course where he has missed the 36-hole cut twice.

Since then, and mainly for the PGA Championship, Quail Hollow combined the opening two holes into one long par 4 and built two new holes on the front nine. Since the last time he played, the 16th hole has been overhauled so that the green sits by the water.

"The golf course is much harder than it used to be, that's for sure," Woods said after his pro-am round Wednesday. "It's longer, but it's also more difficult."

Woods wasn't sure what to make of the Masters except that his irons were off. He had been building toward April, a phrase he used on more than one occasion from the onset of his return following a fourth back surgery. He was in the hunt on the front nine of the final round at the Honda Classic and came within one shot of a playoff at the Valspar Championship. He was one shot out of the lead with three holes to play at Bay Hill until hitting his tee shot out-of-bounds.

And then he never featured at Augusta National.

"I didn't hit my irons very good," Woods said. "If I did hit a green, I hit it above the hole, I hit it in the wrong spot. I had defensive putts for most of the days. I needed to be more precise and I wasn't. Still need to continue to work on it and try to get sharp, and hopefully this will be a good week."

Woods said he put his golf clubs in the closet for 10 days after the Masters, did some moderate weightlifting while staying flexible and then went back to work on his golf muscles and the speed of his swing.

"And I got them all back," he said.

Reed returned last week at the Zurich Classic, a team event he played with Patrick Cantlay, and tied for seventh. He was in awe of the green jacket, which he wore during a media tour in New York, to a Houston Astros game and even to fast-food restaurant.

Just don't get the idea that he is satisfied with his year.

Reed won't even buy into the notion that no matter what happens the rest of the year, this will be his best year. He won twice in 2014. He only has one trophy this year. That's how he measures success.

"I'm never going to settle," Reed said. "I'm not the type that just because I won one major means I'm done. I want to go out, compete and get that feeling more and more and try to win as many golf tournaments as I possibly can."

This would be a big one, because of the quality of the golf course and the field.

Rory McIlroy, Phil Mickelson and Rickie Fowler all are playing for the first time since the Masters. Justin Thomas has a chance to go to No. 1 in the world, and Quail Hollow is where he won the PGA Championship last August.

Woods is coming off a three-week break, his longest since he returned to the PGA Tour in January, and it was a welcome respite.

"I played a lot of golf heading into Augusta, more golf than I thought I would be able to play," he said. "It was nice to shut it down, reflect, analyze, sit back and try and figure out what's the best course of action going forward so I can win events."

Baffert back at Kentucky Derby with another favorite

By Beth Harris
Associated Press



Charlie Riedel/Associated Press

Trainer Bob Baffert watches a morning workout at Churchill Downs on Tuesday in Louisville, Ky. The 144th running of the Kentucky Derby is scheduled for Saturday.

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Bob Baffert is back at the Kentucky Derby with early favorite Justify after watching the race from his sofa in Southern California last year.

The Hall of Fame trainer's ability to produce Derby contenders year after year is an enviable feat and why his absence a year ago stood out. It was just his second since 2009 and occurred because his lone candidate got hurt.

Baffert will saddle Justify and 30-1 shot Solomini in Saturday's Derby.

Justify is one of the greenest colts Baffert has brought to Churchill Downs. He's won all three of his starts by a combined 19 lengths. If Justify wins, he'd be the first to do so since Apollo in 1882 without racing as a 2-year-old.

"The thing about the Kentucky Derby, you have to have the right horse. It just happens. You can't force it," Baffert said. "All of a sudden, you have good horses and you're there. So I've been really fortunate to have some really good horses."

Baffert's four victories are tied for second-most in Derby history. He's finished second three times, too, including in 2012 with Bodemeister, also the last time he had two starters in the same year.

Like Justify, Bodemeister didn't race as a 2-year-old. He set a blistering pace and led the Derby until the final 150 yards when I'll Have Another overtook him to win by 1 ½ lengths.

Magnum Moon, the 6-1 third choice, also is unbeaten and didn't run as a 2-year-old.

"It's going to happen," Baffert said, referring to the curse being broken. "Whether it happens this year or whatever, but it will happen because Bodemeister almost got away with it. But I don't really worry about that."

Baffert almost had a third starter this year until McKinzie developed a hind end issue that knocked him off the Derby trail.

"When McKinzie got hurt, I wanted to throw up," he said. "I really think McKinzie would probably be second choice here. We'd really have a 1-2 here."

Justify cleared the biggest pre-Derby hurdle by drawing the No. 7 post. Jockey Mike Smith can use the colt's early speed to position him well for the long run to the chaotic first turn. Solomini ended up in the No. 17 post; no horse has ever won from there.

Baffert turned 65 in January, making him eligible for Medicare and retirement at most other jobs. However, he entertains no such thoughts.

"I work hard at it. I just don't give up," the white-haired trainer said. "I'm constantly meeting people. They're sending me horses. If you don't have success, you're not going to get those opportunities."

After a successful run in the quarterhorse ranks, Baffert switched to thoroughbreds. He started with one horse.

"After 25 years, I'm finally getting horses that I don't have to buy," he said. "The big guys are sending me horses."

None was bigger than American Pharoah in 2015. The colt swept the Derby, Preakness and Belmont to become racing's first Triple Crown winner in 37 years.

Baffert has compared Justify to American Pharoah, citing the colt's imposing physical presence and big stride. Still, Justify has yet to encounter the kind of traffic the Derby's 20-horse stampede creates and the talent as he'll run against on Saturday.

"I'd rather have a really talented horse than one who's seasoned and just on par with the rest of them," Baffert said.

Early on, Baffert knew Justify had the goods.

"The first time I worked him at Santa Anita, I knew he was a really good horse," he said. "The track was really deep that morning, and he went around there effortlessly. His first race, he ran incredibly and showed how special he was."

That kind of intuition is what separates Baffert from his rivals, fellow Hall of Famer trainer D. Wayne Lukas said.

"Bob's got a great feel for it," he said.

THE MARKET IN REVIEW

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Name	Div	Last	Chg
A-B-C			
AES Corp	.52	12.19	-.02
AFLAC s	1.04	45.05	-.35
Ak Steel		4.30	-.02
AT&T Inc	2.00	d32.96	-.48
AbbottLab	1.12	57.85	-.97
AbbVie	3.84	f100.17	-1.70
AdaDvsEq	**1.32e**	**14.**	**.06**
AegeanMP	**.08**	**3.15**	**+ .**
Aegon	.25e	7.09	-.12
AlamosGld	.02	5.52	+.24
AlaskaAir	1.28	63.39	-2.05
Alcoa Cp		53.07	+1.08
Alibaba		181.45	+1.95
Allergan	2.88	f151.07	-1.87
AlldBern	2.57	e27.00	-.10
Allstate	1.84	f94.06	-4.14
AllyFincl	.52	26.48	+.16
AlpAlerMLP	1.35	e10.05	-.12
Altice n		d17.14	-.35
Altria	2.80	f55.69	-.34
Ambev	.05e	6.35	-.22
Amerisn	1.83	58.38	+.05
Ameriprise	3.60	f132.99	-6.06
AmerBrgn	1.52	92.18	+2.98
Ametek	.36	70.15	+.89
Anadarko	**1.00**	**f65.57**	**-.95**
Andeavor	2.36	f138.58	+5.10
AnglogldA		9.16	+.13
ABInBev	3.19	ed94.68-	2.91
Annaly	1.20	10.28	-.06
Apache	**1.00**	**f41.06**	**+.61**
Aptiv	**.22**	**90.03**	**+5.50**
ArcelorMit	n	10p33.70	+.53
ArchDan	1.34	f44.43	-.60
Archrock	.48	10.80	+.10
Arconic	.24	d17.37	-.31
AstraZen s	1.37	e35.54	-.60
ATMOS	**1.88**	**f86.97**	**+.14**
BB&T Cp	1.50	a52.86	-.21
BP PLC	**2.38**	**44.70**	**-.10**
BRF SA		6.96	-.27
B&W Ent n		2.38	-.02
BakHuGE	n	f27.35	.60	-.04
BallCorp s	.40	38.50	-.76
BcoBrad s	.06a	9.45	-.24
BcoSantSA	.21e	6.45	+.06
BkofAm	.48	29.58	-.37
BkNYMel	.96	53.99	-.20
Barclay		15e11.35	-.06
BBVAYSTR	n	40.65	-.30
Baxter s	.64	70.43	+.28
BerkHa A		**..290450.03-**	
2280.00			
BerkHl B		193.31	-1.80
BlkHillsCp	**1.90**	**f57.48**	**+.68**
BlackBerry		10.85	+.32
BlackHR	.96	26.72	-.98
Bdw&Ppl	.40	10.88	-.06
Boeing	6.84	324	19-5.35
Boc Inc n		23.63	+.35
Brinker	1.52	u46.44	+1.57
BrMySq	**1.60**	**f51.50**	**-1.19**
BristolM	1.10	14.60	-.24
Brookdale		7.19	-.04
BrownFA s	**.79**	**f51.05**	**-1.78**
BrownFB s		**53.74**	**-1.75**
Brunswick	.76	59.81	-.70
BungeLt	1.84	73.29	+1.65
CBL Assc	.80	m4.13	-.12
CBRE Grp		48.29	+.49
CF Indus s	1.20	39.07	+.40
CNX Resc	.04	15.15	+.25
CVS Health	2.00	65.94	-2.06
CabotO&G	.24	23.81	-.16
CallonPet		13.85	+.15
Cameco g	.40u	11.40	+.25
CampSp	1.40	39.95	-1.00
CampFdH n	**.54**	**26.91**	**-1.95**
CapOne	1.60	89.18	-.49
CardnlHlth	1.85	64.65	+1.05
Carnival	2.00	f62.85	-1.26
Caterpillar	3.12	143.86	-.56
Cemex		29	d5.96	-.11
Cemig pf		06e	2.17	-.03
CenovusE	.20	10.18	+.12
Centene s		**...u114.24**	**+5.47**
CenterPnt	1.11	25.46	+.02
CntryLink	2.16	18.49	
ChesEng		2.93	-.05
Chevron		**4.48**	**125.49**	**+.63**
ChicB&I	.28	16.27	+.54
Chicos	.34f	9.14	-.11
ChinaMble		.87	45.87	
-.43			
Cimarex	.64	98.51	-1.33
Cisco	1.32	f43.86	-.97
Citigroup	1.28	67.99	-.26
CocaCola	1.56	f42.06	-.53
CelgPalm	**1.68**	**f63.14**	**-1.86**
Comcast s	.76	f31.30	-.76
CmtyHlt		5.09	+1.12
ConAgra	.85	35.94	-.62
ConchoRes		u145.65	+2.75
Conduent n		18.98	-.47
ConocoPhil		**1.14**	**65.45**	
-.26			
ConstellA	2.96	f226.80	-2.88
ContlResrc		u65.91	+.19
Copel	.26e	7.33	+.19
Corning	.72	26.70	-.12
Coty	.50	16.20	-.70
CousPrp	.28f	9.07	+.12
CrosTim		**1.02e**	**13.33**	**-.02**
CrwnCastle	4.20	f100.82	-.04
CullenFr	2.68	f115.16	-.80
Cummins	4.32	d146.12-	7.16
D-E-F			
DDR Corp	.76	7.17	-.18
DR Horton	.50	43.61	-.63
DTE	3.53	f104.75	-.25
Deere	2.40	134.75	-.62
Delek	.60	48.32	+.97
DeltaAir	1.22	52.36	-.38
DenburyR		u3.40	+.14
DeutscBk	.48e	13.63	+.04
DevonE		**.24**	**38.23**	**+2.03**
Diebold		**.40**	**12.90**	**-2.50**
DirGBull rs		25.55	+.23
DirGMBl rs		09e	14.56	+.49
DirSPBear s			.29	.31
+.61			
DxSPOGBr rs			d8.25
-.23			
DirDGBr rs		24	11	-.14
DxSCBear rs			11.14
-.04			
DrxSPBull s		40	56	-.88
Disney		**1.68**	**f99.62**	**-.44**
Dominion		3.34	f66	19	-.08
DowDuPnt	1.52	63.49	+.43
DukeEnrgy	3.56	79.98	+.15
DukeRlty	.80	27.73	
EOG Resrcs		**.74**	**116.65**	
-.91			
EQT Corp	.12	49.79	-.43
Eaton	2.64	f72.82	-1.04
EldorGld g		**.02e**	**1.02**	**+.09**
EliLilly	2.25	f78.83	-.24
EmersonEl	1.94	d67.60	-1.38
EnbridgEPt		**1.40**	**9.36**	**-1.14**
EnCana g	.06	12.94	+.37
Egy9Eq s	1.22	16.00	+.14
EngyTrfPt	2.26	18.08	-.07
EnPro		**.96**	**73.97**	**-.89**
ENSCO	.04	5.78	+.26
EntProdPt		**1.71**	**f26.51**	**-.24**
EnvisnHld n		37.65	+.30
EqtexLdr		**1.52**	**132.39**	
-12.34			
Evertec		**.40**	**19.75**	**+1.25**
Exelon	1.38	f40.38	+.23
ExxonMbl		**3.28**	**f78.89**	**-.15**
FGL Hldg n		9.12	-.30
FairIsant		5.84	+.07
FastChrys		22.63	+.72
FstNatInfo	1.28	98.45	-1.17
FstBcpPR		u7.32	-.10
FstData n		18.10	-.14
FstHorizon	.48	18.38	-.03
FMajSilv g		6.74	+.19
FirstEngy	1.44	34.01	+.13
Fitbit n		5.50	
FlowersFds	.68	22.39	-.32
FordM	.60a	11.21	-.05
FrankRes	92	f32.53	-.50
FrptMcM	.20	15.11	+.16
G-H-I			
GATX		**1.76**	**f66.16**	**+.51**
GGP Inc	.88	19.57	-.36
Gallaghr	1.64	68.64	-1.27
GameStop	1.52	13.45	-.40
Gap	.97	f29.12	+.27
GAInv		**1.15e**	**33.30**	**-.33**
GenElec		**.48**	**14.18**	**+.13**
GenMills	1.96	d42.49	-1.06
GenMotors	1.52	36.20	-.22
GenuPrt	2.88	f87.94	-.74
Genworth		2.97	+.13
Gerdau	.02e	4.54	-.04
GlaxoSKln	2.89	e39.51	-.53
GoldFLtd	.02e	3.89	+.02
Goldcrp g	.24	13.37	+.02
GoldmanS	3.20	f234.05	-2.62
GraphPkg	.30	13.87	-.22
HCA Hldg		35p97.74	+1.54
HCP Inc	1.48	23.44	-.23
HP Inc	.53	21.55	-.27
Halliburtn		**.72**	**52.64**	**+.20**
Hanesbrds s	.60	d17.28	-.45
HarmonyG	.05	2.05	+.03
HartfdFn	1.00	52.29	-1.61
Hc2 Hldgs		**1.29**	**6.96**	**+1.79**
Hlthcare lr		1.22	24	93	-.42
HeclaM	.01e	3.87	+.02
HertzGl			**22.53**	**+1.30**
Hess	1.33	f57.61	-.04
HP Ent n	.56	f17.12	-.06
Hi-Crush	1.05e	12.60	+.45
Hilton	.60	79.45	-.79
HollyFront		**1.32**	**44.48**	**+4.62**
HomeDp	4.12	f185.91	
+1.28			
HostHotls	1.00a	19.43	-.10
Huntsmn	.60	f29.21	+.16
IAMGld g	1.52	f5.60	+.09
ICICI Bk	.16e	8.36	-.08
iShGold		12.53	
iShBrazil	67e	41.08	-.69
iShCanada	.48e	28.09	-.04
iShEMU	.86e	44.31	+.11
iShGermn	.60e	32.62	+.15
iSh HK	.61e	25.71	+.01
iShMexico	.78e	50.10	-.81
iShSilver		15.42	+.18
iShChinaLC	.87e	46.75	-.13
iSCorSP500	.4	.38e	264.97
-1.86			
iShUSAgBd	2.65e	105.67	
iShEMkts	.59e	46.32	-.37
iShBondG	3.87	f114.49	-.09
iSh20 yrT	3.05	f118.28	-.13
iS Eafe	1.96e	70.46	-.03
iShBxHYB	5.09	f85.37	-.03
iShR2K	1.77e	154.65	+.58
iShChina	.61e	66.82	-.17
iShREst	2.76e	75.91	-.26
iShHmCnst	.09e	38.42	-.51
iShCoreAgg	1.56	e66.49	-.04
Infosys	.40e	17.77	+.13
Intelsat			**12.31**	**-.72**
IntcntlExc s	.80	e72.38	+.04
IBM	6.28	f142.45	-2.55
IntPap	1.90	fd50.18	-.93
Interpublic	.84	f22.93	-.49
IntPotash		4.40	-.05
Invesco	1.16	f28.14	-.30
iShJapan rs		60.23	-.36
iSTaiwn rs		35.90	-.25
iShCorEM	95e	56.13	-.46
ItauUnibH		**.32e**	**13.76**	**-.73**
J-K-L			
JPMorgCh	2.24	f107.92	-.86
JohnJn		**3.60**	**f123.90**	
2.51			
JohnsCtrl n	1.04e	35.31	-.63
JoyglNwA		72	24.92	+.18
KKR	1.31e	21.50	+.10
Kellogg	2.16	d56.85	-2.10
Keycorp	.40	f19.76	-.15
KimbClk		**4.00**	**f101.07**	
2.14			
Kimco	1.12	14.43	-.35
KindMorg	.80	f16.16	+.14
Kinross g		3.94	
KnSwtFt rs	.24	39.35	+.34
Knowles		12.84	+.20
Kohls	2.44	f63.03	+1.04
Kroger s	.50	24.55	-.21
L Brands	2.40	d34.35	+.03
LamarCoPet		10.92	-.01
LVSands	3.00	75.25	+.39
LendingClb		2.65	-.02
LennarA	16	53.25	-.66
LeucNatl	40	24.28	+.22
LincNat	1.32	f67.72	-2.48
LloydBkg	.47a	3.49	-.04
LockhdM	8.00	305.70	-2.76
Lowes	1.64	83.96	+1.00
Lubys			**2.61**	**+.05**
LyonBass A	4.00	f104.75	+ 96
M-N-O			
MGIC Inv		10.41	-.20
MGM Rsts	.48	31.22	-.18
Macys	1.51	31.34	+.60
MadCatzInt		1.03	-.01
Manulife g	.44	18.18	-.65
MarathnO	.20	18.30	+.10
MarathPt s	1.19	78.56	+2.94
Masco	.42	37.73	-.77
MasterCrd	1.00a	185.82	
+5.57			
McCorm	2.08	f101.62	-3.08
McDrmInt		6.57	-.19
McDnlds	4.04	f160.68	-2.76
McKesHBOC		11.21	-.01
Medtronic	1.84	79.92	-1.09
Merck	1.92	57.30	-.68
MetLife	1.68	f45.05	-2.25
MobileTele	.53a	10.11	-.27
MolsCoorB		**1.64**	**d60.64**	
11.04			
Monsanto	2.16	125.20	-.41
MorgStan	1.00	51.70	-.11
Mosaic		30	m27.14	+.29
Mueller		40	27.73	+.59
MurphO	1.00	29.82	+.19
NCR Corp		**...**	**d27.89**	**-3.26**
NRG Egy		12	30.48	-.17
nVent Et n		u22	76	+.04
Nabors	.24	7.56	+.27
NOilVarco	.20	38.42	-.09
NatlGaSvcs		23	75	-.20
NewResid	2.00	f17.67	-.03
NY CmtyB	.68	11.94	+.08
NY Times		16	23.00	+.07
NewfldExp			**30**	**f26.85**	**-.20**
NewfldExp			**...**	**27.89**	**-2.19**
NewmtM		56	39.19	-.03
NextEraEn		4.44	f163.45	+ 23
NiSource s		78	25.38	+ 86
Nielsen plc	1.40	d30.21	-.53
Nikkeli s		.80	68.26	+.16
NobleCorp		.12	4.43	+.01
NobleEnrgy		44	33.07	
NokiaCp		19a	5.78	-.15
NorthropG	4.40	f307.16	-.06
NovaCruis		52	03	-1.83
NOW Inc			**...**	**13.84**	**+1.83**
NSTFI3			**.55a**	**14.52**	**-.02**
Nucor		1.11	59	+.27
NuanceCm		14	59	-.18
Nutanix n		52	10	+.19
NutriSyst	1.00	33.95	-.30
Nvidia		60	226.31	-.83
Oclaro		8	10	+.09
OfficeDpt	.10	2.31	-.01
Oktaa n		u44	58	+1.14
OnSmicnd		22	20	+.04
OpkoHlth		3	13	+.02
OraSure		17	80	+.06
P-Q-R			
PDC Engy		55.21	+1.08
PDL Bio	.20	2.98	-.01
Paccar	1.00	d62.17	-1.41
PanASlv		14f	16.49	+.32
Patterson	1.04	23.31	+.21
PattUTI		16f	21.83	+.33
Paychex	2.24f	60.82	-.40
PayPal n			71	73	-3.08
PnnNtlGm		30	57	-.01
PeopUtdF		70f	18.28	-.10
PepsiCo	3.71	f97.23	-1.90
PilgrimsP		21	43	-.18
PinnclEnt		32	26	-.09
PortolaPh		34	60	-1.06
PSOpYCmd		18	26	-.02
PwShs QQQ	1.52e	161.82	-.98
PriceTR	2.80	110.60	-.65
PrmEngy			**...**	**65.54**	**-1.46**
PrinFncl	2.08	d56.80	-1.50
PrUPQ s		145	39	-2.58
PShQQQ rs		17	37	+.28
Prothenx			**...**	**13.17**	**+1.61**
Qorvo		74	24	+2.44
Qualcom	2.48f	50	29	-.56
QuraltQVC	A	23	58	-.43
RPX Corp	.20	10.42	
RadRlsRa n		**.40**	**32.36**	**+2.16**
RetailOpp	.78	16.91	-.38
RigelPh		3	80	+.10
Roku n		33	36	+.39
RossStrs s	.90f	79.71	+.33
S-T-U			
SBA Com		155	85	-1.65
SLM Cp		11	44	-.07
SS&C Tch s	.28	48.30	-1.69
SabreHlc	1.80e	18.69	
SabreCorp	.56	23.28	-.27
SandsEPrs		**1.28**	**114.28**	**+.84**
SangTher		17	10	+.75
SeagateT	2.52	54.70	+.49
SeattGen		54	43	+1.91
SemiHous	1.56	15.61	-.08
ShutterSty			**...**	**u94.01**	
+12.96			
Sinclair		72	27	.65	-.45
SiriusXM		.04	6.32	
SkywksSol	1.28	91.36	+.46
Sprouts			24.39	+.12
Starbucks s	1.20	56.70	-1.43
StdyStAl n			4.60	-.15
StlDynam		.75f	44.70	+.58
StoneMart s		**.30**	**2.49**	**+.36**
Storicycle			59.42	+.73
Stratasys			**...**	**d17.86**	**-2.09**
Sunrun n			9.08	-.02
Symantec	.30	27.92	+.25
SynrgyPh			d1.49	
T-MobileUS			**...**	**66.97**	**-2.46**
TD Ameritr	.84	56.88	+.01
TalboTwo			104.68	+.58
TandmD rs			7.84	+.05
Tesla Inc			301	15+1.23
Textront		2.48	102.98	-.44
TimeWarner		**1.00**	**f**	**82**	**12-1.40**
TheStLnd			**...**	**.01**	**+.06**
TherapMD			5.89	+.13
TractSupp	1.08	68.20	+.44
Travsers			2.67	+.28
TripAdvis			38	30	+.77
Trivago n			4	55	+.25
21stCFoxA		.38	36.73	+.16
21stCFoxB		.36	36.13	+.01
UltPetro n			2.57	+.11
Umpqua		.80f	23.47	-.21
UBSI		**1.36**	**34.39**	**+.85**
UnumGrp		2.40	18.59	+.63
UrbnOtfit		.24f	91.80	+2.05
UrbanOut			39.81	+.18
V-W-X-Y-Z			
VEON	.28e	2.68	
Vanstorm			4.39	+.20
Vedxa				**169.43**	**+.15**
VerizonCm		2.36	f47.75	-1.07
Viacom			31	f27.11	-.84
ViacomB		.80	29.66	-.31
Vivot			9.62	+.31
VlpwrEnPt	1.92	e30.44	+1.39
Vivus			.48	-.68
Vodafone	1.77e	29.12	-.01
WalgBoots	1.80	63.65	-1.77
WalterCorp			116.33	+.83
Wendys Co	.34f	16.54	-.19
WernerEnt	.26	35.00	+.90
WDigital	2.00	76.77	-3.02
Windstrm rs	.80	1.63	+.17
WindsorTr	.12	10.89	+.40
Workday			126	37	+.75
Wynn	3.80f	f191.03	-.82
XcelEngy	1.44	46.54	-.11
Xilinx	1.44f	65.12	+.59
Yandex			34	25	+.82

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Name	Div	Last	Chg
A-B-C			
AGNC Inv	2.16	18.74	-.12
Abraxas		**...**	**2.85**	**-.03**
AcadiaHlt		**...**	**38.79**	
+3.01			
AcadiaPh			16.88	+.46
Achillion			3.69	-.09
ActivsBlz	.34f	68.39	+.59
AdobeSy		.22	1	10-2.98
AdamsT		71.65	+.81
Aaron Inc		**...**	**d12.55**	**-2.21**
Alexion		114.24	-4.38
AllscriptH		11.71	-.18
AlnylamP		90.02	-2.18
Alphabet C		1024	38.
12.93			
Alphabet A		1026	05.
14.70			
Alibaba		70	21	+.32
AmTrstFn	.34	13.05	
Amarin		2.89	+.09
Amazon		1569.68	
12.58			
AmAirlines	.40	42.24	-1.13
Amgen		**5.28**	**169.43**	**+.15**
AmicusTh		14.61	+.21
AnalogDev	1.92f	88.30	-.56
Apple Inc	2.92	f176.57	
+7.47			
ApldMatl	**.80f**	**58.53**	**-.38**
ApldOptoel		30.75	-.78
ArchCap		d78.93	-1.70
ArenaPh rs		**...**	**41.97**
+2.22			
AresCap	1.52	16.08	+.06
ArrayBio		13.73	-.15
ArrisInt		26.47	-.47
ArrowPhm		**...**	**7.14**	**+.71**
Autodesk		125.26	-1.80
AutoData	2.76	f122.06	
+3.26			
Avexis n		216.67	+.11
AvisBudg		48.98	
+1.04			
AxonEntpr		41.99	+.48
BGC Ptrs	.72	13.28	-.11
Baidu		249.80	-2.33
BallardPw		3.17	-.12
BedBath	.64f	17.50	+.13
Biogen		274.13	-.46
BioMarin		82.37	-3.79
BloomnBrg	.36	24.47	-.04
Broadcinc	7.00	228.74	-1.64
CA Inc	1.02	33.96	-1.01
CBOE Glb	1.08	106.79	-.50
CDK Global	.60	64.38	-.87
CDW Corp		**.84u78.06**	
+3.89			
CH Robinso	1.84	82.90	-7.75
CME Grp	2.80a	156.38	-.12
CSX	.88f	59.38	-.47
Cadence		39.97	-.37
CaesarsEnt		11.50	-.20
CarlyleGp	1.41e	20.90	-.10
Cantel n		20	15	+.21
CasaSys n		23.97	+.29
Celgene		86.90	-1.03
CelldexTh		79	+.02
CentAl		16.48	-.30
Cerner		57.94	-.87
ChartCm n		274.78	-4.62
ChkPoint		96.94	-1.54
Cirrus		38.34	+.45
Cisco	1.32f	43.86	-.97
CitrixSy s		u104.41	-.30
CleanEngy		**...**	**1.79**	**+.17**
Cognex s		.18	45.08	-1.04
CognizTch	.80f	61	38	-.44
Coherent			172.88	-3.24
Comcast s	.76f	d31.30	-.76
CommScpe		28.40	+.81
Costco	2.28f	194.00	-2.55
CrackerB	4.80	164.14	-2.17
Cray Inc		u27.80	
+3.45			
CSVlxSh rs		6.88	-.11
Cree Inc		39.37	+.41
Criteo SA		26.48	+.41
Ctrip.com s		41.34	-.12
CypSemi	.44	14.95	+.10
CyrusOne	1.84f	54.94	
+1.04			
D-E-F			
Dentsply	.35	50.59	-.05
Depomed		6.28	-.06
DexCom		74.31	+.82
DiamdAirl n		129.92	+.82
DiscInc A		23.59	-.43
DiscInc C		22.28	-.27
DishNetw h		33.33	-.10
DollarTree		98.21	+.28
DorchMtn	1.41a	17.95	+.35
E-Trade		u60.87	-.17
eBay s		37.18	-.85
ElectArts		118.94	-.88
EPR pf		30.86	-1.47
ElevenBio		**...**	**u3.22**	**+.31**
Endo Intl		5.65	-.14
Endocyte		10.34	+.75
EnvisnInt		6.39	+.08
EnvgXXII hs		4.63	+.07
Ericsson	.13a	7.44	-.07
Esperion		45.75	-24.75
EvineLive		**...**	**2.08**	**-.40**
ExpScripts		74	05	-1.82
ExtrOtfGs n		14.28	+.12
FiberTel		u2.70	+.01
Facebook		176.07	+2.21
Fastenal	1.48	49.16	-.20
FifthThird	.64	32.75	-.61
FindEngin	32f	44.50	
Finisar		16.30	+.57
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FstEye		18.55	+.17
FstSolar		68.02	+.51
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Fossil Grp		15.14	+.70
FredsInc	.24	d1.95	-.10
FrontC pf		**11.13**	**16.12**	**+3.13**
Frontr rs		**2.40**	**10.38**	**+2.23**
G-H-I			
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Incyte		81.05	-.20
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IntgDv		28.65	+.26
Intel	**1.20**	**52.31**	**-1.02**
InterDig	1.40	76.25	+.70
Intuit	1.56	185.93	-1.31
InvestBncp	.36	13.44	-.01
IonisPhm		42.74	+.11
IronwodPh		18.91	+.22
J-K-L			
JDcom		37.08	-.39
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KraftHnz n	2.50	d54.20	-1.50
KratosDef		9.92	-.07
LKQ Corp		30.27	
LamResrch	2.00	f189.52	-.87
LegacyRes		**...**	**5.98**	**+.31**
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LiveNtNova n		**...**	**63.38**	**+8.22**
lululemon gs		u89.74	+.04
Lumenhm n		**...**	**58.50**	**+5.88**
M-N-O			
MACOM		**...**	**28.01**	**+3.09**
MarinlA	1.32	f134.16	-3.44
MarvellTch	.24	20.56	+.24
Match n		**...**	**34.88**	**-2.13**
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MartiMed		**...**	**u49.89**	**+.99**
Michaels		18.70	-.31
Microchp	1.45	84.78	-.24
MicronT		45.89	-.90
Microsoft	1.68	93.51	-1.49
MidWstAr g		11.16	-.04
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Mosys		36.43	-.10
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MonstrBv s		52.72	-2.48
Mylan NV		**...**	**38.77**	**-2.81**
NII Hldg n		**...**	**2.77**	**-.05**
NIB Hldg h		**...**	**15.66**	**+1.09**
NXP Semi		102.72	-1.27
Nanostrtr		**...**	**u34.05**	**+7.89**
Nasdaq	1.76f	87.91	-1.10
Natlinstrm	.92	40.44	-.32
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Novavax		1.60	+.05
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Nvidia		60	226.31	-.83
Oclaro		8.10	+.09
OfficeDpt	.10	2.31	-.01
Okta n		u44	58	+1.14
OnSmicnd		22.20	+.04
OpkoHlth		3.13	+.02
OraSure		17.80	+.06
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EDUCATION-TRAINING

Instructor-Transportation Trainer

Midland College is seeking a Instructor- Transportation Trainer
Job Summary: The Transportation Trainer will provide instruction and train students in the classroom as well as in driving. The students will be provided with training and experience to obtain a Commercial Driver License.

Required Qualifications:
- High school diploma or equivalent
- Must possess a valid Texas Class "A" Commercial Driver License, good driving record, and be insurable on Midland College's insurance policy
- Three years' experience driving "over the road" (OTR) or local
- Experience in pre-trip/post trip inspections, coupling and uncoupling of equipment
- Computer literacy
- Knowledge of rules and regulations of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
- Knowledge of Double Clutching techniques and how to teach it as required by TXDPS
- Knowledge of air brake testing procedures and be able to instruct and execute
- Knowledge of Hours of Service Regulations and be able to log and teach log book entries as well as log book recap
- Ability to manage multiple tasks while providing close attention to detail
- Ability to work in cooperation with others and work a flexible schedule based on training needs
- Maintain a high level of record keeping, utilize creativity, and meet frequent deadlines
- Establish goals and maintain a high level of decision making
- Adaptable to a constantly changing environment
- Ability to move or lift/move up to 75 pounds, capable of climbing stairs, balancing, stooping, and repetitive twisting
- Must successfully pass a DOT physical and DOT drug test

EOE

Midland Independent School District

Midland Independent School District is seeking
Full-Time Math Teachers
at the following locations:
Lee High School, MAP/DDAEP, Alamo & Goddard Junior High School.

Provide students with appropriate learning activities and experiences designed to fulfill their potential for intellectual, emotional, physical, and social growth. Enable students to develop competencies and skills to function successfully in society.

Education:
Bachelor's degree from accredited college or university
Valid Texas teaching certificate

Experience:
Student Teaching, approved internship or approved Alternative Teacher Certification Program
Supervise assigned teacher assistant(s), if applicable.

Benefits include:
- Health Insurance: District pays for 100% for Employee Only - $0 cost to employee - Additional cost to the employee for family.
- Dental & Vision: We offer low monthly premiums.
- Texas Teacher Retirement System: Pay into a retirement pension.
- Voluntary Annuity: In addition to TRS, retirement plans such as 403(b), 457, or Roth Annuity Plans
- Voluntary Benefits: Disability, Accident, Bridge, Heart & Cancer plans and
- Flex Plans for Medical & Childcare

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HEALTHCARE

LVN

LVN -Full Time needed for Addiction medical clinic. Early morning hours. Medication Management, TB tests, blood draws, medical orders. Paid vacations, holidays, personal days. Routine travel between Midland and Odessa. No health insurance available. Please fax resume to 800-671-8364.

HOSPITALITY-TRAVEL

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Currently looking for Full-Time Maintenance. Experience needed. Apply in person at: **Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 5309 W Loop 250 N, Midland, TX. 79707.**

MANAGEMENT-EXECUTIVE

Assistant Manager

Westlake ACE Hardware has an immediate opening for an Assistant Manager. Our managers must have leadership and operations experience, but above all they must be able to coach our associates and make them successful. Previous retail manager experience required. High School/GED required.

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OTHER JOBS

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Apply in person at Jones Bros. Dirt & Paving Contractors, Inc.
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Odessa, Texas 79761

Midland

Midland Independent School District is seeking
Full-Time
Registered Nurse (RN)/District Wide

Educational/Certification:
- Registered Professional Nurse with academic preparation at the diploma, associate degree, or baccalaureate level
- Current Texas license issued by the Board of Nurse Examiners
- Current certification in CPR and Basic First Aid
- Texas Department of Health certification in vision, hearing, and spinal screening is required.

Experience:
Two years of supervised nurse practice preferably in community health, pri or to entry into school nursing.

Qualifications:
Experience in community health or pediatric nursing is preferred.
Courses of study which strengthen growth in nursing, education, special education, health education, and other health-related fields is recommended.
Courses of study for child growth and development.

Benefits include:
- Health Insurance: District pays for 100% for Employee Only - $0 cost to employee - Additional cost to the employee for family.
- Dental & Vision: We offer low monthly premiums.
- Texas Teacher Retirement System: Pay into a retirement pension.
- Voluntary Annuity: In addition to TRS, retirement plans such as 403(b), 457, or Roth Annuity Plans
- Voluntary Benefits: Disability, Accident, Bridge, Heart & Cancer plans and
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OTHER JOBS

Midland

Midland Independent School District is seeking
Full-Time
Assistant Head Custodian/ Lee High School
Custodian/District Wide

Assistant Head Custodian/ Lee High School: Daily Supervision of all assigned Custodial Staff to assure all Custodians follow routine cleaning and maintenance procedures to maintain a high standard of safety, cleanliness, and efficiency of building operations and grounds
Custodian/District Wide: Follow routine cleaning and maintenance procedures to maintain a high standard of safety, cleanliness, and efficiency of building operations and grounds

Qualification Requirements:
Pass training courses
Ability to read, write and understand verbal instructions in English
Knowledge of basic techniques of minor repairs and building and ground maintenance
Ability to operate cleaning equipment and lift heavy equipment
Properly handle and use cleaning supplies
Ability to lift and carry 15-44 lbs. without assistance

Benefits include:
- Health Insurance: District pays for 100% for Employee Only - $0 cost to employee - Additional cost to the employee for family.
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- Voluntary Annuity: In addition to TRS, retirement plans such as 403(b), 457, or Roth Annuity Plans
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Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN ITS DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR PART TIME DAY ASSOCIATE

Part Time Day Associate - ***MUST BE DEPENDABLE***
Must be able to work Monday thru Saturday from 8am-6pm. Tuesday will be here later till about 8 or 9 pm. Need to be able to work on your feet thru 6-8 hour shift. Will work at night occassionally. We will train the right person.

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These positions require some physical lifting of 5-15 lbs. Must be able to bend and stand for at least a 6 hr. shift. No experience required we will train you. Work performed in this department includes processing and handling of newspaper bundles. Applicants must be dependable, be over 18, and have a valid ID card and social security card with dependable transportation.



Apply in person at: 201 E. Illinois, Lobby Information Desk • Monday - Friday 8-5 or email: jmaddox@hearstnp.com

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Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN ITS DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR NIGHT TIME ASSOCIATE

Night time associate - ***MUST BE DEPENDABLE***
Must be able to count at a fast pace. Be able to work between the hours of 12-6 am Sunday night thru Friday night and be able to work Saturday night 8pm-4am. Will be working inside and outside depending on the job you are doing that night. Will be 5-6 nights per week. We will train the right person.

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OTHER JOBS

Domino's

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- Valid Driver's License
- Your own vehicle with insurance
- Earn hourly wage plus, tips and mileage. Great drivers can earn $18-$25 per hour with a great attitude and hustle
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Endeavor Energy Resources

Now hiring for a Field Technician.

he Field Technician will provide advanced refueling services to support the Frac operations on location. Endeavor Energy will provide all necessary training for new employees. This is a non-driving position.

Job Duties:
- Comply with all OSHA and company safety procedures, rules and regulations
- Proper pre and post trip of equipment
- Consistently demonstrate safe unloading of fuels while handling, hooking and unhooking hoses and operating pumps while following directions and standard operating procedures
- Safely using pipe wrenches, crescent wrenches and other hand tools
- Immediate reporting and cleaning of any spills during shift
- Maintain professionalism through working courteously with supervisors, despatchers, fellow co-workers and customers
- All other duties as assigned

Minimum Qualifications:
- Ability to work in a fast-paced environment
- Proven capability to work both independently and collaboratively with different levels of management and individual contributors
- Demonstrated ability to manage work in stressful situations
- High school diploma or GED required, must be at least 18 years of age
- Ability to read, write and communicate effectively required
- Computer proficiency is required
- Valid Texas Driver's License is required
- Experience working on Frac site or similar responsibilities is preferred

Work Environment:
Work is often outdoors. Working conditions range from frigid to hot temps, high winds, flying dust, slipping hazards and conditions and frequently exposed to loud noise from heavy equipment and machinery.

Physical Demands:
Ability to sit, stand, walk, reach with hand and arms, climb, squat, kneel, bend, and occasionally lift /carry/push/pull/move/drag up to 60 lbs.

Position type and expected hours of work:
This is a full-time position.

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OTHER JOBS

Gate Attendants needed

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Endeavor Energy Resources

DOT Driver II

JOB DESCRIPTION: Job responsibilities include local (within Midland City and County) transportation by truck for Endeavor Energy completions or production crews. Cargo transport varies depending on driver's licensing.

Essential Functions:
- Follow instructions, and maintain compliance with all DOT, company and customer safety and operational policies and procedures
- Properly load and unload product at various customer locations in a professional, courteous, timely, safe, and efficient manner
- Connect and disconnect hoses, operating pumps and valves for loading and unloading
- Complete all paperwork accurately and timely, if applicable
- Complete other related tasks as assigned by manager

Minimum Requirements:
- High school diploma or GED required, must be at least 18 years of age
- Ability to read, write and communicate effectively required
- Computer proficiency is required
- Valid Texas Driver's license is required
- Class A CDL and Haz Mat is preferred but not required
- Must be able to pass background screening including MVR and criminal
- Must be able to work nights, weekends, and an extended workweek.
- Strong customer service skills, and the ability to effectively prioritize, multi-task, manage time, organize and execute tasks in a high-pressure environment

Supervisory Responsibilities:
No supervisory responsibilities are associated with this position.

Work Environment:
Work is often outdoors. Working conditions range from frigid to hot temps, high winds, flying dust, slipping hazards and conditions and frequently exposed to loud noise from heavy equipment and machinery.

Physical Demands:
Ability to sit, stand, walk, reach with hand and arms, climb, squat, kneel, and bend is required. Must also be able to occasionally lift, carry, push, pull, move, and drag up to 50 lbs.

Position type and expected hours of work:
This is a full-time position. The ability to work overtime is a requirement to performing this job.

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RETAIL JOBS

Full Time Cashier
Health Food Store is taking applications for energetic and friendly full-time cashiers. Pleasant work environment, friendly customers, caring management, generous employee discount and paid vacations. Apply in person Monday through Friday only 9am to 5pm at Natural Foods Market, 2311 W. Wadley, Midland,TX

Full Time Receiving
Health food store is taking applications for a receiving person. Five day work week. 30-40 hrs per week. Positive work environment, caring management and pleasant customers. Apply in person Monday through Friday only, 9a.m. to 5p.m. at Natural Foods Market, 2311 W. Wadley, Midland,Texas 79707

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Manager & Cashiers
Smoker's Outlet has **SIGNING BONUS** for **MANAGER TRAINEE & CASHIERS**
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Apply in person Mon-Fri 8-5 at either store
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Metal Fab Products, Inc. is a well-established metal fabrication company that has served the Permian Basin since 1969. We are currently seeking an Outside Sales Rep. The ideal candidate will have:

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NOW HIRING
Instrumentation & Electrical Technician

Maintains all electrical equipment used to monitor and control oil well services equipment. Home nightly.

Qualifications:
- High school education or equivalent.
- 6 months experience maintaining and repairing electronic instrumentation and automation equipment.
- Valid operator's license with clean driving record.

Comprehensive Benefits package!
- Medical, Dental, & Vision
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- Onsite Fitness Center

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PIONEER
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NOW HIRING
Local Drivers

Local truck drivers needed. Home nightly, local routes, scheduled shifts 5am - 5pm (14/7 rotational) never on call, optional overtime.

Qualifications:
- High school education or equivalent.
- Valid operator's license.
- Clean driving record.
- DOT compliant

Comprehensive Benefits package!
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- Prescription Drug
- 401 K
- Vacation, Sick Time, & Company Paid Holidays
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Transportation Truck Driver

Responsible for driving Water, Dump, and/or Belly Dump Truck and hauling water/caliche to drill rigs, fracturing crews, etc. Hauls water/caliche from well locations to proper disposal facilities.

Qualifications:
- High school education or equivalent.
- Experience can range from commercial truck driving experience preferred to one year as a water truck driver required.
- Valid Class A CDL with Tanker endorsement.
- Clean driving record.
- Salary competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Comprehensive Benefits package!
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- Prescription Drug
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Must be mechanically inclined and have the desire to work on team. Desired experience with lathes, drill press, warming oven sander & milling schenck balancing machine as well as pump repair experience. Clean driving record and pass a hair follicle test. Apply online @ **www.sulzer.com** or email resume to **samantha.villalon@sulzer.com.**

Tapers & Painters
Now hiring experienced Tapers and Painters asap. Must come to office to fill out application at 500 W. Ohio Street, Ste 201 A, Midland from 9am-2pm Monday - Friday. 432-683-7500

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The City of MIDLAND Texas

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Well Field Technician - Paul Davis

Has primary responsibility for operation and maintenance of well fields, Water Purification and associated potable water storage.

Job Duties:
•Assists other Utility Department Divisions as required.
•Performs Operations & maintenance duties as required at WPP.
•Controls water disinfection processes to meet regulatory standards.
•Operates and maintains various water production and storage equipment.
•Maintains required records of operations, generates monthly report and maintenance records.
•Monitors and controls booster pumps and storage.
•Keeps abreast of professional developments in the field.
•Operates SCADA system to monitor and control well field production.
•Performs routine cleaning of assigned area. Maintains grounds at well field compounds.
•Performs other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:
Employee communicates with other employees and the public, as necessary.

RELOCATION MANDATORY

Skill in observing, reading and interpreting written materials. Knowledge of pumps, motors and tower operations and maintenance. Knowledge of electricity and electronics. Skill in performing mathematical calculations. Ability to use testing and measuring equipment. On call 50% evenings and weekends.

High school diploma or equivalent required. Must receive and retain a valid "C" Groundwater license from the State of Texas within 3 years of employment. Must receive Hazmat Awareness level and SCBA certifications within 1 year of employment. Must remain qualified to wear SCBA. Must posses a valid Texas Class "B" CDL required or have the ability to obtain license within a reasonable amount of time.

Benefits:
- Health care Plans
- Paid Vacation/ Sick Leave
- Paid Holidays
- Employee Wellness Program
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Supreme Services & Specialty Company

Supreme Services is currently seeking a career minded Full Time Wireline Pressure Control Specialist to work in the preparation and assembly of grease injectors and wellhead equipment. We offer a competitive pay package as well as a generous group health plan. Email resume to: **hr@supremeservices.com** or complete application at **www.supremeservices.com**

TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS

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4J Concrete, LLC is hiring CDL drivers, form setters and concrete finishers. Excellent pay. Call **(432) 934-1364.**

TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS

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TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS

Class A CDL Drivers
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GULFSTREAM TRUCKING LLC

The City of MIDLAND Texas

NOW HIRING

Equipment Operator - Traffic Operations

Perform manual and unskilled labor on traffic signs and markings, which often involves the use of acquired skills. Operate several types of light and heavy vehicles, equipment, and tools. Do related work and training as required.

Job Duties:
•Assist in loading and unloading transported equipment.
•Operate equipment used in the daily activities of the Traffic Operations division such as paint machines, sign installation equipment, welders and other heavy equipment.
•Perform maintenance, service minor repairs on vehicles and equipment.
•Install and maintain roadway signs, markings and all other traffic devices.
•Assist in maintaining inventory of supplies and equipment.
•Maintain records of work performed, schedules, status reports and work orders.
•Perform related duties as required.

Qualifications:
Employee must be able to communicate effectively with employees, management and citizens in order to effectively receive and complete assigned work.

Ability to read, interpret and understand local, state and federal regulations related to traffic control devices and operations. Knowledge of the processes used in traffic control maintenance. Employee must be able to follow instructions for equipment repair and maintenance. Skill in use of various equipment and machinery such as hand and electrical power tools is required. Employee must be able to use heavy equipment required in maintenance activities such as backhoes, ditch witch, and striping truck. Ability to read operator's manuals and work orders is also required.

High school diploma or equivalent required. Valid Texas Class 'A or B' CDL required, or must obtained within 6 months of employment.

Benefits:
- Health care Plans
- Paid Vacation/ Sick Leave
- Paid Holidays
- Employee Wellness Program
- Tuition Reimbursement

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NOW HIRING

Equipment Operator - Transportation

Under Supervision, performs unskilled, semi-skilled and skilled duties in the maintenance and repair of the City's street infrastructure. Performs a variety of tasks including general labor and the operation of light and heavy equipment used in the repair of streets, alleys, and drainage ways.

Job Duties:
•Performs routine maintenance and repair of City streets and alleys through the operation of light and heavy equipment including walk-behind saws and compactors, dump trucks and water trucks, and other equipment related to the maintenance of streets and alleys.
•Performs daily preventative maintenance of equipment.
•Performs manual work and general labor such as making street and curb cuts.
•Maintains tools and equipment.
•Assists with the proper set up of work zone traffic control.
•Assists in loading and unloading of transported material and equipment.
•Fulfill on-call duties as required and outlined on Transportation's on-call roster.
•Assists with the maintenance of Transportation's buildings and grounds.
•Assists other City divisions and departments, as needed.
•Performs related duties as required.

Qualifications:
Employee must effectively communicate with all co-workers, managers, and citizens. Must effectively communicate with managers regarding work orders.

Knowledge of power and hand tools. Ability to read materials including equipment manuals and daily work logs. Ability to read fluid levels and fuel gauges. Ability to receive and understand training materials and demonstrations regarding the proper operation of light and heavy equipment for which employee has no prior knowledge or experience.

High school diploma or equivalent required. Valid Texas Class A or B Commercial Drivers License required.

Monday - Friday; 7:30 am until 4:00 pm, Overtime work may be required.

Benefits:
- Health care Plans
- Paid Vacation/ Sick Leave
- Paid Holidays
- Employee Wellness Program
- Tuition Reimbursement

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Haz Mat Drivers
Haz Mat drivers needed to deliver liquid oilfield chemicals within the Permian Basin.
Experience required with tanker and haz mat endorsement.
Benifits: Uniforms, medical, dental, and vision insurance, 401 K, Short/Long term DAD
Hourly pay with overtime and load incentive pay.
Training available for those of little experience.
Agri-Empresa - **(432)-694-6778**

The City of MIDLAND Texas

NOW HIRING

Sanitation Driver

Drives a single or tandem axle side loading refuse packer truck and collects and disposes of solid waste. Serves as standby driver until a regular route becomes available. Works at recycling center when required sorting recyclables. May be assigned to a roll-off truck or boom truck instead of side loaders.

Job Duties:
•Drives a sanitation vehicle and collects and disposes of solid waste from containers. Collects and disposes of yard waste and large, bulky items when assigned to hand pick up.
•Travels to and from the landfill in order to dispose of waste materials.
•Assists in litter pickup and similar programs when required.
•Maintains and inspects vehicles and performs safety checks daily.
•Maintains records of work performed for supervisor such as vehicle check list, trip logs and repair reports.
•Any solid waste management activity required of the solid waste management division in order to adequately perform public service responsibilities.
•Assists in recycling activities.
•Assists in solid wasted disposal related activities when not driving a regular route.
•Performs other related duties as assigned.

Qualifications:
Ability to effectively communicate with employees and citizens who will inquire regarding disposal procedures. Ability to work with citizens who may have complaints on services provided.

Knowledge of processes used in the collection and disposal of waste materials. Ability to read and write and follow oral and written instructions from supervisor. Skill in the use of various equipment and machinery such as hand tools and heavy equipment utilized in disposal activities such as compactors, lifts, claws and various hydraulic systems as well as shovels, brooms and rakes.

High school diploma or equivalent preferred with six months to one year of experience in a related position. Valid Texas Class B Commercial Driver's License required.

Benefits:
- Health care Plans
- Paid Vacation/ Sick Leave
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Legal and Public Notices

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0309631
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 6, 2018 Status/Permit No. 836738
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 11, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the LARIO OIL & GAS COMPANY, [RRC Operator No. 486710] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 29, Blk. 36 T1S, T&P RR CO Survey, A-209, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC Field, MARTIN County, being 4.1 miles SW direction from STANTON, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at **(512)463-6848**. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 **(512)463-6751**.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY May 11, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below.

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name:	GREENE 4			
Lease/Unit Well No.:	101			
Lease/Unit Acres:	562.98			
Nearest Lease Line (ft):	1.0			
Nearest Well on Lease (ft):	482.0			
Lease Lines:	528.0	FNL,	468.0	FEL
Survey Lines:	528.0	FNL,	2211.0	FWL
Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal				
Lateral: TH1				
Penetration Point Location				
Lease Lines:	50.0	FNL,	332.0	FEL
Terminus Location				
BH County: MIDLAND				
Section: 32	Block: 36 T1S		Abstract: 1083	
Survey: T&P RR CO / KOENIG, F X				
Lease Lines:	50.0	FSL,	332.0	FEL
Survey Lines:	1377.0	FSL,	2285.0	FWL

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows.

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC. Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 9300 feet. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Ryan Bergeron, at (512)4783456.

Legal and Public Notices

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0310561
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 10, 2018 Status/Permit No. 837893
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 15, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC., [RRC Operator No. 665748] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 1, Blk. 38 T5S, T&P RR CO Survey, A-121, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC Field, MIDLAND County, being 26.9 miles SE direction from MIDLAND, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at **(512)463-6848**. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 **(512)463-6751**.

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THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below.

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name:	MIDKIFF 1M			
Lease/Unit Well No.:	13H			
Lease/Unit Acres:	4608.3			
Nearest Lease Line (ft):	1.0			
Nearest Well on Lease (ft):	298.0			
Lease Lines:	11573.0	F SOUTH L,	3984.0	F EAST L
Survey Lines:	908.0	F SOUTH L,	1345.0	F EAST L
Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal				
Lateral: TH1				
Penetration Point Location				
Lease Lines:	11573.0	F SOUTH L		
	3984.0	F EAST L		
Terminus Location				
BH County: MIDLAND				
Section: 48	Block: 38 T4S		Abstract: 964	
Survey: T&P RR CO / MIDKIFF, J R				
Lease Lines:	100.0	F NORTH L		
	1473.0	F EAST L		
Survey Lines:	100.0	F NORTH L		
	1473.0	F EAST L		

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows.

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC. Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10500 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, KIKI BRADFORD, at (972)4449001.

Legal and Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

APACHE CORPORATION, 303 Veterans Airpark Lane, Suite 3000, Midland, Texas 79705 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of fluids into a formation, which is productive of oil and gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Devonian, Fusselman, Simpson, and Ellenburger Formations, Elliott A Lease, Well Number: 4. The proposed disposal well is located 11.1 miles Northeast from Rankin, Texas in the Benedum (Devonian, Gas) Field, in Upton County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 10,506'- 11,900'.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Codes, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil & Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil & Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, PO Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

Classified CAN 682-6222

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Request for Proposals will be received until 3:00 PM local time, May 31, 2018, in the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following:

RFP 18002049: Request for Proposals for a third party administrator for self-insured medical, dental, and vision claims administration, large case management/precertification, preferred provider organization, pharmacy benefit manager retail/mail order, and section 125 claims administration for the Administrative Services Department.

To receive a copy of the RFP, please contact the City of Midland Purchasing Office at 432-685-7234 or email us at purchasing@midlandtexas.gov. Proposals must be submitted no later than 05/31/18 at 3:00 PM local time to the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas.

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

City of Midland, Texas

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed Bid(s) will be received until 2:00 P.M., 5/23/18 to be opened at 2:00 P.M., in the City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas for the following Bid(s):

Bid No. 18001096

For: Fire Extinguisher Maintenance

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

General Announcement

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Thank You St Jude for answering my prayers

Classified CAN 682-6222

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Mixed Beverage Restaurant Permit with FB by Cafe Venture Company dba Fuddruckers, to be located at 4511 N. Midkiff Road, #C-22, Midland, Midland County, Texas. Officers of said Corporation are Mickey Rogers, President, Daniel Stanton, Vice President, and Richard Gas er, Secretary.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 — Rule 37 Case No. 0310322
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 2, 2018 — Status/Permit No. 837895
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 7, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC., [RRC Operator No. 665748] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 1, Bk. 38 T5S, T&P RR CO Survey, A-121, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC Field, MIDLAND County, being 26.9 miles SE direction from MIDLAND, Texas.

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THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below.

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name :	MIDKIFF 10	
Lease/Unit Well No. :	15H	
Lease/Unit Acres :	4608.3	
Nearest Lease Line (ft) :	1.0	
Nearest Well on Lease (ft):	298.0	
Lease Lines :	11613.0 F SOUTH L,	3984.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines :	948.0 F SOUTH L,	1345.0 F EAST L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral : TH1

Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines : 11613.0 F SOUTH L
3984.0 F EAST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MIDLAND
Section: 15 Block: 38 T3S Abstract: 94
Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines : 100.0 F NORTH L
2313.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
2313.0 F EAST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC: Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10500 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, KIKI BRADFORD, at (972)4449001.

Legal and Public Notices

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C — Rule 37 Case No. 0310450
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 9, 2018 — Status/Permit No. 838006
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 14, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at **(512)463-6848.** If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 **(512)463-6751.**

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THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below.

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name :	BROOK D-E5A	
Lease/Unit Well No. :	101H	
Lease/Unit Acres :	959.1	
Nearest Lease Line (ft) :	1.0	
Lease Lines :	144.0 F NORTH L,	1290.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines :	2495.0 F SOUTH L,	1290.0 F EAST L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral : TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines : 144.0 F NORTH L
1290.0 F EAST L

Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 6 Block: D Abstract: 653
Survey: D&W RR CO / MOSELEY, E A
Lease Lines : 100.0 F SOUTH L
2160.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L
2160.0 F EAST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC. Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10330 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Kim Brand, at (972)969-0000.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 — Rule 37 Case No. 0310560
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 12, 2018 — Status/Permit No. 837894
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 17, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name :	MIDKIFF 1N	
Lease/Unit Well No. :	14H	
Lease/Unit Acres :	4608.3	
Nearest Lease Line (ft) :	1.0	
Nearest Well on Lease (ft):	303.0	
Lease Lines :	11593.0 F SOUTH L,	3984.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines :	928.0 F SOUTH L,	1345.0 F EAST L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral : TH1

Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines : 11593.0 F SOUTH L
3984.0 F EAST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MIDLAND
Section: 48 Block: 38 T4S Abstract: 964
Survey: T&P RR CO / MIDKIFF, J R
Lease Lines : 100.0 F NORTH L
633.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
633.0 F EAST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC: Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10500 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, KIKI BRADFORD, at (972)4449001.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C — Rule 37 Case No. 0310492
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 9, 2018 — Status/Permit No. 838008
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 14, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name :	BROOK D-E5B	
Lease/Unit Well No. :	102H	
Lease/Unit Acres :	959.1	
Nearest Lease Line (ft) :	1.0	
Nearest Well on Lease (ft):	915.0	
Lease Lines :	144.0 F NORTH L,	1245.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines :	2495.0 F SOUTH L,	1245.0 F EAST L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral : TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines : 144.0 F NORTH L
1245.0 F EAST L

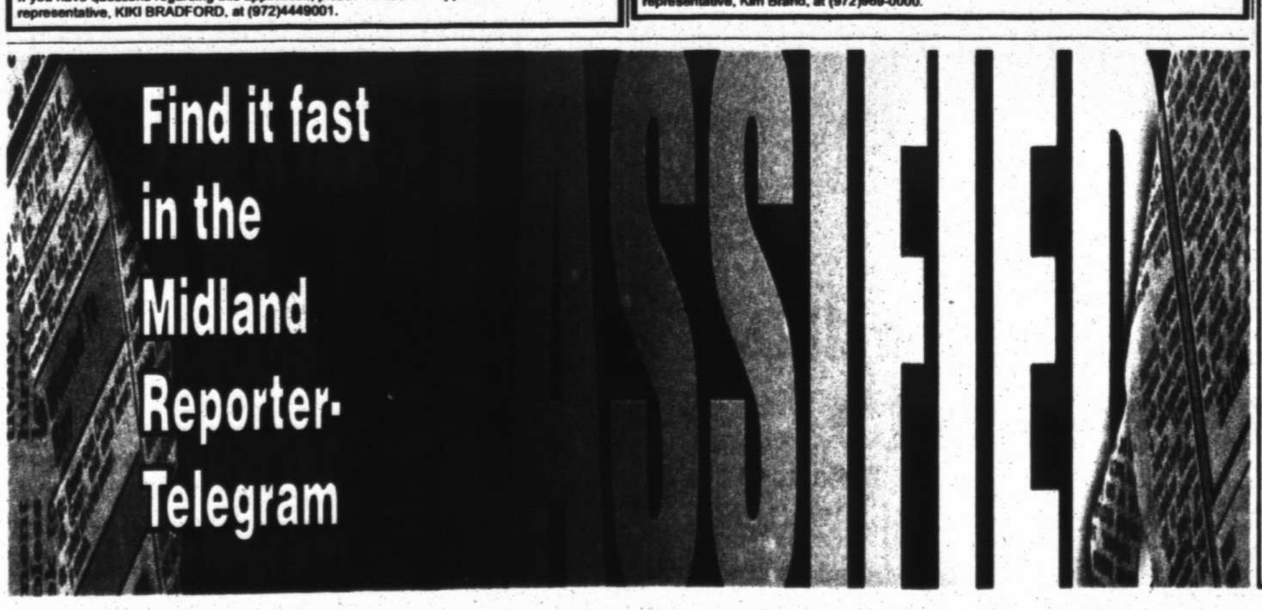
Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 6 Block: D Abstract: 653
Survey: D&W RR CO / MOSELEY, E A
Lease Lines : 100.0 F SOUTH L
1245.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L
1245.0 F EAST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : R 40 EXC: Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10330 feet.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0310475
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 9, 2018 Status/Permit No. 838007
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 14, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name: HOUSTON-WELLS 47E
Lease/Unit Well No.: 5H
Lease/Unit Acres: 1096.1
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0

Lease Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L, 1668.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L, 1668.0 F WEST L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L
1668.0 F WEST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MARTIN
Section: 35 Block: 36 T1S Abstract: 211
Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
1000.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 2575.0 F NORTH L
1000.0 F WEST L

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name: HOUSTON-WELLS 47E
Lease/Unit Well No.: 5H
Lease/Unit Acres: 1096.1
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft): 860.0

Lease Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L, 1668.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L, 1668.0 F WEST L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 600.0 F SOUTH L
1668.0 F WEST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MARTIN
Section: 35 Block: 36 T1S Abstract: 211
Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
1000.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 2575.0 F SOUTH L
1000.0 F WEST L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 11144 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, LAURA WALLACE, at (972)9691742.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0310473
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 9, 2018 Status/Permit No. 838010
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 14, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA)

Lease/Unit Name: HOUSTON-WELLS 47F
Lease/Unit Well No.: 6H
Lease/Unit Acres: 1096.1
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0
Nearest Well on Leaste (ft): 860.0

Lease Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L, 1679.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L, 1679.0 F WEST L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L
1679.0 F WEST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MARTIN
Section: 35 Block: 36 T1S Abstract: 211
Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
762.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 2577.0 F SOUTH L
1860.0 F WEST L

FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name: HOUSTON-WELLS 47I
Lease/Unit Well No.: 6H
Lease/Unit Acres: 1096.1
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft): 860.0

Lease Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L, 1679.0 F WEST L
Survey Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L, 1679.0 F WEST L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 643.0 F SOUTH L
1679.0 F WEST L

Terminus Location
BH County: MARTIN
Section: 35 Block: 36 T1S Abstract: 211
Survey: T&P RR CO
Lease Lines: 100.0 F NORTH L
762.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 2577.0 F SOUTH L
1860.0 F WEST L

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SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) : R 40 EXC. Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C Rule 37 Case No. 0310493
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 9, 2018 Status/Permit No. 838009
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 14, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.STATE.TX.US

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name: BROOK D-E5C
Lease/Unit Well No.: 103H
Lease/Unit Acres: 959.1
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft): 915.0

Lease Lines: 144.0 F NORTH L, 1200.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 2495.0 F SOUTH L, 1200.0 F EAST L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 144.0 F NORTH L
1200.0 F EAST L

Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 6 Block: D Abstract: 653
Survey: D&W RR CO / MOSELEY, E A
Lease Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L
330.0 F EAST L
Survey Lines: 100.0 F SOUTH L
330.0 F EAST L

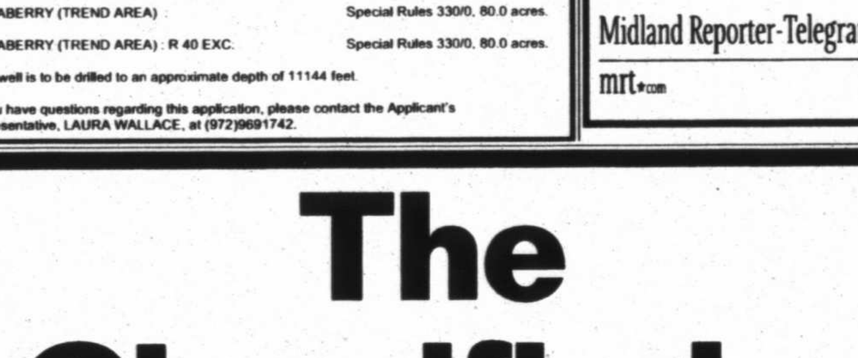
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DISTRICT 08 Rule 37 Case No. 0309408
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 17, 2018 Status/Permit No. 836397
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 22, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
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Fax: (512) 463-6780
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC, [RRC Operator No. 191554] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement for the AMENDED NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 42, Bk. 37 T1S, T&P RR CO / KOPP, J M Survey, A-1204, ROSE PETAL (LOWER MISS.) and PETTY 48 (UPPER STRAWN) and DEWEY LAKE (ATOKA) and FRYSAK FARMS (DEVONIAN) Fields, MIDLAND County, being 2.94 miles NW direction from GREENWOOD, Texas.

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FIELD: ROSE PETAL (LOWER MISS.)

Lease/Unit Name: HENKE 42 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.: 1
Lease/Unit Acres: 80.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 405.0
Lease Lines: 405.0 F North L, 549.0 F West L
Survey Lines: 1770.0 F North L, 2165.0 F East L

FIELD: PETTY 48 (UPPER STRAWN)

Lease/Unit Name: HENKE 42 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.: 1
Lease/Unit Acres: 80.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 405.0
Lease Lines: 405.0 F North L, 549.0 F West L
Survey Lines: 1770.0 F North L, 2165.0 F East L

FIELD: DEWEY LAKE (ATOKA)

Lease/Unit Name: HENKE 42 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.: 1
Lease/Unit Acres: 80.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 405.0
Lease Lines: 405.0 F North L, 549.0 F West L
Survey Lines: 1770.0 F North L, 2165.0 F East L

FIELD: FRYSAK FARMS (DEVONIAN)

Lease/Unit Name: HENKE 42 UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No.: 1
Lease/Unit Acres: 80.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 405.0
Lease Lines: 405.0 F North L, 549.0 F West L
Survey Lines: 1770.0 F North L, 2165.0 F East L

As part of this application, applicant also seeks permit authority in 1 additional field: (1) SPRABERRY (TREND AREA). No rule exception is necessary pursuant to the field rules for this field.

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

ROSE PETAL (LOWER MISS.):
OIL Special Rules 467/660, 80.0 acres.
OIL Optional Rules 467/660, 40.0 acres.

PETTY 48 (UPPER STRAWN):
Special Rules 467/660, 80.0 acres.
Optional Rules 467/660, 40.0 acres.

DEWEY LAKE (ATOKA): Special Rules 467/660, 40.0 acres.

FRYSAK FARMS (DEVONIAN):
GAS Special Rules 467/660, 320.0 acres.
GAS Optional Rules 467/660, 160.0 acres.
OIL Special Rules 467/660, 40.0 acres.

SPRABERRY (TREND AREA): Special Rules 330/0, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 12000 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Ann Ritchie, at (432)6846381.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C Rule 37 Case No. 0310071
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 17, 2018 Status/Permit No. 837265
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, May 22, 2018
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
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Lease/Unit Name: SEBASTIAN 19-18-H
Lease/Unit Well No.: 4215H
Lease/Unit Acres: 1324.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft): 1.0
Lease Lines: 425.0 F East L, 2165.0 F North L
Survey Lines: 425.0 F East L, 2165.0 F North L

Wellbore Profile(s): Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 425.0 F EAST L
3187.0 F SOUTH L
Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 18 Block: 38 T5S Abstract: 1410
Survey: T&P RR CO/HALL, J G
Lease Lines: 485.0 F EAST L
15.0 F NORTH L
Survey Lines: 485.0 F EAST L
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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

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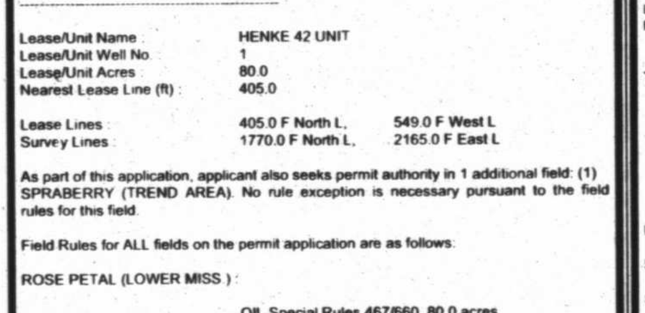
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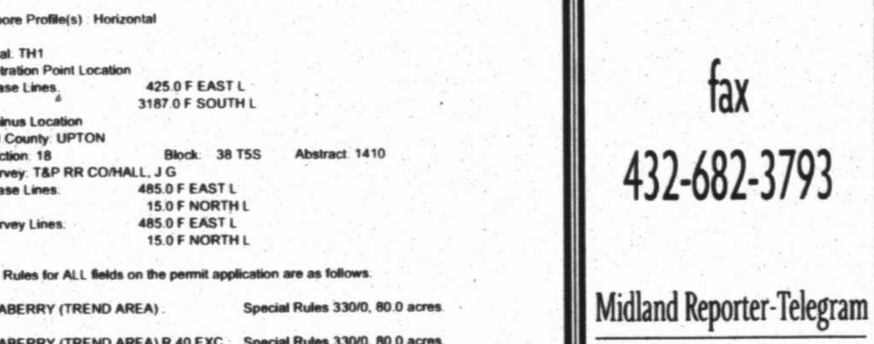
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DATE OF ISSUANCE: Apr 17, 2018
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Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

Rule 37 Case No. 0310054
Status/Permit No. 837262

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Lease/Unit Well No. : 4415H
Lease/Unit Acres : 1324.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0

Lease Lines : 425.0 F East L, 2225.0 F North L
Survey Lines : 425.0 F East L, 2225.0 F North L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 425.0 F EAST L
3157.0 F SOUTH L
Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
Section: 18 Block: 38 T5S Abstract: 1410
Survey: T&P RR CO/HALL, J G
Lease Lines: 485.0 F EAST L
15.0 F NORTH L
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FIELD: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) R 40 EXC

Lease/Unit Name : SEBASTIAN 19-18-H
Lease/Unit Well No. : 4415H
Lease/Unit Acres : 1324.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0

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This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 10142 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Johnnethan Washington, at (512)6008855.

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Rule 37 Case No. 0310055
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Lease/Unit Well No. : 4315H
Lease/Unit Acres : 1324.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 1.0

Lease Lines : 425.0 F East L, 2195.0 F North L
Survey Lines : 425.0 F East L, 2195.0 F North L

Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Lateral: TH1
Penetration Point Location
Lease Lines: 425.0 F EAST L
3157.0 F SOUTH L
Terminus Location
BH County: UPTON
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Survey: T&P RR CO/HALL, J G
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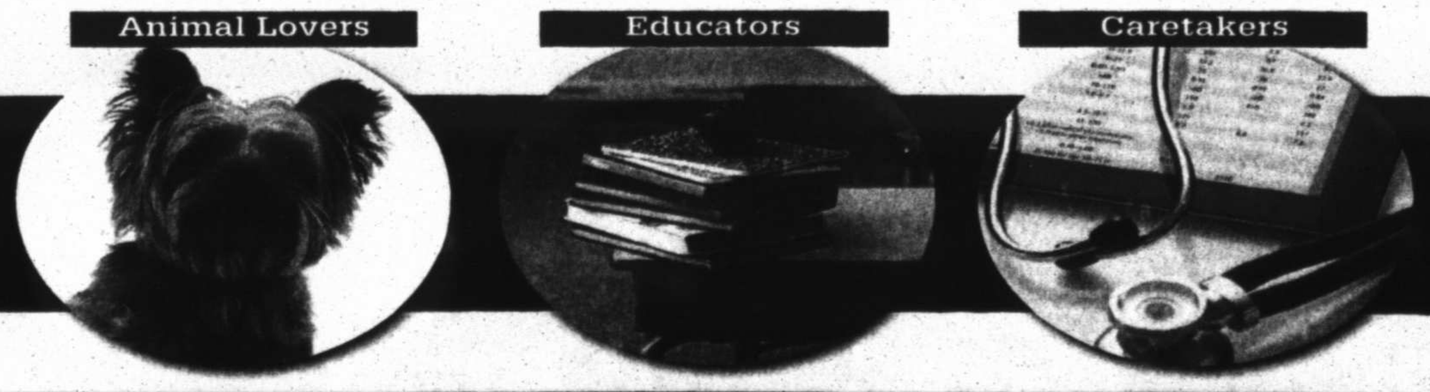
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