80 years of drive-in theaters: Midland's Big Sky fills niche | Page 1E

Midland Reporter-Telegram

SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2013 mywesttexas.com Vol. 85, No. 104 Daily $1, Sunday $2

City cracks down on vehicle code violations

Cars, trucks marked for sale, junkers on private property might get towed

By Rachael Gleason
rgleason@mrt.com

Parking lot sellers beware: Vehicles bearing for sale signs parked on private property could end up tagged and towed.

While the number of stray cars and pickups found in private areas and public rights-of-way has remained steady, the city is finding them in new places, said Steve Thorpe, Midland's building and code enforcement official.

A vacant, unpaved lot on Rankin Highway near Wal-Mart recently was turned into a used-car lot when at least a dozen vehicles and travel trailers were left there, but the city had to crack down because it was a private property, Thorpe said.

And about a year ago, the city had to have 10 vehicles removed from the Academy Sports parking lot on Wadley Avenue, he said.

"Someone puts out a car with a for sale sign, and everyone starts dumping them there because they think it's OK," said Jim Wilmes, owner of Midland-based Action Wrecker Service, who has seen this happen before.

Wilmes said he also has seen individual vehicles left in parking lots.

But the city can have them towed if the business or property owner signs a consent form, Thorpe said. That's also the case for homeowners. After receiving the consent to remove, "we can call a towing company and order the vehicle removed at no cost to the city and no cost to the homeowner," he said.

Private property

Midland officials also take issue with some clunker vehicles on private property.

A vehicle is considered to be "junk" when the registration and inspection stickers are expired, when the vehicle is wrecked, dismantled or partially dismantled or when it has remained in a public area for 72 hours or on private property for 30 days, according to city code.

If the vehicle is in a public area and visible from a public place, it must also be "detrimental to the safety and welfare of the public; tends to reduce the value of private property; invites vandalism; creates a fire hazard; is an attractive nuisance creating a hazard to the health and safety of minors; produces urban blight adverse

Please see **CODE**/3A

DOWNTOWN MERCADO

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

People gather Saturday for the Rogers Ford Viva Midland Mercado on the Plaza event at Centennial Plaza. **See page 4A for more photos from the event.**

HospiceMidland restructuring prompts Vicki Jay's departure from Rays of Hope

By Meredith Moriak
mmoriak@mrt.com

After spending 21 years helping children and teenagers cope with grief as executive director of Rays of Hope Children's Grief Centre, Vicki Jay is experiencing her own grief as she prepares for her final week with the organization.

HospiceMidland, the grief center's parent organization, is being restructured. The new model calls for eliminating the majority of Rays of Hope's administrative staff and a return to relying on volunteers, said Mitch Mikkonen, HospiceMidland executive director.

"Rays of Hope is a program within HospiceMidland, so it will always be here in some way, shape or form. ... It's a wonderful cause and it's got meaning to many families and children, and we want to continue that," Mikkonen said.

Volunteering is exactly how Jay got involved with the organization, which provides free peer support groups to children 4 to 18 who have experienced a loss because of death, divorce or other painful transition.

When she was asked to facilitate a children's grief class one night a week in 1992, Jay had no idea how much her life would change.

"Once I got involved, it was like I became an addict," said Jay, who began working full time for HospiceMidland in 1998. She guided the program as it grew from weekly classes to daily support sessions in a permanent home 10 years ago. "I never dreamed this would become my passion."

Not only has Jay helped children and families in West Texas but also military families all over the world. In 2005, Rays of Hope wrote curriculum and assembled a statewide team for

Please see **JAY**/6A

Budget woes create downsizing at hospice

By Meredith Moriak
mmoriak@mrt.com

Paring back some of HospiceMidland's services wasn't an easy decision, but a necessary one in order to prevent the nonprofit from operating at a budget deficit, according to the board president.

"The nonprofit, community-based hospice serves the needs of the community, but that doesn't mean you should lose money," said Kirk Fritschen, HospiceMidland Board president. One of five local hospices, HospiceMidland is the only nonprofit and the only one to provide care for indigent patients, regardless of their ability to pay, he said.

Decreasing patient census numbers and rising costs — for electricity, gasoline, medical supplies, pharmaceuticals and health insurance for staff members — have created budget problems, prompting the board to evaluate all services, both those reimbursed by the federal government and those considered to be a mission of the nonprofit.

"In the last three years we did a poor job of managing those costs and we've had to step back and get help from very knowledgeable people in the field," Fritschen said.

HospiceMidland is looking at "each separate entity and how we can restructure it, but still not lose the integrity of the program," said Executive Director Mitch Mikkonen, who was hired by the board a year ago. He succeeded longtime executive director Carol Armstrong, who left in April 2011.

Unfunded programs, such as grief support groups and end-of-life preparedness classes, are important parts of the organization's mission but must be administered in a way that does not cause the organization to operate at a deficit, Mikkonen said.

"When we were are 140 patients a day as opposed to where we are now, we had more revenue and could support these initiatives that don't bring revenue in," Mikkonen said. "We're at a point now where we need to pull back, start over and make sure we have a strong foundation in place. Then we can revisit some of those

Please see **HOSPICEMIDLAND**/5A

Weather
Mostly sunny
97/77
Get your complete forecast on 12A

Today in Local
Love connection starts with putting the phone down. Read Terry Williamson's column on Page 1B

The big number
Rare butterfly at least
1,000 miles
from home spotted in Davis Mountains. More on 6B.

Today in Sports
Coronado wins annual MRT 2-5A points title. Page 1C

Today in Local
Midland Amateur Radio Club holds field day. Page 1B

Index Arts 1H | Basin Business 1F | Classified 1D | TheConstant 4H | Dear Abby 3E | Lottery 4A | Obituaries 2B | TV 3F

John K
Board Cer

687-2350
400 N. Garfield Ave., Suite 200
Midland, TX 79701

580-4700
540 W. 5th Street., Suite 320
Odessa, TX 79761

www.westtexasneuro.com

SPECIALIZING IN SPINAL AND CRANIAL SURGERY

● Neck Pain ● Back Pain ● Laser Spine Surgery ● Minimally Invasive Surgery ● Artificial Disc Replacement
● Aneurysms ● Brain Tumors ● Spinal Tumors ● Carpal Tunnel Syndrome ● Endoscopy Surgery

Midland Reporter-Telegram

AT YOUR SERVICE

ISSN 0890-5932

A Hearst Newspaper

Published each morning by the Hearst Corporation, Midland Reporter-Telegram Division, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701. Periodicals postage paid at Midland, TX 79711. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to the Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701.

MAIN SWITCHBOARD
432-682-5311

■ PUBLISHER
Mike Distelhorst 687-8880
mdistelhorst@mrt.com

NEWSROOM
■ EDITOR
Stewart Doreen 687-8856
sdoreen@mrt.com

■ MANAGING EDITOR
Mary Dearen 687-8852
mdearen@mrt.com

■ NEWS EDITOR
Trevor Hawes 687-8854
thawes@mrt.com

■ SPORTS EDITOR
Len Hayward 687-8846
lhayward@mrt.com

■ FEATURES EDITOR
Megan Lea Buck 687-8871
mbuck@mrt.com

■ OIL EDITOR
Mella McEwen 687-8860
mmcewen@mrt.com

■ ENTERTAINMENT EDITOR
Georgia Temple 687-8872
gtemple@mrt.com

■ PHOTO EDITOR
Tim Fischer 687-8833
tfischer@mrt.com

■ ONLINE EDITOR
James Cannon 687-8858
jcannon@mrt.com

■ EDUCATION REPORTER
Meredith Moriak 687-8853
mmoriak@mrt.com

■ CITY AND COUNTY REPORTER
Joseph Basco 687-8851
jbasco@mrt.com

■ GENERAL ASSIGNMENTS
Tyler White 687-8850
twhite@mrt.com

■ GENERAL ASSIGNMENTS
Rachael Gleason 687-8817
rgleason@mrt.com

CIRCULATION
■ DELIVERY/SERVICE
688-2700 | 800-542-3952
Fax: 682-8802

■ DIRECTOR
Tami Gillean 687-8802
tgillean@hearstnp.com

■ MANAGER
Tony Gonzalez 687-9002
antoniomgonzalez@hearstnp.com

ADVERTISING
■ DIRECTOR
Nic Barrera 687-8813
nbarrera@hearstnp.com

■ MANAGER
Jeri Houston 687-8894
jhouston@mrt.com

RETAIL ADS
682-5311, ext. 4

CLASSIFIED ADS
682-6222 / 682-6999 (fax)
mrtclassified@mrt.com

PRODUCTION
■ DIRECTOR
John Maddox 687-8844
jmaddox@mrt.com

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

■ **How do I submit an announcement for a wedding or engagement?**
weddings@mrt.com

■ **How can I submit an obituary?** obits@mrt.com

■ **How do I submit a letter to the editor?**
By email: letters@mrt.com
Letters must have name, phone number and address. Limit: 350 words.

■ **How can I handle a billing problem?**
Circulation: 688-2700
Advertising: 687-8828

CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS
Monday-Friday 6 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday 7-11 a.m.
Sunday 7-11 a.m.
Replacement copies will be delivered up to 10 a.m. Monday through Friday and 11 a.m. on weekends and holidays. After these delivery times, credit will be issued to your account. Publisher reserves the right to modify the cost of individual editions and/or subscriptions at anytime.

HOME DELIVERY
Paid in advance

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	1-Mo.
Daily/Sun	$216.00	$108.00	$54.00	$18.00
Sat/Sun	$174.00	$87.00	$43.50	$14.50
Sunday	$168.00	$84.00	$42.00	$14.00

Mail rates — Texas

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	1-Mo.
Daily/Sun	$300.00	$150.00	$75.00	$25.00
Sun only	$240.00	$120.00	$60.00	$20.00

Mail rates — Other U.S.A.

	1 Yr.	6-Mos.	3-Mos.	1-Mo.
Daily/Sun	$480.00	$240.00	$120.00	$40.00
Sun only	$240.00	$120.00	$60.00	$20.00

Foreign and other rates furnished upon request. All subscriptions payable in advance.

Support groups, club meetings this week

Support groups

■ Survivors of sexual abuse; interactive Bible study to help deal with the consequences of sexual abuse meets Tuesdays. Child care available; House of Hope, 570 593

■ Overeaters Anonymous; noon Wednesdays and 4:30 p.m. Sundays; B&J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff Road, Suite 1-D; 553-1031.

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

■ Peer to Peer support group for veterans, active duty, guard, reserves and their families, 6 p.m. Tuesdays, Permian Basin Community Center, 401 E. Illinois Ave., Suite 403; Wil Hoggard, 213-5342, william.hoggard@wtcmhmr.org.

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

■ Midland Optimist Club, noon Tuesdays, Abuelo's, 4610 N. Garfield St.; 685-7486.

■ TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, Christian Church of Midland, 2609 Neely Ave.; weigh-in is at 5:30 p.m.; 694-8643

■ Uptown Midland BPW, noon, second and fourth Wednesdays, Petroleum Club; Glenda Knox, 686-2819.

■ Midland Gem and Mineral Society, 7 p.m. fourth Thursday at Sibley Nature Center; 687-6467.

■ Permian Basin Chess Club, 6 p.m. Thursdays at University of Texas of the Permian Basin student union; Steve Dudley, 556-1920; Brian Farrell, 288-7141; pbcc.50gigs.net; odessachess@cableone.net.

■ Classic Movie Club, 7 p.m., Tuesdays, Cigar Frog's, 216 N. Main St.; 687-1671.

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

Toastmasters Clubs

■ Pop-Up Toasters Toastmasters Club., 6:30 a.m. Tuesdays at First Presbyterian Church's Family Life Center - Room 228, 800 W. Texas Ave.; 432-242-2061 or popuptoasters@gmail.com.

■ Permian Toastmasters 1509, noon Fridays at Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, 208 S. Marienfeld; Celeste Perez, 682-2960.

Alcoholics Anonymous — hotline 580-7868.

■ Serenity Group, 8 p.m. daily, 3101 N. A St., Building C; 685-3100.

■ 710 Group, 7 a.m., noon and 8 p.m. Wednesdays, 710 Ohio Ave.; 682-8162.

■ Alpha Omega, 8 p.m Tuesdays and 11 a.m. Saturdays and Sundays, 311 S. Pecos St.

■ 12-Step Group of Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. Mondays and Tuesdays, 10 a.m. Saturdays; 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

Narcotics Anonymous — hotline 582-2926.

■ Laundry Group, 8 p.m. daily and noon Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 104 N. Marshall St.

■ Xodus Group, 5:30 p.m. Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 7 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays and 8:30 p.m. Saturdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road.

■ CODA Group, 12-step program for relationships, 7 p.m. Thursdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

■ La Hacienda Alumni, support group for former patients, 7 p.m. Thursdays, 206 N. Midkiff Road; 697-0272.

Dance clubs

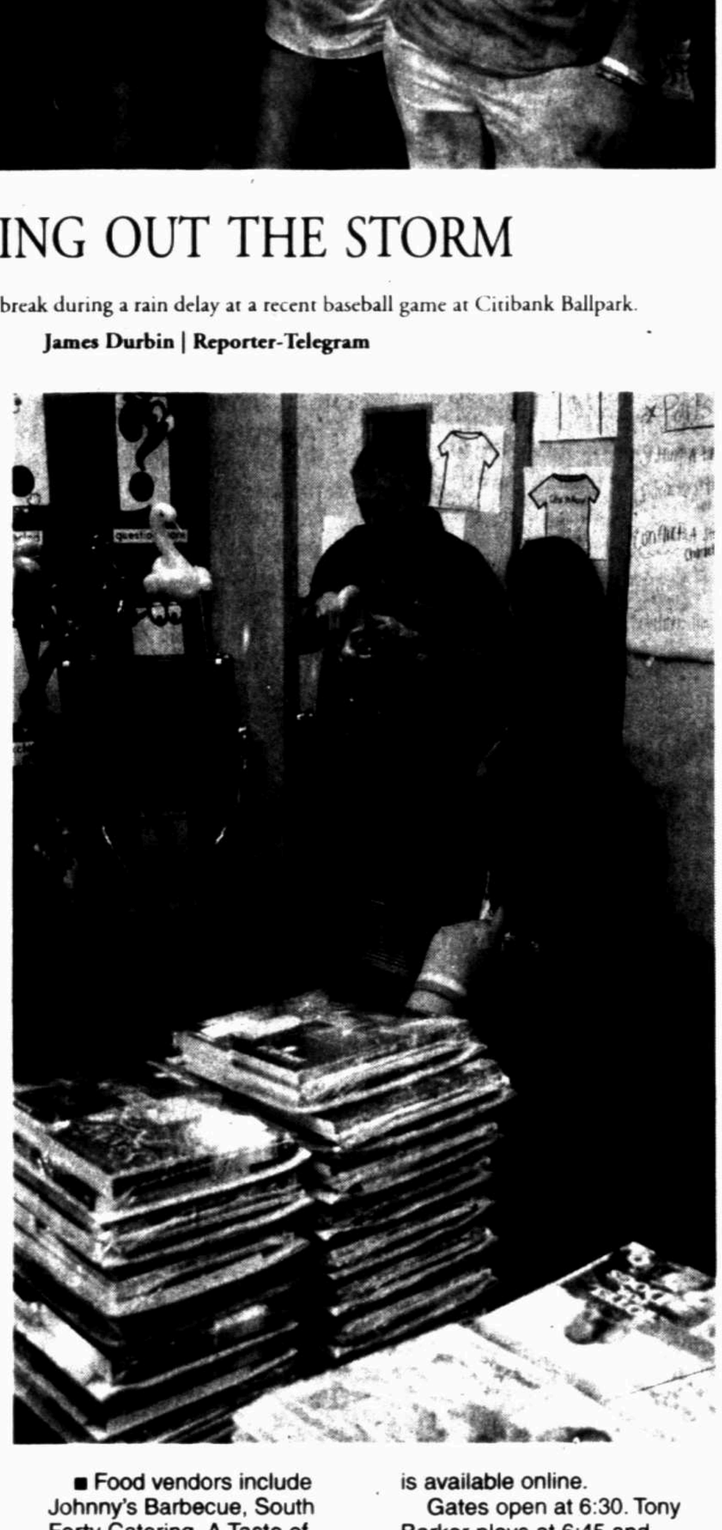
■ Permian Basin Dance Club, 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays, St. Stephen's Catholic Church.

RIDING OUT THE STORM

RockHounds fans take a break during a rain delay at a recent baseball game at Citibank Ballpark.

James Durbin | Reporter-Telegram

TURNING BALLOONS INTO FINE ART



Harlin Rhodes makes balloon art for children this past week at the Casa de Amigos summer program and kickoff with United Way for Club Read.

Tim Fischer
Reporter-Telegram

Fundraiser this week

The Jets will perform 8 p.m. Friday at Centennial Plaza as part of a fundraiser for Aphasia Center of West Texas.

The concert is free, but sponsor tables with catered dinner, food concession sales and raffle ticket sales will benefit the center.

■ Food vendors include Johnny's Barbecue, South Forty Catering, A Taste of Chicago, AJ Concessions, Brianna's Pizza, Steak Express and Papa's Italian Ice.

Raffle tickets will be available at the event and in advance at Peyton's Bikes or online at www.aphasiawtx.org. Sponsor table information also is available online.

Gates open at 6:30. Tony Barker plays at 6:45 and Bennie and the Jets takes the stage at 8 p.m.

Water Tracker

The following is the amount of water delivered to the city of Midland from the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the Paul Davis water fields.

June 14: 16,710,000 gallons
June 15: 14,918,000 gallons
June 16: 18,702,000 gallons
Monday: 16,159,000 gallons
Tuesday: 15,854,000 gallons
Wednesday: 20,543,000 gallons
Thursday: 23,153,000 gallons

Total storage by CRMWD in their lakes as of Friday was 129,359 acre-feet. (1 acre-foot is approximately 325,800 gallons). Total storage last year at the same time was 90,946 acre-feet.

Source: City of Midland

Warmest summers

(average temperature for June, July, August)

1. 2011	87.60
2. 1964	85.87
3. 1998	84.70
4. 2012	84.10
5. 2001	84.17

Note: The average summer temperature is 81.2

Coolest summers on record

1. 1976	77.57
2. 1971	77.83
3. 1941	77.83

Wettest summers on record
(for June, July, August)

1. 1991	13.58
2. 1975	11.46
3. 1938	10.21

Summer average: 5.46 inches

Driest summers on record

1. 1953	0.33
2. 2011	0.45
3. 1983	0.62

Warmest days

The stretch of days between June 25 and June 29 account for many of the hottest days in Midland history.

According to the National Weather Service, nine of the 15 warmest days in Midland history took place during those days in the month of June.

Here are some of the warmest days on record.

1. June 27, 1994	116
2. June 28, 1994	114
3. June 26, 1994	112
3. July 2, 1989	112
5. July 18, 1989	111
5. June 3, 1998	111
5. June 27, 1998	111
5. June 25, 2011	111
Also	
9. June 26, 2011	110
10. June 29, 1946	109
10. June 25, 1994	109
10. June 25, 1990	109

Source: National Weather Service

Want to hear more? Call to schedule an appointment today 432.260.7637
Lend Me Your Ear, L.P.
Sarah Johnson, Au.D., CCC-A
3303 N Midkiff Suite 168 Midland, TX 79705
Utilizing the newest technology in hearing health care and hearing aid verification
Opening July 8, 2013 (will honor previous patient's contracts)

New Styles & Colors From
Ming Wang
Great For Travel!
Ginny's Collection
#13 Imperial Shopping Ctr. • 689-8933
(Corner of Midkiff & Wadley)

Fun Facts Sponsored by
FRANKLIN FOLIAGE
LANDSCAPING
"Serving West Texas Since 1981"
Landscape & Water Features that Conserve Water, Outdoor Rooms, Low Voltage Lighting Systems
685-3521
www.franklinfoliage.com

Alaska law says that you can't look at a moose from an airplane.

Tipping at a restaurant in Iceland is considered an insult.

Now Open
ALL Day Sunday!
Brunch
10 am-2:30 pm
Regular Menu
from
2:30 pm-8 pm
Basil burger house
Beer, Wine & Specials
Find us on Facebook

MIDAS
3301 West Wall • 432-694-9631
We do all repairs & Maintenance.
We accept all National & Fleet Cards.
Drop off Today FIXED TODAY.
BRAKE SERVICE
Secure
LIFETIME GUARANTEED
BRAKE PADS OR SHOES INSTALLED
$50 OFF
• COMPREHENSIVE 55-point brake inspection
Discount off regular price. Consumer pays all taxes. Most vehicles. Cash value 1/100th of 1¢. Coupon must be presented at time of purchase. Not good with any other offer. Valid at participating locations. Void if sold copied or transferred and where prohibited by law. Expires 6-30-13
A/C CHECK
FREE
• Check freon level • Check Cabin Air Filter • Visual check compressor, hoses, fittings and operation of A/C
Freon & Parts Extra. Expires 6-30-13
OIL CHANGE
INCLUDES FREE TIRE ROTATION
$26.99 most vehicles
$10 OFF OR $15 OFF
• Oil & Filter Change (up to 5 qts. of 5W-30 oil & new oil filter)
• Check & adjustment air pressure • Check all fluids
• Check all lights, hoses & belts • Check wiper blades
Synthetic oils extra. Additional shop supply fee may be charged, where permitted by law. Not valid with any other offer. Expires 6-30-13
midas.com

Code

From 1A

to the maintenance and continuing development of municipalities; and is a public nuisance," according to code.

Thorpe said inoperable or "junk" vehicles usually stand out to the city's six code enforcement officers.

"Code compliance officers notice things — that's what they are paid to do," Thorpe said. "They notice when a vehicle has been in the same place day after day, week after week and hasn't moved."

At that point, the city notifies the vehicle owner, property owner and any lienholders. If the owner does not attend a junk vehicle hearing — held quarterly by the city — the vehicle is towed and crushed, according to state law, Thorpe said. Removal orders for inoperable vehicles are irreversible, he said.

That could be the case for a littered property on Devonian Drive, on which the city recently took action.

"The owner of the properties will be given 30 days to remove the debris and bring his property into compliance with the Midland City Code. In the event the owner of said property shall fail or refuse to remove the debris within 30 days, then the Building Official is authorized, after 35 days, to enter upon the property and remove the debris," according to the city.

Several vehicles, boats and jet skiis parked in the Devonian Drive yard are not considered debris, but the city can take action on the vehicles once officials enter the property, Thorpe said.

Public rights-of-way

Parked boats are also a problem on public rights-of-way, especially during the summer, said Lorie Hill, a community service officer who responds to complaints of vehicles on city streets.

"Getting into the summer, there are more RVs and boats. People are going more places," Hill said.

Residents can make complaints at the city's Citizen Action Center website. If a vehicle in a public right-of-way is in violation, one of three community service officers will attach an orange violation tag stipulating how much time the owner has to move it.

"If it's dangerous, I'll take it right away," Hill said.

But usually, the officers give owners time to move it. Otherwise, it's impounded, she said.

After Action Wrecker Service picks up a vehicle, the towing company has five days to notify the owner — 14 days if the vehicle is from out-of-state, Wilmes said.

The owner has about 71 days in all to pay for and pick up the vehicle at Action — otherwise, it is sold at public auction, he said.

Midland Police Department Lt. Ray Leible said there is a good compliance rate, so the city doesn't have to tow all of them.

In 2012, 819 vehicles were tagged, and 123 were towed, Hill said. And so far this year, 458 vehicles were tagged and 65 towed.

The numbers have been consistent even with the city's boom, but there are more trailers on the road, she said.

Between 2011 and 2012, the number of trailers that were tagged nearly doubled — from 293 to 439. Still, only 10 trailers were towed in 2011 and 19 in 2012, Hill said.

"We have a lot of oilfield workers coming into town and parking," she said. "They drive their vehicle to work and bring it home with them. They don't think for a second they can't park in front of their house."

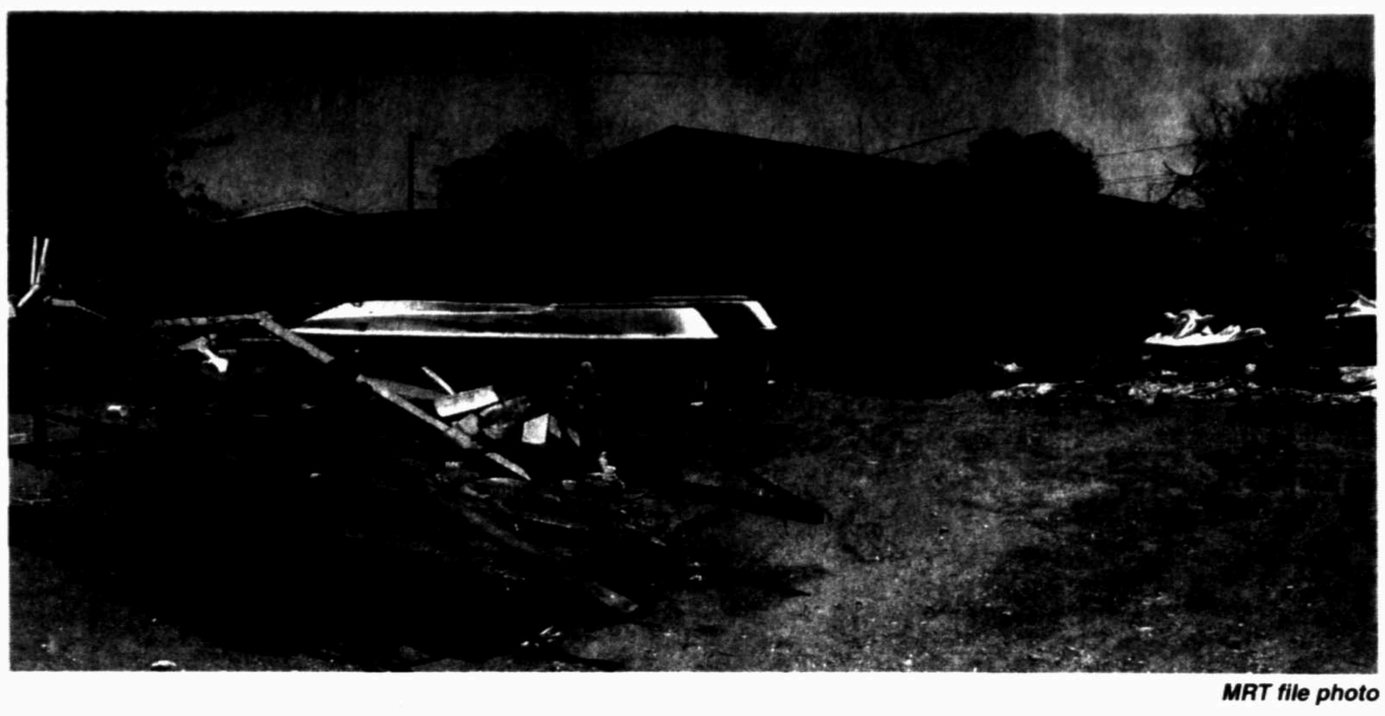
According to city code, no truck, trailer or truck-trailer combination with more than two axles can be parked on any public street, alley or private property except for loading or unloading.

Also, "no person shall park, place or locate any trailer, trailer house, mobile home, motor home, vacation travel trailer, or other unit which is designed or used as living or sleeping quarters on any public or private street, alley, or public park in any residence district within the City for a period longer than four hours in any 24-hour period," according to the code.

The process for tagging and towing vehicles is similar within Midland County.

Sheriff Gary Painter said deputies usually give vehicles in public areas, such as areas along highways, at least a day to be moved. But once a deputy tags the vehicle, the owner has 72 hours to take action, he said.

"There are so many (people) that stop, break in and steal something," Painter said.



MRT file photo

The City Council has ordered the residents at this house on Devonian Drive to clean their yard. "The owner of the properties will be given 30 days to remove the debris and bring his property into compliance with the Midland City Code. In the event the owner of said property shall fail or refuse to remove the debris within 30 days, then the Building Official is authorized, after 35 days, to enter upon the property and remove the debris," according to the city.

City codes to know

Junk vehicles: Chapter 6, public nuisances
Parking in public areas: Chapter 13, parking prohibited
http://bit.ly/140QsXg

Citizen Action Center

Residents can file complaints for abandoned vehicles or vehicles creating a traffic hazard at www.midlandtexas.gov/citizen_action_center.html.

Tagged, towed vehicles

Tagged, towed vehicles in Midland public areas

Year	Tagged vehicles	Towed vehicles	Tagged trailers	Towed trailers
2010	830	126	230	15
2011	790	111	293	10
2012	819	123	439	19
2013	458	65	172	13

THE 65TH SEASON OF
SUMMER MUMMERS
PRESENTS
MAGICAL MALEVOLENCE IN MIDLAND
"YOU WANNA PULL A RABBIT OUTA MY WHAT?!?!"
8 PM FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS
JUNE 7TH ~ AUGUST 31ST
AT THE HISTORIC YUCCA THEATRE 208 N. COLORADO MIDLAND, TX
For More Information:
MCT Box Office 432-570-4111, www.MCTMidland.org

Randy's Rings
1028 A Andrews Hwy. • Midland
"A Unique Boutique"
432-699-1117

Avoid the Summer Slide!
Make it a Mathnasium Summer!
• Summer Programs
• Solid Review of Previous Material
• Preview Upcoming Concepts
• Game Times
• Fun Environment
• Affordable
• Personal Attention
• Flexible Scheduling
Math Tutoring Experts
www.mathnasium.com/midland
$25 OFF Enrollment Fee if Enrolled by 6/30/13
MATHNASIUM The Math Learning Center
(432) 689-0919
4400 N. Midland Drive Ste. #501 Midland, TX

Now Taking Appointments
• X-RAY ON SITE • ON-SITE LAB • SKIN PROCEDURES • MINOR SURGICAL PROCEDURES
• DOT PHYSICAL • PRE-EMPLOYMENT PHYSICAL • SCHOOL PHYSICAL • WELL WOMEN PHYSICAL • PEDIATRICS • PREVENTATIVE CARE
• INFECTIONS • ASTHMA • HYPERTENSION • ALLERGY • DIABETES • CHOLESTEROL
Family Practice & Internal Medicine
Heart & Lung Diseases • Colon & Stomach Conditions
Diabetes & Endocrine • Arthritis
VANDANA NAITHANI
Habla Español Staff
Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-7pm • Saturday 10am-4pm
Closed Sundays
Appointments & Walk-ins Welcome
BASIN CARE Family Clinic
Formerly Patient First
699-5111
We Participate In Insurance Networking Including:
Blue Cross/Blue Shield • HMO • PPO • Aetna
Healthsmart • Cigna • United
The Physician Can See You Today - Feel Free To Call Us Now!

Dillard's
INCHES AWAY Solar Power
ROSE MARIE REID Faux Tankini
SWIM IN STYLE! LADIES 1-PIECE SWIMSUITS
$59.99 Your Choice
INCHES AWAY Sash Tankini
INCHES AWAY Triple Tier
Selection varies by size and store. Call 1-800-345-5278 to find a Dillard's store near you.
Elite Bonus Point Days are Here!

TODAY IN MIDLAND

Things to do

Today

■ Monster Trucks, Crashmaster's Presents Weekend of Destruction at the Horseshoe. Tickets: $12 for ages 3 to 11 and $20 for adults.

■ Permian Basin Gun Show at Ector County Coliseum, Odessa

■ Summer Sunday Lawn Concert, 7:30 p.m., grounds of the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. Admission: Free. Info: Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and a cooler

Tuesday

■ Concert, Earth, Wind & Fire, 8 p.m., Ector County Coliseum, Odessa. Info: Presented by the Odessa Education Foundation

Saturday

■ Summer Jam Texas in Stanton. Info: Features Larry Joe Taylor, Tommy Alverson, Greg Reichel & The Big Flats and Ben Shurr.

Meetings schedule

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

Midland Housing Authority Commission
11:45 a.m. Monday
Conference Room, Midland Housing Authority
700 W. Scharbauer

City Council
10 a.m. Tuesday
Council Chambers City Hall
300 N. Loraine St.

MISD board of trustees
5:30 p.m. Tuesday
First-floor boardroom
615 W. Missouri Ave.

Midland Coalition
11:30 a.m. Wednesday
Palmer Drug Abuse Program building
1208 W. Wall St.

Hospital District
1 p.m. Wednesday
Midland Memorial Hospital
4214 Andrews Highway

Midland Development Corp.
8:30 a.m. Friday
City Hall basement
300 N. Loraine

VBS this week

■ Living Way Foursquare Church, 683-1750
6-9 p.m. Sunday through Thursday
Info: Theme is Kingdom Rock.

■ Faith Temple Church of God in Christ, 684-5253
6:45-8:15 p.m. Monday through Thursday
Info: Theme is Jesus Family Reunion: The Remix. Register online at ftc-midland.org.

■ Mount Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 682-4931
6 p.m. Monday through Friday
Info: For children, teens and adults.

■ True Lite Christian Fellowship, 425-1885
6-8:30 p.m. Monday through Friday
Info: Theme is Kingdom Rock: Where Kids Stand Strong for God.

MPD open house

The Midland Police Department will hold an open house from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday at the Midland Police Department (601 N. Loraine St.).

The public is encouraged to attend this free event for family fun and to learn more about opportunities and services that the Police Department offers.

Activities will include fun jumpers, a dunking booth, building tours, and K-9 demonstrations. There will also be food, recruiting information, the department's mobile substation, SWAT team members, and a Fatal Vision golf cart. Attendees will be able to register for National Night Out and the Kid's Academy.

Source: City of Midland

Centers accepting registration for 'You Are Unique' camp next week

Centers for Children & Families will host "You Are Unique" summer day camp from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday for 9- to 12-year-old children. Two licensed professional counselors will facilitate the camp. Its objective is to build a higher level of social and emotional skills to help with anger management, building self-esteem, improving self-image, building citizenship and responsibility, dealing with peer pressure, managing conflict.

For more information or to register, call Centers at 570-1084. Registration forms may be filled out at Centers before the camp. Location for the Summer Day Camp is the conference room at Centers for Children and Families, 1004 N. Big Spring, Suite 325. The fee for the camp is $40 for the week of attendance.

Source: Centers for Children & Families

Correction

In a story on Bold Energy in today's Oil Report — which is printed in advance — David Cox was misidentified. He had left Bold Energy I to form Storm Peak Energy and after it closed, returned to Bold Energy, where he serves as executive vice president of business development for the newly formed Bold Energy III. Also, Bold acquired 12,000 acres in the Delaware Basin.

The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

Lottery

Pick 3 day: 9-8-9
Pick 3 night: 8-5-5
Daily 4 day: 7-9-0-2
Daily 4 night: 9-6-7-0
Cash Five: 12-21-22-23-25
Lotto Texas: 16-17-24-30-44-54

Today in history

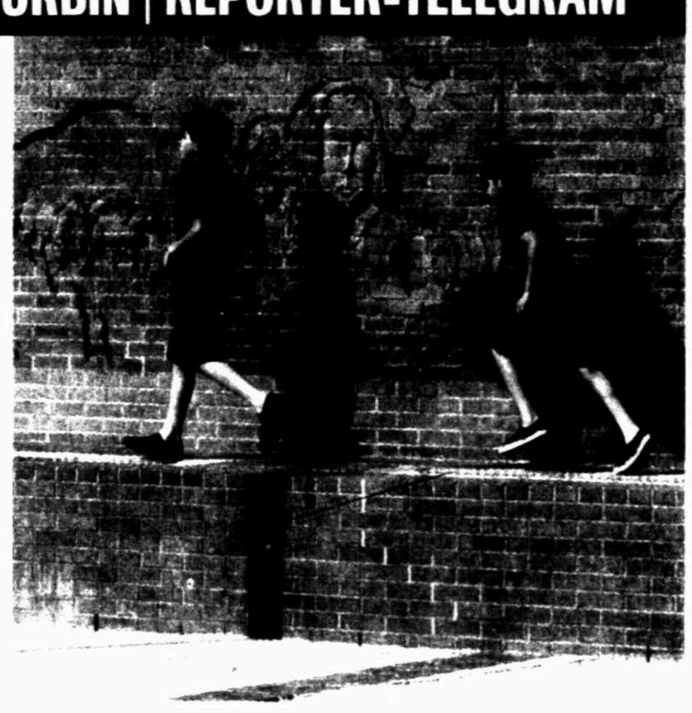
Today is Sunday, June 23, the 174th day of 2013. There are 191 days left in the year.

On this date:

In 1972, President Nixon signed into law Title IX, which barred discrimination on the basis of sex for "any education program or activity receiving federal financial assistance."

Taytum Billington, 4, at left, and Taylee Billington, 3, show off their face paint during the Rogers Ford Mid Midland Mercado on the Plaza event Saturday at Centennial Plaza.

PHOTOS BY JAMES DURBIN | REPORTER-TELEGRAM



HospiceMidland

From 1A

other areas."

To fit within the budget, HospiceMidland has cut back spending in many of the non-revenue generating areas. Administrative positions — including that of Rays of Hope Executive Director Vicki Jay — have been cut and the inpatient unit at Midland Memorial Hospital has been closed for restructuring.

"When we were profitable and doing well, we could use profits to pay for Rays of Hope, but we don't have that anymore, so we've had to reduce staff and go back to what it started as, which is a volunteer organization," Mikkonen said. The board in October shut down the 14-bed inpatient hospice unit at MMH and has contracted with a consultant to re-establish it in a smaller, more manageable manner, Fritschen said.

"It wasn't managed properly and we couldn't afford to keep it open and continue to be in existence as an organization. That's the bottom line," Fritschen said.

Another cost-cutting measure meant moving staff members from the Inspiration Centre at 4629 Andrews Highway to the nonprofit's main office downtown.

"We're still open for support groups and memorial services, but we don't need to have a staff member down there full-time answering phones when they can do that from this office," Mikkonen said.

The restructuring is a response to the change in the business climate, he said.

"At one point, we were the only hospice program in town and sometimes you, get a little lackadaisical. And before you know it you have two or three competitors around you and your market share is being reduced," Mikkonen said.

Both Fritschen and Mikkonen agree HospiceMidland hasn't done a good job educating the community about their programs and asking for help when needed.

"We haven't done a very good job blowing our horn and telling people who we are and why we're the best in town," Mikkonen said. "We need to be telling people who we are and what we represent."

The agency also has done a poor job developing relationships with referring physicians, and as a result, HospiceMidland may have lost many potential patients to for-profit hospices that have built relationships with doctors, Fritschen said.

The board, which plans to work on these deficits — lack of marketing, community education, development and physician referrals — participated in a strategic planning retreat this weekend and answered questions such as "What do we want to do and what do we want to be?" Fritschen said.

Moving forward, Fritschen thinks HospiceMidland will continue to provide quality patient care, and said the majority of changes will be made internally in ways that do not affect the public.

About HospiceMidland

In a sermon in 1979 at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity, the Rev. Sam B. Hulsey mentioned the hospice movement in England, prompting members of the congregation to travel to England and launch a two-year development phase for a nonprofit hospice in Midland.

On Oct. 23, 1981, Hospice of Midland, known today as HospiceMidland, was licensed as a Type A home health agency and offered skilled nursing and medical social services for those who have a life expectancy limited to six months, and bereaved counseling for the family, including a one-year follow up.

Having worked with the organization as a volunteer and office manager since its inception, Carol Armstrong was named executive director in 1988.

Children's grief classes were added in September 1992 and volunteers used a curriculum called Rainbows. These services are still provided through Rays of Hope Children's Grief Centre, which was opened in January 2003.

In March 2004, a 14-bed impatient unit designed to offer symptom-control or terminal, transitional, respite or short-term residential care was opened in the east wing of Midland Memorial Hospital. It served 241 patients during its first fiscal year.

The donation of Hillcrest Bible Church's building allowed HospiceMidland to open its Inspiration Centre in May 2008. The building is used for support groups and memorial services.

Armstrong left HospiceMidland in April 2011. Rays of Hope Executive Director Vicki Jay was appointed interim director until the board hired Mitch Mikkonen in June 2012 to serve as executive director.

Source: Reporter-Telegram archives

Paula Deen fans vent their outrage at Food Network

Associated Press

SAVANNAH, Ga. — Watching Paula Deen's cooking show was a weekend ritual for Marilynne Wilson, who says she's furious at the Food Network for dumping the comfort-food queen after she acknowledged using racial slurs in the past.

"I was shocked. I thought she'd get a fair trial," Wilson, a nurse from Jacksonville, Fla., said Saturday after stopping to buy souvenirs at the gift shop Deen owns next to her Savannah restaurant. "I think the Food Network jumped the gun."

A day after announcing that it's dropping Deen from its roster of celebrity cooks, the cable network was served heaping portions of Southern fried outrage by her fans.

Angry messages piled up Saturday on the network's Facebook page, with many Deen fans threating to change the channel for good. "So good-bye Food Network," one viewer wrote. "I hope you fold like an accordion!!!"

The decision to drop Deen, whose daytime shows have came two days after disclosure of a recent court deposition in which Deen was asked under oath if she had ever used the N-word. "Yes, of course," 66-year-old Deen said, though she added, "It's been a very long time."

Rita Duncan
Licensed Barber of 39 years is extending her services to include shut-ins or office calls. Cuts, Chemical Services, Manicures & Pedicures Available.
432-425-9752

We're Moving!
The Trend Hair Salon
2514 Kansas, Midland, Texas 79701
Call Angel De La Rosa
to set up your appointment
(432) 684-7772

The Barking Dog Interiors
Drought Tolerant Plants!
GARDEN 1402 N. Loop 250 Midland, TX (432) 694-3800

alldredge
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH MONTE MOORE DRILLING
SOLVING YOUR WATER ISSUES
LET US DRILL A WATER WELL ON YOUR PROPERTY
The Alldredge Difference
We not only drill and complete your well, but we can wire the electrical and tie your water well into your sprinkler system.
Service after the sale with Alldredge
432-682-4500
WE ARE MORE THAN JUST A GARDEN CENTER

Midland College
Career training that FUELS the Midland economy
Register NOW!
Fall semester classes begin August 26
Accounting
Energy Technology
Petroleum Professional Development
Business Systems
Safety Training
Truck Driving
Automotive Technology
Information Technology
Welding

Chelsea Rae's INTERIORS
Dress your home in our décor
Grand Re-Opening Saturday, June 29th
New Location!

The history of Rays of Hope

In 1990, HospiceMidland began to search for a program to support the children of HospiceMidland families and adopted Rainbows, a program developed by Suzy Perkins Yehl in Illinois.

Sixty first- through sixth-graders and 27 adults participated in 1992, the program's first year, at Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity. The program was expanded in 1993 to include seventh- through 12th-graders using the Spectrum curriculum.

A partnership with the Junior League of Midland allowed the program to grow, and in 1994, kindergarten was added to the Rainbows program. Also in 1994, the first summer camp was held at First United Methodist Church as an opportunity for former Rainbows participants to reconnect with people with whom they formed relationships during their time in the Rainbows program.

In 2001, the Harold B. Shull family donated a building at 900 W. Wall St. to be used exclusively for the children's program. The community raised $625,000 to renovate and update the building. Rays of Hope Children's Grief Centre was dedicated and opened its doors to the community on Jan. 16, 2003.

Source: Rays of Hope and Reporter-Telegram archives

JAY

From 1A

Operation: Render Comfort, which provided services for families at Fort Hood. She serves as a mentor for Gold Star teenagers at the Memorial Day weekend Good Grief Camp, put on by the Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors.

"Once you experience a loss, it means other changes are ahead, and we want to prepare children to deal with that," Jay said. "Grief is normal for everyone, and we need to normalize it. It's not easy, but growth comes out of it."

Though she's grieved over her departure from Rays of Hope, Jay said she is very excited for the next phase of her life. Beginning Sept. 1 she will serve as executive director of Midland Shared Spaces — a new venture supported by the Abell-Hanger Foundation — that allows about 12 nonprofit organizations to be housed in the same office building and share administrative and building costs.

Midland Shared Spaces is projected to open in November once all remodeling is completed, and Jay said she feels very blessed for this opportunity.

"I believe all my past experiences have brought me to this point," Jay said, noting she is thankful to the Junior League of Midland and Joan Baskin for teaching her the importance of volunteerism. She credits her service in Stephen's Ministry at First United Methodist Church as vital in her development as a leader. "This is the job for me now, using my experiences as a fundraiser, volunteer and leader."

Since Rays of Hope opened in 2003, free support services and peer group sessions have been provided to more than 4,000 children through HopeWorks and Tools of Expression classes, which were developed by Jay and other staff members.

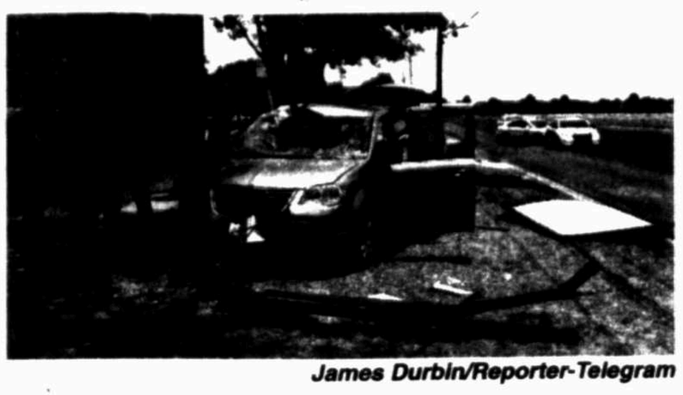
"Everyone has grief and will have more in their life," Jay said. "It's all about learning how to deal with it."

The center's motto — "I didn't cause it. I can't fix it and it gives me hope" — are valuable words to everyone dealing with grief, Jay said.

Though she will no longer be attached to Rays of Hope, Jay said, "My hope is our community will always have a way to serve kids who have losses and changes."

MRT file photo

Vicki Jay poses inside the Rays of Hope office in this March 2010 photo



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Garfield Street crash

An elderly man was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital at about 1 p.m. Saturday after driving this 2010 minivan through an EZ Rider bus shelter and into a tree on Garfield Street near Midland College. An unknown medical condition caused the man to swerve across several lanes and then crash, an officer on the scene said. The bus will continue along its regular route, according to EZ Rider.

Beagle-boxer-basset wins World's Ugliest Dog contest

Associated Press

PETALUMA, Calif. — A huge-headed, duck-footed mix of beagle, boxer and basset hound was the upset winner at the 25th annual World's Ugliest Dog Contest.

Walle, a 4-year-old mutt from Chico, Calif., who was entered at the last minute, was judged Friday as the most unsightly of 30 dogs at the Northern California competition.

"This dog looked like he's been photo-shopped with pieces from various dogs and maybe a few other animals," judge Brian Sobel said.

Fox finger-pointer to woman: 'know your role'

Associated Press

NEW YORK — A finger-pointing political argument on Fox News Channel boiled over when a male conservative talk show host shouted at a woman to "know your role and shut your mouth."

The man, Bill Cunningham, later asked Fox contributor Tamara Holder, "Are you going to cry?"

Fox on-air personalities on Friday were talking about the exchange on Sean Hannity's prime-time show the night before. Commentator Juan Williams concluded that Cunningham "obliterated the line" of civil discourse in his argument with Holder.

The two had been brought on by Hannity to discuss whether Attorney General Eric Holder — no relation to Tamara — had committed perjury.

VOTED BEST CARPET STORE IN THE BASIN FOR THE 10TH YEAR
1998 · 2002 · 2003
2004 · 2006 · 2008
2009 · 2010 · 2011 · 2012

2012 Reader's Choice Best of the Permian Basin

We are honored to again be voted The best Carpet Store. We will continue our commitment to you by providing quality floor coverings and expert installation at the lowest possible price.

PAUL EVANS CARPETS
334-0418 · 301 N. Grant
Mon. - Sat. 8:30 to 6:00
Downtown Odessa
1-800-334-0418
Metro: 5800418
5 easy ways to charge · Se Habla Español

"Best In The West" Accent Granite & Marble
Let Accent help you with your next remodel
Kitchen Countertops • Vanities • Bartops • Fireplace Surrounds
Mon-Fri 9AM-5PM • Saturday 9AM - Noon
4309 SCR 1290 (Coors Road) • Odessa, TX 79765
(432) 563-8004 • accentgranitemidland.com
SHOWROOM & INDOOR SLAB GALLERY

We want to make you a loan $ 40 - $ 1500 Today!
Noble Finance
432-683-7613
30 Minute Service.

Going to Market Sale-Week 3
25% off-Lamps
30% Off-Prints
50% Off-Select Candles
At
Common Scents
San Miguel Square
3303 N. Midkiff
699-6803

DAVID H. ORR, DDS, PA
AND
JC (JAKE) WHITAKER, DDS
PROUDLY ANNOUNCE THE ASSOCIATION OF
ELLIOT M. AYOUB, DDS
GENERAL DENTISTRY
1411 W. WALL ST.
MIDLAND, TX 79701
NOW OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY
WALK-INS ACCEPTED ON FRIDAY
(432) 687-0629
WWW.DAVIDHORRDDS.COM
LIKE US ON

VOTE FOR US!
For any occasion. For any reason.
The Ivy Cottage
3101 N Big Spring St. • Midland • 687 6010

"Tee It Up For Success"
Congratulations to the winners of Midland ISD Education Foundation's tenth annual golf tournament held Monday, May 20 at Green Tree Country Club
Winners of the Championship Flight were:
Buckeye, Inc.: Chris Hubbard, Blain Lewis, Josh Rabe, Keith Skaar
Winners of the Presidential Flight were:
Basic Energy: Monty Craig, Jason Galindo, Warren Hutcherson, Steve Newman
This fundraiser helps provide scholarships, professional development opportunities and innovative teaching grants to Midland ISD employees and students.
Thank you to our generous sponsors!
Corporate Sponsors
CUDD · BlueCross BlueShield of Texas · Don Crawford & Associates
Corporate Partners
BASIC ENERGY SERVICES · SOONER · Total Office Solutions
Hole Sponsors
Athletic Supply, Big D Equipment Company, BOSC, Buckeye, Inc., Campbell Construction Company, Century Graphics, Community National Bank, Downing Wellhead Equipment, Inc., Educational Technology Learning, Endura Products Corp., FirstCapital Bank of Texas, First Southwest, Gray Wireline, Higginbothan & Associates, Horizon Mud, Light Tower Rentals, Midland College, Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, RBC, RWI Construction, Raymond James, Vandergriff Group
Food Sponsor:
Texas Roadhouse
PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES · Midland ISD

OUTOFBALANCE

Spy data disclosures show anew that executive branch holds all the cards

By David Lightman
McClatchy Washington Bureau

Disclosures about National Security Agency cyberspying on millions of Americans vividly illustrates how the federal government's check-and-balance system is out of balance.

Despite periodic attempts to assert itself, the legislative branch over time has settled into a secondary role to the executive branch on questions of national security. The dominance of the executive branch in the nuclear age — when presidents claimed the need to act on a moment's notice — continued into the age of terrorism with the claimed need for vast new spy powers handed over by Congress with the Patriot Act and renewed and extended ever since.

Lawmakers offered little resistance to American intervention in Libya two years ago, or to the use of American troops in central Africa and Uganda. Nor was there much demand for changes in the use of drones aimed at suspected terrorists in foreign countries, even after the administration disclosed last month that four Americans had been killed by strikes abroad.

Bowing to the president in the interest of protecting the nation has been commonplace for a century, ever since the U.S. became a major international player and had to react quickly to crises. "Presidents assumed power and got away with it," said Stephen Hess, a presidential historian at Washington's Brookings Institution who worked with four presidents.

Some of Congress' inability to act like a co-equal branch of government is rooted in the institution's nature. The president can act quickly and speak with one voice. Congress, divided between two parties and two chambers and featuring political factions ranging across the spectrum, cannot.

The executive branch has another built-in edge: The public routinely supports the president's ability to act decisively in times of crisis.

Even those who once urged more congressional advice and consent see events differently from inside the Oval Office.

In 2006, for example, Denis McDonough urged a more active role for Congress, in a study for the Center for American Progress, a liberal research group.

"Recent news headlines that the National Security Agency is collecting the phone records of tens of millions of Americans without the knowledge of key congressional committees underscores the need for Congress to serve as the American public's watchdog in overseeing intelligence agencies," the 2006 study said. "Congress today has been negligent, with profound implications for the safety and security of America."

Now White House chief of staff to President Barack Obama, McDonough argues that safeguards have been established so Congress has a stronger role.

Indeed, members of Congress have had access to information about the spy programs. But few have shown up to read the material.

"It's the perfect example of Congress handing over power to the executive branch and failing to keep up with it," said Jim Harper, a former congressional counsel and now director of information policy studies at the libertarian Cato Institute.

Congress thought it had given itself nearly equal billing by passing the 1973 War Powers Resolution. Approved after years of political conflict over Vietnam, it aimed to place new restrictions on presidents' military initiatives.

But "every president has taken the position that it is an unconstitutional infringement by Congress on the president's authority as commander in chief," Richard Grimmett, a Congressional Research Service international specialist, said in a report. Courts have not directly addressed the issue.

"The war powers act is routinely violated these days," said Jim Manley, a former top aide to Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev. "In recent years Congress has tended to defer to the executive branch when it comes to national security-related issues."

> *"Congress wrote the law, amended it and debated it. They wanted an executive who could act decisively and in secret. It's the kind of inevitable result of us being a world power."*
>
> **Gary Schmitt**, co-director of the American Enterprise Institute's Marilyn Ware Center for Security Studies.

This much is clear: Congress has adjusted its role in recent years so that "Congress does its best job at the front end and the back end," said Gary Schmitt, co-director of the American Enterprise Institute's Marilyn Ware Center for Security Studies.

The usual pattern is that as a crisis unfolds, lawmakers often raise serious questions. If something goes awry, they try to put curbs on presidential action, which usually take a long time to approve let alone implement.

When President George W. Bush was considering invading Iraq in 2002, Democrats controlling the Senate held hearings on war and its aftermath.

But when the Bush administration argued that Iraq had weapons of mass destruction — a claim later proven false — Congress gave Bush broad bipartisan authority to act against Iraq and any others threatening the United States. On the back end, though, Congress got assertive. As popular support dwindled, and the war turned ugly, lawmakers raised new questions and debated withdrawal deadlines.

Just as the war demonstrated Congress' limits, so has the NSA controversy. Congress has offered little apparent resistance, though it did build some safeguards into the system.

A secret court must approve NSA data collection. Congressional intelligence committees routinely scrutinize the effort, as evidenced by the lack of surprise members expressed when news of the programs surfaced.

So, says Schmitt, don't think about Congress' role anymore in terms of what an equal branch of government might do. Think of the reality.

"Congress wrote the law, amended it and debated it," Schmitt said. "They wanted an executive who could act decisively and in secret. It's the kind of inevitable result of us being a world power."

the YMCA
FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
DEVELOPING MORE THAN A JUMP SHOT
Youth Basketball
Registration Deadline June 24
GAMES BEGIN JULY 18
For More Information
Call 432-682-2551
or visit www.midlandymca.org
Like us on Facebook

KOREA VETERANS' Appreciation Day
MIDLAND KOREAN BAPTIST CHURCH
cordially invites you to a celebration honoring Korean War Veterans and servicemen/women who were stationed in Korea.
June 29, 2013 2:00-3:30
Allison Fine Arts Auditorium, Midland College
Performances: Traditional Korean Music & Dance Troupe
Reception immediately following program.
If you are a Korean War Veteran and are able to attend:
Please RSVP to Pastor Hongnak Koo at
koohongnak@yahoo.com or (432)413-9593

FAMILY FUN Package
Big Bend National Park
3 days, 2 nights in 3 BR, 2 BA cottage w/oasis tour for 2 adults, 3 kids
$975
June 1-Aug 31
Big Bend Resort & Adventures
877.386.4383 Travel-Forever.com

CE CECO
Celebrating our 35th year in business
432-550-9181

MATRIX

HEAVEN

"Change The Path Of A Pet's Life"
Midland SPCA
2701 S. County Rd. 1206
Midland, TX 79706
Shots Available by Appointment
432-684-7582
Available for Adoption.
Sponsored by Brown's Permian Electric

Dolly P. Doctor, MD
Board Certified in Internal Medicine
Practicing Internal Medicine & Bariatrics (Obesity Treatment)
Specialized Care in:
Diabetes / High Sugar • High Blood Pressure
High Cholesterol / Triglyceride • Heart Disease / Heart Failure
Abdominal Pain / Acid Reflux • Emphysema / Asthma Bronchitis
Allergies • Osteoporosis • Annual Physical Exam
Preventative Cancer Screening • Pap Smears / Women's Health
Bariatrics/ Weight Management
686.9999 • 570.1221
2817 W. Loop 250 N., Midland • Most Insurances Accepted

HENRY
John 14:23
Jesus replied, "If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him."

Your loved one needs full-time care for their Alzheimer's.
Be sure you ask the right questions.

1) Is this a Certified Alzheimer's Nursing Care Center?
A Licensed Nursing Care Center can become a certified Alzheimer's Care Center by the state and then is required to have a higher staff to recipient care ratio than a Licensed Assisted Living facility. This ratio is a very important indicator of excellent and consistent personal care.
Manor Park's John F. Younger Alzheimer's Care Center is certified and meets or exceeds all state standards.

2) What certification is required for your staff?
All staff at a Certified Nursing Facility must have documented training in the care and handling of the Alzheimer's resident, at least eight hours of orientation and annual continuing education in Alzheimer's disease and related disorders.
At Manor Park, our employees receive this training plus the new PersonFirst training which places a focus on human dignity, relationship building and personal growth. We have registered and licensed nurses interacting with our residents 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

3) How does this facility provide social, spiritual and intellectual stimulation?
Alzheimer's patients have been shown to improve function and enjoy a better quality of life with a stimulating living environment.
At John F. Younger Alzheimer's Care Center, our full-time Life Enhancement Coordinator, Chaplain, Music Minister and three Neighborhood Coordinators work hard to keep body, mind and spirit enriched for each of our residents.

The Village at Manor Park
2208 N. Loop 250 W.
Midland, Texas
432.699.3401
www.manorparkinc.org

FAA moving toward easing electronic device restrictions

By Joan Lowy
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The government is moving toward easing restrictions on airline passengers using electronic devices to listen to music, play games, read books, watch movies and work during taxiing, take-offs and landings.

An industry-labor advisory committee was supposed to make recommendations next month to the Federal Aviation Administration on easing the restrictions. But the agency said in a statement Friday the deadline has been extended to September because committee members asked for extra time to finish assessing whether it is safe to lift restrictions.

"The FAA recognizes consumers are intensely interested in the use of personal electronics aboard aircraft; that is why we tasked a government-industry group to examine the safety issues and the feasibility of changing the current restrictions," the statement said.

The agency is under public and political pressure to ease the restrictions as more people use e-book readers, music and video players, smartphones and laptops. Use of electronic devices is prohibited when aircraft are below 10,000 feet because of concern they could create electromagnetic interference with critical aircraft systems. But evidence of the potential interference is murky.

Cellphone calls and Internet use and transmissions are also prohibited, and it's not expected those restrictions will be lifted. Using cellphones to make calls on planes is regulated by the Federal Communications Commission. There is concern that making calls from fast-flying planes might cause technical difficulties with cellphone reception on the ground. There is also the potential annoyance factor — whether passengers will be unhappy if they have to listen to other passengers yakking on the phone.

The Wall Street Journal reported Friday that a draft report by the advisory committee indicates its 28 members have reached a consensus that at least some of the current restrictions should be eased.

"It's good to see the FAA may be on the verge of acknowledging what the traveling public has suspected for years — that current rules are arbitrary and lack real justification," Sen. Claire McCaskill, D-Mo., one of Congress' more outspoken critics of the restrictions, said in a statement. She contends that unless scientific evidence can be presented to justify the restrictions, they should be lifted.

Edward Pizzarello, the co-founder of frequent flier discussion site MilePoint, says lifting the restriction is "long overdue."

"I actually feel like this regulation has been toughest on flight attendants. Nobody wants to shut off their phone, and the flight attendants are always left to be the bad guys and gals," said Pizzarello, 38, of Leesburg, Va.

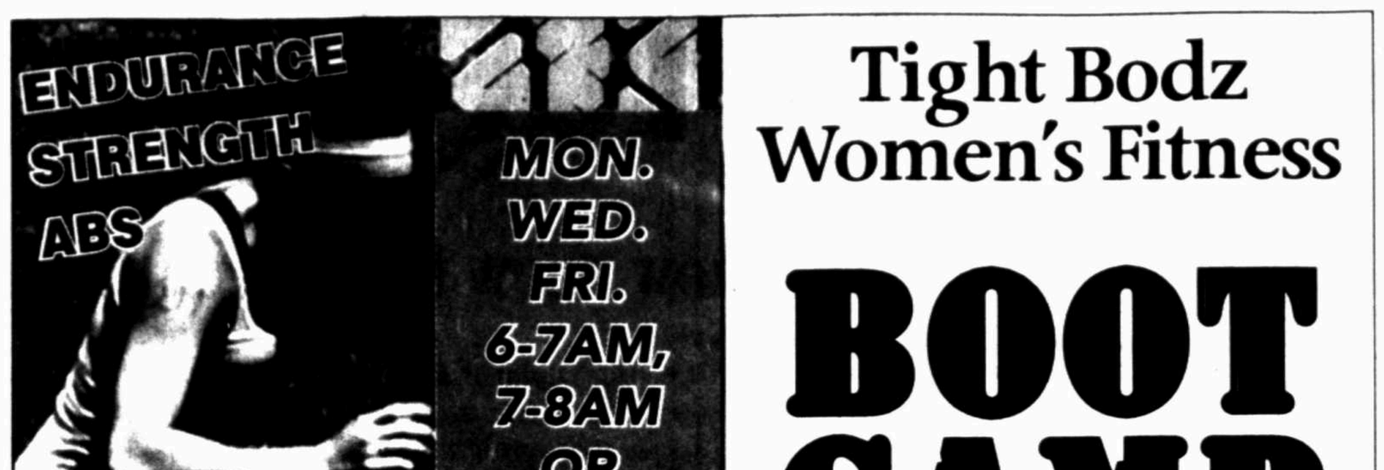
"I just hope they do the sensible thing and don't allow people to talk on their cellphones during flight," added Pizzarello, who flies 150,000 to 200,000 miles a year. "There are plenty of people that don't have the social skills necessary to make a phone call on a plane without annoying the people around them. Some things are better left alone."

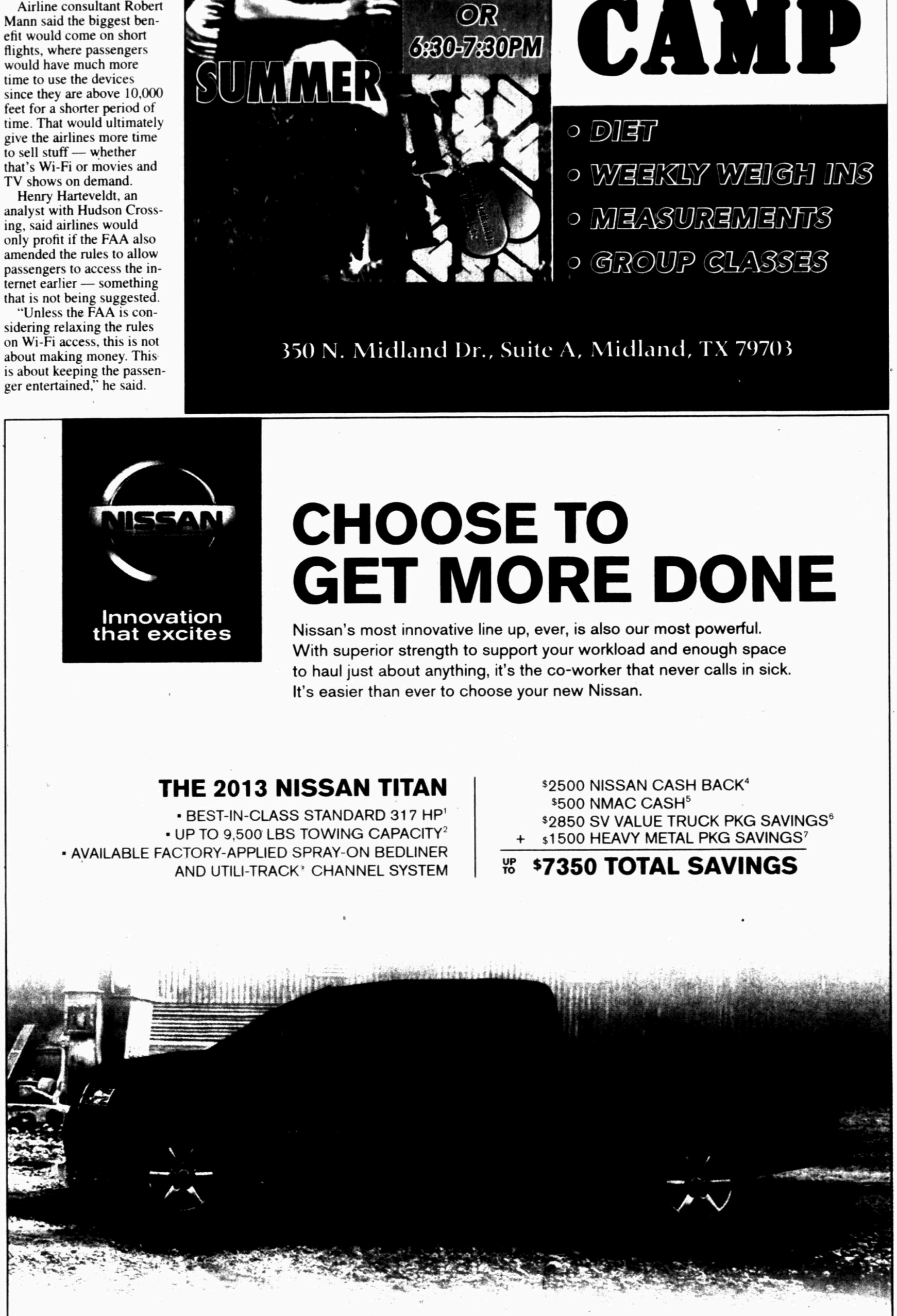
"Before the age of tablets, I used to read a physical newspaper or magazine. Now I can do that on my iPad. If the FAA lets me leave my iPad on, then that's one less thing I have to carry," Pizzarello said.

Airline consultant Robert Mann said the biggest benefit would come on short flights, where passengers would have much more time to use the devices since they are above 10,000 feet for a shorter period of time. That would ultimately give the airlines more time to sell stuff — whether that's Wi-Fi or movies and TV shows on demand.

Henry Harteveldt, an analyst with Hudson Crossing, said airlines would only profit if the FAA also amended the rules to allow passengers to access the internet earlier — something that is not being suggested.

"Unless the FAA is considering relaxing the rules on Wi-Fi access, this is not about making money. This is about keeping the passenger entertained," he said.





Rising US wealth doesn't generate spending surge

By Paul Wiseman
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The stock market rallied to record heights last month, home prices have rebounded and the wealth of American households has returned to where it was before the Great Recession.

That's just what Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke said he wanted when the Fed announced a third round of bond purchases last September.

The purchases weren't just meant to push interest rates down and make it cheaper for businesses and consumers to borrow — the traditional aim of the Fed's easy money policies. They were also designed to pump up stock and house prices, making Americans feel richer and more willing to spend — a process economists call the "wealth effect."

But the wealth effect may not have had the economic impact Bernanke hoped it would. Sure, the Dow Jones industrial average is up 11 percent since the bond-buying policy was announced in mid-September, despite plummeting Wednesday and Thursday on news that the Fed could end the purchases by the middle of 2014. And overall household wealth hit $70.3 trillion at the end of March, regaining the $12.7 trillion lost in the recession.

But Americans still aren't shopping with enough gusto to add much momentum to the economy. Consumer spending actually fell in April from March. And economic output — 70 percent of which comes from consumer spending — is expected to grow at an annual rate of just 2 percent from April through June, down from a 2.4 percent.

Why aren't the impressive increases in wealth helping the economy bounce back as briskly as it normally does four years after a recession?

Economists cite several reasons. The biggest gains aren't going to the vast majority of Americans. Many families are still nursing big losses on the value of their home, and the big drop in home prices from 2006 through 2011 has undermined their confidence. Moreover, their incomes have been crimped by a weak labor market and tax increases that took effect in January.

The biggest gains in wealth are going to wealthy households that tend to save a big chunk of their incomes and spend a smaller proportion on basics such as food and clothing. "Those guys don't spend much," said economist Edward Wolff of New York University.

The disparity shows up in numbers Wolff calculated. He found that the average U.S. household's net worth rose this year to $522,000. But the average is skewed higher by the vast net worth of America's wealthiest — Bill Gates' $67 billion, for instance, according to Forbes magazine.

So Wolff looked at the net worth of the median U.S. household — those smack in the middle, where half of households earn more and half less. The median family's net worth is far more modest than the average: $61,000, Wolff estimates. That is $50,800, or 47 percent, short of where it was in 2007.

One reason: The biggest gains have come from the rise in financial markets. And the benefits of the stock market's surge have gone disproportionately to America's wealthiest households.

The wealth effect from gains in financial markets is much weaker than the effect from gains in housing wealth: A $1 increase in housing wealth generates about 8 cents of consumer spending. A $1 rise in stock wealth generates 3 cents. And a $1 rise in bond wealth generates less than 1 cent, says Mark Zandi, chief economist at Moody's Analytics.

Housing has a bigger bang for the buck because it is the main source of wealth for middle-class families, and they spend almost all their earnings. Bonds and stocks tend to be held by the wealthy, who spend a smaller share of theirs.

But housing isn't helping much yet — even though home prices are bouncing back from a devastating real estate bust. Many Americans still haven't seen the value of their home fully recover. Nearly 1 in 5 homes are worth less than the mortgages on it, CoreLogic reports.

Too many children in the child welfare system lose their families, their rights and their hope.

You can make a Difference!

By advocating for an abused or neglected child, you give that child a "voice" and a chance for a better life.

When a child enters the foster care system, the Judge appoints a CASA to advocate for the child's 'best interest'. The CASA is a committed volunteer who advocates for that child in court and the community.

Volunteer to become a Court Appointed Special Advocate. Every child in the foster care system needs a "Voice".

www.casawtx.org

sarab@casawtx.org

A Child's Voice.
A Child's Life.
Lifted Up.

By You.

Call today:
432-683-1114
Or
877-316-8346

CASA
Court Appointed Special Advocates FOR CHILDREN
CASA OF WEST TEXAS

Aphasia Center of West Texas presents the 4th Annual Aphasia Awareness Concert

Bennie & The Jets
an Elton John Tribute

FREE!

6:45 p.m., Friday, June 28th Midland's Centennial Plaza

Gates & food vendors open 6:30 p.m. No outside food allowed.
Children's activities provided by Museum of the Southwest.

432.699.1261 or www.AphasiaWTx.org

Sponsorships available! Includes shaded reserved seats, catered meal and private bar.

NewsMidland · CBS7 The First with the News · Cece & A.J. Brune, Terry & Tm McGraw, Carolyn & Ron Stroman · Midland Reporter-Telegram · Rock 94.1 · Kicks 97 · Peytons · Bikes · Double Tree

DICKEY'S
BARBECUE PIT

CHECK OUT OUR DEAL OF THE DAY!

MONDAY
THE WESTERNER

Sandwich only $5.00

TUESDAY
BIG BARBECUE SANDWICH

Pulled Pork only $2.75

WEDNESDAY
CHOPPED BEEF PLATE

Includes 2 Sides and 32 oz. Drink $7.75

THURSDAY
TURKEY PLATE

Includes 2 Sides and 32 oz. Drink $7.75

On-Line Ordering Now Available!

FRIDAY
PULLED PORK PLATE

Includes 2 Sides and 32 oz. Drink $7.75

SATURDAY
SPICY CHEDDAR SAUSAGE

Includes 2 Sides and 32 oz. Drink $7.75

"text DICKEYS229" to 25328 and receive a free drink and other exclusive offers.

KIDS EAT FREE SUNDAYS!

FREE ICE CREAM EVERY DAY!

WITH DINE-IN PURCHASE ONLY

5210 W. WADLEY
MIDLAND, TX 79707
432.689.4500

CATERING:
432.212.3351

$5 OFF PURCHASE
RECEIVE $5 OFF ANY PURCHASE.

© 2012 Dickey's Barbecue Restaurants, Inc. Not valid with any other offers. Valid at Midland location only. Expires 06/30/13

$5 OFF FAMILY PACK
INCLUDES: 2 MEATS (1 LB. EACH), 3 MEDIUM SIDES, 6 ROLLS & BARBECUE SAUCE.

© 2012 Dickey's Barbecue Restaurants, Inc. Not valid with any other offers. Valid at Midland location only. Expires 06/30/13

OPINION

GOP needs to win politics of immigration reform

■ Restrictionists will not serve the Republican Party well in the long term

MICHAEL GERSON
Washington Post Writers Group

It is sometimes argued, rather piously, that the outcome of the immigration reform debate must be decided on the substance instead of the politics. And there is much to commend in the substance of the Senate bill, which would improve security at the border, modernize employer verification, shift future green cards toward more skilled applicants and provide undocumented workers a chance to demonstrate they are good citizens (paying fines and back taxes and avoiding a criminal record), before they are sworn in as citizens 13 years down the road.

But if there is any issue where politics is unavoidable, it is this one: Immigration policy (along with demographic trends) determines the shape of the future electorate. It is not particularly realistic, or even coherent, to argue that defining the boundaries of the political community should not be sullied by politics.

So the current, internal Republican debate on the political implications of reform is unavoidable. Some believe the shift toward a more welcoming immigration policy is a precondition for appealing to rising ethnic groups. Others claim that undocumented workers, in the words of one Republican congressman, Michael Burgess, of Texas, are "11 million undocumented Democrats" who would, as citizens, vote the GOP into irrelevance.

The Republican camps in this dispute are largely defined by their answer to a prior political question: Does the current coalition of the GOP need to be motivated or modified? If it is possible to win future national elections by increasing the enthusiasm and turnout of current Republican voters, then embracing immigration reform is an unnecessary political risk. If the Republican coalition is unsustainable and requires transformation, then the assumption of political risk is required.

For two reasons, Republicans should be leaning toward the modification of their coalition.

First, the realities of demographic change have begun to bite. Since the mid-1990s, the share of nonwhite voters has steadily increased by about 3 percentage points each presidential election. If America's demographic composition were the same last year as it was in 1992, Mitt Romney would have won in a landslide. If it were the same as it was in 2000, he would now be president. Instead, Romney secured 59 percent of the white vote — and lost the election by 4 points.

Second, during the same 20 years these shifts were taking place, elements of the GOP undertook an active campaign to alienate rising demographic groups. It began with Proposition 187 in California, denying public services to illegal immigrants and their families, and continued with restrictive immigration laws in Arizona, Georgia, South Carolina and Alabama. This effort symbolically culminated in Romney's embrace of "self-deportation" and his loss of the Hispanic vote by 44 points.

From one perspective, immigration restrictionists are correct. In the current political atmosphere — the atmosphere they helped to create — immigrants who become citizens will be deeply suspicious of Republicans. So are current voters who have ties to or sympathy for immigrant communities. The problem is this: While killing immigration reform may slightly extend the viability of the current Republican political coalition, it may seriously undermine the attempt to adjust it.

Such an adjustment depends on Hispanic voters being gettable by Republicans — which many restrictionists deny. Hispanics, it is argued, are inherently favorable to big government. But there is some paradoxical hope to be found for the GOP in the recent collapse of its appeal among Hispanics. This did not happen because immigrant groups became more liberal or more welfare-dependent. It happened because Republicans seemed more hostile to their interests. Clearly there is some elasticity in Latino political opinion. A GOP political strategy might begin by removing the stick they have put in the eye of a rising demographic group — the main political argument for supporting immigration reform.

This won't be enough. While appealing to Hispanic voters is not like appealing to Manhattanites — it doesn't involve the abandonment of social conservatism — it does require a populist economic agenda. Recent immigrants are naturally concerned about a working social safety net, a working public education system and a working job training system. Republicans will need to offer serious reform proposals in these areas. And this requires a positive, active, market-oriented role for government that competes with more centralized and bureaucratic Democratic approaches.

The GOP's political goal is modest. It doesn't need to win majorities among minorities, just avoid lopsided losses. But the challenge is larger than it first appears — not merely to accept an immigration bill, but to start a period of ideological creativity and persistent outreach.

OUR VIEW

When it comes to zoning, everyone has an agenda

One of the major flash points for the City Council is dealing with property owners over zoning issues. It is a responsibility not to be taken lightly — by either side.

We saw a bit of this tussle recently when representatives of a west Midland neighborhood came to the council in opposition to the building of a Dollar General store on Midland Drive, just to the north of T&T Donuts.

The city's Planning and Zoning Commission in May approved the zoning of the Dollar General. Developers also had agreed not to sell alcohol at this store, which was a stipulation added before the commission voted in May.

Residents from the adjacent neighborhood still objected on the grounds that it would create extra traffic, more trash, greater instances of crime and lower property values. It pretty much gives us the feeling that this store can be built anywhere you want, but not in our backyard.

But it got worse. The residents offered a bargaining chip for the store project. The residents said they could support the project in their backyard if the council would insist the 2 acres of undeveloped property to north would not be zoned for apartments.

Mayor Wes Perry said those acres currently are zoned for office buildings, not apartments. That brought another curve ball from the residents when they noted that a property deed from 1946 prevented the developer from even approaching the city about a zone change unless "a majority of owners" in certain tracts around the location of the property agreed to the zoning changes.

The developer is said to already be in Midland collecting the "47 signatures" that he allegedly needs. The item to change zoning was ultimately deferred because the presentation of the deed at the last minute and the need for the council to have more information.

Without wading through the technicalities of this case, we are disturbed by the reasoning process of the residents that somehow a Dollar General lessens the safety of the area and brings more crime.

It also seems petty to pull an old bait and switch routine on the council to get at the core of what they really want: no apartments in the area.

"If you don't guarantee (that there won't be) apartments on the other 2 acres," block captain Alathea Blischke said, "we will continue to oppose."

We believe what is fair to the process is that the council's decision is based on that property alone, not speculation on what might occur by this council or a future council on 2 acres currently zoned for office space (according to the mayor).

Blischke also stood before the council at the meeting earlier this month and said "we don't trust you to put the residents first" when it came to making this decision. We respectifully disagree. We also add that leadership — which in this case does not require a certain type of vote — is about putting the community first.

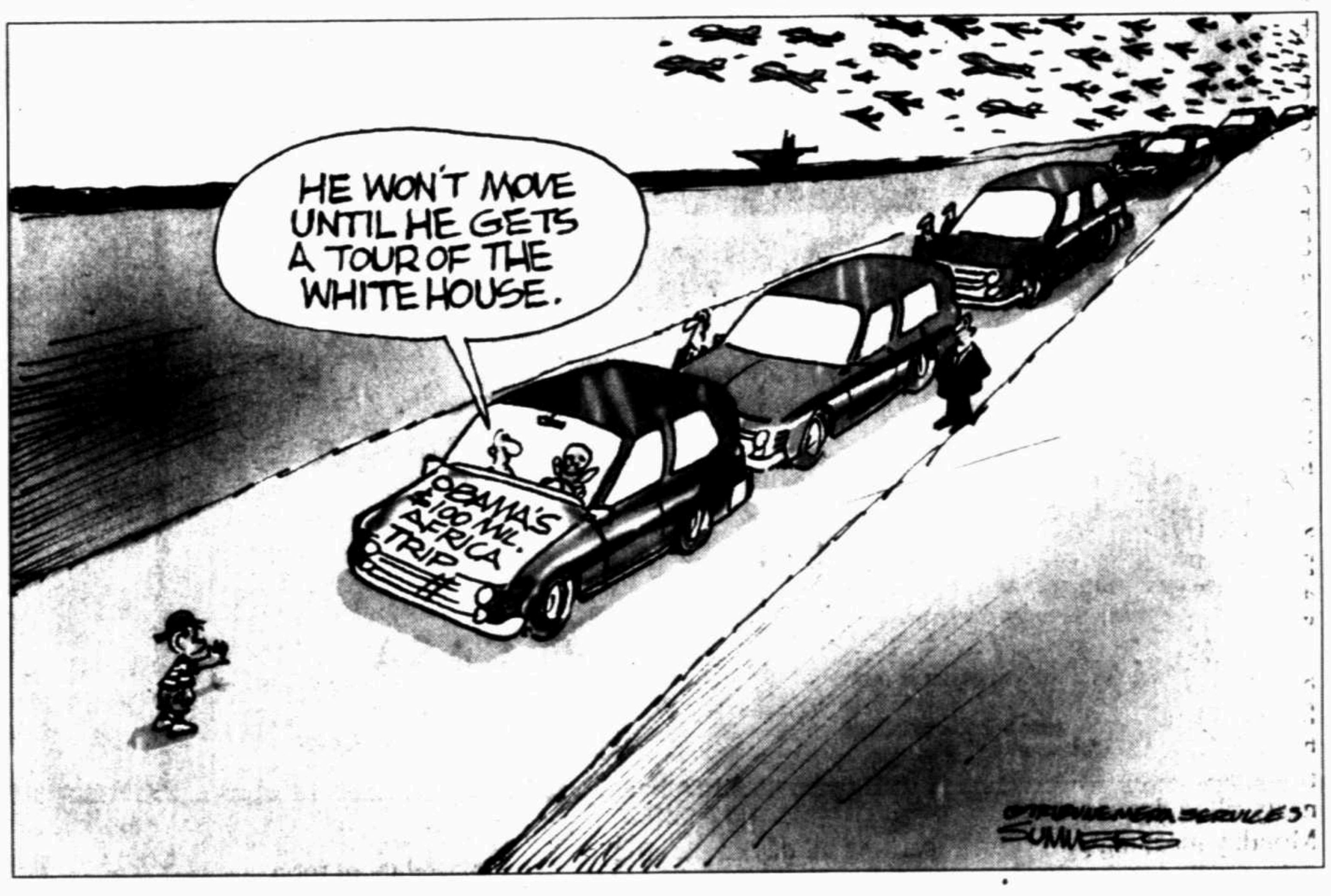
The matter still remains a two-edged sword. Midland's growth brings with it a responsibility by the council and developers to work with neighbors. With that in mind, we expect a solution can be found to satisfy all concerned.

We think the council has shown due diligence in dealing with this case and will continue to do so by letting city ordinances and the law guide the way.

EDITORIAL BOARD
Mike Distelhorst, Publisher
Stewart Doreen, Editor
Mary Dearen, Managing Editor
Terry Williamson, Editorial Writer

TO OUR READERS
Opinions, columns, letters and cartoons reflect the author's or artist's views and not necessarily the view of the Reporter-Telegram.

VISIT US ONLINE
You can find current and past editorials, letters to the editor and more at **www.mywesttexas.com/opinion**.



Rand Paul finds home with Republicans

■ Is he presidential material? Tough to say, but a string of controversies have people taking notice of the Libertarian

RICH LOWRY
King Features Syndicate

This is the kind of issue Rand Paul was born and (literally) raised to raise holy hell over. The NSA leak came on the heels of revelations that the Internal Revenue Service was singling out tea-party groups for extra scrutiny, and on the heels of the Associated Press and James Rosen investigations.

Add in the gun-control fight earlier this year and Paul is nearly 4-for-4 in fights sticking up, in his view, for the first four amendments of the Bill of Rights. The only thing missing is the third, because no one has proposed quartering of troops in our homes — yet.

It is a Rand Paul moment in the GOP not just because the headlines reinforce his core critique of leviathan as too big, too unaccountable and too threatening, but because he is smart and imaginative enough to capitalize on those headlines.

Paul has that quality that can't be learned or bought: He's interesting. How many potential Republican presidential candidates have helped shepherd a new verb into the English language. The hoopla around Paul's filibuster gave us "to drone," in the sense of "don't drone me, bro."

Paul taps into an American tradition of dissent not usually invoked by Republicans. At the Time magazine gala this year honoring the 100 most influential people in the world (he was one), he raised a glass to Henry David Thoreau. In his inaugural Senate address, he contrasted his Kentucky hero, the irascible abolitionist Cassius Clay, with the more conventional Kentucky political legend, the Great Compromiser, Henry Clay.

His cultural affect is different, too, a little more Utne Reader than National Review. At a packed event at the Reagan Library, he explained: "I'm a libertarian conservative who spends most of my free time outdoors. I bike and hike and kayak, and I compost." It might be the first positive reference to composting in the history of that fine institution.

Not too long ago, Paul's foreign-policy views would have been an insuperable obstacle to a serious presidential run. No more. The evolution in the party's foreign policy is captured in the story of the Pauls. In 2008, Ron Paul's noninterventionism made him a punching bag in the Republican primary debates. In 2012, it got a respectful hearing. In 2016, his son's (less toxic) version of the same policy will be much closer to the party's mainstream.

At least for some stretch of 2015, Rand Paul could well be the Republican front-runner, tapping into grass-roots enthusiasm on the model of Howard Dean in 2003. And it's not inconceivable that he could go further than that famous representative of "the Democratic wing of the Democratic Party."

Paul has a built-in online and grass-roots network of the sort it takes years to build. In fact, it did. His father built it, and now he's working to expand it in his extensive travels. During those years, his father welcomed into his fold cranks and haters, and one of Rand Paul's quiet messages is that he has his father's core convictions, without the loathsome baggage.

I'm far from a Rand Paul-ite. I don't think there was ever any threat of Americans being droned sitting at cafes, nor do I think drones are the scariest invention in the history of flight. I'm not where Paul is on foreign or national-security policy, and I doubt his libertarianism has as much crossover appeal in blue states as he hopes.

But libertarianism is a significant strand on the right. It should be represented, and represented well. By and large, Rand Paul does that. Underestimate him at your peril.

CONTACT YOUR REPRESENTATIVE

SENATORS
Ted Cruz (R)
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Suite SDB-40B, Washington, DC 20510
Facebook: www.facebook.com/tedcruzpage
Web: http://www.cruz.senate.gov/

John Cornyn (R)
Address: 284 Russell Office Building, Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510-4302
Phone: 202-224-0704
Fax 202-228-2856
Website: cornyn.senate.gov

REPRESENTATIVE
K. Michael Conaway (R)
Local office address: 6 Desta Drive, Suite 2000, Midland, TX 79705
Phone: 687-2390
Website: www.house.gov/conaway

From the Left | Doonesbury

From the Right | Mallard Fillmore

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

There is good, bad with dog park

Hogan Dog Park: Thumbs up.

New water fountains — finally, more practical and sanitary water fountains.

New pavilion by the play area — much needed and appreciated.

Hogan Dog Park: Thumbs down

Issue No. 1: Small dog area.

Erosion around trees from overwatering and chemical usage created contaminated grounds and the dogs walk or lay down in the water and then ingest ground contaminants (i.e. weed killer, fertilizer, etc.). Please fill all tree areas with rock.

Also, do not water more than once a week for no more than an hour, and it would be best if the irrigation came on after midnight. The dog areas have become nothing more than swamps of dirty and contaminated sludge, and it is not a pretty sight for a dog owner to see their dog become stuck and covered in mud.

Issue No. 2: Repair of gates at big dog lot area.

The double gates do not close securely, and the two service gate areas are a mess. They do not lock because they are out of alignment from being hit by the maintenance trucks; cinder blocks and bungee cords have to be used. Also, several gates on the baseball field gates that back up to the dog park and golf course are in the same shape and cannot be closed properly.

Issue No. 3: Instead of non-relevant agility equipment, install a splash pool in large dog park.

Issue No. 4: Install separate restroom for the playground and pavilion area; money would be well-spent.

Issue No. 5: Also, and I hate to say this, but I have found plastic cups full of human urine in both dog run areas, along with very nasty filled diapers, on Monday mornings.

I've called the parks superintendent, David Sanchez, left a message at 11:05 a.m. on June 13. I also attempted to contact via the Parks Department response site and received the following message: "The resource you are looking for might have been removed, had its name changed or is temporarily unavailable." I have emailed Mayor Wes Perry's office, this day.

Ann M. Mussinan

Public officials wrong about Energy Tower

I don't know why I continue to be amazed at the idiocy of public officials and special interests. We have been hearing for months now about how the Energy Tower is going to revitalize downtown Midland, it will bring people there after work and on weekends to shop, to dine, to play, etc.

According to the Reporter-Telegram's June 8 article, the first causalities of this totem pole (aka giving the finger to Midland taxpayers) are current and already future booked outside activities at Centennial Plaza (and in all likelihood, the farmers market), and moving them to suburban areas. Isn't this discouraging the populace from coming to downtown Midland? Perhaps the activities currently scheduled do not appeal to the kind of citizens (the "other") Energy Tower supporters envision. At any rate, it seems only the elite are to be welcomed to the auspicious edifice that is to be built to the glory of our local government and their special interest cohorts.

As an aside: Residents of Midland, who live outside the downtown area, in the past have had to petition the city to remove community activities because of the noise problems (maybe airport noise abatement procedures can be required so these activities will not keep people up at night).

Talk about the right hand not knowing what the left hand is doing. This current double speak (remember Orwell's "1984") has the mayor and those who are spending your tax dollars for their own benefit speaking out of both sides of their mouths.

Just an early reminder: Midlanders, remember to vote in the next election and remove these escapees from an insane asylum from office and put in people who live in the same world you and I do.

Mary Mabry

Forget parking meters; write tickets

Before we spend a lot of money on parking meters, why don't we try to enforce the posted parking rules and write a few tickets? There is no penalty for parking all day or parking in the pedestrian walkways. One of the handicap zones is occupied all day by the same car. Yes, the car has a permit, but all day? Writing a few tickets downtown will solve the parking problem.

And now for my next rant. I see we are going to build a new fire station. Are we going to buy a new fire engine for it or are we going to take the one away from Station 5?

James V. Humphrey

Can drivers please learn to yield?

Contrary to popular belief, "yield" does not mean "accelerate when you see another car coming."

After living in Austin for two years you would think that I would have gotten used to driving in traffic, but one of the most frustrating things that native Midlanders face when returning home is the blatant disregard for yield signs that seems to have spread throughout the area like a virus. I do not exaggerate when I say that every single time I exit the loop, I have to slam on my brakes because there is someone coming off the feeder who is trying to beat me to the light. I propose putting up big, red, triangular signs at every exit to the loop that say "YIELD," but seeing as that's already been done to no avail, I request that we take a few extra measures. How about adding a sub note to the signs on the way into town: "Welcome to Midland, Home of President George W. Bush and Laura Bush. *Please yield to all traffic exiting Loop 250." Maybe we should just station a few more traffic officers at the exits to enforce the laws.

Not only is it irritating to have to immediately force your car to an almost halt when you're exiting at 60 mph, but it is also dangerous. Obviously, the signs were placed there for a reason and I am having a legitimately difficult time understanding why, when there is literally a big red sign saying to do it, people still ignore them. I believe that I had better driving skills as a sophomore at Midland High than some of these 40-somethings who think they are above waiting their turn to proceed in traffic. Maybe we should hire Bill Engvall to stand at the exits with a microphone to say, "Here's your sign," every time someone neglects the posted instructions. Either way, something has got to be done before someone seriously gets injured. So don't be surprised to see a very frustrated girl laying on her horn if you decide that you don't really have to obey the yield signs.

Audrey Erwin

Lord's will is not about murdering babies

In the news today is the matter of our Texas Legislators continuing to legislate morality, centered mostly upon the matter of women's health vs. abortion. In our Reporter-Telegram this morning (June 20) is an article regarding Lt. Gov. Dewhurst "tweeting" about the bill before them that would tighten the situation with abortion and make abortion more difficult to come by. Yes, it may facilitate the closing of some so-called women's health clinics that also perform abortions surgically and chemically, but what we don't seem to realize is the fact there are many women's health clinics that don't perform abortions available to women today. The fact is, in Midland, there is such a clinic at Secor and Illinois, just down the street from Planned Parenthood.

While abortion may be legal, according to Roe vs. Wade, 40 years ago, morally it is against the Lord God and his Word. Almost every day across Texas, and in particular, in Midland-Odessa and the Permian Basin, Christians pray in the way Jesus the Christ taught us: "Our Father." In that prayer Christians make the statement "Your will be done." One can never convince me that it is the Lord's will that we abort/murder babies.

Charles Hodges

Time to rein in MISD board, Warren

I do not think the MISD board has the right to take $3.5 million out of the MISD fund to use for teacher housing. That money is to be used directly in the education of our children, not to subsidize the teachers' housing. Since when did MISD's charter include going into the housing business? The teachers in Midland, according to the last raise, are above the normal for pay in Texas. They can find a place to live just like everyone else has to do. This decision should be made at the voter level; put it on a ballot. The $3.5 million would go a long way toward our children's education. Does your employer help pay for your housing? If not, call Ryder Warren and tell him stop this wrongful spending of our children's money.

Ryder Warren should give back his entire raise because he failed to educate all of the children in his district. There are children who are graduating from high school in MISD who cannot add two single-digit numbers together, yet Ryder Warren and our school system are pushing them through, upping the graduation rate so that they get state and federal monies. According to an article in the Reporter-Telegram, MISD's top eight positions make more than most private sector members in similar positions. It's starting to look like Obama has taken over, and we know where that's headed in Washington.

We need to rein in Ryder Warren and the school board before it's too late. Remember: We elected them, we can fire them — they work for us.

Robert Crites

Does there need to be a pill for everything?

I think it's time we all write our congressman, senators, and, yes, even the White House. It's time we all stand up to the all-mighty drug companies for creating diseases. We need to stop all these ads and we need to stop the drug companies from making up diseases.

I don't know what the terrorists are planning for America, but if every problem they talk about in medicine commercials: breathing, lifting, walking, talking, sleeping, sitting, all kinds of dysfunctions and male pattern menopause. I think I would welcome death. Please, I've just got seasonal allergies.

It seems like every time I turn the TV on these days I see some ad for some drug I never heard of to treat some disease unknown to mankind. I got a stomachache from eating chili cheese fries. I discovered that it was irritable bowel syndrome, or IBS. They have a social anxiety disorder — or as my Dad called it: shyness. My Dad always recommended a home remedy: Canadian Club and 7-Up.

If your wife gives you a cold shoulder, it's not that you need a pill. Your beer belly is so big you sweat light beer. They tell you she is dysfunctional. Now they have come up with restless leg syndrome. Did it ever exist? Have you ever heard of someone missing work or not going a party because of RLS? Sorry, boss, I can't come in today, that restless leg syndrome is acting up.

On a flight from Albuquerque to Midland, I read a medical brochure about diabetes. We landed in Midland, and I was convinced I had diabetes.

I am waiting for an ad that tells me the reason I have morning stiffness in my legs is actually stiffness rigidity syndrome, or SRS. The ad will have some cartoon character who says, "Are you bothered by morning stiffness?" If you are try Xlfaxcidix. Xlfaxcidix is specially formulated to help make your stiffness more manageable. It may cause sudden death syndrome, excessive bleeding, night blindness, a sleeping disorder, diabetes and, of course, dry mouth.

Dennis Wallace

Let's invent a new war — at the border

■ If a border buildup takes place, some stands to benefit

O. RICARDO PIMENTEL
San Antonio Express-News

The notion has been around as long as there have been wars. It's this suspicion that wars of choice occur and reoccur not so much because we profit in noble purpose attained but in dollars or the opportunity to make them.

There used to be a pejorative for that: profiteering. This applied to citizens cheating a government at war. But it also applied to anyone profiting excessively by national conflict.

This comes to mind as Congress, via one subcommittee, instructs the Pentagon not to close bases, though the Pentagon requests closures. And it comes to mind because of another kind of war footing — "security" at the U.S./Mexico border in the context of immigration reform.

Once upon a time, we were warned ominously of the military-industrial complex. We hear little of that these days. Defense of the realm — and other "strategic" sites offshore — is now thought to be something of a full-time and never-ending superpower pursuit.

So, "excess" might reasonably apply to U.S. military expenditures of $682 billion, roughly $300 billion more than the combined spending of the others in the top five spenders. And "excess" might also apply to what we've been spending at the U.S.-Mexico border.

That was about $18 billion in fiscal year 2012. A report by the Migration Policy Center earlier this year explained that this was 24 percent more than the total spending for other federal law enforcement agencies. And that's before the price for more border security provisions in reform gets assessed.

Sen. John Cornyn had a proposal to hire 10,000 more agents at the border and achieve "100 percent situational awareness" at the border. It also contained unacceptable triggers for citizenship. But even without this amendment, the price tag of the bill was an additional $4.5 billion for the border. On Thursday, a compromise on border security emerged that would nearly double the number of agents — now numbering 21,000 — and build 700 miles of fence. The agents alone come at an estimated cost of $30 billion.

I understand. Politics — making it safe for Republicans to vote for this — are at play. This occurs, however, though changing economic, birthrate and other factors continue to mean diminished migrant flows from Mexico.

Let's not fool ourselves. Some specific folks will gain monetarily by this push. A New York Times article on June 6 by Eric Lipton described the hunger with which federal defense contractors are now viewing this border buildup. Meanwhile, the number of Border Patrol agents has already doubled since 2005.

Others have decried the movement toward immigrant detention facilities built and operated by private concerns as another example of a growing border-industrial complex. And there is, of course, our war on drugs, which amounts to a full-time employment act for law enforcement.

Meanwhile, the Defense Department, under budget pressure, foresees fewer folks in uniform. That usually means fewer bases. Not to a Senate readiness subcommittee, however. It recently told the military "no" to any new round of base closings.

This is good news for communities that depend on military bases, much as Military City USA (San Antonio) does. But shouldn't bases have to make the case that they are vital to defense? Isn't that the only true measure for a base's continued existence?

Texas and other border states now stand to benefit on two fronts; from that "no" to a Pentagon that says it has too many bases and to a looming "yes" on trying to craft an impregnable border that is, arguably, secure enough.

Let's not call it profiteering, though.

Roofs by Nicholas
Hail or Wind Damage? Call for FREE Inspection!
432-520-7348 • 1-800-266-7348
Call today to schedule your free no obligation inspection and estimate to repair or replace your roof. Also, ask about our attic insulation and ventilation products including the latest in solar powered vents!

TODAY: Mostly sunny — High: 97 Low: 77

MONDAY: Mostly sunny — High: 96 Low: 75

TUESDAY: Mostly sunny — High: 100 Low: 75

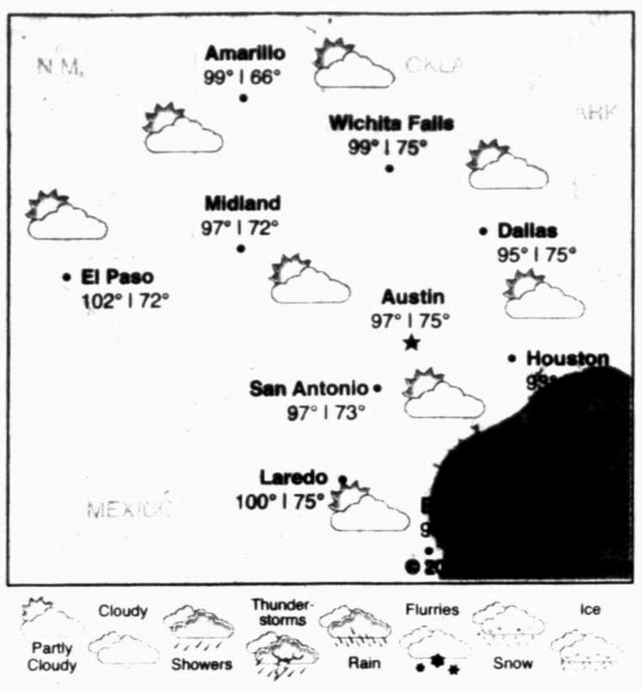
Local forecast

Expect mostly sunny skies today with a high around 97 and south winds between 15 and 20 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions with a low around 77 and south wind 15 to 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Monday, there is a 10 percent chance of precipitation, with isolated showers and thunderstorms after 8 a.m. Otherwise, expect mostly sunny skies with a high around 96 and south wind at about 15 mph. The 10 percent chance of rain remains into Monday night, so expect partly cloudy conditions at night, with a low around 75.

Tuesday, the forecast calls for mostly sunny skies during the day, mostly clear skies at night, with a high around 100 and a low around 75.

The high on Saturday reached 97, while the low dropped to 75. The record high for June 22 is 107 set in 1951. The record low is 60 set in 1973.



Precipitation

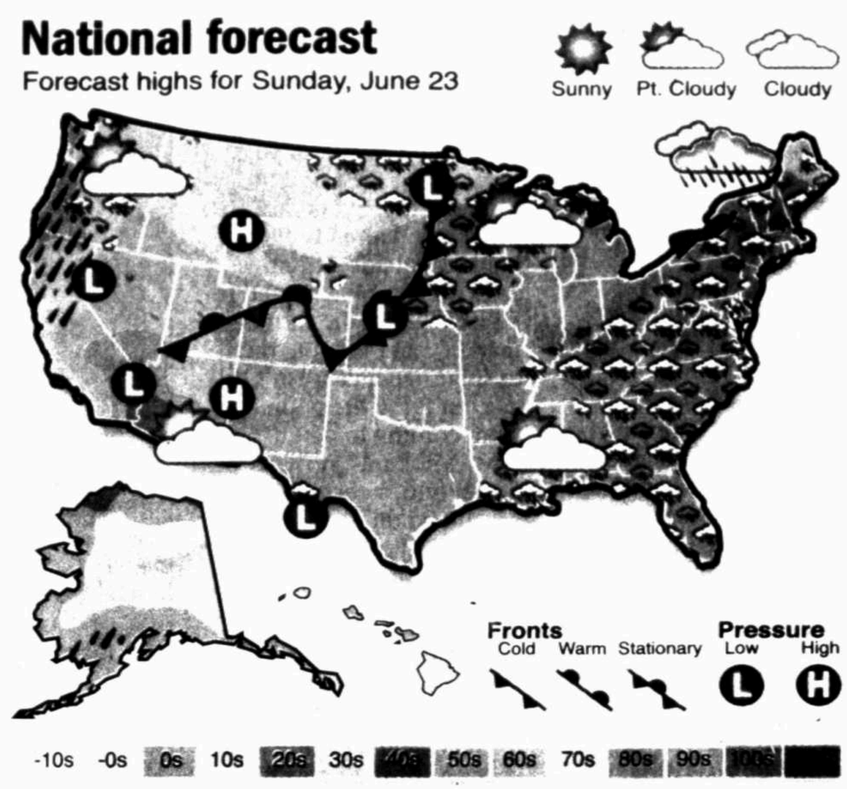
Wednesday	0.00 in.
Thursday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.85 in.
Year total	2.41 in.
Normal total (year to date)	5.61 in.

Saturday's temperatures

High	97
Low	75
Normal high	94
Normal low	69
Sunrise	6:44 a.m.
Sunset	8:58 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Sunday, June 23



National forecast

A slow-moving system in the central United States will bring another round of severe thunderstorms across the Plains and into the Great Lakes today, as well as some steadier rain in parts of south-central Canada. These thunderstorms will develop during the afternoon and continue into the evening, producing torrential downpours, large hail and damaging wind gusts.

Ahead of this system, hot and humid air will work its way into the Northeast. This surge of heat will allow temperatures to climb into the upper 80s across much of the region, with a few areas reaching the 90-degree mark. A weak disturbance over the Southeast will continue to provide typical summer thunderstorms from the Gulf Coast into Pennsylvania. These thunderstorms will mainly be confined to the eastern; however, some storms in the Deep South will occur throughout the day.

www.mywesttexas.com
ALL SMILES & TEETH
Family Dentistry
432-682-5729
10% Senior Discount

Texas Hill Country
JULY 4 — Fireworks On The River Bank
JULY 26-28 — Disc Golf Tournament
AUGUST 9-10 — Bull Riding & Dancing Under The Stars
Car Show
Parade
Class Reunions
www.junctiontexas.com

VOTE FOR US!
From Milkshakes To Mixed Drinks
You'll Get The Best Drinks At The House.
Basin burger house
Beer, Wine & Spirits
607 N. Colorado • 432-687-5696

A CAPITOL FOURTH
CELEBRATE
THURS JULY 4
7 & 8:30PM
Join Basin PBS at 6:30pm prior to A Capitol Fourth. Tune to PBS on July 4 for the ONE screening of Star Spangled Banner
Visit BasinPBS.org to join in the fun!
Where social media meets television.

A CELEBRATION OF INDEPENDENCE
STAR-SPANGLED SALUTE
MIDLAND, TEXAS
2013
Presented by devon
4TH of JULY
CELEBRATE INDEPENDENCE DAY WITH A BANG
ALL YOU NEED IS A LAWN CHAIR AND YOUR PATRIOTISM!
FAMILY FUN • SPECTACULAR FIREWORKS • LIVE MUSIC
This community event brought to you by MIDLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
FREE ADMISSION
Thanks to our Sponsors

Remember, Basin PBS is still moving Master Control. That means that we will be off the air for some of you for a bit, and programming will change temporarily... you can track our progress at BasinPBS.org and even watch most of your favorite shows there, OnDemand. Thanks for your support Permian Basin!
BasinPBS @basinpbs basinpbs basinpbs.org 432.563.5728
RIGHT HERE RIGHT NOW
basin PBS

Rivalries pose problems in arming Syria's rebels

By Bradley Klapper
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Syrian rebels' record in handling tens of millions of dollars in U.S. humanitarian aid suggests major challenges ahead for any delivery of American weapons and ammunition.

Food, medicine and other lifesaving supplies for victims in Syria's civil war often face long delays because of political rivalries among rival opposition factions — though U.S. officials say no supplies appear to be heading to terrorists or corrupt hoarders.

Anecdotes abound.

One American shipment of humanitarian goods was held up for two weeks amid a dispute between opposition groups over whose label should be attached to the boxes, a senior administration official recounted this week. Aid-filled planes have landed in neighboring countries with no trucks at the landing sites for transporting the items into Syria. In Cairo, funds the U.S. was prepared to provide to an opposition political office were rejected, the official said, speaking only on condition of anonymity because the official wasn't authorized to discuss the issue publicly.

As described, this dysfunction is nothing new. But the problem is getting increased scrutiny since the Obama administration's decision last week to authorize for the first time lethal military support to units fighting to overthrow President Bashar Assad.

The administration's plans are still unclear, though Secretary of State John Kerry held two classified briefings with members of Congress on Thursday. No details emerged about what types of weapons could be sent, where and when they'd be delivered or who exactly would be the recipients. The lack of clarity rankles lawmakers who want more forceful action as well as those who say the U.S. should stay as far away as possible from Syria's two-year civil war.

"All I know is what I've read in the media and that is light weapons," said Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., a leading proponent of taking a bigger military role in Syria. "That's clearly not only insufficient, it's insulting. We've got to take out their air assets."

Sen. Lindsey Graham, R-S.C., another supporter of arming the rebels and other steps such as establishing a no-fly zone over Syria, said he also had no understanding from the Obama administration about what form future lethal aid might take and possible delivery dates.

Sen. Bob Corker, R-Tenn., was even more critical. "We have the ability right now to fully understand who is the type of individual or group that meet our standards, and I think we've had that information and ability for probably nine months," he said. "Will there be mistakes made? Of course, but I do think it helps to put our thumb on the scale."

Meanwhile, Senate opponents of arming the rebels moved Thursday to block President Barack Obama from providing any military support at all. The bipartisan group including Sens. Tom Udall, D-N.M., Mike Lee, R-Utah, Chris Murphy, D-Conn., and Rand Paul, R-Ky., introduced a measure to prohibit the president from using any money to increase U.S. involvement in the conflict. Specifically, it would ban the Pentagon, CIA and other intelligence agencies from funding military, paramilitary or covert operations in Syria.

"We need to place a check on the president's unilateral decision to arm the rebels, while still preserving humanitarian aid and assistance to the Syrian people," Udall said.

Paul said the president's decision was "incredibly disturbing, considering what little we know about whom we are arming. Engaging in yet another conflict in the Middle East with no vote or congressional oversight compounds the severity of this situation."

Neither Obama nor any other member of his administration has publicly confirmed that the U.S. has authorized lethal aid for the rebels, though since last week several officials have acknowledged as much on condition of anonymity. The closest anyone came was Ben Rhodes, Obama's deputy national security adviser. He said last week that U.S. confirmation of chemical weapons use by the Assad government has prompted American support to the Syrian rebels of increased "scope and scale."

Obama himself refused to provide any specifics when asked at a news conference this week in Germany.

The U.S. is most likely to provide rebel fighters with small arms, ammunition, assault rifles and a variety of anti-tank weaponry such as shoulder-fired rocket-propelled grenades and other missiles, officials said. The officials, speaking only on condition of anonymity because they weren't authorized to speak publicly about the matter, said any weapons and ammunitions were unlikely to make it to vetted Syrian rebel units before August.

The opposition's track record in handling aid has been decidedly mixed.

Officials in the U.S. say almost all of a $127 million package of ready-to-eat meals, medical kits and other nonlethal assistance announced earlier this year has been delivered to Syria. U.S.-provided food has made it from Turkey to as far south as Hama and Homs, and to the southeast border with Iraq. But humanitarian assistance reaching the besieged city of Qusair, which Assad's forces conquered from the rebels earlier this month, was limited pretty much to medical supplies.

A senior administration official said the U.S. is monitoring for possible diversions of aid but so far hasn't found any. That result could provide Obama with some confidence in the Syrian opposition's ability to ensure that U.S.-supplied weapons and ammunition don't fall into the hands of al-Qaida-linked extremists. The fear of such a diversion has long been one of the administration's primary explanations for why the U.S. wouldn't arm the anti-Assad rebellion.

Syria's opposition, however, remains problematical. Because of constant bickering among its various branches in Turkey, Egypt and inside Syria, U.S. officials say they have often been forced to act as go-betweens, if only to get the opposition to sign off on some of the aid it originally requested.

Some $5 million in U.S. aid has gone to helping the opposition establish an office in the southern Turkish city of Gaziantep and expand its staff from a handful of employees to about 100, including many in liberated parts of Syria. In Aleppo, American-trained search-and-rescue personnel have helped dig survivors out of buildings struck by Scud missiles. The U.S. is also training policemen and providing them uniforms in an effort to build the opposition's credibility with the Syrian population.

Those are successes.

On the other hand, disputes between local authorities and opposition leaders outside the country have held up elections in parts of Syria wrested from Assad's control. Those authorities and leaders have been unwilling at times to even talk to one another, the senior administration official said. When the U.S. offered to provide hospitals with emergency generators, a fight erupted over which cities and which politician's preferred recipients should get priority. The result: None of the generators were shipped until they all could go simultaneously to all the hospitals on an opposition list.

When the U.S. offered to provide the opposition headquarters in Cairo some $2 million to buy phones and computers and hire staff, Syrian opposition leader Moaz al-Khatib rejected the aid, citing administrative costs that the U.S. also was picking up, the official said.

One thing any future aid package will include is trucks. With Obama ruling out any American military boots on the ground in Syria, it is up to the opposition itself to transport goods received in Turkey or Jordan to civilians in Syrian cities or to fighters on the battlefield. And so far that has been a struggle, according to officials.

Associated Press

In this citizen journalism image provided by Aleppo Media Center AMC, which has been authenticated based on its contents and other AP reporting, a Syrian rebel fires a heavy machine gun toward Syrian soldiers loyal to Syrian President Bashar Assad in Aleppo, Syria, on Thursday. The Syrian rebels' record in handling tens of millions of dollars in U.S. aid so far suggests major challenges ahead for any delivery of American weapons and ammunition. Food, medicine and other life-saving supplies regularly run into long delays because of bickering among rebel factions, U.S. officials say.

Museum of the Southwest presents the 26th season of:

SUMMER SUNDAY LAWN CONCERTS

June 23 at 7:30 pm
WEATHERSTONE

Classic Rock | Fan Night— Wear a Jersey! Free | No Concert in the Event of Rain

Sponsor: MIDLAND PEDIATRICS ASSOCIATES

Host:

Series Underwriters: CBS 7 Midland Reporter-Telegram

1705 W. Missouri Ave. | MuseumSW.org
432.683.2882 | info@MuseumSW.org

COMING JUNE 30: COYOTE CRUDE

BALDWIN ELECTRONICS

Making your work Trucks Work BETTER!

MOBILE ELECTRONICS EXPERTS

32 YEARS!

2003 Andrews Hwy – Odessa
www.baldwinelectronics.com
432-337-6701

VOTE FOR US in the MRT Readers Choice Awards!

JOIN US FOR A PRESENTATION

"The Dance of Belonging"

A breakthrough visual presentation to equip Alzheimer's disease caregivers with creative, proven techniques.

Thursday, June 27

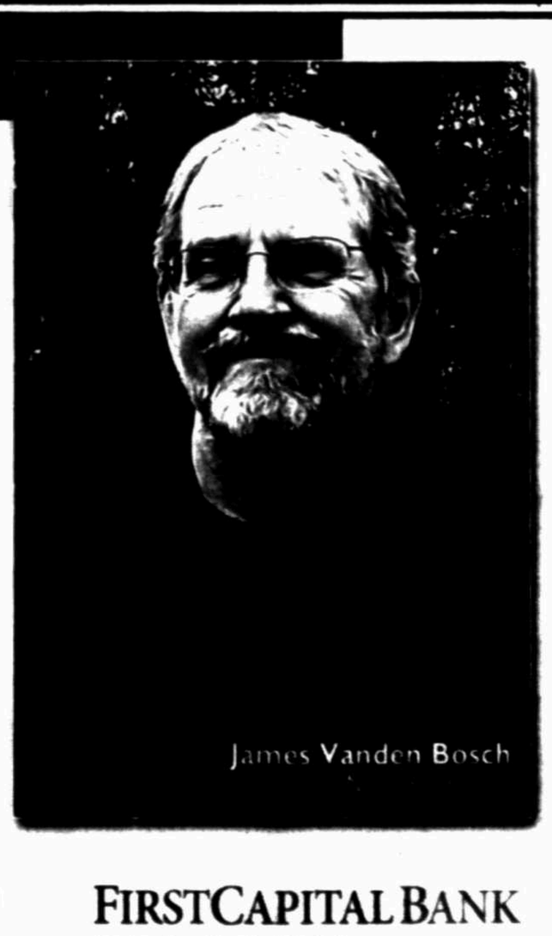
~ Choose from one of two sessions ~

Session One: 11:00am – 1:00pm (box lunch will be served)

Session Two: 3:00pm – 5:00pm (cookies & tea will be served)

Margaret Cowden Clubhouse
Please use the Manor Park Sinclair St. entrance

Phone 699-3401 to reserve your seat.



James Vanden Bosch

Event sponsored by: The Village at Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W. • Midland; alzheimer's association; FIRSTCAPITAL BANK; CNB Community National Bank; ORTLOFF ENGINEERS, LTD.

This event is FREE and open to the public, but reservations are required. [illegible] $15.

Government could use metadata to map your every move

By Lindsay Wise and Jonathan S. Landay
McClatchy Washington Bureau

Associated Press

President Barack Obama and outgoing FBI Director Robert Mueller are seen in the Rose Garden of the White House in Washington on Friday, where the president announced he would nominate James Comey, a senior Justice Department official under President George W. Bush, to replace Mueller, as FBI director.

If you tweet a picture from your living room using your smartphone, you're sharing far more than your new hairdo or the color of the wallpaper. You're potentially revealing the exact coordinates of your house to anyone on the Internet.

The GPS location information embedded in a digital photo is an example of so-called metadata, a once-obscure technical term that's become one of Washington's hottest new buzzwords.

The word first sprang from the lips of pundits and politicians earlier this month, after reports disclosed that the government has been secretly accessing the telephone metadata of Verizon customers, as well as online videos, emails, photos and other data collected by nine Internet companies. President Barack Obama hastened to reassure Americans that "nobody is listening to your phone calls," while other government officials likened the collection of metadata to reading information on the outside of an envelope, which doesn't require a warrant.

But privacy experts warn that to those who know how to mine it, metadata discloses much more about us and our daily lives than the content of our communications.

So what is metadata? Simply put, it's data about data. An early example is the Dewey Decimal System card catalogs that libraries use to organize books by title, author, genre and other information. In the digital age, metadata is coded into our electronic transmissions.

"Metadata is information about what communications you send and receive, who you talk to, where you are when you talk to them, the lengths of your conversations, what kind of device you were using and potentially other information, like the subject line of your emails," said Peter Eckersley, the technology projects director at the Electronic Frontier Foundation, a digital civil liberties group.

Powerful computer algorithms can analyze the metadata to expose patterns and to profile individuals and their associates, Eckersley said.

"Metadata is the perfect place to start if you want to troll through millions of people's communications to find patterns and to single out smaller groups for closer scrutiny," he said. "It will tell you which groups of people go to political meetings together, which groups of people go to church together, which groups of people go to nightclubs together or sleep with each other."

Metadata records of search terms and Web page visits also can reveal a log of your thoughts by documenting what you've been reading and researching, Eckersley said.

"That's certainly enough to know if you're pregnant or not, what diseases you have, whether you're looking for a new job, whether you're trying to figure out if the NSA is watching you or not," he said, referring to the National Security Agency. Such information provides "a deeply intimate window into a person's psyche," he added.

The more Americans rely on their smartphones and the Internet, the more metadata is generated.

Metadata with GPS locations, for example, can trace a teenage girl to an abortion clinic or a patient to a psychiatrist's office, said Karen Reilly, the development director for The Tor Project, a U.S.-based nonprofit that produces technology to provide online anonymity and circumvent censorship.

Metadata can even identify a likely gun owner, she said.

"Never mind background checks — if you bring your cellphone to the gun range, you probably have a gun," Reilly said.

"People don't realize all the information that they're giving out," she said. "You can try to secure it — you can use some tech tools, you can try to be a black hole online — but if you try to live your life the way people are expecting it, it's really difficult to control the amount of data that you're leaking all over the place."

A former senior official of the National Security Agency said the government's massive collection of metadata allowed the agency to construct "maps" of an individual's daily movements, social connections, travel habits and other personal information.

"This is blanket. There is no constraint. No probable cause. No reasonable suspicion," said Thomas Drake, who worked unsuccessfully for years to report privacy violations and massive waste at the agency to his superiors and Congress.

Metadata "is more useful than (the) content" of a telephone call, email or Internet search, Drake said in an interview. "It gets you a map over time. I get to map movements, connections, communities of interest. It's also a tracking mechanism."

The NSA "can easily associate" a phone number with an identity, he added. "All location information comes from a (cellular) tower. There are tower records. They are doing this every single day. It's basically a data tap on metadata, and I can build a profile (of an individual) instantly."

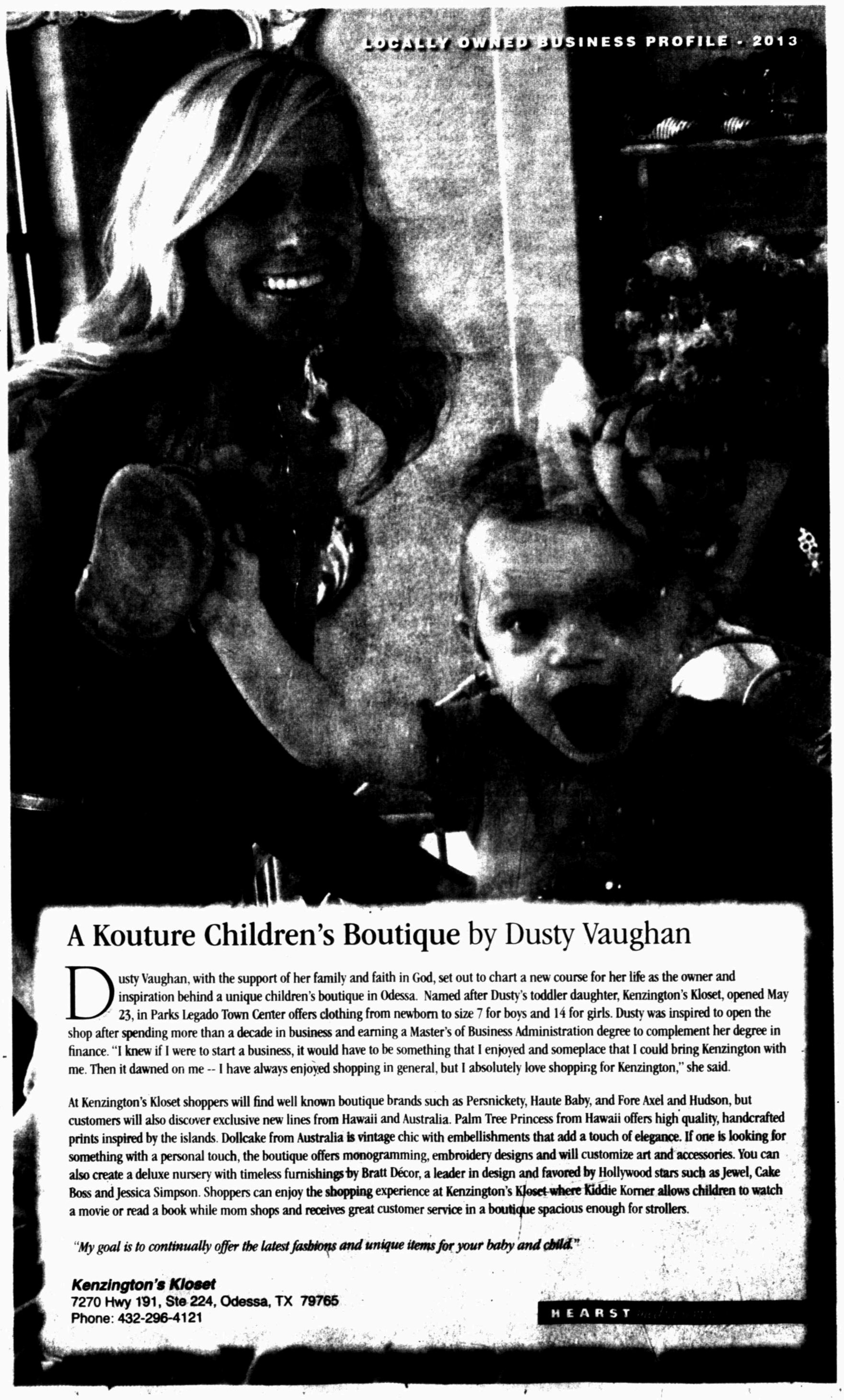
The agency has programs that also can mine the metadata of emails and other electronic information, Drake said.

With advances in data storage, he continued, the NSA is able to maintain massive amounts of metadata for as long as it wants. "This stuff is trivial to store," he said.

Drake added that U.S. telecommunications companies are prohibited from publicly disclosing arrangements with the NSA and are protected under the Patriot Act from lawsuits. "They literally have the protection of the U.S. government from any lawsuit. The United States is literally turning into a surveillance state," he said. "This is the new normal."

At a hearing Wednesday on Capitol Hill, FBI Director Robert Mueller said metadata obtained under Section 215 of the Patriot Act had helped authorities "connect the dots" in investigations that had prevented 10 or 12 terrorist plots in recent years. Mueller defended the collection of metadata, saying there were plenty of safeguards in place that protect Americans' privacy. He warned against restricting or ending the program.

"What concerns me is you never know which dot is going to be key," Mueller said. "What you want is as many dots as we can (get). If you close down a program like this, you are removing dots from the playing field."



A Kouture Children's Boutique by Dusty Vaughan

Dusty Vaughan, with the support of her family and faith in God, set out to chart a new course for her life as the owner and inspiration behind a unique children's boutique in Odessa. Named after Dusty's toddler daughter, Kenzington's Kloset, opened May 23, in Parks Legado Town Center offers clothing from newborn to size 7 for boys and 14 for girls. Dusty was inspired to open the shop after spending more than a decade in business and earning a Master's of Business Administration degree to complement her degree in finance. "I knew if I were to start a business, it would have to be something that I enjoyed and someplace that I could bring Kenzington with me. Then it dawned on me -- I have always enjoyed shopping in general, but I absolutely love shopping for Kenzington," she said.

At Kenzington's Kloset shoppers will find well known boutique brands such as Persnickety, Haute Baby, and Fore Axel and Hudson, but customers will also discover exclusive new lines from Hawaii and Australia. Palm Tree Princess from Hawaii offers high quality, handcrafted prints inspired by the islands. Dollcake from Australia is vintage chic with embellishments that add a touch of elegance. If one is looking for something with a personal touch, the boutique offers monogramming, embroidery designs and will customize art and accessories. You can also create a deluxe nursery with timeless furnishings by Bratt Décor, a leader in design and favored by Hollywood stars such as Jewel, Cake Boss and Jessica Simpson. Shoppers can enjoy the shopping experience at Kenzington's Kloset where Kiddie Korner allows children to watch a movie or read a book while mom shops and receives great customer service in a boutique spacious enough for strollers.

"My goal is to continually offer the latest fashions and unique items for your baby and child."

Kenzington's Kloset
7270 Hwy 191, Ste 224, Odessa, TX 79765
Phone: 432-296-4121

HEARST

CEO says Komen has 'turned the corner'

Dianne Jennings
Dallas Morning News

DALLAS — The new chief executive officer of Susan G. Komen for the Cure says the Dallas-based charity has "turned the corner" and is working to restore any support it lost after last year's Planned Parenthood funding flap.

"I can feel it, just in what I've seen here today, being with the people here. They're interested in moving the organization ahead, not looking back," Dr. Judy Salerno said Thursday in an interview with The Dallas Morning News.

Salerno was in Dallas for Komen's annual seminar for affiliate leaders from around the country.

Salerno, who is leaving her post as executive director and chief operating officer of the nonprofit Institute of Medicine in Washington, was named to succeed Komen founder Nancy Brinker earlier this week.

She takes over at the most delicate time in the group's 31-year history. After being held in high regard for decades by thousands of women touched by breast cancer, the charity has seen support drop precipitously in the last year.

Its troubles began in early 2012 when Komen's initial decision to end its funding to Planned Parenthood for breast cancer services was announced. Planned Parenthood also provides abortion services.

The initial funding decision angered abortion-rights supporters. A subsequent reversal of the decision outraged anti-abortion activists abortion opponents.

Salerno, 61, said she didn't know enough about the background leading to the decisions to comment.

"I really can't tell you what the board decisions were about," she said.

Salerno declined to give her personal stance on abortion, saying it was irrelevant.

"My professional life has always been working in independent, nonpartisan organizations," she said. "What I do with Komen is about breast cancer. It's not about abortion."

Participation in the charity's races has dropped, and seven of its signature 3-day events have been canceled next year.

Support eroded further when it was learned that Brinker was awarded almost $700,000 in compensation in 2011.

In addition, some critics say Komen's ubiquitous signature pink ribbon, which pops up everywhere from the pro football field to the grocery store, has created a backlash.

Salerno disagreed, pointing to a pink lapel pin she says she wears proudly.

"There's still a lot of awareness that needs to be raised in this country," she said.

Salerno volunteers her services at a human-rights clinic in the poor neighborhoods of the nation's capital.

"Those are the places where I don't think there's pink fatigue," she said. "I don't think there's enough pink."

Please see **KOMEN**/4B

TUNE UP THE WAVE

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Andrew Shephard tunes radio equipment during an emergency training 24-hour exercise at Beal Park on Saturday.

Operators take to the waves during international event

By Rachael Gleason
rgleason@mrt.com

Static and distant voices echoed on the TenTec radio receiver as Andrew Shephard thumbed the tuning dial looking for contacts.

The 26-year-old took up the hobby at age 15, and on Saturday, he took to the radio waves with a dozen other ham radio operators at Midland Amateur Radio Club's annual Field Day.

"When you get this many people talking at once, it's difficult to understand," Shephard said as he made out one of the call signs coming through: WI9FD.

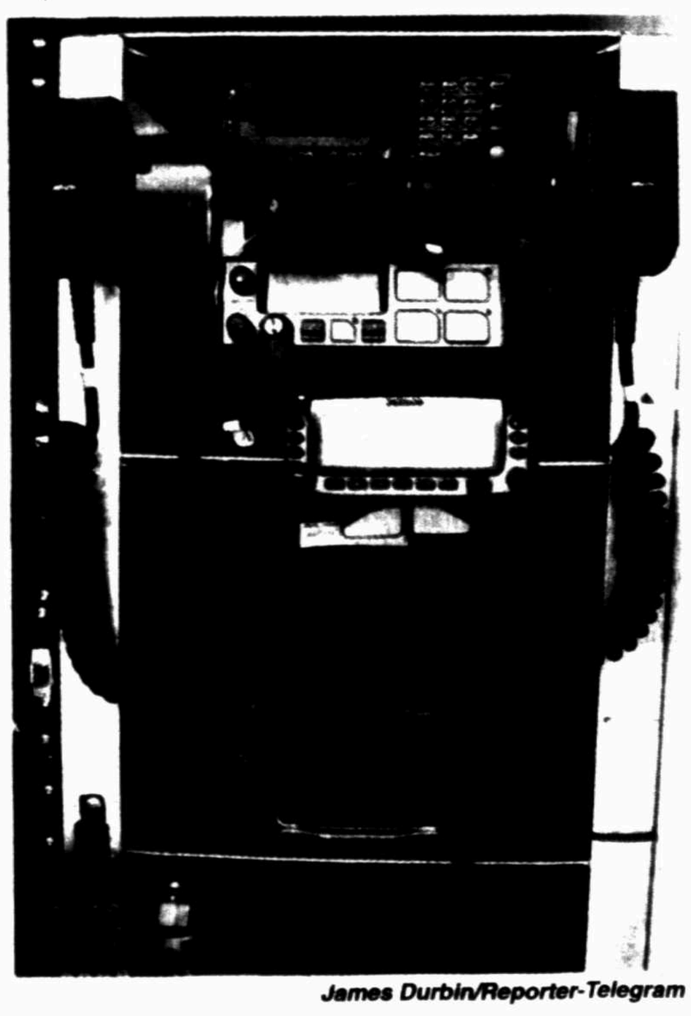
Contacts from around the country and worldwide are made and logged during the 24-hour event, which prepares radio operators for emergencies. And there was contest by the American Radio Relay League, or ARRL, for the most contacts made.

Midland's Field Day started off slow, but by Saturday night, local operators made about 400 connections.

"The contacts are made so that you can make sure your equipment is working and working well," said club president Randy Karch, call sign N5OVH. "A lot of times when main communication goes down, the ham operators are able to put out the first communication."

After the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, there was a big push

Please see **RADIO**/6B



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Radio equipment on display during an emergency training 24-hour exercise at Beal Park on Saturday.

TERRY WILLIAMSON
Real life columnist

Love connection starts with putting the phone down

I was going to devote this column to the art of dating. It occurred to me that the young guys of today need some tips.

However, the wife pretty much soured me on this idea. She said, "You don't know anything about dating, and the kids of today certainly don't need your advice."

The wife says there is no way I can relate to the youth of today because things have changed and I haven't. I don't think she said that as a form of flattery, but I've taken the hint and have abandoned the idea for the near term.

Still, the kids of today need some tips on dating. I don't see why it would hurt to give them a few ideas. Whatever they are doing now just doesn't seem to be working.

In fact, I don't think kids date anymore. They are now getting married to their phones instead of a loved one. The kids of today are losing the art of social graces. They don't know how to interact in a one-on-one basis any more.

Kids today can't seem to get together. The average age of marriage in this country at the turn of the 20th century for a woman was 19. It's now well over 25 and heading for 30 before the end of the 21st century.

Of course, I have identified the reason for this great disparity, being the great social guru that I am. All you have to do is apply the great powers of observation to the things that are going on around you.

You see, it's really hard for kids to get together in this day and age. They are simply too distracted. First, there is no eye contact anymore. They never really see each other because they always have their head down, looking at their phone.

Today's kids can be seen texting phone "acquaintances" at the same time they are passing each other in the mall. They never even see each other.

Dating is now considered to be any text conversation that is extended beyond three replies. If you have unlimited texting ability on your phone, this is considered to be a "cheap date." And if you are limited in your texting options, you are considered to be a "cheapskate."

You really can't blame the kids much for this new dating lifestyle.

After all, dating these days goes a lot further than being labeled a cheapskate. A dinner and a movie (the tried and true dating standard of my day) isn't even a realistic choice for the kids of today.

When I was dating (yes, I was once young enough to experience this lost art), a dinner and a movie might set me back $5 or $6. If we opted for a drive-in movie, I could cut the overhead to about

Please see **WILLIAMSON**/4B

Creator of OXO Kitchen Tools dies at 88

The New York Times

Sam Farber, who was spurred by a fiend in the form of a vegetable peeler to start OXO, the housewares manufacturer whose ergonomic rubber handles grace its kitchen utensils in many homes, died on Sunday in East Meadow, N.Y. He was 88.

The cause was complications of a recent fall, his son John said.

Farber knew housewares — he had founded Copco, a maker of brightly colored enameled cast-iron cookware, in 1960 and run the company before selling it in 1982. He immediately discerned a gap in the market: kitchen devices that were as comfortable as they were functional, designed not only for cooks with hand problems but for all cooks.

Farber sold OXO to the General Housewares Corp. in 1992. His later ventures included creating a line of kitchenware with his son John for the celebrity chef Mario Batali.

Samuel Farber was born in Manhattan on Nov. 16, 1924, and reared in Yonkers. Pots and pans were in his pedigree: an uncle, Simon Farber, founded the cookware maker Farberware on the Lower East Side of Manhattan in 1900.

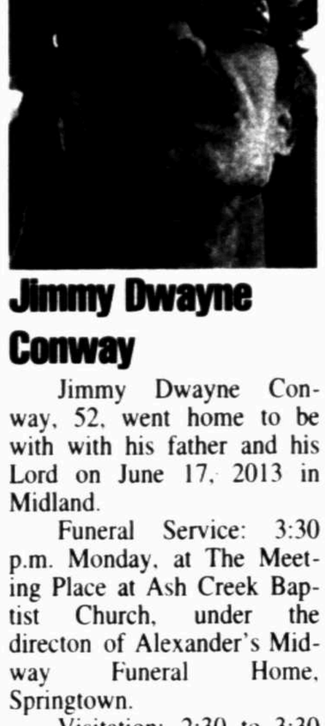
During World War II, Farber served with the Army Air Forces in Turkey and North Africa. He earned a bachelor's degree in economics from Harvard in 1946 and later joined his father's business.

Farber, who lectured frequently about industrial design and received many awards in the field, was also a major collector of outsider art, including work by Henry Darger and Martín Ramírez.

As a board member of the American Folk Art Museum in New York, he helped secure the architectural firm Tod Williams, Billie Tsien & Associates to design the museum's former home on West 53rd Street. Opened in 2001 and widely praised by critics, the building is now owned by its neighbor, the Museum of Modern Art.

Farber's first marriage, to Joan Levine, ended in divorce. In addition to his wife, the former Betsey Wells Kriegsman, whom he married in 1985, survivors include two sons from his first marriage, John and Thomas; two stepchildren, Mark Kriegsman and Sue Kriegsman; four granddaughters; and three stepgranddaughters.

Obituaries



Jimmy Dwayne Conway

Jimmy Dwayne Conway, 52, went home to be with with his father and his Lord on June 17, 2013 in Midland.

Funeral Service: 3:30 p.m. Monday, at The Meeting Place at Ash Creek Baptist Church, under the direcion of Alexander's Midway Funeral Home, Springtown.

Visitation: 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. monday prior to service at The Meeting Place.

Jimmy was born December 22, 1960 in Lubbock, to Euleene Reaves Conway and the late James Thurman Conway.

Jimmy was a long time resident of Azle as a self employed carpenter prior to moving to Midland in 2012 to proudly work for Midland Safety and Health to make a better life for his family.

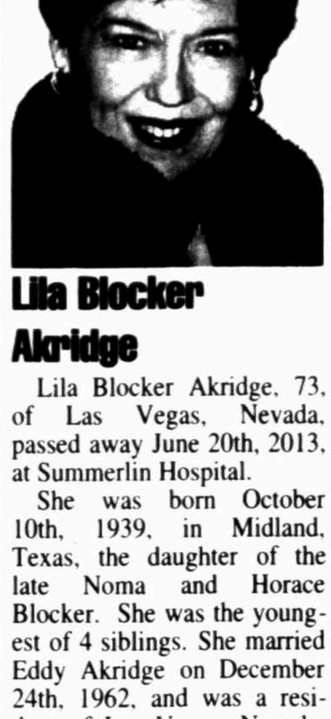
Jimmy lived everyday of his life to the fullest with an enthusiasm that is not usually seen in most people. He was always there ready to help anyone in need. He was a loving husband, devoted father. His children were his world and he was our hero.

We know he is at peace with his Lord and living in our hearts, he will be truly missed.

In lieu of flowers donations are being accepted to help family with expenses.

Survivors: Wife, Monique Davis; children, Hannah and Jesse; mother, Euleene Luke and husband, Luke; brothers, Wendell Conway, Steven Conway, Allen Conway and wife, Starla; sister, Teresa King; nieces, Misty Tarter and husband, Darryl, Mandy Hutchison and husband, Billy, Kealea Conway, Courtney Conway; nephews, Christopher Conway and wife, Shi; numerous other extended family and many friends.

Alexander's
Midway Funeral Home
130 Jay Bird Lane
Springtown, Texas 76082
817-677-2634-Voice
817-382-4292-Fax



Lila Blocker Akridge

Lila Blocker Akridge, 73, of Las Vegas, Nevada, passed away June 20th, 2013, at Summerlin Hospital.

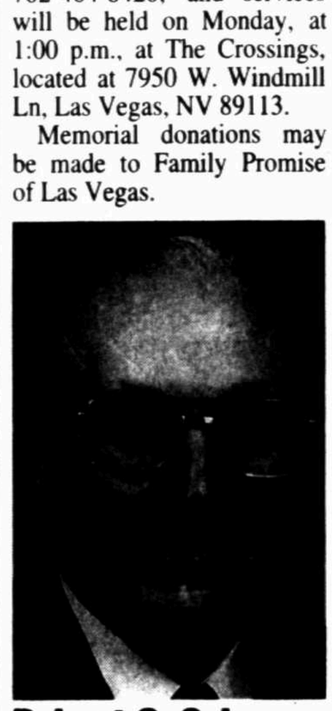
She was born October 10th, 1939, in Midland, Texas, the daughter of the late Noma and Horace Blocker. She was the youngest of 4 siblings. She married Eddy Akridge on December 24th, 1962, and was a resident of Las Vegas, Nevada, since 1970.

Lila is survived by her son, Dale Ray Akridge of Las Vegas, NV.; brothers, Spencer Blocker, Midland, TX.; Norman Blocker, Albuquerque, NM.; Corky Blocker, Stanton, TX.; step daughter, Danna Miller, Las Vegas, NV.

Lila was preceded in death by her husband of 48 years, Eddy Akridge; and her son, Corky Neal Akridge.

A viewing will be held on Sunday, June 23rd, between 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m., at Palm Mortuary on 1600 S. Jones Blvd, Las Vegas, NV 89146, 702-464-8420, and services will be held on Monday, at 1:00 p.m., at The Crossings, located at 7950 W. Windmill Ln, Las Vegas, NV 89113.

Memorial donations may be made to Family Promise of Las Vegas.



Robert S. Cole

Robert S. Cole was born to the late Robert and Etta Cole on April 17, 1920 in Trenton, TN and passed peacefully from this life on June 21, 2013. He was a resident at the Younger Center in Manor Park.

He will forever be remembered for his quick wit, easy smile and warm hugs.

Mr. Cole joined the US Army Signal Corp in 1940 . During his service he attained the rank of Major and served during WWII in the South Pacific Theatre. He was stationed in Germany, Austria, Panama and various locations in the US. Upon his retirement from the military in 1960, he worked as civil service for Fort Bliss in El Paso until his retirement twenty-five years later. In 1985, after retiring yet again, he and Janice lived in Newton, Tx for eight years tending to the care of Janice's mother until her death in 1993, upon which he returned to El Paso. He was a member of Tobin Park United Methodist Church in El Paso.

Preceding him in death is his beloved wife, Janice and brother, Jimmy Cole.

Left to cherish his memory are his two children, Robert H. and wife Julie Cole of Midland, and Carolyn Phillips of Springfield, VA; one sister, Rebecca Strain of San Antonio; four grandchildren, Steven Phillips of Lorton, VA, Susan Smith of San Diego, CA, Karen Isbell and David R. Cole, both of Midland; eight great grandchildren and numerous nephews and nieces.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00 PM, Tuesday, June 25 at American Heritage Cemetery and Funeral Home, 4100 N FM 1788, Midland with Jerry Mason officiating. Burial will follow Wednesday, June 26 at Fort Bliss National Cemetery in El Paso at 10 AM.

To leave condolences to the family of Mr. Cole, please visit www.thehealingstartshere.com

Arrangements are entrusted to American Heritage Cemetery and Funeral Home.

Ruth Johnston

Former Midland resident, Ruth Irene Dickey Johnston passed away peacefully while in hospice care on Monday, June 17th, 2013, at the age of 89.

Ruth is preceded in death by her husband, Robert E. Johnston, MD; her parents, Raymond W. Dickey, and Fanchon Alice Hill Dickey; her brothers, Robert W. Dickey, and William A. Dickey.

Ruth is lovingly remembered by her sister, Wilma Dickey Woodford of Girard, OH; her daughters, Judy Johnston Thornton of Highlands Ranch, CO; Nancy Johnston Smith and husband, Donald R. Smith of Spring, TX; Barbara Johnston O'Brien and husband John J. O'Brien, Jr. of The Woodlands, TX; seven grandchildren: Daniel Richard Smith and wife, Jenny, of Austin, TX; Mindy Thornton Whalen and husband, Rob, of Littleton, CO; David Robert Smith and wife, Marissa, of Midland, TX; Robert Maury Thornton and wife, Nicole, of Houston, TX; John Patrick O'Brien and wife, Stacie, of Boston, MA; Christopher Robert O'Brien and wife, Veronica, of Alexandria, VA; and Matthew Scott Thornton of Highlands Ranch, CO. She is also remembered by eight great-grandchildren: Ingrid Smith of Austin, TX; Sydney Smith of Midland, TX; Hugo Smith of Austin, TX; Robert "Jay" Whalen of Littleton, CO; Peyton Smith of Midland, TX; Connor Whalen of Littleton, CO; Liam O'Brien of Alexandria, VA; Margot O'Brien of Boston, MA.

Ruth was born in Rochester, PA on January 2nd, 1924, to Raymond W. Dickey and Fanchon A. Hill. She graduated from high school in 1942 in Youngstown, OH and went on to attend the University of Pittsburg in Pittsburg, PA, where she met her late husband. They married on May 3rd, 1947, in Pittsburg, PA.

Ruth enjoyed listening to classical music, crossword puzzles, and spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She will be greatly missed by her family.

Her life will be celebrated in a family service to be held at a later date.

Daniel Ramon Salcedo

Daniel Ramon Salcedo, 37, of Midland, passed away Wednesday, June 19, 2013, in Midland. Memorial services will be held at 10:00 am, Monday, June 24, 2013 at Mid-Cities Community Church with Pastor Daniel Stephens and Pastor Kevin York, officiating.

Daniel was born July 23, 1975 in Fort Worth, TX to Myra and Andre Salcedo. He loved God, his wife, his family and his friends. Daniel always knew how to lighten the air or make someone smile. He loved those who were hard to love and made himself available to anyone in need. He was a playful loving father and adored his three children. Daniel is well known for his impersonations of Michael Jackson and could always find peace and rest in music.

Survivors include wife Leigh Anne Salcedo of Midland; son, Taylor Jones, daughter, Trinity Salcedo and son, Elijah Salcedo, all of Midland; parents, Andre and Myra Lee Salcedo of Midland; sister, Amanda Salcedo of Midland; mother and father-in-law, Roy and Terri Jackson of Midland; sister and brother-in-law, Shellie and Aaron Williams of Tyler, TX; grandmother, Chala Salcedo of Haltom City, TX; grandfather, Arlie Dean Tatum of New Mexico; and cousin, Jessie Ralat of Dallas, TX; best friends, Michael Duarte, Stephen Magee and family, and Michael Terry and family.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Jess Salcedo and brother-in-law, Shannon Jackson.

Honorary pallbearers will be Michael Terry, Mike Duarte, Stephen Magee, Tyrone Kendrick, Derrick Trahum, Nathan Lambert, Sargon Tamres, Scott McCloud, and Taylor Jones.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to Security Bank, Acct # 4140303, The Daniel Salcedo Family.

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

Death Notices

Annie Johnson

Annie Johnson, 78, of Big Spring, Texas, passed away on Friday, June 21, 2013.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 25, 2013 at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 24, 2013, at the funeral home. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.

Survivors include numerous cousins.

Irene Rollman von Hollen

Irene Rollman von Hollen 74, of Odessa, TX, passed away on June 20, 2013, in Odessa.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Monday June 24, 2013, at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 824 East 18th Street, Odessa, with Pastor Bill Hillyer officiating.

Irene is survived by her husband, David; her brother; three children, Bonnie Girard, Don (Debbie) Girard, and JR Rollman; a daughter-in-law; stepson, Don (Melissa) von Hollen; and stepdaughter, Heidi von Hollen; ten grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Sunset Funeral Home.

Julius Durham

Julius Durham passed away at a local hospital June 18, 2013.

Services are pending at Thomas Funeral Home.

Rene Shepperd

Rene Shepperd, age 63 of Seminole formerly of Lubbock, Texas passed away Thursday June 20, 2013.

Graveside services for Rene will be held Monday June 24, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at Gaines County Cemetery. All services are under the direction of Boyer Funeral Home.

He is survived by multiple family members and friends.

mywesttexas.com

Questions about death notices or online Guest Books?
Email to obits@mrt.com

'Black Athena' scholar dies at 76

The New York Times

Martin Bernal, whose three-volume work "Black Athena" ignited an academic debate by arguing that the African and Semitic lineage of Western civilization had been scrubbed from the record of ancient Greece by 18th- and 19th-century historians steeped in the racism of their times, died June 9 in Cambridge, England. He was 76.

The cause was complications of myelofibrosis, a bone marrow disorder, said his wife, Leslie Miller-Bernal.

"Black Athena" opened a new front in the warfare over cultural diversity already raging on American campuses in the 1980s and '90s. The first volume, published in 1987 — the same year as "The Closing of the American Mind," Allan Bloom's attack on efforts to diversify the academic canon — made Bernal a hero among Afrocentrists, a pariah among conservative scholars and the star witness at dozens of sometimes raucous academic panel discussions about how to teach the foundational ideas of Western culture.

Bernal, a British-born and Cambridge-educated polymath who taught Chinese political history at Cornell from 1972 until 2001, spent a fair amount of time on those panels explaining what his work did not mean to imply. He did not claim that Greek culture had its prime origins in Africa, as some news media reports described his thesis.

But in the 19th century, he asserted, with the rise of new strains of racism and anti-Semitism along with nationalism and colonialism in Europe, historians expunged Egyptians and Phoenicians from the story. The precursors of Greek, and thus European, culture were seen instead as white Indo-European invaders from the north.

He published "Black Athena 2: The Archaeological and Documentary Evidence" in 1991 and followed it in 2006 with "Black Athena 3: The Linguistic Evidence."

Another book, "Black Athena Writes Back," published in 2001, was a response to his critics, who were alarmed enough by Bernal's work to publish a collection of rebuttals in 1996, "Black Athena Revisited."

One critic derided Bernal's thesis as evidence of "a whirling confusion of half-digested reading." Some were more conciliatory. J. Ray, a British Egyptologist, wrote, "It may not be possible to agree with Mr. Bernal, but one is the poorer for not having spent time in his company."

The specific evidence cited in his books was often doubtful, Burstein added, but "he succeeded in putting the question of the origins of Greek civilization back on the table."

Martin Gardiner Bernal was born on March 10, 1937, in London to John Desmond Bernal, a prominent British scientist and radical political activist, and Margaret Gardiner, a writer. His parents never married, a fact their son asserted with some pride in interviews.

Besides his wife, he is survived by his sons, William, Paul and Patrick; a daughter, Sophie; a stepson, Adam; a half-sister, Jane Bernal; and nine grandchildren.

Sam Most, who brought flute to modern jazz, dies at 82

The New York Times

Sam Most, a flutist who helped bring his instrument into the modern jazz mainstream, died June 13 in Woodland Hills, Calif. He was 82.

The cause was pancreatic cancer, his twin sister, Ruth Labensky, said.

In 1952, when he recorded the flute feature "Undercurrent Blues," Most was an accomplished jazz saxophonist and clarinetist who, like many reed and woodwind players, played flute only occasionally. Jazz flute was not much more than a novelty at the time, and it was virtually absent from recordings or performances in the modern style known as bebop. "Undercurrent Blues" displayed the instrument's potential in a new way and, while not a big hit, caught the ear of many musicians.

"When I started playing jazz on flute," Herbie Mann, the first jazz flutist to achieve widespread popularity, once said, "there was only one record out: Sam Most's 'Undercurrent Blues.'" By the early 1960s, flutes were almost as common as saxophones in jazz ensembles.

Samuel Most was born on Dec. 16, 1930, in Atlantic City, N.J., and grew up in the Bronx, N.Y. His parents, Jacob Most and the former Dora Kaplan, were immigrants from Lithuania.

Most studied in New York at City College and the Manhattan School of Music and became a professional musician at 17. He spent time with the big bands of Tommy Dorsey, Don Redman and others before forming his own small group.

After recording prolifically as both a leader and a sideman and touring with Buddy Rich from 1959 to 1961, Most moved west and settled into lucrative but anonymous work in Los Angeles studios and Las Vegas showrooms. He continued to record in a jazz context on occasion and released a number of critically praised albums on the Xanadu label in the late 1970s.

In addition to Labensky, Most is survived by another sister, Frances Tutshen, and a brother, Bernard. His brother Abe died in 2002.

Ex-foster child grows into mentorship

Associated Press

WAXAHACHIE — In some ways, Charles Pruitt has been an adult for much of his childhood.

The teenager cared for his three youngest sisters when their parents neglected them and they missed two years of school. In his Waxahachie foster home, his graceful acceptance of chores and rules makes him a leader among the eight other teens.

Now 19, Pruitt officially became an adult about a year ago. Every year, there are 1,500 just like him in Texas who "age out" of foster care. Before they turn 21, many will struggle with unemployment, incarceration or simply a lack of support or resources. A quarter will end up homeless, according to several studies.

"This is probably the most important time in a kid's life," Pruitt's foster mother Sandi St. Clair told The Dallas Morning News. "When they're younger they have a support system. Everyone wants to take care of a cute little kid. Now, they're an adult, and they can do all the adult things. But they don't have the support."

But Pruitt does have an extensive group of people who have ensured he has a safety net as he walks the line between adolescence and adulthood.

"I consider myself an adult, but I feel like a teenager," he said. "There's more to come. I know I have to prepare myself for the real world."

Pruitt graduated this month from Waxahachie High School. He has been living at Texas Baptist Home for Children, where he says he has been given a family and mentorship through a counselor, Child Protective Services staff and a court-appointed special advocate.

He plans to continue living at the home, going to Navarro College to study cosmetology and working at Pizza Hut. He's modest when his foster mother brags about the strides he's made in his three years in the home's transitional program.

"He's been through a lot that most kids don't experience — even some adults haven't had to go through," St. Clair said. "He won't tell you that, though."

His current home is his third placement and his longest. Through it, he's broken out of his shyness and learned to save money and pay bills. The teen says he's still figuring out what else he should know before going out on his own.

Up until 2006, Texas foster kids didn't have the option of extended care. The 18-year-olds with no family to adopt them were given initial help in navigating adulthood while still in care. Case workers helped them to form a plan and maybe guided them to transitional homes. Once out of care the teens have been eligible for living and education stipends for quite some time, said Marissa Gonzales, a spokeswoman for the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services.

But over the years, it has been more apparent that a human support system is crucial to the success of former foster youth. State and federal funding has allowed for extended foster care. Nonprofit groups such as Court Appointed Special Advocates have also filled the gap to provide networks and mentors for the youth.

Jerry Sullivan, program director for CitySquare's Transition Resource Action Center, a Dallas-based group devoted to guiding current and former foster children to successful independent living, said there are dozens of youth who walk into the office who have no idea about some of the benefits they can receive.

"Every day we meet young people who are eligible for our services and never got the message that we are here," Sullivan said. "Some of them maybe don't want services or to be a part of any system because they've been through that."

Sullivan said the center's mission is not to keep them in any system but to coach them. Last year the organization served about 800 youths up to age 25 and "stabilized" 98 percent of them in housing, Sullivan said, helping them get their own apartments, jobs and job training.

One of those young people is Laquindrick Wiley. He's 20 and has lived on his own for about two years. He was in foster care for more than 10 years, aged out after several foster care placements and was mostly on his own.

"When you age out, there's no more state caring for you," Wiley said. "That's what it felt like. For a lot of kids, there's a sense of community or security with your case worker or foster home. But once your case is dismissed, that's it."

Wiley said he knows he could have ended up in legal trouble. While the youngest in a foster home, he was often picked on. He grew up, got bigger and angrier and started fighting, he said, but after a few years and help from caring mentors, he learned better.

Now, he volunteers at juvenile court, advocating for as many as a dozen at-risk children who have found themselves in trouble.
He also works as a youth advocate for the center that has helped him. He helps inform professionals in the foster care system about aging out.

His goal, he said, is to make youths "have it better than me."

Sullivan agreed.

"People should understand that our youth are just like any other 20-something out there," Sullivan said. "They have the same goals, same hopes and dreams but don't have the same resources."

Pruitt appreciates the resources he's received through federal- and state-funded extended foster care, and he's not ready to give them up quite yet.

"I'm happy here, and I think I'd be afraid to leave right now," he said. "I have my family here. I have my foster mom and everyone here. I think I needed this, like, rules and structure to become who I am."

The human network of support for foster youths who age out of care is crucial to their success in adulthood, advocates say. But there are other resources provided through federal and state funding to help transitioning youth to become self-sufficient.

Around the age of 14, foster parents are expected to teach teens basic living skills such as cooking and money management. Also around that age, teens begin their independence planning. They choose adults to be in their "circle of support," and together they plan out goals and their future needs, such as education, health and skills training.

Crime of the week

Midland Crime Stoppers and the Midland Police Department need help in identifying the suspects in an oilfield theft case.

Several oil companies have been hit with the theft of electronic flow meters. These thefts are happening mainly in southeast Midland County. These meters are called Nuflo MC II flow analyzers and are worth $500. The thefts so far have totaled more than $20,000.

If you are the first person to call with information on this case and it leads to an arrest of the suspect(s) involved, it will be worth a $1,000 cash reward. You will remain anonymous and no caller ID is ever used.

How to submit a secure tip

- **Hotline:** 694-TIPS or 1-800-7-LOCKUP
- **Online:** www.midlandcrimestoppers.com
- **Text:** Text TIP247 plus your message to 274637
- **Mobile app on iPhone or Android phones:** Download free app TIP SUBMIT
- **Facebook:** Click 'Submit A Tip' on left side of our Facebook page

Crime Stoppers fugitive

VIRGINIA RODRIQUEZ

DOB: 2-16-78
Height and weight: 5 feet, 1 inches; 130 pounds
Charge: Theft by repetition - grand jury indictment
Wanted as of: 6-22-13

- Warrant #CR41146
- $250 reward to the first person who calls Midland Crime Stoppers this week with information that leads to this fugitive's arrest.
- Call 694-TIPS or 1-800-7-LOCKUP, online at midlandcrimestoppers.com or text TIP247 plus your message to 274637
- As always you will remain anonymous
- NEVER attempt to apprehend this subject yourself. Subject may be armed or dangerous.

Company drops plans for coal-fired plant

Associated Press

SWEETWATER — A company has dropped plans to build a coal-fired power plant in West Texas.

Omaha-based Tenaska says it will focus on the development of natural gas-fueled and renewable facilities.

The company had been pursuing plans for the plant near Sweetwater and one in Taylorville, Ill., more than five years.

The Texas plant would have used new technology to recover up to 90 percent of carbon dioxide emissions. The emissions would have been sold to oil companies for underground piping to help recover oil. Carbon dioxide emissions from coal-fired power plants are believed to contribute to global warming.

From reverence to kitsch, JFK assassination references abound

David Flick
Dallas Morning News

DALLAS — Five decades later, President John F. Kennedy's death still has power in Dallas — even if, for some, it's the power to provoke.

In the year before the 50th anniversary of Kennedy's assassination in Dealey Plaza, a blue ribbon committee has struggled with how to commemorate the city's darkest day with both candor and dignity.

But for a local skating league, the Assassination City Roller Derby, dignity is beside the point.

The derby says its purpose is "to combine the spectacle of roller derby with the underbelly of Dallas' seedy and mysterious past." In a news release, it describes one of the league's four home teams, the "Lone Star Assassins," this way:

"They never act alone. Skate to thrill, shoot to kill! Get ready to take a hit, 'cause they've got you in their sights."

Rhian Valentine, 28, the league's spokeswoman, said no disrespect is intended.

"I can understand that some people may be offended," Valentine said. "But that's not what we're all about. The name is about taking something negative and being tongue-in-cheek and being light about a gritty situation."

For Sonny Williams, there is no being light about the JFK assassination, not even after all these years.

On Nov. 22, 1963, Williams was managing a grocery store in East Dallas when word swept through the aisles that the president had just been shot in Dealey Plaza. He remembers the eerie quiet that followed.

"Fridays were normally our busiest day of the week, but suddenly, the store was empty. People just got in their cars and left," he said.

The fact that the assassination happened in Dallas made the tragedy almost literally unspeakable for months afterward, he recalled.

"It was not business as usual for quite a while," he said. "People would come into the store; they were very quiet, very serious, you didn't joke about anything."

He understands that for many people, especially those too young to remember, the JFK assassination has become a distant historical event. But still.

"You couldn't have named a team something like that back then," he said of the roller derby league. "People would have beaten you to death."

As any event recedes into history, its emotional impact will always ease, said Timothy Naftali, a presidential scholar with the New America Foundation.

"As time passes, the idea of approaching something like this with irony and edginess becomes less sacrilegious," he said. "History belongs to everybody. I don't think we should be prudish."

Attitudes must naturally fall along generational lines, but not as cleanly as you might think, he said.

"People who are born in a city will internalize it, even if they were born years afterwards," he said. "Their parents remember it, and it is so much part of Dallas history, it becomes part of their cultural history."

Both the initial impact of the JFK assassination, and its transformation into a cultural curiosity, may be due to the same phenomenon — the emergence of electronic media.

In 1963, the medium was television. Kennedy was the first president who was comfortable in front of cameras, and he had a witty, informal style that engaged ordinary viewers. People felt they knew him personally, said Jeffrey Engel, director of the SMU Center for Presidential History.

When JFK was killed, it was as if the violence had happened to someone you knew, Engel said.

Moreover, television was there to bring that tragedy into people's homes.

"For the first time, people everywhere could see what Dealey Plaza looked like and people could see Jack Ruby," he said. "You could sit by the TV and be gripped in a communal way.

"That was new. If you had interviewed 1,000 people at the time that Lincoln got shot, maybe 10 of them could describe what Ford's Theater looked like."

In the following years, as events such as the Vietnam War and the Watergate scandal eroded faith in government, conspiracy theories about Kennedy's death abounded. What had been a tragedy that bound the country together became a source for a controversy that divided it.

That controversy was given currency by popular culture. Most notably, by "JFK," the 1991 Oliver Stone movie.

In a way, irreverence toward the event is a tribute to its continuing power, said Edward Linenthal, a history professor at Indiana University.

Linenthal was in high school at the time of the assassination. He still feels uncomfortable at the thought of making light of that event, even five decades later.

But if the JFK assassination had simply been forgotten, it would not continue to surface in popular culture.

Linenthal cited the 2010 music video in which Dallas' Erykah Badu stripped off her clothes in Dealey Plaza and fell to the ground as if she had been shot.

"Maybe it requires an emotional detachment to play with this place, which is still very powerful, feeling that you can get a rise out of people," Linenthal said. "But if you took off your clothes and fell down in a Kroger's parking lot, who would care?"

The name of a bar a little more than a mile from Dealey Plaza, Lee Harvey's, evokes the president's murderer, Lee Harvey Oswald. It hasn't hurt its popularity. Playboy magazine rated it one of the 10 best dive bars in the country.

"We get people who are offended; they say, 'How can you name a bar after a person like that?'" said bartender Emily Reed, as regulars came in on a recent Friday afternoon. "Some people think it's kitschy, and some people just think it's cool."

As for herself, Reed, 24, doesn't often think about the JFK assassination at all.

"It's not emotional for me. It's just there. My friends, they don't go to the Sixth Floor (museum)," she said. "It's like New Yorkers never go to the Statue of Liberty."

Seth Smith, who owns Lee Harvey's, said he understands the rare negative comments he gets.

"But we tell people, 'It's just a name,'" he said. "It's a way of walking up to the line without crossing it."

That said, Smith knows the name still carries enough of a charge to be memorable. As a businessman, he appreciates the value of instant recognition.

"What shocks me is when people here in Dallas don't get the connection at all. Trust me, I look at them like 'what?'" he said. "They're usually younger people, though not as young as you might think."

In a panel discussion in February at the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza, Naftali noted that attitudes toward the JFK assassination are constantly changing.

That, he said, is not such a bad thing.

"People think of revisionism as a bad word. But you don't call a doctor a revisionist because he doesn't treat patients with leeches," he said.

Over time, he predicted, the emotion will drain away entirely. The failure to get the significance of the name Lee Harvey will become the norm.

"When does Dallas in 1963 become the OK Corral, an event that's so detached that it becomes not just a historical, but almost a fictional event?" Naftali asked. "You're not there yet. In 30 years, though, you will be."

Distributed by MCT Information Services

Helping Hands of Midland
An All-Volunteer Organization Reaching Out To Others
1301 Brinson Lane (Behind Rogers Ford)
HOTLINE: 699-4900
(Leave Message)
Thrift Store: Tues., Fri. & Sat. 10am-2pm
For Donations or to Volunteer Call 528-6265
www.helpinghandsmidland.com

Because we feel it is important that you know how and where your donations to Helping Hands are spent, here is what was done in the past week:

Electricity	2 families	$ 246.37
Rent	18 families	$ 22,727.11
Medical	1 family	$ 1,306.84
Food Pantry		$ 115.92
Legal	2 families	$ 1,003.71
TOTAL		**$ 25,399.95**

The poor are more than the homeless, the hungry, and those without money for medicine and utilities. They are also the sick, the unwanted, the unloved, the addicted. Some of these people live within the walls of our own homes. If the poor go without, it is not because God has abandoned them. It may well be we have failed to hear or respond to God's invitation to let Him help them through us. We all love Jesus. We all hope to be with Him through all eternity. He has told us not to expect to see Him in heaven if we can't recognize Him NOW in the sick and lonely – such as in the mentally ill man walking the streets talking to an unseen companion, in the elderly woman sitting ignored in the nursing home, or even in the embittered neighbor who irritates us so much. We are called to see and love Jesus in all of these people even when we don't feel like it. Love is a decision; not a feeling. The poor are a gift that God has bestowed on us so that through them we might learn to come closer to Him.

God bless all of you who cherish God's special children we call the poor through your contributions to help the needy, either personally or through Helping Hands. Thank you very, very much.

Rare nature sightings in Texas' Davis Mountains

Associated Press

LUBBOCK — Researchers are looking into whether two rare nature sightings in West Texas — including a butterfly spotted in the U.S. for the first time — could indicate other hidden populations in the remote Davis Mountains devastated in 2011 by massive wildfires.

A climate researcher found a spotless comma butterfly in late May about 1,000 miles away from its normal range near Mexico City. Another spotter found two nests of long-eared owls — a species seen in Texas but not known to nest there.

Experts aren't sure whether changing climate or other factors prompted the butterfly and the owls to find refuge in the state's Trans Pecos region. But it's possible the owls are longtime residents to the mountains.

"The Davis Mountains are just a special place," said Rich Kostecke, associate science director for the Nature Conservancy of Texas. "When you protect the habitats you just provide that opportunity, certainly maintain the rare species. This may be a place new species show up because of the habitat."

The North American Butterfly Association confirmed a spotless comma had been seen in late May by West Texas climate researcher Cathryn Hoyt.

Man pleads guilty to killing neighbor

Associated Press

BELTON — A Central Texas man who intervened in a domestic dispute at his apartment complex has been sentenced to 12 years in prison for killing his neighbor.

Prosecutors in Belton said Juston Cole Fletcher of Killeen was charged with murder in the 2011 fatal shooting but pleaded guilty to manslaughter in a plea deal. The 25-year-old ex-Fort Hood soldier was sentenced Friday over the death of 23-year-old Anthony Paxson.

Officials said the victim and his wife had a history of domestic violence and were drinking and arguing prior to the shooting. They lived in the apartment below Fletcher's unit.

Investigators said Fletcher yelled at the couple to be quiet, confronted Paxson and the men shoved each other.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Ulices I. Alcala, 22, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of burglary of a habitation.

Arturo R. Arciga, 47, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charges of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and tampering or fabricating physical evidence with the intent to impair.

Olmedo Bernal, 37, of Odessa, was arrested Friday on a charge of possession of a prohibited substance in a corrections facility.

Kenneth A. Burgess, 42, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of aggravated sexual assault of a child.

Dexter A. Burns, 24, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of violating probation.

Jennifer J. Contreras, 25, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of injury to a child, elderly or disabled person with intent to sustain bodily injury.

Shanika M. Johnson, 26, of Temple, was arrested Friday on a charge of theft less than $1,500.

Annie L. Martinez, 44, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated.

Jackie R. Mims, 47, of Midland, was arrested Friday on charges of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and failure to appear bail jumping.

Edwardo V. Padilla, 18, of Midland, was arrested Friday on multiple charges of aggravated robbery.

Blanca R. Pineda, 35, of Odessa, was arrested Friday on multiple bench warrants, failure to appear a bail jumping, theft of less than $1,500 with two or more convictions.

Ronald S. Poole, 44, of Grand Prairie, was arrested Friday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated.

Enrique Pulido Jr., 23 of Midland, was arrested Friday on charges of failure to appear bail jumping, evading arrest or detention with a previous conviction and violating probation.

Anthonie J. Ramos, 19, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of deadly conduct by discharging a firearm.

Matthew T. Rodriguez, 21, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of evading arrest or detention and possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Michael T. Valdez, 21, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of unauthorized use of a vehicle.

James A. Vines Jr., 49, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of hindering apprehension or prosecution.

Bobby L. Wilson, 56, of Midland, was arrested Friday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

WILLIAMSON

From 1B

$3.50, plus 35 cents for gas.

Today, an industrious male might be able to fund a dinner and a movie for about $50 or $60 at best — and that's if he cuts a few corners like eating at a fast food joint or cutting down on the snacks at the movie house.

I can't even afford that kind of date. In fact, when the wife and I now date, it's called a night out with Netflix and TV trays.

And have you seen what a concert costs these days. The wife and I once went to a Righteous Brothers concert for a total of $8. Naturally, I complained about the cost. Money didn't grow on trees back then.

Apparently it does now, but no one has given me the location of the tree.

Dating is a tricky business these days, thanks to phones and the inflation of entertainment prices. But we have to find a way where our youth can actually meet.

The wife says church still has the best prices in town. Well, that route worked pretty good for us with 43 years and counting.

Thought for the Week: "A boy used to ask his mother, '*How can I find the right woman for me?*' and she would answer, 'Don't worry about finding the right woman — concentrate on becoming the right man.'"

Unknown

KOMEN

From 1B

Salerno, who is required to move to Dallas for her new job, said she hopes to continue her volunteer work after obtaining her Texas medical license.

Winning back alienated Komen supporters on both sides of the abortion issue may prove difficult.

Karen Handel served as Komen's executive vice president for public policy when the decision was made to defund Planned Parenthood. She later resigned after the funding was restored.

She declined to comment this week about Salerno's selection, only to say through a spokesman: "I wish them nothing but the best."

Eve Ellis, a former board member at the New York affiliate, said she was pleased by Salerno's selection, but it wasn't enough to regain her loyalty.

"I'm encouraged by the new CEO," she said. "However, I'm not coming back to Komen because they have not yet cleaned house.

"Anyone who was on the board during that decision making — which does include Nancy Brinker — those individuals need to move on, because it does make me think a decision like this could be made again."

Salerno said though Brinker is still with the organization, she is no longer in charge. "I report to the board and Nancy reports to me," she said.

She had not met Brinker until she began interviewing for the job, but she said she is looking forward to working with her.

"We can really be quite a team," Salerno said.

Brinker, who is now chairwoman of Komen's global strategy, will take an unspecified pay cut from her base salary of $548,000.

Salerno, who earns about $270,000 at her current job, will earn less than Brinker did in the CEO position, but a spokesman would not specify the amount.

It will take several months for Salerno to complete the move to Texas, but she said she "can't wait to make it my hometown."

Distributed by MCT Information Services

4 workers hurt in A&M construction accident

Associated Press

COLLEGE STATION — Four workers were hurt, three critically, after a barn frame collapsed Saturday at an $80 million Texas A&M University equestrian complex that's under construction.

The collapse happened on university property about a mile from the main campus, Texas A&M spokesman Lane Stephenson said.

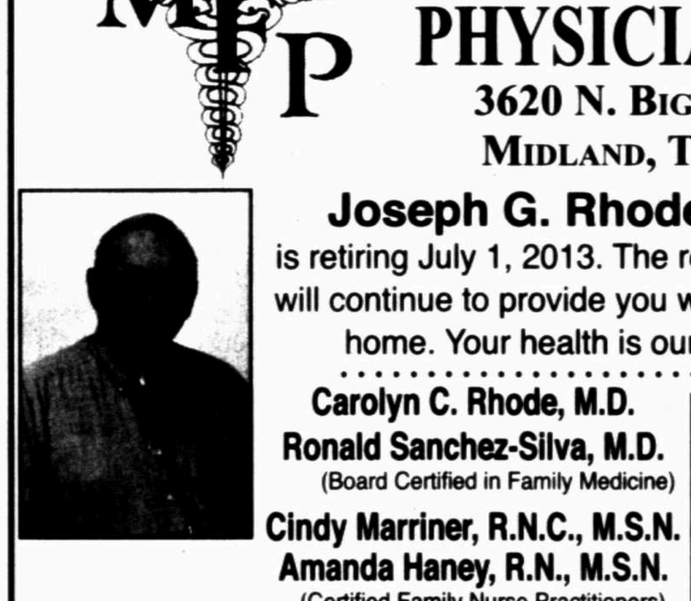
College Station and Bryan fire departments, campus police and Texas A&M emergency medical personnel all responded to the accident, which happened shortly before 11 a.m. Saturday.

The accident involved an approximately 300-foot barn, according to the College Station Fire Department. Twisted metal beams could be seen at the site, where ground was broken last fall.

The injured workers were transported to hospitals. Their names and further details on their conditions were not immediately released. Nobody else was hurt.

For a time, emergency responders had to halt the search for the four because of concerns about another collapse.

"After that time search and rescue efforts were suspended until the remainder of the structure that was still standing could be stabilized," according to a statement from the College Station Fire Department. "After the structure was secured a secondary search of the area was conducted to ensure that all patients had been located."



Associated Press

This photo provided by KBTX-TV shows damage to the Texas A&M University equestrian center on Saturday.

Texas A&M police officials were trying to determine what caused the collapse. University police identified the contractor as Gamma Construction Company, with offices in Houston and San Antonio.

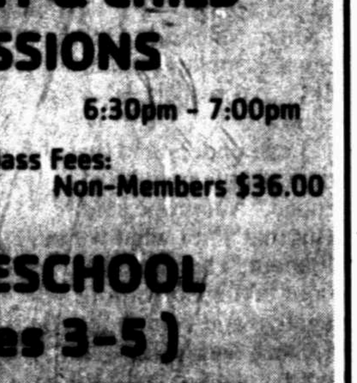
A Gamma Construction representative did not immediately return a phone call to The Associated Press for comment Saturday.

The website said the equestrian complex "will enhance Texas A&M University's equine program and will consolidate not only academic programs, but clubs and associations to one premier location in order to teach, train, conduct research, exhibit and showcase events."

MFP
MIDLAND FAMILY PHYSICIANS, P.A.
3620 N. Big Spring St.
Midland, Texas 79705

Joseph G. Rhode, M.D.
is retiring July 1, 2013. The remaining staff will continue to provide you with a medical home. Your health is our priority!

Carolyn C. Rhode, M.D.
Ronald Sanchez-Silva, M.D.
(Board Certified in Family Medicine)
Cindy Marriner, R.N.C., M.S.N.
Amanda Haney, R.N., M.S.N.
(Certified Family Nurse Practitioners)



Call (432) 682-7473 For An Appointment
Accepting New Patients — Se Habla Español Medical records will remain at MFP.

Get ready for the weekend by reading
PULSE
Thursdays in the Reporter-Telegram

JUNIOR AVIATION CADET ACADEMY
July 9 - 12
9 a.m. - Noon
Hands-on Activities and Flying Models
Behind-the-Scenes Museum Explorations
Aviation-Themed Games
And Much, Much More!
For More Info. or to register call (432) 563-1000 or go to www.airpowermuseum.org
CAF Airpower Museum

the YMCA
FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
DEVELOP MORE THAN JUST YOUR BACKSTROKE

Please Call 682-2551
Or Visit www.midlandymca.org
For More Information.

UPCOMING SWIM SESSIONS
June 10 - 13
June 17 - 20
July 1 - 5
(no classes on July 4)
July 8 - 11
July 15 - 18
July 22 - 25
July 29 - August 1
August 12 - 15

PARENT & CHILD SESSIONS
Tuesday - Thursday 6:30pm - 7:00pm
Class Fees:
Members - $18.00 Non-Members $36.00

PRESCHOOL (Ages 3-5)
Monday - Thursday 10:00 - 10:30am
3:40 - 4:10pm
7:10 - 7:40pm

YOUTH (Ages 6 & UP)
Monday - Thursday 10:40 - 11:25am
4:20 - 5:05pm
7:50 - 8:30pm

CO-ED ADULT
Monday - Thursday 7:15 pm - 8:15pm

Denial of federal aid rankles Texas town

The New York Times

WEST — When the federal government declined to give Texas officials all the disaster aid they sought after a deadly fertilizer plant explosion here in April, it not only outraged local leaders struggling to rebuild but also raised another, politically thornier issue.

Why ask Washington for federal dollars for aid when Texas has plenty of its own dollars?

In a request sent last month to President Barack Obama, Gov. Rick Perry wrote that the magnitude and severity of the disaster exceeded state and local resources. Because the president had already authorized the federal government to cover 75 percent of the state's costs for debris removal and emergency response, the governor's request amounted to a relatively small amount — roughly $17 million in uninsured and underinsured damage to public buildings, equipment and utilities.

Federal officials have so far paid or agreed to pay an estimated $25 million to the state and to affected families after the explosion — about $17 million for emergency work and nearly $8 million in grants and low-interest disaster loans for individuals. But the Federal Emergency Management Agency determined that under the federal disaster law, called the Stafford Act, the $17 million in uninsured public infrastructure damage was within the capabilities of the state and local governments. The state's request to the president was denied because Texas failed to provide evidence that it "lacked the fiscal resources to address the remaining $17 million," a FEMA spokesman said.

Perry has called the state's strong economy "the envy of the nation." Texas leads the country in job creation, and the two-year, $197 billion budget recently passed by state lawmakers provided Texans with more than $1 billion in tax relief. The state's rainy-day fund, generated largely by oil and gas production taxes, has about $8 billion. The Legislature approved $2 million for West relief.

Disaster and emergency response experts said federal officials made the wisest, though not the most popular, decision in turning down the state's request. The total uninsured damage of $34.5 million barely exceeded the $34.4 million state threshold that federal officials use as a guide in determining whether to recommend approval of a disaster request. In addition, nearly half of the $34.5 million total included the emergency costs the president had already approved.

"This was a very easy turndown," said Frances L. Edwards, a disaster response expert, professor at San Jose State University and former municipal director of emergency services. "The state of Texas is not a poor state. They have significant revenues. The philosophy is that federal money should only be used as a last resort where there really is no reasonable alternative."

Presidents have been generous to Texas when it comes to disaster declarations, despite the anti-Washington sentiments of the state's political leadership. From 1953 to 2011, Texas received 86 major-disaster declarations, the most of any state in the country, according to a 2012 report by the Congressional Research Service. California received 78, and New York 65.

Perry has until early July to appeal the decision, and state officials were working with West leaders, as well as FEMA regional officials, to determine their next steps. "These are taxpayer dollars that have been appropriated by Congress for the specific purpose of disaster relief, and I am not aware that a state being fiscally responsible is a condition for denial in the Stafford Act," said a spokeswoman for the governor, Lucy Nashed.

In his request to the president, the governor suggested that the state had struggled to respond to a series of floods, wildfires and other disasters, and noted that state and local agencies had already spent more than $6 million on the West recovery. And he stressed that the $34.5 million in uninsured damage was a fraction of the estimated $100 million in total damage for public entities.

In Austin and in West, the denial of aid has been cast in simplistic terms, with many expressing shock that the federal government found that an explosion that killed 14 people and destroyed or severely damaged 193 of the town's 700 homes did not qualify as a major disaster. The double-decker headline in The West News read, "FEMA rejects West, 'Says it was not a disaster.'"

At the West Fertilizer Co. plant, now strewn with crushed vehicles and mashed storage tanks, Jeanette White, 36, stood in tears the other day. Her brother was Kevin Sanders, 33, one of the 10 firefighters and emergency responders who were killed.

"I think it's deplorable," White said of the federal denial, her hands gripping the chain-link fence. "What happened here isn't right. My brother was a good man. He was a new father. He didn't get to spend Father's Day with his son."

The refusal has supplied Texas Republican critics with an opportunity to go after the Obama administration, pointing out that Texas' request was turned down seven weeks after Obama pledged federal support in helping the town rebuild.

"We'll be there even after the cameras leave and after the attention turns elsewhere," the president said at a memorial service for the victims. "Your country will remain ever ready to help you recover, and rebuild and reclaim your community."

Perry has repeatedly quoted Obama's remarks, as has the Texas attorney general, Greg Abbott, who is considering running for governor in 2014. "President Obama has yet again promised one thing and then not delivered," Abbott said in a statement.

Federal officials have sought to distance Obama from the decision to deny the aid to West. The letter turning down the state's request was signed by W. Craig Fugate, the director of FEMA. But disaster experts said that only presidents could issue major disaster declarations, and only presidents could deny them, often based on FEMA's recommendations. The president also has the authority to disregard the thresholds of qualification and FEMA's recommendations and approve a governor's request if he wishes to do so.

"It is standard practice for the president to announce approvals and the FEMA administrator to announce denials, but make no mistake, the denial decision was made at the presidential level," said Richard T. Sylves, a professor with the Institute for Crisis, Disaster and Risk Management at George Washington University.

The explosion in West was one of the worst industrial disasters in Texas history. Three of its four public schools — the intermediate school, middle school and high school — as well as a nursing home and a 50-unit apartment complex sustained major damage or were destroyed. Half of West's 700 homes had minor or major damage. The town lost 65 percent of the revenue it generates from water usage, and 35 percent of its property tax base.

"I don't like to take help from anybody," said the mayor, Tommy Muska. "But it came to the point where we cannot afford, with the loss of income and the loss of revenue that the city has had because of the explosion, to go out and get a grant or a loan to build this city back. We cannot repay it. That to me is a disaster."

The school district was insured for $59 million, but Marty Crawford, the superintendent, said the damage easily exceeded that. He and other town leaders remain hopeful that the additional aid will be approved on appeal.

REEL THANX

"Fishing With Our Country's Heroes"

As we approach our seventh year of honoring our wounded heroes, Reel Thanx would like to take this opportunity to ***thank our many volunteers, sponsors, and supporters who have helped us honor over 130 military heroes during the course of twenty-two quarterly, all-expense paid fishing trips.*** Thanks to the tremendous support of the community, we now provide additional retreat trips to the spouses of these heroes and are looking forward to our fourth upcoming Reel Wives' weekend.

It has only been possible with the great support of many individuals and companies who have volunteered their time and resources to this cause, and we thank all of those who have supported us in all measures, large and small, during these past six years. We would especially like to thank ***founding directors Randy Mounce and Mike Mundy*** for the vision and foundation on which Reel Thanx was built, as well as all past and present directors and advisors who keep our cause moving forward. ***We are deeply appreciative for the opportunity to have utilized the Mounce Family Fish Camp provided by Randy and Sheila Mounce these past six years as a home away from home for our heroes at the lake.*** We would also like to thank **Terry Johnson of Show of Support** for providing the inspiration, and support over the years. We are encouraged by, and stand behind, his commitment to go forward in Show of Support's efforts to support our military heroes and their spouses.

To all who stand united in the cause of supporting, honoring, and healing our heroes, we express our gratitude to you and share in the commitment to give back to those who have sacrificed so much. ***And above all, our most sincere and profound gratitude and appreciation goes to our heroes, past and present; those who have given some, those who have given much, and those who have given all for the price of our freedom.*** We thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

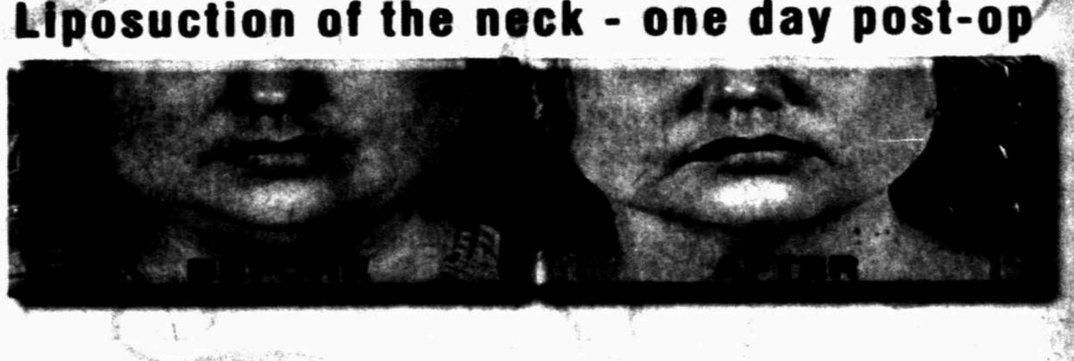
We look forward to many more opportunities to honor and serve our military heroes as we continue to provide retreat trips for both heroes and spouses! For more information on Reel Thanx and our efforts to support our wounded heroes, please visit www.reelthanx.org. Thank you for your continued support.

Advantages of Dr. Sylvan Bartlett's Methods of Liposuction

Dr. Bartlett's Methods Compared to Laser Lipo:

A. Much Shorter Recovery Time (You look good the next day)
B. No Risk of Thermal Injury
C. No Risk of Wound Creating Fluid
D. The Number of Canula Entry Points (Scars) are only a Fraction of the Number Needed for Laser Lipo
E. In Most Cases, Long Term Skin Retraction is Equal to Laser Lipo

Liposuction of the neck - one day post-op



No Lipo Procedure will give the same results as a Tummy Tuck. Lipo does not tighten the abdominal wall.

Do not be misled by photos that are the result of a Tummy Tuck and are represented as the results of Laser Liposuction.

Dr. Bartlett brings his patients more than 30 years of Liposuction Experience.

All Procedures done by Dr. Bartlett

Please Call 432-582-2344 For An Appointment

1330 E. 8th St., Ste. 400 • Odessa, TX 79761 • http://www.sylvanbartlettmd.com/

North Texas federal judge to take senior status

Associated Press

FORT WORTH — After spending almost 22 years on the bench, U.S. District Judge Terry Means is still haunted by the brutal abduction and murder of Arlington teenager Lisa Rene, a case that resulted in her assailants being sentenced to death.

Rene, a Lamar High School honors student, was abducted by Arkansas drug dealers from her sister's apartment in September 1994 to avenge a $5,000 theft by her brothers. She was raped before being bludgeoned with a shovel and buried alive in a shallow grave.

At the time, Means was quoted as saying at the sentencing of the three men who killed Rene that he "could not imagine any more heinous crime."

"Somehow, those death penalty cases just leap to the front of my memory. You are dealing with the life of a human being," Means told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in a recent interview. "I still must pronounce the death sentence. You are informing someone that they will be put to death.

"That is a rare and focusing event," said Means, 64, who is preparing to transition to what is known as "senior status" next month, a form of retirement where he will handle fewer cases.

Known in the courthouse for treating prosecutors, defense attorneys and even those accused of heinous crimes with respect, Means will be missed, courthouse observers say.

During the unveiling of Means' official portrait at the downtown Fort Worth courthouse last week, Sidney Fitzwater, chief U.S. district judge for the Northern District, described his colleague as a true friend who was always thoughtful and fair-minded in the courtroom.

Means has a compassionate heart; but he is someone who can make the tough decisions, he said.

"Today is decidedly a day of mixed emotions," Fitzwater said.

Looking back, Means, a thin man with salt-and-pepper hair and a gentle demeanor, said that although he tried many important cases, the death penalty cases will always weigh on his mind.

He recalled that he got the Lisa Rene case soon after the federal death penalty had been reinstated. It had been declared unconstitutional.

"Those cases will always prey on my mind," said Means.

While maybe not a household name, since 1991 Means has presided over cases involving Tarrant County's leading corporations and citizens.

It was Means on the bench when a whistleblower filed a lawsuit against Lockheed Martin claiming that the defense contractor followed unsafe and fraudulent practices in developing flight control software for the F-35 joint strike fighter. He dismissed the case.

He rebuffed efforts by the influential Moncrief family to unseal an affidavit detailing specific allegations in the Internal Revenue Service's investigation into their finances following the raid of the wealthy oil and gas family's downtown offices by federal agents. But he brokered a deal allowing the Moncriefs to get back some of the documents they needed to run their business.

Means also recently sentenced a former Arlington strip club owner who wanted to kill Mayor Robert Cluck and an attorney who represented the city in a murder for hire scheme

"This is a very demanding job; I've sacrificed a lot of time with my family," Means said. He said he rarely took vacations, and described bringing work home with him at night.

In fact, Means has handled 10,534 civil cases and sentenced 2,300 criminal defendants.

Growing up in a ranching family in Artesia, N.M., Means had a childhood fascination with politics and the law. His parents had just gotten a black and white television, and 8-year-old Means watched the 1956 Republican and Democratic conventions.

"I couldn't get enough; my parents thought I was a bit odd," he said.

Taking a leadership role was also important to Means. He was president of his high school student council and, when he went off to college, became president of the Southern Methodist University student senate, as well as his fraternity.

He also attended law school at SMU where he met his wife, JoAnn, who was also studying law. They married and moved to Corsicana where they practiced law together until Gov. Bill Clements appointed Means to the 10th Court of Appeals in 1989.

In 1991, President George H.W. Bush appointed Means to the bench in the Northern District of Texas, which includes Dallas and Fort Worth.

Means said when lawyers and criminal defendants come into his courtroom, he treats them with respect and dignity.

"I call an attorney 'Mister,' just as I would call a criminal defendant 'Mister.' Everyone is entitled to due process," Means said.

But he also doesn't hesitate to make attorneys toe the line when necessary.

Former U.S. Attorney Richard Roper, who now practices in Fort Worth, joked about Means setting time limits for him to present his arguments. Roper prosecuted the Lisa Rene case.

RADIO

From 1B

for trained ham radio operators, especially in local government and law enforcement, said Midland Fire Department Capt. Allan Moore, who was in the city's communications trailer with operator Steve Hopkins, call sign K5RS, on Saturday.

About a dozen trailers, antennas and satellites were spaced out over Beal Park to avoid radio interference during the event, which is held over 24 hours to take advantage of all atmospheric conditions.

The radio spectrum opens up lower frequencies at night because there's no interference from the sun, making connections easier, said Hopkins, who used Morse code in a CW transmission to make about 55 contacts by Saturday afternoon.

At the GOTA Station, Alton Teague, call sign N5PSP, used a ham radio digital mode to find contacts.

In this mode, operators pop up as yellow lines on a blue digital screen, but if the signal is set too high or too low, it can create garbage, Karch said.

"Your transmission has to be at a good setting to send or receive," he said.

Teague said when you make a good connection, it's like being in a chat room.

Karch said the hobby is relatively inexpensive, but it requires equipment and a license for different levels of operation. The best way to get involved is to join the club, which has about 100 members, he said.

Clint Lannom, who picked up amateur radio at the Civil Air Patrol in Fort Stockton, said it helps to have someone take you under their wing.

"Someone to get you interested and guide you to pass the test," said Lannom, call sign N5MXE.

Shephard said there are plenty of online resources and YouTube videos for budding ham radio operators, including resources on how to build radios.

That's how ham radio started — people used to take apart old military radios and rebuild them, said Karch, noting the reason for its name is still a mystery. The amateur radio technology leaped again in the late 1980s and early 1990s when personal computers became popular.

Though it's hard to tell how operators will evolve the hobby in the future, he said, "They seem to always jump into the water first."

MIDLAND Parks & Recreation

WHAT'S GOING ON AT THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR COMMUNITY CENTER??

SUMMER PROGRAMS BEGIN MONDAY, JUNE 24th

HAVE FUN AND LEARN YOUR WAY AROUND THE KITCHEN!
LITTLE CHEF BASICS!!
MONDAYS from 1 – 3 p.m.
8 yrs old and up $1/day

PARENTS' NIGHT OUT!!!
THURSDAYS
6 – 8 p.m.
7-10 yrs old $1/day

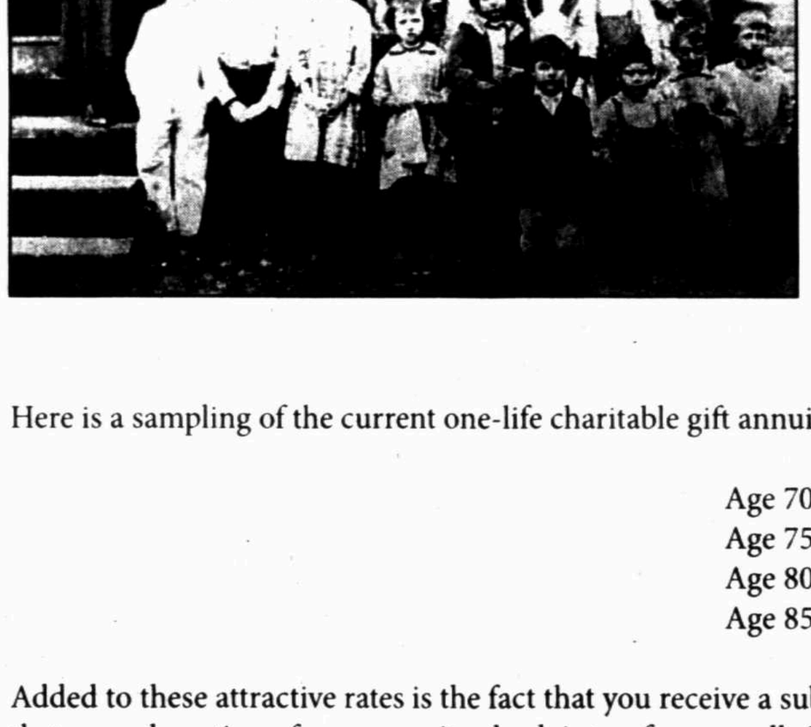
INDOOR/OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES!
ARTS AND CRAFTS!!!

FUN FRIDAYS!!
1 – 3 p.m.
8 yrs old and up
$1/day

WALKIE TALKIES!!
New Adult Fitness group!!
Mon-Fri 9-10 a.m.
$1/day

QUESTIONS?
Call 432-685-7355
or
lwalters@midlandtexas.gov

Are You Receiving Guaranteed Investment Returns of 6-9%?



Sherwood Foster was a hardscrabble horseman and rancher in the Midland/Odessa and West Texas area during the depression. His wife Myrtie taught at a one-room schoolhouse for many years in the Midland/Odessa countryside. They possessed the character that defined West Texans.

Sherwood and Myrtie moved to Stephenville in the mid 1950's. Upon the urging of an Odessa church minister named J. Woodie Holden, Sherwood and Myrtie began a Children's Home in Stephenville that to this day, bears their name. It has been home to over 3,000 children in its 53 year history.

Though Sherwood and Myrtie have long passed, their legacy lives on. You have an opportunity to join in that legacy. As a 501(c)(3) charity, Foster's Home can offer significant tax advantages for Charitable Gift Annuities, as well as other tax-advantaged charitable gifts.

Here is a sampling of the current one-life charitable gift annuity rates, as set by the American Council on Gift Annuities.

Age 70	5.1%
Age 75	5.8%
Age 80	6.8%
Age 85	7.8%

Added to these attractive rates is the fact that you receive a substantial charitable gift deduction in the current year, as well as the fact that a good portion of your annuity check is tax-free as well. You win, and the children at Foster's Home win!

You can examine the gift options available to you at fostershome.giftlegacy.com. There is even a free wills planning guide on the site, enabling you to present all your needed information to your tax attorney, saving you time and expense.

If you want to pursue a win/win investment in the lives of hurting Texas children, call Glenn Newberry, President/CEO of Foster's Home for Children as well as Foster Home Foundation, at 254 968-2143, Ext. 235, or via email at glenn@fostershome.org.

ACCREDITED CHARITY BBB.org

Sherwood & Myrtie Foster's Home for Children
P.O. Box 978
Stephenville, TX 76401
254-968-2143

NM school bus blindfolding case prompts questions

Associated Press

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — The Albuquerque school board has voted to renew a contract with one of the companies that provide bus service for the school district, but one family is asking that steps be taken to better protect children.

Melissa Carrasco asked the board this week not to renew the contract with Herrera School Buses and Coaches. She said her two special needs children were mistreated by one of the company's bus drivers.

Carrasco asked the board to hold off on renewing the contract or to examine Herrera's hiring practices if they did renew it, the Albuquerque Journal reported.

The board decided Wednesday to approve the $4.7 million contract. Administrators cited Herrera's responsiveness to the complaints as a reason the company deserved the business of what is the state's largest public school district.

Herrera is one of 16 contractors that transport students for the school district.

A claim against the company alleges Carrasco's daughters were blindfolded because the driver didn't like to see them staring. A bus aide was also accused of hitting one of the girls' seats repeatedly.

A letter to the board from Herrera's lawyer, Jason Bowles, states that the driver and aide involved in that incident admitted to the allegations and have since been fired. The letter calls their actions "undoubtedly inappropriate and reprehensible."

Bowles also wrote that the company "does not tolerate abuse by any of its employees and works hard to ensure that the students are protected and well taken care of."

A letter to the board from the Carrascos' attorney, Mark Fine, outlined the family's case and included stories from two other families whose special needs students were allegedly mistreated by Herrera employees. He wrote that many children with special needs are unable to express themselves, making it hard to know how many incidents have gone unreported.

Angie Griego said her son saw a driver's genitals while the driver was urinating in a bucket on the bus.

Bowles said that driver, who was fired, was in his 80s and couldn't control his bladder.

Griego told the Journal that she feels drivers aren't adequately trained to work with special needs students.

NM school districts asked to pay back funding from error

Associated Press

SANTA FE, N.M. — School districts around New Mexico are now being asked to pay back money they received because of an accounting error.

The state Public Education Department acknowledged in May that the funding errors affected about 50 districts. At the time, the department said those that were overpaid would not have to return the money.

Education Secretary Hanna Skandera sent an email Wednesday to the Santa Fe school district and others that said state law required them to refund the money, the Santa Fe New Mexican reported.

Under the state's demands, Santa Fe would have to pay $230,000, or close to $20,000 a month over the course of a year.

Superintendent Joel Boyd said the district might propose paying it back over five years.

"If we can't trust (the department), it makes it very difficult to plan our budget," Boyd said. "And what assurance do we have that this issue will not occur again? The carelessness by which this error was created should bring about significant concern for anyone who cares about our public schools. A careless clerical error has cost millions of dollars across the state to different communities."

Magdalena Superintendent Mike Chambers discovered the error. He said the department shorted his district by about $40,430, which led to cuts in tutoring opportunities for children.

Rio Rancho Public Schools received about $970,000 in excess funding. Spokeswoman Kim Vesely said that's about 1 percent of the district's operational budget. The district initially believed it would not have to pay that money back, she added.

Deputy Education Secretary Paul Aguilar has said the error was because of an alphabetical listing problem.

PLATINUM BANK NOW OPEN

Platinum Bank is now open!
Come and help us celebrate becoming a part of the Permian Basin Area.

STOP BY AND [illegible]
3650 Billy Hext Road
Odessa, Texas 79765

PLATINUM BANK

Serving the Permian Basin
3650 Billy Hext Road • Odessa, Texas 79765 • (432)332-3299
www.platinumbanktexas.com

MEMBER FDIC

ON SALE THIS WEEK

AGUAS FRESCAS
Asst. Flavors & Sizes — Lg. Drink $2.50

Sweet Juicy Cantaloupe 99¢ Ea.

Juicy Seedless Grapes Red or Green 99¢ Lb.

Spicy Anaheim Peppers 99¢ Lb.

Snow White Cauliflower $1.99 Ea.

Greens Collard, Turnip, Curly Leaf, or Flat Leaf Mustard $1.29 Ea.

Green Onions 2 $1 FOR

Super Select Cucumbers 2 $1 FOR

Sliced Mushrooms 8 Oz. Cello Pack $1.99 Ea.

Kool Aid Jammers Select Varieties 10 Pk. $1.89

Coca-Cola 12 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans 3 $11 FOR

Natural Light, Keystone Light, Miller High Life 2 $9.98 FOR 6 Pk. 16 Oz. Cans

Pilgrim's Whole Chicken "Grade A" 99¢ Lb.

Pork Loin Quarter Loin Chops $1.88 Lb.

Sirloin Tip Steak Family Pack Preferred Trim Boneless Beef $2.99 Lb. Small Pack $3.29 Lb.

Charcoal Steaks Family Pack Preferred Trim $3.19 Lb. Small Pack $3.49 Lb.

Sirloin Tip Roast Preferred Trim Boneless Beef $3.19 Lb.

Thriftway or Shurfine White Bread Sandwich or Large Loaf, 24 Oz. 79¢

Blue Bell Ice Cream 1/2 Gal. 2 $9 FOR

Shurfine Milk Select Varieties Gal. 2 $5 FOR

General Mills Cereal Select Varieties 9-14 Oz. 2 $5 FOR

Kraft Chunk or Shredded Cheese Pre-Priced $2.99 Select Varieties, 8 Oz. 2 $4 FOR

Doritos® or Ruffles® Chips Reg. $4.29 Select Varieties, 10-12 Oz. 2 $5 FOR

Shurfine Ketchup Upright or Upside Down 99¢

Hunt's Barbecue Sauce Select Varieties, 21.6 Oz. 99¢

Crest Toothpaste Select Varieties 4.2-4.6 Oz. $1.97

Flora Bath Tissue Lavender or White 12 Rolls. 2 $7 FOR

DELI
PLEASE, 2 THOSE, 2 WINGS, 2 BREASTS
Charley Biggs Fried Chicken 8 PIECES $9.99

BAKERY
SAVE ON
Decorated Cakes 1/4 SHEET $17.99

Super Mercado
"AN INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR STORE"
2208 N. BIG SPRING • MIDLAND, TX • 685-2017
PHARMACY • 682-9501
Our Pharmacy Takes Most Insurance Cards
Prices Effective Sun., June 23 - Tue., June 25, 2013

We Accept Utility Payments!
• Phone
• Electric
• Gas

PASTA BAR

at the Shrimp Boat

Lunch Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Create Your Own Pasta! Featuring:

Meats:

Italian Sausage
Salami
Shrimp
Grilled Chicken

Veggies:

Black Olives
Mushrooms
Yellow & Green Squash
Red, Yellow & Green Bell Pepper
Fresh & Sundried Tomato
Artichoke Hearts
Broccoli
Red & White Onion

Spices:

Sweet Basil, Parsley, Lemon Pepper, Cajun, Rosemary, Sea Salt, Coarse Black Pepper, Minced Garlic, Crushed Red Pepper & Chef's Secret Spice

Pastas:

Bowtie
Angel Hair
Fettucini

Served with House Garlic Bread

Sauces:

Alfredo
Marinara
Scampi
Pink Sauce

All for only **$7.95**

Shrimp Boat Seafood

Eleganté

East Loop 338 & University • mcmelegante.com • 432-368-5885

We're giving away
365 FREE Room Nights
at the MCM Eleganté Hotel
in Dallas!

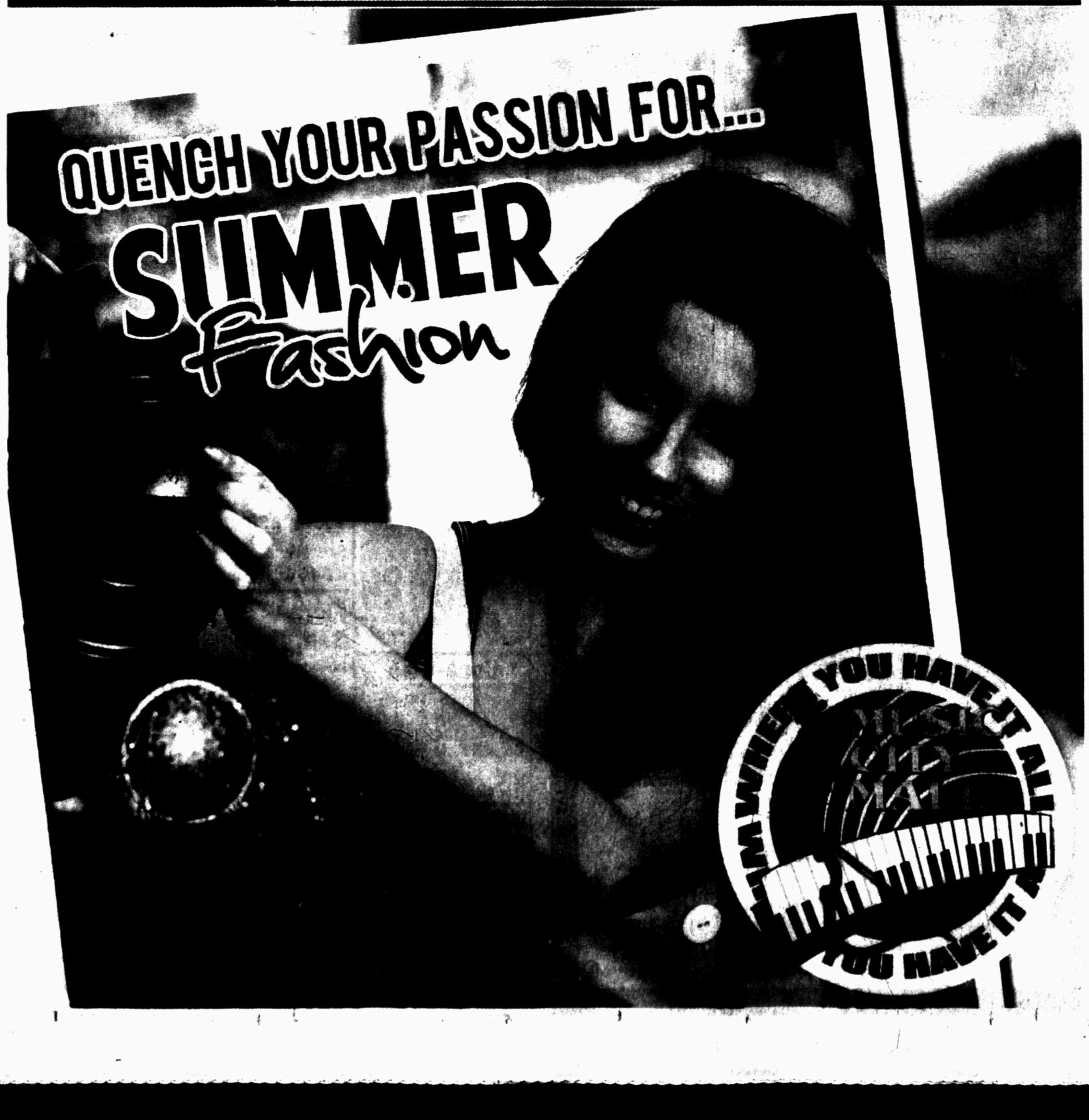
877-351-4477 • 214-351-4477
2330 W. Northwest Highway
Dallas, Texas 75220

Eleganté Hotel & Suites Dallas ★★★★

Log on to www.elegantehospitalityexperience.com for your chance to win.

First 100 people to register will receive a special offer. Your personal information will not be shared.

13" Simmons Beautyrest Individual Coil Pillow Top Mattresses
FREE Hot Breakfast with Eggs Cooked to Order
FREE Happy Hour
FREE Shuttle to/from DFW and Love Field
FREE Internet



SPORTS

Midland Reporter-Telegram | mywesttexas.com/sports | Sunday, June 23, 2013 | Section C

MRT DISTRICT 2-5A POINTS STANDINGS

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Midland High baseball head coach Barry Russell gives a high five to Lance White as he rounds the bases after hitting a home run in a bi-district playoff game May 3 at Kokernot Field in Alpine. MHS won the District 2-5A title this season and helped MHS place third in the Reporter-Telegram's points standings

Coronado wins points title; MHS finishes 3rd while Lee 6th

By Jonathan Hull
jhull@mrt.com

The high school sports season seems like a distant memory by now with athletes and coaches now trying to enjoy some time off before hitting their respective fields of competition once again.

Now is a time for reflection and, in particular, trying to figure out which athletic program in District 2-5A had the strongest showing across the board, starting with volleyball and football in the fall to a busy spring that concluded with baseball.

There was more competition for points this year with the addition of Lubbock Coronado and Amarillo Tascosa to the district fold, as well as San Angelo Central being included in football. Central had been a district mate with the Midland, Odessa and Abilene schools in every sport but football before this past school year.

Points system explanation

Before diving in head first to the points breakdown, here's how scores were determined.

The points system gives weight to the final district standings as teams earn points on a 10-8-6-4-2-1 basis from top to bottom. In other words, the team that finished first in a given sport received 10 points, second got eight, third got six and so on.

If two or more teams were tied for a spot in the district standings, then the total combined points for the seeds in the standings were combined then given out evenly. For example, Midland High, Abilene High and Abilene Cooper each tied for the district title in football in 2010. The points for first, second and third add up to 30 so each team was rewarded 10 points.

Teams are also given one point for each playoff win. Individuals earn a point for advancing to state and a second point was awarded to any individual who medaled at state.

But not being included in football didn't keep Central from winning the 3-5A points title a year ago. Considering the Bobcats made the playoffs in football this past season, it seems they have a solid chance at repeating.

But points were at a higher premium in the new nine-team 2-5A, making Central's bid to repeat difficult.

1. LUBBOCK CORONADO (101 POINTS)

Strengths: Coronado's dominance in girls team sports such as volleyball, girls basketball and softball made all the difference. The Lady Mustangs won district titles in all three of those sports, receiving 10 points for each of those championships. Not to mention the playoff runs each of those three squads made. The girls basketball team went to the Region I-5A finals, softball was a regional semifinalist and volleyball went three rounds deep. Coronado had 10 total playoff victories in all team sports combined, which is more than twice as many as any other 2-5A school. Coronado

Please see POINTS/4C

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

TOP: Lee's Kerstin Jones scoops up a ground ball during a game April 19 at Gene Smith Field. Softball was one of Lee's most successful sports this year. **BOTTOM:** The Lubbock Coronado softball team celebrates a home run from Quinn Fortner during a March 19 game at Gene Smith Field. Coronado won the MRT's District 2-5A points title.

Rangers dump Cardinals again

Rangers 4
Cardinals 2

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — After rookie Martin Perez silenced the St. Louis Cardinals, his manager was non-stop with praise.

"I've always seen the stuff, but tonight was the first time I think he showed he's a big-league pitcher," Ron Washington said after the Texas Rangers' 4-2 victory Saturday night. "It can be a huge step, he just beat a pretty good team.

"He should be proud. I know we are."

Nelson Cruz got the decisive hit for the second straight game with a two-run homer in the third inning for the Rangers, who have won four of five after losing six in a row.

Fellow rookie Shelby Miller (8-5) allowed two homers for the second time in three starts and didn't make it out of the sixth against the team the Cardinals beat in the 2011 World Series, Texas was making its first regular-season visit to Busch Stadium.

"I'm not saying that if I make a better pitch I get them out, but both pitches were right down the middle, perfect pitches to hit," Miller said. "The first one was supposed to be in and the other one was supposed to be away, and both kind of ended up right down the middle of the plate."

A.J. Pierzynski also hit a two-run homer for Texas, which goes for a three-game sweep on Sunday night with Nick Tepesch (3-6, 4.84) facing

Please see RANGERS/6C

Jeff Roberson/AP

Texas center fielder Leonys Martin slides and catches a ball hit by St. Louis' Carlos Beltran to end the fifth inning of a game Saturday in St. Louis.

Kirby-Jones leads Missions past RockHounds

Missions 3
RockHounds 0

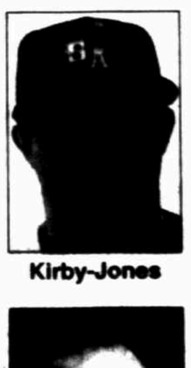
By Jordan Mason
jmason@mrt.com

As early as seven months ago, A.J. Kirby-Jones figured to be a Midland RockHound sooner than later.

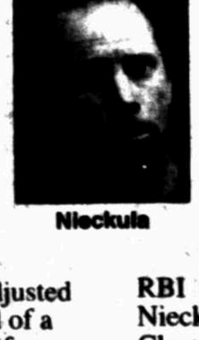
Instead, on Saturday, Kirby-Jones helped the San Antonio Missions end a two-game slide against the RockHounds as he drove in two runs in a 3-0 victory at Citibank Ballpark.

"(I've seen) a lot of familiar faces," Kirby-Jones said after the game. "At first, it took some getting used to, but I think I've adjusted now, and it's kind of a little competition for me, but it's real good fun."

The Oakland Athletics drafted Kirby-Jones, a designated hitter, in the ninth round of the 2010 draft out of Tennessee Technological University and traded him to the San Diego Padres last November as part of a four-player deal.



Kirby-Jones



Nieckula

Overlooked by his hometown Tennessee Volunteers, Tech was Kirby-Jones' only offer. There he went on to play with current RockHound Chad Oberacker, who he also played with in High-A Stockton last year.

But Saturday, Kirby-Jones was on the opposite side of Oberacker and former manager Aaron Nieckula, as he went 2 for 3 with a double and two RBI as he showed what Nieckula saw in him in Class-A Burlington.

"He was a heavy hitter for us in 2011," said Nieckula, now the RockHounds' manager. "(He) sustained an injury but came back and did a nice job for us both offensively and defensively."

Already up 1-0 on Saturday, Kirby-Jones sent his first RBI single back up the middle to score Jake Blackwood, who had an RBI in the first, for a 2-0 lead. Moments later, Kirby-Jones stole his first base of the season but was, ultimately, left there when Carlos Hernandez fanned Eddy Rodriguez to end the inning.

But it was Kirby-Jones who eventually chased Hernandez in the seventh when he ripped an RBI double to left to put the Missions up 3-0.

Hernandez pitched well Saturday, allowing three runs on seven hits in six innings, but Midland was never able to figure out

Please see HOUNDS/2C

Page 2

Sunday Morning Line

LEN HAYWARD
lhayward@mrt.com

This and that as the NBA proves once again that star power can trump a team:

■ The Reporter-Telegram Sports Department's annual look at how district teams fared produced some interesting, but not surprising results.

For anyone who covered the district the past year, Lubbock Coronado's program is strong in a bunch of sports, but it's sometimes downplayed because of the lack of success from the football team. Coronado is solid in a number of individual sports, and that's what helped them score big points in the final tally.

San Angelo Central is similar in that they have success in individual sports, and it's almost icing on the cake when team sports are winning.

What it also revealed was how tough a year it was for Midland ISD schools. There was some success mixed in, but Midland High's only team postseason successes came in baseball and softball, while Lee didn't have any team postseason success at all. Midland High finished tied for third, but MHS has won this title before.

We'll know next year whether this year was just a down year, or the start of a trend.

■ Texas Football hit the newsstands on Friday, and I'm sure there will be plenty of motivational fodder for local teams, especially Lee and Midland High. Both squads were picked not to make the playoffs, and I'm already preparing for the inevitable quotes that come with what's in the magazine.

And kudos to Midland High coach Craig Yenzer for being named the "Top Coach" in the Permian Basin.

■ If you get a chance check out Jonathan Hull's blog as he works his way through a local professional wrestling school. Jonathan knows plenty about professional wrestling and this is something he's been looking forward to for a long time.

He is planning on doing it at least through the first half of July, so go to mywesttexas.com to check out his exploits in the ring.

■ The Miami Heat's victory over the San Antonio Spurs this weekend in what was a classic NBA Finals will be about LeBron James. No matter how you cut it, most will look at it as LeBron winning and the Heat just riding along.

Let's face it, if it wasn't for James being such a beast in Games 6 and 7, the Spurs might have been celebrating a fifth title.

But what Thursday night's victory was for the Heat also could be a swan song for the Spurs. San Antonio is getting older, and they've done a good job of replacing parts when needed, but when Duncan finally retires it's going to be tough to replace him. And Parker is also long in the tooth, and could be in his final years.

The NBA got a highly-rated series, and there will be plenty to talk about as it involved LeBron James.

■ This week will bring the All-Star break for the Midland RockHounds and the Texas League, and it will come at the right time for the team. It was certainly an up and down first half for the Midland squad, but there were plenty of changes as well which is typical of a team at this level.

Midland, though, still has a shot at the postseason because of the second half, but it's going to be tough.

■ And finally, Happy Birthday to Avery this week. I hope you have a great 7th birthday on Wednesday, and remember I love you.

Follow Len on Twitter: @Len_Hayward_MRT

On the air

WHAT'S ON TV TODAY

ATHLETICS

Track & Field, U.S. Outdoor Championships, 3 p.m., NBC

AUTO RACING

24 Hours of Le Mans, end of race, 5 a.m., Speed

IRL, Iowa Corn Indy250, 1:30 p.m., ABC

NASCAR, Sprint Cup, Toyota/Save Mart 350, 2 p.m., TNT

NHRA, New England Nationals (same-day tape), 6 p.m., ESPN2

EXTREME SPORTS

Dew Tour, at Ocean City, Md., 1 p.m., NBC

GOLF

European PGA Tour, BMW International Open, final round (same-day tape), 7:30 a.m., TGC

PGA Tour, Travelers Championship, final round, Noon, TGC

PGA Tour, Travelers Championship, final round, 2 p.m., CBS

Champions Tour, Encompass Championship, final round, 2 p.m., TGC

LPGA, NW Arkansas Championship, final round, 4 p.m., TGC

PGA of America, PGA Professional National Championship, first round, 6:30 p.m., TGC

MLB

Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 1 p.m., TBS

Chicago White Sox at Kansas City, 1 p.m., WGN

Texas at St. Louis, 7 p.m., ESPN

SOCCER

Confederations Cup, Group B, Nigeria vs. Spain, 1:30 p.m., ESPN

Confederations Cup, Group B, Uruguay vs. Tahiti, 1:30 p.m., ESPN2

MLS, New York at Philadelphia, 4 p.m., ESPN

MLS, Colorado at Portland, 6 p.m., NBC Sports Network

HOUNDS

From 1C

San Antonio starter Josh Geer — a former major leaguer who was Texas League Pitcher of the Year in 2007 — or the Missions bullpen. Geer allowed just four hits while striking out six and walking one in 5 1/3 shutout innings.

"(We) played a hell of a game defensively, I thought Carlos threw the ball pretty well, bullpen came in and did a nice job," Nieckula said, " (we) just couldn't push runs across tonight."

And as strange as the experience was for Kirby-Jones, he said it was weirdly satisfying to play a strong role in a victory against the team he was so close to joining.

Texas League

First half

North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas	3	2	.600	—
NW Arkansas	3	2	.600	—
Springfield	3	2	.600	—
x-Tulsa	1	4	.200	2

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Frisco	3	1	.750	—
Midland	3	2	.600	1/2
San Antonio	2	3	.400	1 1/2
x-Corpus Christi	1	3	.250	2

x-clinched first half

Saturday's Scores

Arkansas 5, Springfield 4

San Antonio 3, Midland 0

Northwest Arkansas 3, Tulsa 1

Corpus Christi at Frisco, 8:05 p.m.

Today's Games

Northwest Arkansas at Tulsa, 2:05 p.m.

Arkansas at Springfield, 2:05 p.m.

San Antonio at Midland, 4 p.m.

Corpus Christi at Frisco, 4:05 p.m.

"It's special," Kirby-Jones said. "You never know where you're going to end up being, but there was a possibility of me being here, so it's kind of bittersweet.

"I'm just glad to get the opportunity even with another team and be at this level."

Follow Jordan on Twitter: @JordanMasonMRT

'HOUND BITES: Midland outfielder D'Arby Myers was added to the Texas League All-Start Game as a member of the South team on Saturday. Myers, the fifth RockHound named to the team, will replace Corpus Christi outfielder Domingo Santana, who was injured Friday night. … Darwin Perez had an incredible defensive play to rob Yeison Asencio of a leadoff hit in the top of the eighth. Asencio hit one sharply to the right of the mound that bounced one time before Perez came sliding in to field the ball in the grass behind second. Then, in one motion, Perez got up, turned and whipped the ball to first for the out. … Conner Crumbliss continued his tear against the Missions on Saturday, hitting his fifth double of the series to lead off the sixth. Crumbliss was 2 for 4 on the night.

MISSIONS 3, ROCKHOUNDS 0

San Antonio	ab	r	h	bi	Midland	ab	r	h	bi
Noel cf	4	0	1	0	Crumbliss 2b	4	0	2	0
Valdez ss	4	1	1	0	Myers rf	4	0	0	0
Asencio rf	4	0	0	0	Aliotti 1b	3	0	0	0
Limonta 1b	3	0	0	0	Goebbert lf	3	0	1	0
Blackwood 3b	4	1	2	1	Catricala dh	4	0	1	0
Williams lf	4	1	1	0	Oberacker cf	4	0	0	0
Kirby-Jones dh	3	0	2	2	Coleman 3b	3	0	2	0
Spngnbrg pr-dh	1	0	0	0	Freitas c	4	0	0	0
Rodriguez c	3	0	1	0	Perez ss	3	0	0	0
Buschini 2b	3	0	0	0					
Totals	33	3	8	3	Totals	32	0	6	1

San Antonio .... 100 100 100—3
Midland .... 000 000 000—0

DP — San Antonio 1, Midland 1. LOB — San Antonio 6, Midland 8. 2B — Blackwood (19), Kirby-Jones (9), Crumbliss (13). SB — Kirby-Jones (1). CS — Buschini (4).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
San Antonio						
Geer W, 4-3	5.1	4	0	0	1	6
Ibarra	0.2	0	0	0	0	0
McBryde	1.0	0	0	0	1	0
Rearick	1.0	1	0	0	1	1
Stites S, 5	1.0	1	0	0	0	0
Midland						
Hernandez L, 3-7	6.0	7	3	3	2	2
Hunter	1.0	1	0	0	0	0
Viola 1 2	0	0	0	1	1	
Fisher	0.1	0	0	0	0	1

T — 2:52. A — 6,126.

Smith scores twice as Sockers FC routs El Paso

From staff reports

EL PASO — Sockers FC forward Len Smith scored a pair of goals and the Sockers won 8-0 in a wild match against El Paso on Saturday night at the Socorro Student Activities Complex.

The victory improved Sockers FC to 3-4-1 this season with 10 points, while El Paso fell to 1-7-1 with four points.

Sockers FC built a 2-0 lead in the first 30 minutes as David Gonzales scored in the 13th minute and Smith added another goal in the 27th minute.

Shortly after the second goal, the two teams had a brief scuffle as a pair of red cards were given to the Patriots and a yellow card to one of the Sockers players. With El Paso down to nine players, the Sockers took advantage in the second half to score six goals for the blowout.

Ben Clarvis, Smith, Joe Munoz, Tyler Smith, Vitalis Atemafac and Ricardo Chinchilla each tallied goals during the final 45 minutes. James Duvcevski, Tyler Smith and Gonzales all had assists in the second half.

Nick Petolick and Robin Allard combined on the shutout in goal as Petolick played the majority of the game.

Sockers FC will take on Laredo at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Grande Communications Stadium.

FC Dallas stuns Sporting KC at end to grab tie

Associated Press

FC Dallas	2
Sporting KC	2

FRISCO — Andrew Jacobson and Walker Zimmerman scored in the final two minutes of regulation to lift FC Dallas into 2-2 tie with Sporting Kansas City on Saturday night.

Jacobson scored in the 88th minute and Zimmerman followed with his first career MLS goal in the 90th to cap the stunning comeback for Dallas (8-3-5), which remains unbeaten at home this season at 7-0-2.

"We've had a great run at home here this year and it was something we stressed before the game, to keep that going," said the 25-year-old Zimmerman, who was making just his fourth MLS appearance. "We wanted three points, but obviously we showed a lot of character by coming back from 2-0. It was really special to be part of that comeback and to get a point in that situation."

Dallas remains atop the Western Conference standings, despite winning just once in its last five matches (1-2-2).

After Kei Kamara's penalty kick goal in the 43rd minute and an own goal in the 58th, Kansas City (6-5-5) seemed to be in good shape, even after going down to 10 men following C.J. Sapong's ejection in the 68th minute.

"I thought we were managing the game really well, and at that point, obviously, we got the red card and they were throwing a lot of numbers forward," Kansas City coach Peter Vermes said. "It's disappointing from the perspective that we put a lot of work into the game and I thought we had control of it."

KC goalkeeper Jimmy Nielsen made four saves and appeared ready to earn his eighth shutout of the year.

"I think we had a good performance, for 88 minutes we did a very good job," Nielsen said. "The last few minutes of the game, they put a lot of pressure on us, dumping balls into the box and anything can happen. Unfortunately, it went their way in the end."

Dallas nearly won it in stoppage time, but Kenny Cooper's 20-yard blast curled just wide of the right post.

"They get a PK, an own goal and where a lot of teams might have folded and disappeared, I thought we kept fighting," Dallas coach Schellas Hyndman said. "We were fortunate to pick up a red card and then our guys just went after them and really showed a lot of character. The players showed a lot of desire and determination to come back and score two late goals."

The comeback was started by Ramon Nunez, who entered the game in the 74th minute and was making just his second appearance of the season. Jacobson's header off Nunez's delivery from 15 yards out beat Nielsen over the shoulder, landing in the upper right corner for his third goal of the season.

"I knew there was a lot of bodies in the box and someone had to get on the end of it," said Nunez, who had logged just five minutes of action before Saturday's game. "AJ was winning everything all night long and luckily, he got the goal to help us push on."

Dallas kept pressing, and after David Ferreira's free kick from near the right sideline sailed into the penalty area, Zimmerman headed it off Nielsen's hand and in.

"I really had a clear path straight to the ball," Zimmerman said. "A great ball put in by David and I just got my head on it and attacked it."

MLSROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

TORONTO FC 0
DYNAMO 0

HOUSTON — Joe Bendik stopped four shots for Toronto FC and Tally Hall made three saves for Houston in the scoreless draw.

Houston (6-5-5) is winless in six games, while Toronto FC (2-7-6) extended its unbeaten streak to three games.

FIRE 2, CREW 1

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Mike Magee had the winning goal and Joel Lindpere had two assists to help the Chicago Fire rally in the second half for a 2-1 victory over the Columbus Crew on Saturday night.

Lindpere found former Crew midfielder Dilly Duka at the far post for a right-footed stab that tied the game 1-1 in the 52nd minute.

D.C. UNITED 1
EARTHQUAKES 0

WASHINGTON — Chris Pontius converted a minute penalty kick in the 11th minute and D.C. United (2-11-3) snapped a 13-game winless streak with its first victory since March 9.

San Jose (4-7-6) was shut out for the third time in four games and has failed to score in each of its seven losses this season.

CONFEDCUPROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

MEXICO 2
JAPAN 1

BELO HORIZONTE, Brazil — Javier Hernandez sent Mexico home from the Confederations Cup on a high, heading in twice to clinch a 2-1 victory over Japan in their final Group A match.

The Manchester United striker met Andres Guardado's cross in the 54th minute and headed in again in the 66th from Giovani Dos Santos' corner.

After Shinji Okazaki pulled one back for Japan in the 86th, Hernandez won a penalty but his weak effort was saved and he then sent the follow-up against the crossbar.

The misses denied Hernandez the chance to take sole control of third spot on Mexico's all-time scoring leaderboard with Luis Hernandez.

Both Mexico and Japan were playing for pride, having been eliminated from the Confederations Cup by losing their first two matches at the 2014 World Cup test event.

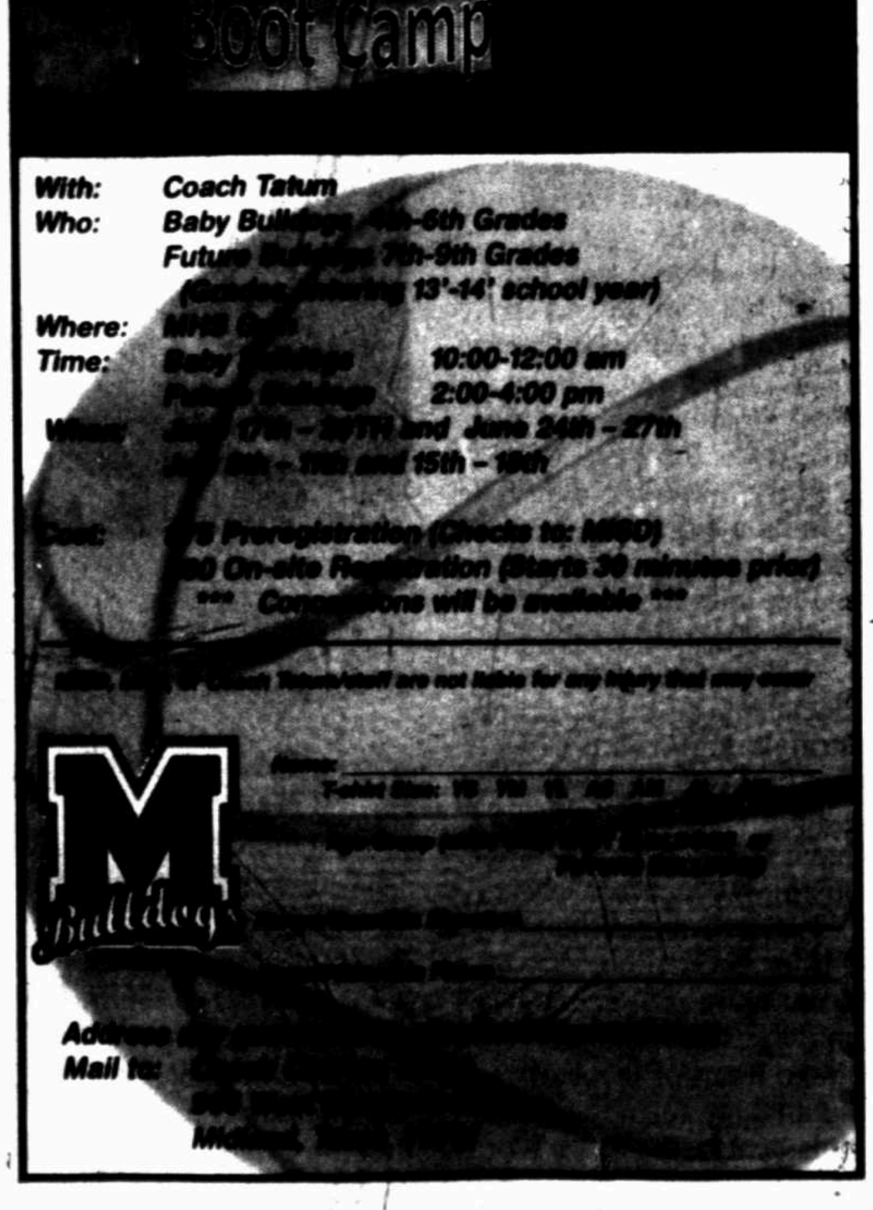
BRAZIL 4
ITALY 2

SALVADOR — Neymar scored his third goal in three matches and Fred added two others as Brazil defeated Italy 4-2 to finish top of Group A of the Confederations Cup on Saturday.

Substitute defender Dante opened the scoring from close range in first-half injury time, but Italy tied it with Emanuele Giaccherini's goal in a breakaway in the 51st.

Neymar scored in the 55th with a well-placed free kick shot into the top corner of the net as Italy goalkeeper Gianluigi Buffon could only watch, and Fred added to the lead from inside the area in the 66th before Italy pulled closer again with Giorgio Chiellini in the 71st.

Italy almost equalized when an 80th-minute header by Christian Maggio hit off the crossbar, but Fred sealed the victory in the 89th.



Blackhawks move within 1 win of Stanley Cup title

By Jay Cohen
Associated Press

Blackhawks	3
Bruins	1

Chicago leads series, 3-2.

CHICAGO — Patrick Kane and the Chicago Blackhawks have that look again, and another Stanley Cup is within reach.

Kane scored two goals, Corey Crawford made 24 saves and the Blackhawks beat the Boston Bruins 3-1 on Saturday night to take a 3-2 lead in the finals.

Kane had a terrific postseason when Chicago won it all in 2010, including the winning score in a 4-3 overtime victory in Philadelphia that secured the title. Now he's picking up steam with Chicago one win away from another championship, collecting seven goals in the last seven games

Dave Bolland added an empty-net score and Jonathan Toews had two assists before leaving with an upper-body injury. The captain took a big hit from Johnny Boychuk late in the second and did not play in the final period.

The Bruins also lost one of their key players when Patrice Bergeron was injured in the second. It was unclear what happened to the star center, but the team said he was taken to a hospital for observation.

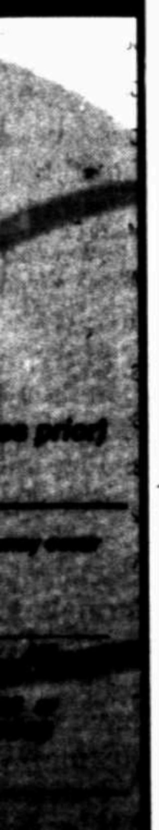
"Getting evaluated right now," coach Claude Julien said. "Not much I can say."

Toews was on the bench for the last part of the game, and coach Joel Quenneville said he hopes the center will be able to play Monday night in Boston.

Zdeno Chara scored in the third period for the Bruins, who lost consecutive games for the first time since the first round against Toronto. Tuukka Rask made 29 saves, keeping the Bruins close while they scrambled to generate quality chances.

Chara got a nice pass from David Krejci from behind the net and beat Crawford on the glove side to make it 2-1 at 3:40 in the third period. The whistling slap shot by the big defenseman came after he was on the ice for five of Chicago's goals in the Blackhawks' 6-5 overtime victory Wednesday night.

The location of Chara's third postseason goal brought to mind the glove-side difficulties for Crawford in Game 4. But he held up just fine coming off the worst postseason game of his career.



SPORTSSCOREBOARD

Stanley Cup Finals

(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
Chicago 3, Boston 2

Wednesday, June 12: Chicago 4, Boston 3, 3OT
Saturday, June 15: Boston 2, Chicago 1, OT
Monday, June 17: Boston 2, Chicago 0
Wednesday: Chicago 6, Boston 5, OT
Saturday: Chicago 3, Boston 1
Monday: Chicago at Boston, 7 p.m.
x-Wednesday: Boston at Chicago, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY'S SUMMARY
BLACKHAWKS 3, BRUINS 1

Boston	0	0	1	— 1
Chicago	1	1	1	— 3

First Period—1, Chicago, Kane 8 (Oduya, Toews), 17:27.
Second Period—2, Chicago, Kane 9 (Bickell, Toews), 5:13.
Third Period—3, Boston, Chara 3 (Krejci, Lucic), 3:40. 4, Chicago, Bolland 2 (Frolik), 19:46 (en).
Shots on Goal—Boston 11-5-9—25. Chicago 8-11-13—32.
Goalies—Boston, Rask. Chicago, Crawford. A—22,274 (19,717). T—2:30.

College Baseball

NCAA College World Series Glance
At TD Ameritrade Park Omaha
Omaha, Neb.
Double Elimination
x-if necessary

Saturday, June 15
Mississippi State 5, Oregon State 4
Indiana 2, Louisville 0
Sunday, June 16
N.C. State 8, North Carolina 1
UCLA 2, LSU 1
Monday, June 17
Oregon State 11, Louisville 4, Louisville eliminated
Mississippi State 5, Indiana 4
Tuesday, June 18
North Carolina 4, LSU 2, LSU eliminated
UCLA 2, N.C. State 1
Wednesday, June 19
Oregon State 1, Indiana 0, Indiana eliminated
Thursday, June 20
North Carolina 7, N.C. State 0, N.C. State eliminated
Friday, June 21
Mississippi State 4, Oregon State 1, OSU eliminated
UCLA 4, North Carolina 1, UNC eliminated

Championship Series
(Best-of-3)
Monday: Mississippi State (51-18) vs. UCLA (47-17), 7 p.m.
Tuesday: Mississippi State vs. UCLA, 7 p.m.
x-Wednesday: Mississippi State vs. UCLA, 7 p.m.

Fight Schedule

June 28
At Dubai, United Arab Emirates, Xiong Zhao Zhong vs. Denver Cuello, 12, for Zhong's WBC strawweight title; Sofiane Sebihi vs. Sunday King Hammer, 10, cruiserweights.
At the Civic Center, Kissimmee, Fla., Joan Guzman vs. Vicente Mosquera, 12, for the interim WBA World light welterweight titles.
At Veteran's Memorial Arena, Jacksonville, Fla. (ESPN2), Gregorza Proska vs. Sergio Mora, 10, middleweights; Patrick Teixeira vs. Marcus Willis, 10, junior middleweights.
June 29
At The MGM Grand at Foxwoods Resort, Mashantucket, Conn. (HBO), Gennady Golovkin vs. Matthew Macklin, 12, for Golovkin's IBO and WBA World middleweight titles; Thomas Oosthuizen vs. Brandon Gonzales, 12, super middleweights; Willie Nelson vs. Luciano Leonel Cuello, 10, light middleweights.
July 5
At Connecticut Convention Center, Hartford (ESPN2), Eleider Alvarez vs. Allan Green, 10 rounds, light heavyweights; Billy Dib vs. Mike Oliver, 10 rounds, featherweights.
July 12
At Texas Station Casino, Las Vegas (ESPN2), Chris Avalos vs. Drian Francisco, 10, junior featherweights; Glen Tapia vs. Abie Han, 10, junior middleweights.

GOLF

PGA

Travelers Championship Scores
Saturday
At TPC River Highlands
Cromwell, Conn.
Purse: $6.1 million
Yardage: 6,854; Par: 70
Third Round

Graham DeLaet	65-70-65 — 200
Charley Hoffman	61-73-66 — 200
Bubba Watson	63-67-70 — 200
Chris Stroud	66-69-66 — 201
Nick O'Hern	67-66-68 — 201
Ken Duke	69-68-65 — 202
Richard H. Lee	66-71-66 — 203
Nicholas Thompson	71-66-66 — 203
Jim Herman	69-67-67 — 203
J.J. Henry	68-67-68 — 203
Justin Rose	67-68-68 — 203
Hunter Mahan	62-71-70 — 203
Tommy Gainey	66-67-70 — 203
Justin Thomas	72-66-66 — 204
Ryan Moore	68-70-66 — 204
Marc Leishman	66-70-68 — 204
Padraig Harrington	66-66-72 — 204
Tag Ridings	68-65-71 — 204
Jeff Maggert	70-70-65 — 205
Brian Davis	72-67-66 — 205
Morgan Hoffmann	68-71-66 — 205
Russell Knox	69-67-69 — 205
Stuart Appleby	69-67-69 — 205
Patrick Reed	66-66-73 — 205
Tim Clark	73-67-66 — 206
Andres Romero	71-68-67 — 206
Ian Poulter	73-66-67 — 206
Jerry Kelly	67-68-71 — 206
Ricky Barnes	67-68-71 — 206
Keegan Bradley	69-65-72 — 206
Webb Simpson	65-69-72 — 206
Kevin Sutherland	69-70-68 — 207
D.J. Trahan	71-68-68 — 207
Vijay Singh	70-68-69 — 207
Chris Kirk	66-72-69 — 207
Brian Harman	69-69-69 — 207
Robert Streb	67-70-70 — 207
John Merrick	65-71-71 — 207
Greg Owen	70-69-69 — 208
Harris English	72-67-69 — 208
Chris Williams	71-68-69 — 208
K.J. Choi	70-68-70 — 208
Aaron Watkins	69-69-70 — 208
Brian Gay	68-69-71 — 208
Casey Wittenberg	68-69-71 — 208
Seung-Yul Noh	68-68-72 — 208
Brendan Steele	68-68-72 — 208
Kevin Stadler	68-67-73 — 208
William McGirt	67-68-73 — 208
Lee Westwood	67-73-69 — 209
Brad Fritsch	70-69-70 — 209
Freddie Jacobson	69-70-70 — 209
Tim Petrovic	69-70-70 — 209
Chad Campbell	**70-69-70 — 209**
Tom Gillis	69-69-71 — 209
Erik Compton	72-66-71 — 209
Bo Van Pelt	67-70-72 — 209
Brendon de Jonge	67-67-75 — 209
Gary Christian	71-69-70 — 210
Rickie Fowler	72-68-70 — 210
D.H. Lee	72-68-70 — 210
Chez Reavie	71-69-70 — 210
Heath Slocum	71-69-70 — 210
Rod Pampling	65-74-71 — 210
Cameron Percy	71-68-71 — 210
Angel Cabrera	67-72-71 — 210
Mark Wilson	70-69-71 — 210
David Branshaw	67-71-72 — 210
Dicky Pride	67-71-72 — 210
David Mathis	67-71-72 — 210
Bryce Molder	67-70-73 — 210
Jonas Blixt	70-67-73 — 210
Camilo Villegas	65-70-75 — 210
Zach Johnson	65-70-75 — 210

LPGA

NW Arkansas Championship Scores
Saturday
At Pinnacle Country Club
Rogers, Ark.
Purse: $2 million
Yardage: 6,344; Par 71
Second Round
a-denotes amateur

Chie Arimura	67-65 — 132
Stacy Lewis	67-65 — 132
Beatriz Recari	67-65 — 132
So Yeon Ryu	66-66 — 132
I.K. Kim	70-64 — 134
Inbee Park	69-65 — 134
Pornanong Phatlum	69-65 — 134
Ji Young Oh	68-66 — 134
Lydia Ko	69-66 — 135
Mika Miyazato	65-70 — 135
Juli Inkster	71-65 — 136
Moriya Jutanugarn	69-67 — 136
Brooke Pancake	69-67 — 136
Paula Creamer	68-68 — 136
Christel Boeljon	67-69 — 136
Mina Harigae	67-69 — 136
Sarah Kemp	67-69 — 136
Ai Miyazato	73-64 — 137
Brittany Lang	70-67 — 137
Morgan Pressel	68-69 — 137
Yani Tseng	68-69 — 137
Suzann Pettersen	67-70 — 137
Angela Stanford	66-71 — 137
Haeji Kang	72-66 — 138
Shanshan Feng	71-67 — 138
Sara-Maude Juneau	71-67 — 138
Alison Walshe	71-67 — 138
Karine Icher	70-68 — 138
Cindy LaCrosse	70-68 — 138
Amy Yang	70-68 — 138
Nicole Castrale	68-70 — 138
Lisa McCloskey	67-71 — 138
Anna Nordqvist	72-67 — 139
Meena Lee	71-68 — 139
Candie Kung	70-69 — 139
Jennifer Song	69-70 — 139
Natalie Gulbis	68-71 — 139
Jiyai Shin	68-71 — 139
Azahara Munoz	67-72 — 139
Caroline Hedwall	72-68 — 140
Jane Park	71-69 — 140
Lizette Salas	71-69 — 140
Jenny Shin	71-69 — 140
Karen Stupples	69-71 — 140
Jennifer Johnson	68-72 — 140

Web.com

Rex Hospital Scores
Saturday
At TPC Wakefield Plantation
Raleigh, N.C.
Purse: $625,000
Yardage: 7,257; Par: 71
Third Round

Danny Lee	67-66-63 — 196
Andrew D. Putnam	62-72-66 — 200
Edward Loar	68-65-67 — 200
Michael Putnam	68-68-65 — 201
Chesson Hadley	63-69-69 — 201
Josh Broadaway	69-68-65 — 202
Ben Martin	71-67-65 — 203
Guy Boros	66-72-65 — 203
Tom Hoge	72-65-66 — 203
Ryan Spears	67-68-68 — 203
Garth Mulroy	68-69-67 — 204
Len Mattiace	71-65-68 — 204
Cameron Beckman	65-71-68 — 204
Scott Dunlap	69-65-70 — 204
Randall Hutchison	65-74-66 — 205
Kevin Kim	70-70-66 — 206
Tim Kunick	68-71-67 — 206
Steven Alker	69-68-69 — 206
Jamie Lovemark	66-71-69 — 206
Patrick Sheehan	70-67-69 — 206
Jim Renner	69-68-69 — 206
Paul Stankowski	68-69-69 — 206
Will MacKenzie	68-69-69 — 206
Lee Janzen	65-70-71 — 206
Kyle Reifers	69-66-71 — 206
Matt Davidson	68-72-67 — 207
Scott Parel	67-70-70 — 207
Cam Burke	66-71-70 — 207
Brett Stegmaier	68-69-70 — 207
Kent Jones	65-71-71 — 207
Peter Malnati	70-70-68 — 208
Bubba Dickerson	71-69-68 — 208
Aron Price	73-67-68 — 208
Bhavik Patel	70-70-68 — 208
J.J. Killeen	69-70-69 — 208
Mark Anderson	69-70-69 — 208
B.J. Staten	70-68-70 — 208
Hunter Haas	68-70-70 — 208
Tyrone Van Aswegen	66-71-71 — 208
Nick Rousey	66-70-72 — 208
Mathew Goggin	67-68-73 — 208

Champions Tour

Encompass Championship Scores
Saturday
At North Shore Country Club
Glenview, Ill.
Purse: $1.8 million
Yardage: 7,103; Par 72 (36-36)
Second Round

Craig Stadler	67-65 — 132
Bob Tway	69-65 — 134
Jeff Sluman	68-66 — 134
David Frost	68-67 — 135
Steve Pate	70-66 — 136
Mark Calcavecchia	67-69 — 136
Tom Lehman	70-66 — 136
Bernhard Langer	67-69 — 136
Bart Bryant	69-68 — 137
Chien Soon Lu	69-68 — 137
Mark O'Meara	70-67 — 137
Mike Goodes	69-69 — 138
Tom Pernice Jr.	70-68 — 138
Peter Senior	70-68 — 138
Kenny Perry	69-69 — 138
Fred Couples	70-68 — 138
John Riegger	70-68 — 138
Corey Pavin	69-69 — 138
Rod Spittle	71-67 — 138
Duffy Waldorf	67-72 — 139
Jeff Hart	68-71 — 139
Jay Haas	71-68 — 139
Gary Hallberg	68-72 — 140
Hal Sutton	69-71 — 140
Esteban Toledo	67-73 — 140
Tom Purtzer	71-69 — 140
Russ Cochran	70-71 — 141
Scott Simpson	70-71 — 141

European

BMW International Open Leading Scores
Saturday
At Munich Eichenried Golf Club
Munich
Purse: $2.67 million
Yardage: 7,157; Par: 72
Third Round

Ernie Els, South Africa	63-69-69 — 201
Alexander Levy, France	65-68-68 — 201
Alex Noren, Sweden	64-71-66 — 201
Matthew Baldwin, England	64-69-69 — 202
Thomas Bjorn, Denmark	68-69-65 — 202
Peter Uihlein, United States	70-66-67 — 203
Danny Willett, England	69-65-70 — 204
Marcel Siem, Germany	67-68-69 — 204
Martin Kaymer, Germany	64-71-69 — 204
Brandon Stone, South Africa	66-71-67 — 204
Joost Luiten, Netherlands	69-68-67 — 204
Darren Fichardt, South Africa	70-66-69 — 205
Bernd Wiesberger, Austria	66-68-71 — 205
Sergio Garcia, Spain	71-69-65 — 205
Robert-Jan Drksn, Netherlands	64-72-70 — 206
Ross Fisher, England	68-69-69 — 206
Matthew Nixon, England	65-71-70 — 206
John Parry, England	67-72-67 — 206
Paul Waring, England	66-73-67 — 206

USGA

Women's Amateur Public Links Results
Saturday
At Jimmie Austin OU Golf Club
Norman, Okla.
Yardage: 6,351; Par: 72
Championship (36 holes)

Lauren Diaz-Yi, Thousand Oaks, Calif. (148) def. Doris Chen, Bradenton, Fla. (136), 10 and 9.

AUTO RACING

NASCAR

Sprint Cup
Toyota/Save Mart 350 Lineup
After Saturday qualifying; race today
At Sonoma Raceway
Sonoma, Calif.
Lap length: 1.99 miles
(Car number in parentheses)

1. (1) Jamie McMurray, Chevrolet, 94.986 mph.
2. (9) Marcos Ambrose, Ford, 94.924.
3. (99) Carl Edwards, Ford, 94.779.
4. (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 94.772.
5. (15) Clint Bowyer, Toyota, 94.737.
6. (20) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 94.623.
7. (78) Kurt Busch, Chevrolet, 94.574.
8. (22) Joey Logano, Ford, 94.527.
9. (18) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 94.346.
10. (24) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 94.334.
11. (14) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 94.251.
12. (29) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 94.215.
13. (42) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 94.215.
14. (56) Martin Truex Jr., Toyota, 94.016.
15. (5) Kasey Kahne, Chevrolet, 93.768.
16. (27) Paul Menard, Chevrolet, 93.691.
17. (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 93.69.
18. (2) Brad Keselowski, Ford, 93.684.
19. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 93.683.
20. (47) Bobby Labonte, Toyota, 93.668.
21. (13) Casey Mears, Ford, 93.58.
22. (51) Jacques Villeneuve, Chevrolet, 93.554.
23. (34) David Ragan, Ford, 93.535.
24. (32) Boris Said, Ford, 93.474.
25. (33) Ron Fellows, Chevrolet, 93.464.
26. (88) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 93.42.
27. (31) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 93.301.
28. (30) David Stremme, Toyota, 93.258.
29. (38) David Gilliland, Ford, 93.246.
30. (39) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 93.187.
31. (10) Danica Patrick, Chevrolet, 93.133.
32. (43) Aric Almirola, Ford, 93.038.
33. (93) Travis Kvapil, Toyota, 92.835.
34. (55) Jason Bowles, Toyota, 92.769.
35. (35) Josh Wise, Ford, 92.75.
36. (7) Justin Marks, Chevrolet, 92.606.
37. (17) Ricky Stenhouse Jr., Ford, owner points.
38. (83) David Reutimann, Toyota, owner points.
39. (19) Alex Kennedy, Toyota, owner points.
40. (52) Paulie Harraka, Ford, owner points.
41. (87) Tomy Drissi, Toyota, owner points.
42. (36) Victor Gonzalez Jr., Chevrolet, owner points.
43. (37) J.J. Yeley, Chevrolet, 89.39.

Nationwide
Johnsonville Sausage 200 Results
Saturday
At Road America
Elkhart Lake, Wis.
Lap length: 4.048 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

1. (1) A J Allmendinger, Ford, 55 laps, 150 rating, 0 points, $59,325.
2. (4) Justin Allgaier, Chevrolet, 55, 103.2, 43, $43,225.
3. (3) Parker Kligerman, Toyota, 55, 89.1, 42, $33,925.
4. (2) Owen Kelly, Toyota, 55, 126.6, 41, $28,275.
5. (8) Sam Hornish Jr., Ford, 55, 108.4, 40, $23,775.
6. (9) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 55, 94.4, 38, $23,425.
7. (13) Kyle Larson, Chevrolet, 55, 101, 37, $21,825.
8. (17) Cole Whitt, Toyota, 55, 90.4, 36, $20,100.
9. (22) Elliott Sadler, Toyota, 55, 87.9, 35, $20,825.
10. (14) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 55, 80, 34, $20,775.
11. (26) Brendan Gaughan, Chevrolet, 55, 73.8, 0, $13,475.
12. (12) Johnny O'Connell, Chevrolet, 55, 92.2, 32, $19,400.
13. (31) Mike Wallace, Chevrolet, 55, 68.7, 31, $19,300.
14. (29) James Buescher, Chevrolet, 55, 58.9, 0, $13,175.
15. (7) Billy Johnson, Ford, 55, 113.3, 30, $18,575.
16. (19) Travis Pastrana, Ford, 55, 71.1, 28, $19,025.
17. (10) Max Papis, Chevrolet, 55, 88.3, 27, $18,925.
18. (28) Kenny Habul, Toyota, 55, 52.8, 26, $12,825.
19. (25) Stanton Barrett, Ford, 55, 54.3, 25, $18,750.
20. (18) Brian Scott, Chevrolet, 55, 71.3, 24, $19,375.
21. (6) Nelson Piquet Jr., Chevrolet, 55, 80.5, 23, $18,625.
22. (37) Kevin O'Connell, Chevrolet, 55, 38.3, 22, $18,585.
23. (24) Jeremy Clements, Chevrolet, 55, 61, 21, $18,550.
24. (15) Alex Bowman, Toyota, 55, 49.2, 20, $18,490.
25. (40) Dexter Stacey, Ford, 55, 37.2, 19, $12,895.
26. (32) Jeffrey Earnhardt, Ford, 55, 44.4, 18, $18,385.
27. (35) Eric McClure, Toyota, 55, 40.5, 17, $18,350.
28. (34) John Young, Dodge, 55, 51.7, 16, $12,320.
29. (21) Andrew Ranger, Dodge, 55, 60.2, 15, $12,285.
30. (11) Trevor Bayne, Ford, 55, 63.7, 14, $18,540.
31. (27) Kyle Kelley, Chevrolet, 54, 54.4, 13, $18,195.
32. (16) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 54, 90.9, 12, $18,150.
33. (23) Mike Bliss, Toyota, overheating, 53, 64.8, 11, $18,120.
34. (5) Michael McDowell, Toyota, 52, 58.3, 0, $18,100.
35. (20) Michael Annett, Ford, accident, 50, 66.7, 9, $18,068.
36. (38) Derek White, Toyota, oil leak, 37, 30.9, 8, $17,255.
37. (33) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 31, 37.7, $17,235.
38. (39) Tony Raines, Toyota, rear gear, 20, 28.7, 6, $11,216.
39. (30) Landon Cassill, Chevrolet, engine, 7, 30.3, 5, $11,075.
40. (36) Jeff Green, Toyota, brakes, 2, 29.2, 4, $10,975.

Race Statistics
Average Speed of Race Winner: 74.697 mph.
Time of Race: 2 hours, 58 minutes, 50 seconds.
Margin of Victory: 1.372 seconds.
Caution Flags: 8 for 16 laps.
Lead Changes: 11 among 7 drivers.
Lap Leaders: A.Allmendinger 1-6; B.Johnson 7-13; O.Kelly 14; P.Kligerman 15-18; O.Kelly 19-25; A.Allmendinger 26-30; S.Hornish Jr. 31-32; J.Buescher 33; A.Allmendinger 34-39; B.Johnson 40-42; J.Allgaier 43; A.Allmendinger 44-55.
Leaders Summary (Driver, Times Led, Laps Led): A.Allmendinger, 4 times for 29 laps; B.Johnson, 2 times for 10 laps; O.Kelly, 2 times for 8 laps; P.Kligerman, 1 time for 4 laps; S.Hornish Jr., 1 time for 2 laps; J.Allgaier, 1 time for 1 lap; J.Buescher, 1 time for 1 lap.
Top 10 in Points: 1. R.Smith, 507; 2. J.Allgaier, 479; 3. S.Hornish Jr., 477; 4. A.Dillon, 462; 5. E.Sadler, 459; 6. P.Kligerman, 447; 7. K.Larson, 440; 8. B.Scott, 439; 9. B.Vickers, 433; 10. T.Bayne, 421.

IRL

Iowa Corn Indy 250 Lineup
After Saturday qualifying; race today
At Iowa Speedway
Newton, Iowa
Lap length: .875 miles
(Car number in parentheses)

1. (3) Helio Castroneves, Dallara-Chevrolet, 185.687 mph.
2. (25) Marco Andretti, Dallara-Chevrolet, 184.766.
3. (12) Will Power, Dallara-Chevrolet, 184.24.
4. (11) Tony Kanaan, Dallara-Chevrolet, 183.713.
5. (27) James Hinchcliffe, Dallara-Chevrolet, 183.236.
6. (4) Oriol Servia, Dallara-Chevrolet, 183.021.
7. (20) Ed Carpenter, Dallara-Chevrolet, 182.805.
8. (9) Scott Dixon, Dallara-Honda, 182.506.
9. (55) Tristan Vautier, Dallara-Honda, 182.472.
10. (14) Takuma Sato, Dallara-Honda, 182.384.
11. (83) Charlie Kimball, Dallara-Honda, 182.27.
12. (67) Josef Newgarden, Dallara-Honda, 182.142.
13. (16) James Jakes, Dallara-Honda, 182.056.
14. (98) Alex Tagliani, Dallara-Honda, 181.963.
15. (5) E.J. Viso, Dallara-Chevrolet, 181.458.
16. (7) Sebastien Bourdais, Dallara-Chevrolet, 180.892.
17. (77) Simon Pagenaud, Dallara-Honda, 180.481.
18. (6) Sebastian Saavedra, Dallara-Chevrolet, 180.016.
19. (15) Graham Rahal, Dallara-Honda, 179.295.
20. (10) Dario Franchitti, Dallara-Honda, 178.578.
21. (19) Justin Wilson, Dallara-Honda, 178.24.
22. (1) Ryan Hunter-Reay, Dallara-Chevrolet, 177.957.
23. (78) Simona de Silvestro, Dallara-Chevrolet, 174.689.
24. (18) Ana Beatriz, Dallara-Honda.

NHRA

New England Nationals Pairings
After Saturday qualifying; eliminations Sunday
At New England Dragway and Motorsports Park
Epping, N.H.

TOP FUEL — 1. Doug Kalitta, 3.795 seconds, 323.97 mph vs. 16. Ike Maier, 5.409, 194.66; 2. Shawn Langdon, 3.809, 321.58 vs. 15. Tim Boychuk, 4.333, 215.13; 3. David Grubnic, 3.817, 321.96 vs. 14. Terry McMillen, 3.927, 317.57; 4. Tony Schumacher, 3.817, 323.35 vs. 13. Brittany Force, 3.917, 316.75; 5. Spencer Massey, 3.818, 323.97 vs. 12. Khalid alBalooshi, 3.896, 319.67; 6. J.R. Todd, 3.831, 319.98 vs. 11. Morgan Lucas, 3.889, 317.57; 7. Bob Vandergriff, 3.833, 323.04 vs. 10. Antron Brown, 3.877, 310.48; 8. Steve Torrence, 3.847, 321.27 vs. 9. Clay Millican, 3.855, 319.60.

FUNNY CAR — 1. John Force, Ford Mustang, 4.051, 313.44 vs. 16. Dave Richards, Chevy Monte Carlo, 4.455, 267.32; 2. Matt Hagan, Dodge Charger, 4.057, 317.49 vs. 15. Blake Alexander, Charger, 4.298, 299.33; 3. Courtney Force, Mustang, 4.083, 313.37 vs. 14. Alexis DeJoria, Toyota Camry, 4.288, 297.75; 4. Ron Capps, Charger, 4.083, 309.91 vs. 13. Tony Pedregon, Camry, 4.185, 287.11; 5. Robert Hight, Mustang, 4.088, 313.80 vs. 12. Del Worsham, Camry, 4.151, 305.98; 6. Johnny Gray, Charger, 4.090, 312.64 vs. 11. Tim Wilkerson, Mustang, 4.143, 307.58; 7. Bob Tasca III, Mustang, 4.096, 312.13 vs. 10. Jack Beckman, Charger, 4.119, 308.85; 8. Cruz Pedregon, Camry, 4.107, 307.51 vs. 9. Jeff Arend, Charger, 4.115, 307.30. Did Not Qualify — 17. Mike Smith, 5.166, 154.33.

PRO STOCK — 1. Jeg Coughlin, Dodge Avenger, 6.533, 212.43 vs. Bye; 2. Allen Johnson, Avenger, 6.547, 212.26 vs. 15. John Gaydosh Jr., Pontiac GXP, broke; 3. Mike Edwards, Chevy Camaro, 6.549, 212.79 vs. 14. Kenny Delco, Chevy Cobalt, 6.708, 208.23; 4. Shane Gray, Camaro, 6.556, 212.23 vs. 13. Lewis Worden, Ford Mustang, 6.681, 207.72; 5. Jason Line, Camaro, 6.565, 212.49 vs. 12. Larry Morgan, Mustang, 6.665, 209.75; 6. Greg Anderson, Camaro, 6.580, 211.79 vs. 11. Steve Kent, Camaro, 6.646, 209.36; 7. V. Gaines, Avenger, 6.598, 211.20 vs. 10. Tom Martino, GXP, 6.639, 208.26; 8. Vincent Nobile, Avenger, 6.601, 210.57 vs. 9. Rodger Brogdon, Camaro, 6.613, 211.39.

PRO STOCK MOTORCYCLE — 1. Michael Ray, Buell, 6.832, 197.05 vs. 16. Angie Smith, Buell, 6.975, 192.28; 2. Hector Arana, Buell, 6.838, 195.65 vs. 15. Shawn Gann, Buell, 6.969, 192.82; 3. Matt Smith, Buell, 6.844, 196.02 vs. 14. Eddie Krawiec, Harley-Davidson, 6.961, 192.03; 4. Scotty Pollacheck, Buell, 6.878, 193.18 vs. 13. Steve Johnson, Suzuki, 6.939, 194.04; 5. Adam Arana, Buell, 6.881, 194.69 vs. 12. Jim Underdahl, Suzuki, 6.926, 196.79; 6. John Hall, Buell, 6.884, 194.69 vs. 11. Jerry Savoie, Suzuki, 6.925, 195.87; 7. LE Tonglet, Suzuki, 6.893, 194.88 vs. 10. Andrew Hines, Harley-Davidson, 6.921, 193.99; 8. Hector Arana Jr., Buell, 6.895, 194.69 vs. 9. Mike Berry, Buell, 6.920, 194.55. Did Not Qualify — 17. Michael Phillips, 7.032, 194.04; 18. Joe DeSantis, 7.032, 190.97; 19. Sam Hurwitz, 7.303, 185.69.

HOUNDSWATCH

SATURDAY'S SCORE
San Antonio 3, Midland 0

TODAY'S GAME
San Antonio at Midland
4 p.m.
Citibank Ballpark

RADIO/INTERNET
www.milb.com
KCRS (550 AM)

RECORDS
Midland 3-2, San Antonio 2-3

Friday	Saturday	Today	Monday	Tuesday
Midland 10, San Antonio 1	San Antonio 3, Midland 0	Missions San Antonio	All-Star Break	Texas League All-Star Game

DAILYRUNDOWN

WHAT'S ON DECK

SOCCER
FC Dallas WTX Super 20s vs. Regals SCA, 10:30 a.m., Grande Communications Stadium

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Placed DH Steve Pearce on the 15-day DL, retroactive to Thursday. Reinstated RHP Miguel Gonzalez from the paternity list.
BOSTON RED SOX — Optioned RHP Pedro Beato to Pawtucket (IL). Recalled RHP Allen Webster from Pawtucket.
CLEVELAND INDIANS — Agreed to terms with RHP Dace Kime and LHP Kenny Mathews on minor league contracts.
DETROIT TIGERS — Agreed terms with LHP Kevin Ziomek, RHP Austin Kubitza and C Chris Taladay on minor league contracts.
HOUSTON ASTROS — Designated RHP Ross Seaton for assignment. Placed OF Trevor Crowe on the 15-day DL. Selected the contract of OF Marc Krauss from Oklahoma City (PCL).
KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Optioned 2B Chris Getz to Omaha (PCL). Reinstated OF Jarrod Dyson from the 15-day DL.
NEW YORK YANKEES — Announced RHP Chris Bootcheck elected free agency.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Agreed to terms with SS Edwin Diaz and RHPs Dustin Driver and Bobby Wahl on minor league contracts.
SEATTLE MARINERS — Agreed to terms with OF Austin Wilson and 3B Lachlan Fontaine on minor league contracts.
TAMPA BAY RAYS — Sent LHP David Price to Charlotte (FSL) for a rehab assignment. Optioned RHP Josh Lueke to Durham (IL). Recalled RHP Alex Colome from Durham.
TEXAS RANGERS — Optioned LHP Joseph Ortiz to Round Rock (PCL). Recalled LHP Martin Perez from Round Rock.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Sent RHP Kyle Drabek to Dunedin (FSL) for a rehab assignment.

National League

ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS — Designated 2B Josh Wilson for assignment. Recalled RHP Zeke Spruill from Reno (PCL).
ATLANTA BRAVES — Sent RHP Cristhian Martinez to the GCL Braves for a rehab assignment.
CHICAGO CUBS — Agreed to terms with RHP Scott Frazier on a minor league contract.
COLORADO ROCKIES — Designated RHP Logan Kensing for assignment. Selected the contract of OF Corey Dickerson from Colorado Springs (PCL). Agreed to terms with LHP Trent Daniel and RHP Eric Nedeljkovic on minor league contracts.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS — Sent OF Matt Kemp and OF Scott Van Slyke to Albuquerque (PCL) for a rehab assignment.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Optioned OF Josh Prince to Nashville (PCL). Reinstated OF Norichika Aoki from the paternity list. Sent RHP Hiram Burgos to Nashville for a rehab assignment.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Designated UT Michael Martinez for assignment. Selected the contract of RHP J.C. Ramirez from Lehigh Valley (IL). Placed RHP Mike Adams on the 15-day DL retroactive to Thursday.
PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Optioned RHP Brandon Cumpton to Indianapolis (IL). Recalled C Tony Sanchez from Indianapolis. Sent OF Jose Tabata to Indianapolis for a rehab assignment.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Optioned LHP Tyler Lyons to Memphis (PCL). Recalled RHP Michael Blazek from Memphis.
SAN DIEGO PADRES — Placed LHP Clayton Richard on the 15-day DL. Optioned OF Jaff Decker to Tucson (PCL). Recalled RHPs Anthony Bass and Brad Boxberger from Tucson.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Sent 3B Pablo Sandoval to San Jose (Cal) for a rehab assignment.

American Association

EL PASO DIABLOS — Sold the contract of INF Omar Luna to the Atlanta Braves. Released LHP Greg Miller and C Bubby Williams. Signed RHPs Moises Montero and Ryan Henderson.
FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS — Signed RHP Danny Gutierrez.
GRAND PRAIRIE AIR HOGS — Released RHP Chris Allen.
KANSAS CITY T-BONES — Signed RHP Josh Hildebrand.

Can-Am League

NEW JERSEY JACKALS — Signed LHP Corey Young.

FOOTBALL
Canadian Football League

TORONTO ARGONAUTS — Released DT Kevin Huntley.
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Released WRs Kurt Adams, Trevor Kennedy, Jameze Massey, Quintin McCree and Wallace Miles, DL Zach Anderson, Dexter Davis, Anthony Degrate and Marquis Frazier, DBs Bert Brown, David James, Dekota Marshall and Wesley Pendleton, LBs Wendell Brown and Ian Wild, OL Brendan Dunn and Aderious Simmons, QB Chase Clement, FB Carl Fitzgerald, P Billy Pavlopoulos and S Teague Sherman.

FISHING REPORT

WEST

ALAN HENRY: Water lightly stained; 72-77 degrees; 12.81' low. Black bass are fair to good on buzzbaits early, later switching to Texas rigs, weightless flukes and shakyheads. Crappie are fair to good on live minnows. Catfish are good on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.
ARROWHEAD: Water off color; 71-78 degrees; 13.62' low. Black bass are good on Zara Spooks, Texas rigs and shallow running shad pattern crankbaits. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are good on slabs. Catfish are fair to good on cut bait and nightcrawlers.
COLORADO CITY: 17.68' low. No report available.
FT. PHANTOM HILL: Water clear; 72-77 degrees; 12.05' low. Black bass are fair to good on topwaters early, later switching to Rat-L-Traps, Texas rigs and watermelon/red flukes. Crappie are fair on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Catfish are fair to good on cut bait.
HUBBARD CREEK: Water off color; 73-78 degrees; 23' low. Black bass are good on Yellow Magics early, later switching to Texas rigs and Senkos. Crappie are good on live minnows. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and cut bait.
NASWORTHY: No report available.
OAK CREEK: Water stained; 71-77 degrees; 18.42' low. Black bass are fair to good on topwaters early, Texas rigs and shakyheads. Crappie are good on jigs and live minnows. Catfish are good on chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers and prepared bait.
O.H. IVIE: Water stained; 72-76 degrees; 38.8' low. Black bass are good on Zara Spooks early and late, midday switching to Texas rigs, Senkos and drop-shot rigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair on slabs and live minnows. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.
POSSUM KINGDOM: Water fairly clear; 72-78 degrees; 11.02' low. Black bass are good on topwaters early, later switching to Yum Dingers, shallow running crankbaits, drop-shot rigs and Texas rigs. Crappie are fair to good on minnows and jigs. White bass are fair to good on slabs. Striped bass are fair on live shad. Catfish are fair to good on cut bait and nightcrawlers.
SPENCE: 64.03' low. No report available.
STAMFORD: 9.91' low. No report available.
SWEETWATER: Water murky; 73-79 degrees; 20.83' low. Black bass are fair to good on Senkos, Texas rigs and wacky rigs. Crappie are fair on live minnows. Catfish are fair on prepared bait and chartreuse (use Worm-Glo) nightcrawlers.
WHITE RIVER: Water stained; 73-78 degrees; 32.13' low. No report available.

SOUTH

AMISTAD: Water clear; 77-82 degrees; 60.11' low. Black bass are good on chartreuse/black Rat-L-Traps and soft plastics. Striped bass are slow. White bass are slow. Crappie are slow. Catfish are fair on trotlines baited with perch and shrimp. Yellow catfish are fair on trotlines and juglines baited with live bait. Everyone in a boat must have a Mexico fishing license (if fishing the Mexico side whether fishing or not.

CENTRAL

BASTROP: Water clear; 79-83 degrees. Black bass are slow. Crappie are slow. Channel and blue catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are slow.
BELTON: Water stained; 76-80 degrees; 6.87' low. Black bass are fair on watermelon spinnerbaits and crankbaits. Hybrid striper are fair on silver striper jigs. White bass are slow. Crappie are fair on minnows and blue tube jigs. Channel and blue catfish are fair on shrimp and stinkbait. Yellow catfish are slow.
BROWNWOOD: Water stained; 76-80 degrees; 12.38' low. Black bass are good on crankbaits, flukes, spinnerbaits, and jigs around docks in 8-10 feet. Hybrid striper are slow. White bass are good on silver jigs off lighted docks at night in 5-15 feet. Crappie are good on minnows and white tube jigs over baited brush piles. Channel and blue catfish are slow. Yellow catfish are slow.
BUCHANAN: Water stained; 76-80 degrees; 28.12' low. Black bass are good on watermelon JDC Skip-N-Pop topwaters and Texas rigged grape Scoundrel worms around stumps in 5-15 feet. Striped bass are fair on Zara Jrs., Red Fins and trolling Gizz 4 crankbaits near the dam. White bass are slow. Crappie are good on minnows and white tube jigs over brush piles. Channel catfish are good on live bait and dipbait. Yellow and blue catfish are very good on juglines and trotlines baited with goldfish and perch upriver.
GRANGER: Water stained; 76-80 degrees; 0.01' low. Black bass are fair on spinnerbaits in willows upriver. White bass are slow. Crappie are good on marabou jigs in 5-15 feet. Blue catfish are good on shad and prepared bait in 5-12 feet. Yellow catfish are good on trotlines baited with live bait upriver.
LBJ: Water stained; 78-82 degrees; 0.27' low. Black bass are fair on perch colored topwaters, black/blue jigs, and weightless pumpkinseed Whacky Sticks in 5-10 feet. White bass are fair on pet spoons. Crappie are fair on minnows and white Curb's crappie jigs over brush piles in 12-14 feet. Channel catfish are fair on minnows and dipbait. Yellow and blue catfish are good on trotlines baited with live perch.
TRAVIS: Water clear; 78-82 degrees; 52.83' low. Black bass are fair on watermelon soft plastics and chartreuse topwaters in 5-20 feet. Striped bass are slow. White bass are slow. Crappie are fair on minnows. Channel and blue catfish are fair on fresh cut bait and nightcrawlers. Yellow catfish are slow.
WHITNEY: Water lightly stained; 76-80 degrees; 9.10' low. Black bass are slow. Striped bass are slow. White bass are good on chartreuse spinnerbaits and crankbaits. Crappie are fair on minnows. Catfish are fair on nightcrawlers and prepared bait.

TENNIS

Wimbledon Draw
At The All England Lawn Tennis & Croquet Club
London
Monday-July 7
q-qualifier, w-wild card, l-lucky loser

Men

Novak Djokovic (1), Serbia, vs. Florian Mayer, Germany
q-Bobby Reynolds, United States, vs. w-Steve Johnson, United States
Blaz Kavcic, Slovenia, vs. q-Jan-Lennard Struff, Germany
Ryan Harrison, United States, vs. Jeremy Chardy (28), France
Gilles Simon (19), France, vs. Feliciano Lopez, Spain
Ricardas Berankis, Lithuania, vs. Paul-Henri Mathieu, France
q-Wayne Odesnik, United States, vs. q-Jimmy Wang, Taiwan
Dmitry Tursunov, Russia, vs. Tommy Haas (13), Germany
Richard Gasquet (9), France, vs. Marcel Granollers, Spain
Andreas Haider-Maurer, Austria, vs. q-Go Soeda, Japan
James Blake, United States, vs. Thiemo de Bakker, Netherlands
Bernard Tomic, Australia, vs. Sam Querrey (21), United States
Kevin Anderson (27), South Africa, vs. l-Olivier Rochus, Belgium
Philipp Petzschner, Germany, vs. q-Michal Przysiezny, Poland
Daniel Brands, Germany, vs. Daniel Gimeno-Traver, Spain
Martin Klizan, Slovakia, vs. Tomas Berdych (7), Czech Republic

David Ferrer (4), Spain, vs. Martin Alund, Argentina
Roberto Bautista Agut, Spain, vs. q-Teymuraz Gabashvili, Russia
Horacio Zeballos, Argentina, vs. Santiago Giraldo, Colombia
Gastao Elias, Portugal, vs. Alexandr Dolgopolov (26), Ukraine
Milos Raonic (17), Canada, vs. Carlos Berlocq, Argentina
q-Alex Kuznetsov, United States, vs. Igor Sijsling, Netherlands
q-James Duckworth, Australia, vs. q-Denis Kudla, United States
Ivan Dodig, Croatia, vs. Philipp Kohlschreiber (16), Germany
Kei Nishikori (12), Japan, vs. w-Matthew Ebden, Australia
Leonardo Mayer, Argentina, vs. Aljaz Bedene, Slovenia
Michael Llodra, France, vs. Jarkko Nieminen, Finland
Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, vs. Andreas Seppi (23), Italy
Grigor Dimitrov (29), Bulgaria, vs. Simone Bolelli, Italy
Grega Zemlja, Slovenia, vs. Michael Russell, United States
Guido Pella, Argentina, vs. Jesse Levine, Canada
Albert Ramos, Spain, vs. Juan Martin del Potro (8), Argentina

Rafael Nadal (5), Spain, vs. Steve Darcis, Belgium
Lukasz Kubot, Poland, vs. Igor Andreev, Russia
q-Stephane Robert, France, vs. Alejandro Falla, Colombia
Adrian Ungur, Romania, vs. Benoit Paire (25), France
John Isner (18), United States, vs. Evgeny Donskoy, Russia
Pablo Andujar, Spain, vs. Adrian Mannarino, France
q-Dustin Brown, Germany, vs. Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Spain
Lleyton Hewitt, Australia, vs. Stanislas Wawrinka (11), Switzerland
Nicolas Almagro (15), Spain, vs. Jurgen Zopp, Estonia
Marinko Matosevic, Australia, vs. Guillaume Rufin, France
Radek Stepanek, Czech Republic, vs. q-Matt Reid, Australia
w-Kyle Edmund, Britain, vs. Jerzy Janowicz (24), Poland
Fabio Fognini (30), Italy, vs. Jurgen Melzer, Austria
q-Julian Reister, Germany, vs. Lukas Rosol, Czech Republic
Rogerio Dutra Silva, Brazil, vs. Sergiy Stakhovsky, Ukraine
Victor Hanescu, Romania, vs. Roger Federer (3), Switzerland
Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (6), France, vs. David Goffin, Belgium
Edouard Roger-Vasselin, France, vs. Ernests Gulbis, Latvia
Fernando Verdasco, Spain, vs. Xavier Malisse, Belgium
Tobias Kamke, Germany, vs. Julien Benneteau (31), France
Juan Monaco (22), Argentina, vs. q-Bastian Knittel, Germany
Lukas Lacko, Slovakia, vs. Rajeev Ram, United States
Kenny de Schepper, France, vs. Paolo Lorenzi, Italy
Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, vs. Marin Cilic (10), Croatia
Janko Tipsarevic (14), Serbia, vs. Viktor Troicki, Serbia
Andrey Kuznetsov, Russia, vs. Albert Montanes, Spain
q-Marc Gicquel, France, vs. Vasek Pospisil, Canada
Robin Haase, Netherlands, vs. Mikhail Youzhny (20), Russia
Tommy Robredo (32), Spain, vs. Alex Bogomolov Jr., Russia
w-Nicolas Mahut, France, vs. Jan Hajek, Czech Republic
w-James Ward, Britain, vs. Yen-hsun Lu, Taiwan
Benjamin Becker, Germany, vs. Andy Murray (2), Britain

Women

Serena Williams (1), United States, vs. Mandy Minella, Luxembourg
q-Caroline Garcia, France, vs. Zheng Jie, China
Kimiko Date-Krumm, Japan, vs. q-Carina Witthoeft, Germany
Alexandra Cadantu, Romania, vs. Tamira Paszek (28), Austria
Sabine Lisicki (23), Germany, vs. Francesca Schiavone, Italy
Elena Vesnina, Russia, vs. Andrea Hlavackova, Czech Republic
Olga Puchkova, Russia, vs. Arantxa Rus, Netherlands
l-Anna Schmiedlova, Slovakia, vs. Sam Stosur (14), Australia
Maria Kirilenko (10), Russia, vs. Laura Robson, Britain
q-Mariana Duque-Marino, Colombia, vs. Julia Goerges, Germany
Ayumi Morita, Japan, vs. Marina Erakovic, New Zealand
Anabel Medina Garrigues, Spain, vs. Peng Shuai (24), China
Romina Oprandi (31), Switzerland, vs. w-Alison Riske, United States
Mallory Burdette, United States, vs. Urszula Radwanska, Poland
Kaia Kanepi, Estonia, vs. w-Tara Moore, Britain
Bethanie Mattek-Sands, United States, vs. Angelique Kerber (7), Germany

Agnieszka Radwanska (4), Poland, vs. q-Yvonne Meusburger, Austria
Timea Babos, Hungary, vs. Mathilde Johansson, France
Heather Watson, Britain, vs. Madison Keys, United States
Monica Niculescu, Romania, vs. Mona Barthel (30), Germany
Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (21), Russia, vs. Tsvetana Pironkova, Bulgaria
q-Barbora Zahlavova Strycova, Czech Republic, vs. Magdalena Rybarikova, Slovakia
Anna Tatishvili, Georgia, vs. Petra Martic, Croatia
Karolina Pliskova, Czech Republic, vs. Nadia Petrova (13), Russia
Roberta Vinci (11), Italy, vs. Chanelle Scheepers, South Africa
Kristyna Pliskova, Czech Republic, vs. Jana Cepelova, Slovakia
Maria-Teresa Torro-Flor, Spain, vs. Irina-Camelia Begu, Romania
q-Maria Elena Camerin, Italy, vs. Dominika Cibulkova (18), Slovakia
Klara Zakopalova (32), Czech Republic, vs. Daniela Hantuchova, Slovakia
Nina Bratchikova, Russia, vs. Annika Beck, Germany
Olga Govortsova, Belarus, vs. Simona Halep, Romania
Michaella Krajicek, Netherlands, vs. Li Na (6), China

Sara Errani (5), Italy, vs. Monica Puig, Puerto Rico
Silvia Soler-Espinosa, Spain, vs. Misaki Doi, Japan
Lara Arruabarrena, Spain, vs. Lesia Tsurenko, Ukraine
q-Eva Birnerova, Czech Republic, vs. Varvara Lepchenko (26), United States
Sloane Stephens (17), United States, vs. Jamie Hampton, United States
Pauline Parmentier, France, vs. w-Andrea Petkovic, Germany
q-Petra Cetkovska, Czech Republic, vs. Donna Vekic, Croatia
Estrela Cabeza Candela, Spain, vs. Caroline Wozniacki (9), Denmark
Marion Bartoli (15), France, vs. Elina Svitolina, Ukraine
Christina McHale, United States, vs. Alexa Glatch, United States
Camila Giorgi, Italy, vs. w-Samantha Murray, Britain
Stefanie Voegele, Switzerland, vs. Sorana Cirstea (22), Romania
Lucie Safarova (27), Czech Republic, vs. Lauren Davis, United States
w-Lucie Hradecka, Czech Republic, vs. Karin Knapp, Italy
q-Michelle Larcher de Brito, Portugal, vs. Melanie Oudin, United States
Kristina Mladenovic, France, vs. Maria Sharapova (3), Russia

Petra Kvitova (8), Czech Republic, vs. CoCo Vandeweghe, United States
Kiki Bertens, Netherlands, vs. Yaroslava Shvedova, Kazakhstan
Garbine Muguruza, Spain, vs. w-Anne Keothavong, Britain
Johanna Larsson, Sweden, vs. Ekaterina Makarova (25), Russia
Carla Suarez Navarro (19), Spain, vs. Lourdes Dominguez Lino, Spain
Sofia Arvidsson, Sweden, vs. Mirjana Lucic-Baroni, Croatia
Eugenie Bouchard, Canada, vs. q-Galina Voskoboeva, Kazakhstan
q-Virginie Razzano, France, vs. Ana Ivanovic (12), Serbia
Jelena Jankovic (16), Serbia, vs. w-Johanna Konta, Britain
Yanina Wickmayer, Belgium, vs. Vesna Dolonc, Serbia
q-Ajla Tomljanovic, Croatia, vs. Bojana Jovanovski, Serbia
Yulia Putintseva, Kazakhstan, vs. Kirsten Flipkens (20), Belgium
Alize Cornet (29), France, vs. l-Vania King, United States
Hsieh Su-wei, Taiwan, vs. Tatjana Maria, Germany
w-Elena Baltacha, Britain, vs. Flavia Pennetta, Italy
Maria Joao Koehler, Portugal, vs. Victoria Azarenka (2), Belarus

AEGON International Results
Saturday
At Devonshire Park
Eastbourne, England
Purse: ATP, $701,700 (WT250); WTA, $690,000 (Premier)
Surface: Grass-Outdoor
Singles
Men
Championship
Feliciano Lopez, Spain, def. Gilles Simon (2), France, 7-6 (2), 6-7 (5), 6-0.
Women
Championship
Elena Vesnina, Russia, def. Jamie Hampton, United States, 6-2, 6-1.
Doubles
Women
Championship
Nadia Petrova, Russia, and Katarina Srebotnik (1), Slovenia, def. Monica Niculescu, Romania, and Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, 6-3, 6-3.

Topshelf Open Results
Saturday
At Autotron Rosmalen
Rosmalen, Netherlands
Purse: ATP, $824,000 (WT250); WTA, $235,000 (Intl.)
Surface: Grass-Outdoor
Singles
Men
Championship
Nicolas Mahut, France, def. Stanislas Wawrinka (2), Switzerland, 6-3, 6-4.
Women
Championship
Simona Halep, Romania, def. Kirsten Flipkens (4), Belgium, 6-4, 6-2.
Doubles
Men
Championship
Max Mirnyi, Belarus, and Horia Tecau (2), Romania, def. Andre Begemann and Martin Emmrich, Germany, 6-3, 7-6 (4).

POINTS

From 1C

also picked up a team tennis title and took district titles in boys and girls swimming. There were second-place finishes by the boys basketball team and the boys and girls track teams as well.

Weaknesses: Football and soccer wasn't very kind to Coronado as no points were garnered from either sport. The same can be said of the girls golf team. But ultimately it didn't matter. Coronado ran away with the points title, scoring 24.67 points more than its closest challenger.

2. SAN ANGELO CENTRAL (75.33)

Strengths: Central was unable to defend its title, but did make a strong push. Central won district titles in girls soccer and boys and girls swimming. The issue with swimming, though, was having the district split into two meets. Central won the 3-5A meet, while Coronado won the 2-5A meet. As a result, points were split for those achievements. Girls soccer had the lone double-digit score for the program with 11 points. Central was second in volleyball, baseball and team tennis and experienced postseason success in all three sports. It just wasn't enough to keep pace with Coronado.

Weaknesses: Central failed to score points in softball, girls track, girls cross-country and boys golf. The boys track team also garnered just .33 points after finishing in a three-way tie for sixth with Abilene Cooper and Odessa Permian.

3. (tie) MIDLAND HIGH (70)

Strengths: While playoff success didn't occur until the spring for the program, Midland High was consistent with competing in the district at least. The only district title came from baseball, which scored 12 points after going two rounds deep in the postseason. The Lady Bulldogs finished second in girls basketball and softball with the softball team earning 10 points for winning two playoff series. Midland High was actually second in the district with four playoff wins in all team sports combined. Anna James also gave Midland High some bonus points after she won a diving state title in February.

Weaknesses: Midland High failed to score in four sports — boys basketball, girls track, girls cross-country and girls golf. The Bulldogs also netted just one point for football, which has been uncharacteristic for the program. Midland High was close to picking up extra points in a couple sports, which would have come in handy to break this tie.

3. (tie) AMARILLO TASCOSA (70)

Strengths: Tascosa had a strong first year in the new 2-5A, particularly when it came to running. The program swept the district titles in track and cross-country, accounting for 40 points. Tascosa also sent four individuals to the state track meet. No other team or individual in another sport came close to this level of success for Tascosa.

Weaknesses: Tascosa didn't score points in football, boys or girls soccer, softball and girls golf. Girls basketball picked up just one point for the program, while boys basketball accounted for two. Tascosa is an example of how dominating one phase of athletics can propel a program up the points standings.

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Lee running back Jason McAfee is wrapped up by an Abilene High defender during an Oct. 12, 2012 game at Grande Communications Stadium. Though football was Abilene High's best sport, it only finished 7th in the MRT's points standings. Lee finished just ahead of Abilene High at 6th.

5. ODESSA PERMIAN (64.33)

Strengths: Permian won district titles in boys basketball, boys soccer and boys golf, but experienced postseason success in just one of those sports. The Panthers won one game in the boys basketball playoffs. It's actually the lone postseason victory a Permian team sport experienced last year. Permian also got a second-place finish from the girls golf team and sent just one individual to a state event with Jorrion Wilson making a trip to Austin for track.

Weaknesses: Permian got no points from girls basketball, volleyball and tennis, which is the fewest amount of sports in the district for a program to not register a score. The problem was Permian got minimal points in several sports, including boys cross-country (2), girls cross-country (2), girls swimming (2), baseball (1), boys track (1) and girls track (.3).

6. LEE (54)

Strengths: Lee's lone district title came in girls golf, which also got a bonus point for Ali Cowan's appearance at state for a total score of 11. Lee also had just one second-place finish in boys soccer. Cowan actually represented Lee's only-points in the postseason.

Weaknesses: Lee didn't register a playoff victory in any team sport this season. The only other school in the district to have that happen was Amarillo Tascosa. Lee only made the playoffs in three team sports — girls basketball, boys soccer and softball — but lost in the first round in the playoffs. Lee got no points out of boys basketball, girls soccer and boys cross-country, tying Permian for the fewest number of categories to not register points. But Lee had just six sports register more than two points.

7. ABILENE HIGH (52)

Strengths: Success on the football field simply hasn't translated to success in other sports for Abilene High. The football team gave the program its only two playoff wins in team sports as it went three rounds deep before being eliminated. Only girls cross-country registered a second-place finish, while Abilene High got seven more points from tennis.

Weaknesses: Abilene High picked up no points in boys soccer, baseball, boys cross-country and boys and girls golf. The Lady Eagles managed just one point in volleyball and softball with just two points coming from the girls soccer, boys track and girls swimming squads.

8. ODESSA HIGH (42)

Strengths: There were no team district titles to speak of for Odessa High, although the program did at least get a playoff victory out of the girls soccer team, which finished second in the district and registered nine points. Boys cross-country was also second in district for eight points.

Weaknesses: Odessa High failed to score in a district-high seven sports. Football, boys basketball, girls basketball, volleyball, baseball, boys track, tennis and boys golf each failed to register a point. But the program did enough to keep out of the cellar — barely.

9. ABILENE COOPER (41.33)

Strengths: Like Odessa High, Cooper failed to claim a team district title this season. Cooper came closest in football and boys golf, placing second in both sports. The Cougars won a football playoff game and Cory Churchman represented the program at state golf, meaning both sports accounted for nine points.

MRT file photo

Midland High's Anna James receives her gold medal for girls 1-meter diving in the finals of the 5A UIL Swimming & Diving State Meet at the Jamail Texas Swim Center in Austin on Feb 23.

Weaknesses: Cooper got nothing out of girls basketball, volleyball, baseball and boys and girls cross-country. The boys basketball and boys and girls soccer programs didn't fare much better delivering just one point each, while girls track didn't net even that much at .33 points. There were two sports — boys soccer and girls track — where Abilene Cooper finished just behind Odessa High. Those couple points turned out to be the difference in putting Cooper in the 2-5A cellar this past season.

Follow Jonathan on Twitter: @Hull_MRT

RUN WITH US
AT GRANDE COMMUNICATIONS STADIUM
SUMMER SOCCER CAMPS

PDL

SUMMER DATES
CAMP - June 24-27

Midland
- 9:00 am - 11:00 am
- Grande Communications Stadium
- Boys and girls age 5-13
- Cost per camper $65

$65 tuition per camp includes TWO free Sockers FC game tickets!

INFORMATION
520-2255
sockersFC

Camp Directors:
- Warren Cottle - Head Coach of Sockers FC
- Chris Bryant - Assistant Coach of Sockers FC
- Ryan Dunlevy - Sockers FC Goalkeeper Coach
- Sockers FC Players

At Grande Communications Stadium

Midland-Odessa Sockers FC Summer Soccer Camp – Registration and Release Form

Player Name: (please print) Phone Number* Email Address
Address City: State, Zip: Birth Date:
Soccer Association: Team Name Payment Method

Camp 2 (June 24-27)

The recruiting of players for the benefit of any individual, team, club and/or organization is strictly prohibited. Any person having knowledge of any player recruitment at or through this soccer clinic, camp, academy, private lesson, etc. should report same, in writing, to the Youth Commissioner of MYSA. The MYSA Youth Commissioner shall deal with the alleged violations in accordance with MYSA's Rule X. If I am willing in any action, or inaction, made by anyone, either verbally or in writing, which encourages or endorses a player to register with a particular coach, team, club, and/or organization. As a parent or legal guardian of the above named player, I hereby give consent for emergency medical care prescribed by a duly licensed physician or dentist. This care may be given under otherwise conditions necessary to preserve the life, limb, or well being of my dependent. My child has permission to attend the West Texas United Sockers Camp. I hereby release the West Texas United Sockers Club and its representatives from any liability for damages or injuries that may occur as a result of the registration's participation in the camp.

I HAVE READ AND DO UNDERSTAND THE PRECEDING DISCLAIMER AND LIABILITY/MEDICAL RELEASE

Parent Signature Date Player Signature Date

SOCKERS FC

The Bartlett Group presents
SockersFC and the PDL to West Texas

BARTLETT GROUP

If winning isn't everything, why do they keep score?

Vince Lombardi

Get up to the minute score updates!

westtexas

Sharapova sends verbal shot Serena Williams' way

By Howard Fendrich
Associated Press

LONDON — Maria Sharapova took quite a shot at Serena Williams — and it was nowhere near a tennis court.

At her pre-Wimbledon news conference Saturday, Sharapova was asked about a recent Rolling Stone article where the author surmised that critical comments directed at an unnamed player by Williams were referring to Sharapova.

"At the end of the day, we have a tremendous amount of respect for what we do on the court. I just think she should be talking about her accomplishments, her achievements, rather than everything else that's just getting attention and controversy," Sharapova said.

"If she wants to talk about something personal, maybe she should talk about her relationship and her boyfriend that was married and is getting a divorce and has kids," Sharapova continued. "Talk about other things, but not draw attention to other things. She has so much in her life, many positives, and I think that's what it should be about."

Williams has been linked to coach Patrick Mouratoglou, but neither has confirmed their relationship extends beyond the court. When Mouratoglou was asked about the topic at the French Open this month, he smiled and replied: "Sorry. I don't understand the question."

According to the Rolling Stone story, posted online Tuesday, Williams spoke about what the reporter described as "a top-five player who is now in love."

Williams is quoted as saying: "She begins every interview with 'I'm so happy. I'm so lucky' — it's so boring. She's still not going to be invited to the cool parties. And, hey, if she wants to be with the guy with a black heart, go for it."

Williams

Sharapova

That is followed by these words in parentheses from the author of the piece, Stephen Rodrick: "An educated guess is she's talking about Sharapova, who is now dating Grigor Dimitrov, one of Serena's rumored exes."

Sharapova beat Williams in the 2004 Wimbledon final. But Williams has won their past 13 matches in a row, including in the French Open final two weeks ago.

At Wimbledon, where play begins Monday, Williams is the defending champion and seeded No. 1. Sharapova is seeded No. 3. They only could face each other in the final.

Williams is scheduled to hold a pre-tournament news conference at Wimbledon today.

Driver dies in 24 Hours of Le Mans race

By Trung Latielle
Associated Press

Associated Press

The No. 95 Aston Martin Vantage GTE, driven by Allan Simonsen is seen after his crash. Simonsen exited the track at high speed at the Tertre Rouge corner on his fourth lap of the race, he died after due to his injuries in Le Mans, France on Saturday.

Allan Simonsen's death after a spinout cast a pall over the 24 Hours of Le Mans.

The race still had more than 23 1/2 hours to go, but there was no call to stop it on Saturday after the first driver fatality in 16 years.

Simonsen's partner Carina, the mother to their daughter born last year, made sure of that.

It was her "specific request" that Simonsen's team, Aston Martin Racing, continue the world's most renowned endurance race in honor of the Dane.

Just 10 minutes into the race, Simonsen spun and skidded into the barrier at the Tertre Rouge corner where cars typically reach speeds of up to 105 mph. The 34-year-old Simonsen was taken to a hospital, where he died of his injuries, race organizers said.

The violence of the impact showed as a tire from Simonsen's car rolled on the track while a door hung wide open. The race was held up for nearly an hour to repair the guard rail.

"Tragically, and despite the best efforts of the emergency services in attendance, Allan's injuries proved fatal," Aston Martin said in a statement.

Simonsen's death marked the first driver fatality since 1997 when Sebastien Enjolras was killed in pre-qualifying. The last driver fatality during the race was Jo Gartner in 1986.

Simonsen was participating for the seventh time at the endurance race, which is won by the team that completes the most laps in 24 hours with up to three drivers alternating. He finished second in the GT2 class at Le Mans three years ago. He clocked the fastest time in qualifying on Thursday in the GTE-Am class.

Jean Todt, the FIA president, and Pierre Fillon, president of the Automobile Club de l'Ouest which organizes the race, paid tribute to Simonsen.

"Allan was an extremely talented and experienced sportscar driver who had raced in every corner of the world and was highly respected by his peers and his team," they said in a joint statement. "For many in endurance racing, Allan was above all a good friend who displayed his passion for racing on and off the track. His loss will be felt by the FIA, the ACO and the greater motorsport family."

Simonsen and Danish co-drivers Kristian Poulsen and Christoffer Nygaard were leading the GTE-Am class in the world endurance championship after topping their category at Silverstone in April and finishing second in Spa-Francorchamps last month.

"Aston Martin Racing will not make any further comment until the precise circumstances of the accident have been determined," Simonsen's team said.

Toyota Racing team president Yoshiaki Kinoshita expressed his condolences, along with drivers from around the world.

Formula One driver Jenson Button tweeted: "Allan Simonsen RIP. Such a tragic loss. A true fighter & a true racer. Safety is something we need 2 improve on in Motorsport."

IndyCar Series leader Helio Castroneves tweeted: "Very sad to know about the fatal accident of Allan Simonsen on Le Mans today. Praying for him and (his) family."

Another IndyCar driver Tony Kanaan tweeted: "Such a tragic news on the passing of (at)AllanSimonsen. Sad day in motorsports again. Thoughts and prayers are with his family."

AUTORACINGROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

AJ ALLEMDINGER WINS NASCAR NATIONWIDE IN WISCONSIN: At Elkhart Lake, Wis., AJ Allmendinger slid past Justin Allgaier with seven laps to go, then defended his lead through a late restart and a pair of nerve-testing green-white-checkered overtime finishes to win Saturday's NASCAR Nationwide Series race at Road America.

For Allmendinger, it was another step toward rebuilding his racing career after sitting out part of last season because of a violation of NASCAR's substance-abuse policy. It also was a return to victory lane at Road America for Allmendinger, who won at the four-mile road course in Central Wisconsin in the Champ Car Series in 2006.

Allgaier finished second, followed by Parker Kligerman. Owen Kelly and Sam Hornish Jr.

JAMIE MCMURRAY TOPS AMBROSE TO WIN SONOMA POLE: At Sonoma, Calif., Jamie McMurray was the surprise pole-winner Saturday at Sonoma Raceway.

McMurray topped favorite Marcos Ambrose with a fast lap around the 1.99-mile course. NASCAR for the first time used group qualifying and McMurray and Ambrose were together in the final group.

Ambrose first took the pole, was passed by McMurray and made one additional attempt to win the pole. He said after his motor sputtered right before he took the green flag, causing him to lose all his momentum.

Carl Edwards qualified third and was followed by teammate Greg Biffle as Ford drivers took three of the first four spots.

Defending race winner Clint Bowyer qualified fifth.

CASTRONEVES WINS POLE AT IOWA BUT WILL START 11TH: At Newton, Iowa, IndyCar points leader Helio Castroneves claimed the pole for Sunday's race at Iowa Speedway, but he'll start 11th after switching out his engine.

Castroneves earned nine championship points by winning the top heat while extending his lead over defending champion Ryan Hunter-Reay to 25 points.

KARAM WINS INDY LIGHTS AT IOWA: At Newton, Iowa, Sage Karam won for the second week in a row in the Indy Lights series, taking over first place with a victory in Iowa on Saturday night.

It's the fourth straight win at Iowa Speedway for Karam. He previously claimed a victory in the USF2000 series to go with a pair of Star Mazda wins on the 0.875-mile oval.

BUESCHER WINS ARCA ROAD AMERICA: At Elkhart Lake Wis., Chris Buescher took advantage of a last-lap mistake by Chase Elliott to take the lead, then held on to win in a wild finish to Saturday's ARCA race at Road America.

Elliott, the son of former NASCAR champion Bill Elliott, was dicing for the lead with Andrew Ranger on the last lap when the two came to Turn 5, a sharp left-hander at the end of a long straightaway on the four-mile road course in Central Wisconsin. Elliott's car swerved off line and Ranger got loose as well, allowing Buescher to take the lead.

Watson drops into 3-way tie at Travelers

By Neill Ostrout
Associated Press

CROMWELL — Charley Hoffman lost his chance at winning last year's Travelers Championship on the 71st hole.

His tee shot on the difficult par-4 17th at the TPC of River Highlands found the pond that runs along the fairway and he finished second, missing out on his third PGA Tour win.

This year Hoffman is in a three-way tie for the lead heading into Sunday's final round and he expects a different outcome.

"Obviously if I get on 17 tee (in the lead), I'd be lying to say I'm not going to think about that tee shot," Hoffman said Saturday after his 4-under 66 tied him with Bubba Watson and Graham DeLaet at 10-under 200.

"But I'm a much more mature, better player than I was a year ago and don't feel uncomfortable on that tee shot."

Watson, who led by two shots when he began the third round and by four shots midway through it, made three bogeys in his last six holes to help create the logjam. DeLaet tied for the low round of the day with a 65.

Chris Stroud and Nick O'Hearn are one shot back of the leaders at 9 under, while Ken Duke's 65 put him alone in sixth place.

Justin Rose, less than a week after his U.S. Open victory, is 7 under and in a tie for seventh after a second straight 68.

After shooting a 61 in the opening round, Hoffman struggled and shot 73 on Friday. He bounced back with a 66 Saturday that included five birdies.

"I got off to a pretty quick start and then birdied 10, thought I was going to get going again," Hoffman said. "And then a little three-putt bogey on 12 sort of slowed things down."

Watson made three birdies in his first six holes Saturday and was ahead by four shots after the third. But bogeys on Nos. 13, 15 and 17 brought the 2011 Masters champion back to the field.

Watson, who won the 2010 Travelers, is trying to become the seventh man to win the event at least twice. Arnold Palmer and Phil Mickelson have also done it.

"I hit some shots today that were really good, quality shots," said Watson, who shot an even-par 70. "I got a couple bad breaks here and there, but that's golf. At the end of the day I still have a chance on Sunday and that's what we're always looking for."

DeLaet may be playing this week in New England but many of his thoughts are about his native Canada. The heavy rain and flooding in Alberta forced the PGA Tour Canada to cancel its event this week, just one of the many issues the area is facing.

GOLFROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

LPGA

NW ARKANSAS CHAMPIONSHIP: At Rogers, Ark., Stacy Lewis made four straight birdies and eight overall to shoot a 6-under 65 and join a group of four players atop the leaderboard at 10 under after the second round of the LPGA NW Arkansas Championship.

Lewis, the world's No. 2 player, earned an unofficial win at the rain-shortened event as an amateur in 2007. She is the local favorite this week, having played collegiately at Arkansas.

PGA European

BMW INTERNATIONAL: At Munich, Frenchman Alexander Levy overcame two bogeys to shoot a 4-under 68 in the third round to pull into a three-way tie with Ernie Els of South Africa and Sweden's Alex Noren atop the leaderboard of the BMW International Open.

The trio was even at 15-under 201 heading into Sunday's final round.

Champions

ENCOMPASS CHAMPIONSHIP: At Glenview, Ill., Craig Stadler grabbed the lead at the Encompass Championship on Saturday with birdies on three of the four par-5s in a 65 that put him two shots ahead of Bob Tway and Jeff Sluman.

Stadler's second round at North Shore Country Club included an inward nine of 4-under 32 that left him at 12-under 132. Tway also scored 65 and Sluman had 66 that included eight birdies and two bogeys.

Midland Reporter-Telegram
Delivering life...every day.

Midland RockHounds
Welcome To Rocky Town

citibank ballpark

Gates Open - 3:30 PM First Pitch - 4:00 PM

Contact us about picnics, mini plans, group discounts and non game day events

RH vs MISSIONS

Lite Rock KODM 98

Clip this coupon and redeem at the RockHounds ticket office to receive Five Reserved Seats for only $25.00 this Sunday!

Call 520-BALL for details
Courtesy: MRT & KODM
Sunday, June 23rd

BASIC ENERGY SERVICES

RockHounds Baseball is Presented by Basic Energy Services

MLBROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

American League

BLUE JAYS 4
ORIOLES 2

TORONTO — Jose Bautista hit a tiebreaking home run in the eighth inning and the Toronto Blue Jays won their 10th straight game Saturday, beating the Baltimore Orioles 4-2.

Maicer Izturis hit a solo homer in the fifth and Bautista had a two-run drive for Toronto, on its longest winning streak since a 10-game run late in 2008. The Blue Jays, who are 14-4 this month, are one victory from matching the franchise record. Toronto had 11-game winning streaks in 1987 and 1998.

YANKEES 7
RAYS 5

NEW YORK — Vernon Wells broke out of his big slump with a pinch-hit, three-run double, and the New York Yankees rallied to beat the Rays.

Wells was in a 9-for-87 slide that landed him on the bench the past two days, with rookie outfielder Zoilo Almonte starting in his place. But with the Yankees trailing 5-4 in the seventh inning, Wells batted for No. 9 hitter Chris Stewart with the bases loaded and two outs.

WHITE SOX 3
ROYALS 2

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Alejandro De Aza drove in Jordan Danks with a sacrifice fly in the ninth inning, sending the White Sox to a victory over the Royals.

Jesse Crain (2-1) got through a shaky eighth inning for the White Sox, putting a runner on third with one out and then leaving him there. Addison Reed handled a perfect ninth for his 21st save.

TIGERS 10
RED SOX 3

DETROIT — Max Scherzer won his 11th straight decision to start the season and Victor Martinez hit a first-inning grand slam to lead the Tigers to a victory over Boston.

Scherzer (11-0) allowed two runs in the first, including a towering solo homer by David Ortiz, but Martinez's drive put the Tigers ahead to stay.

INDIANS 8
TWINS 7

CLEVELAND — Michael Bourn had three hits and three RBIs to help Corey Kluber win his third consecutive start as the Indians won their fourth straight.

National League

ROCKIES 7
NATIONALS 1

WASHINGTON — Jhoulys Chacin pitched seven shutout innings and hit an RBI single, and the Colorado Rockies snapped their five-game losing streak by beating the Washington Nationals 7-1 on Saturday.

DODGERS 6
PADRES 1

SAN DIEGO — Zack Greinke allowed one run over eight sharp innings and Adrian Gonzalez ended Edinson Volquez's no-hit bid with a homer in the sixth as Los Angeles beat San Diego.

DIAMONDBACKS 4
REDS 3

PHOENIX — Jason Kubel hit a two-run single in the ninth inning to rally Arizona past Aroldis Chapman and Cincinnati for its fourth straight victory.

GIANTS 2
MARLINS 1, 11 INNINGS

SAN FRANCISCO — Hector Sanchez singled home the winning run in the 11th inning and San Francisco snapped a nine-game home losing streak to Miami.

PHILLIES 8
METS 7

PHILADELPHIA — Pinch-hitter Kevin Frandsen homered leading off the bottom of the ninth inning to lift Philadelphia over New York after the Mets wiped out a six-run deficit.

BREWERS 2, BRAVES 0

MILWAUKEE — Francisco Rodriguez earned his 300th career save, finishing off Milwaukee's second straight 2-0 victory over slumping Atlanta.

Interleague

ASTROS 4
CUBS 3

CHICAGO — Ronny Cedeno's squeeze bunt scored Justin Maxwell with the tie-breaking run in the ninth inning to lead the Houston Astros over the Chicago Cubs 4-3 on Saturday.

J.D. Martinez tied the game with a three-run homer in the sixth for Houston.

RANGERS

From 1C

Adam Wainwright (10-4, 2.37). The first two games have been sellouts and the finale was supposed to be a matchup of aces, but the Rangers are saving Yu Darvish for the Yankees Tuesday in New York.

They didn't want Perez to come up in New York, either.

Perez (1-1) was recalled from Triple-A Round Rock where he was 5-1 with a 1.75 ERA. The lefty allowed a run in each of the first two innings but gave up just two hits the next five innings and retired the last 10.

Though perhaps the Rangers' top prospect, Perez entered 1-5 with a 5.40 ERA with seven starts.

"I just had to do the same job I'm doing at Triple-A," Perez said. "The first two innings I missed a couple pitches but after that I just said 'OK, this is my game.'"

Joe Nathan wrapped up a game that had all of the scoring in the first three innings with a perfect ninth for his 24th save in 25 chances. The start of the game was delayed by rain 66 minutes. It was the second such delay this week.

Earlier Saturday, Washington said he felt good about Cruz's tiebreaking two-run single in the ninth on Friday because the Rangers need wins, and not because Cruz needed redemption. The Rangers were an out away from taking the '11 Series when Cruz misplayed David Freese's game-tying triple in Game 6.

MLB SCORES, BOXES AND MORE

STANDINGS
American League

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	45	32	.584	—
Baltimore	42	33	.560	2
New York	41	33	.554	2 1/2
Toronto	37	36	.507	6
Tampa Bay	38	37	.507	6
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Detroit	41	32	.562	—
Cleveland	38	35	.521	3
Kansas City	34	38	.472	6 1/2
Minnesota	33	38	.465	7
Chicago	31	41	.431	9 1/2
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Oakland	44	32	.579	—
Texas	43	32	.573	1/2
Los Angeles	33	41	.446	10
Seattle	32	43	.427	11 1/2
Houston	29	47	.382	15

Saturday's Scores

N.Y. Yankees 7, Tampa Bay 5
Toronto 4, Baltimore 2
Chicago White Sox 3, Kansas City 2
Houston 4, Chicago Cubs 3
Detroit 10, Boston 3
Cleveland 8, Minnesota 7
Texas 4, St. Louis 2
Oakland at Seattle, late

Today's Games

Minnesota (Pelfrey 3-6) at Cleveland (Carrasco 0-2), 12:05 p.m.
Baltimore (F.Garcia 3-4) at Toronto (Jo.Johnson 0-2), 12:07 p.m.
Boston (Doubront 4-3) at Detroit (Verlander 8-5), 12:08 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Archer 1-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Nova 2-1), 1:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Axelrod 3-4) at Kansas City (Shields 2-6), 1:10 p.m.
Houston (Lyles 4-1) at Chicago Cubs (Samardzija 4-7), 1:20 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Morton 1-1) at L.A. Angels (Blanton 1-10), 2:35 p.m.
Oakland (J.Parker 6-6) at Seattle (Bonderman 1-1), 3:10 p.m.
Texas (Tepesch 3-6) at St. Louis (Wainwright 10-4), 7:05 p.m.

National League

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	43	33	.566	—
Washington	37	37	.500	5
Philadelphia	36	39	.480	6 1/2
New York	29	42	.408	11 1/2
Miami	24	50	.324	18
Central Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
St. Louis	47	28	.627	—
Pittsburgh	44	30	.595	2 1/2
Cincinnati	44	32	.579	3 1/2
Milwaukee	31	42	.425	15
Chicago	30	43	.411	16
West Division	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Arizona	41	33	.554	—
San Francisco	38	36	.514	3
San Diego	38	37	.507	3 1/2
Colorado	38	38	.500	4
Los Angeles	31	42	.425	9 1/2

Saturday's Scores

Colorado 7, Washington 1
Houston 4, Chicago Cubs 3
San Francisco 2, Miami 1, 11 innings
Philadelphia 8, N.Y. Mets 7
Milwaukee 2, Atlanta 0
Arizona 4, Cincinnati 3
L.A. Dodgers 6, San Diego 1
Texas 4, St. Louis 2
Pittsburgh at L.A. Angels, late

Today's Games

Colorado (J.De La Rosa 7-4) at Washington (Detwiler 2-5), 12:35 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Harvey 6-1) at Philadelphia (Lannan 0-1), 12:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Maholm 7-6) at Milwaukee (Figaro 1-1), 1:10 p.m.
Houston (Lyles 4-1) at Chicago Cubs (Samardzija 4-7), 1:20 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Morton 1-1) at L.A. Angels (Blanton 1-10), 2:35 p.m.
Miami (Eovaldi 0-0) at San Francisco (M.Cain 5-3), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Latos 6-1) at Arizona (Delgado 0-0), 3:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Capuano 2-4) at San Diego (Cashner 5-3), 3:10 p.m.
Texas (Tepesch 3-6) at St. Louis (Wainwright 10-4), 7:05 p.m.

AL WEST BOXES
RANGERS 4, CARDINALS 2

Texas	ab	r	h	bi	St. Louis	ab	r	h	bi
Kinsler 2b	5	0	1	0	MCrpnt 2b	4	0	2	0
Andrus ss	4	1	1	0	Beltran rf	4	1	2	0
N.Cruz rf	4	1	2	2	Hollidy lf	4	0	0	0
Beltre 3b	4	1	1	0	Craig 1b	4	0	1	1
Przyns c	4	1	1	2	YMolin c	4	0	0	0
Morlnd 1b	3	0	0	0	Freese 3b	4	1	2	0
DvMrp lf	4	0	1	0	SRonsn cf	1	0	0	1
LMartn cf	4	0	2	0	Blazek p	0	0	0	0
MPerez p	3	0	0	0	Kozma ss	3	0	0	0
Schprs p	0	0	0	0	SMiller p	2	0	0	0
Profar ph	1	0	0	0	Maness p	0	0	0	0
Nathan p	0	0	0	0	Siegrist p	0	0	0	0
					Wggntn ph	0	0	0	0
					Jay ph-cf	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	9	4	**Totals**	31	2	7	2

Texas .... 022 000 000—4
St. Louis .... 110 000 000—2

E—S.Miller (1). DP—Texas 2, St. Louis 1. LOB—Texas 6, St. Louis 4. 2B—Beltre (17). 3B—Freese (1). HR—N.Cruz (19), Pierzynski (7). SF—S.Robinson.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas						
M.Perez W,1-1	7	5	2	2	1	3
Scheppers	1	2	0	0	0	0
Nathan S,24-25	1	0	0	0	0	1
St. Louis						
S.Miller L,8-5	5 2-3	8	4	4	1	5
Maness	1 1-3	1	0	0	0	0
Siegrist	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blazek	1	0	0	0	0	2

T—2:27 (Rain delay 1:06). A—44,651 (43,975).

ASTROS 4, CUBS 3

Houston	ab	r	h	bi	Chicago	ab	r	h	bi
BBarns cf	4	0	0	0	Valuen 3b	5	0	1	2
Altuve 2b	3	1	2	0	SCastro ss	5	0	1	0
Carter 1b	4	1	1	0	Schrhlt rf	3	1	1	1
JMrtnz lf	4	1	1	3	ASorin lf	4	0	1	0
Corprn c	3	0	0	0	Rizzo 1b	2	0	0	0
Maxwll rf	4	1	2	0	Sweeny cf	3	0	1	0
Dmngz 3b	2	0	0	0	Castillo c	3	1	2	0
RCeden ss	2	0	0	1	Barney 2b	4	1	1	0
BNorrs p	2	0	0	0	TrWood p	2	0	0	0
Krauss ph	1	0	0	0	Camp p	0	0	0	0
Cisnero p	0	0	0	0	Borbon ph	1	0	0	0
Harrell ph	1	0	0	0	BParkr p	0	0	0	0
Veras p	0	0	0	0	Gregg p	0	0	0	0
					Hairstn ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	4	6	4	**Totals**	33	3	8	3

Houston .... 000 003 001—4
Chicago .... 002 010 000—3

E—Corporan (3), Dominguez (9), Castillo (8), S.Castro (12). DP—Houston 2, Chicago 1. LOB—Houston 5, Chicago 8. 2B—Altuve (14), Maxwell (6), A.Soriano (17). HR—J.Martinez (7), Schierholtz (10). SB—Altuve (17). S—Dominguez, R.Cedeno 2.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Houston						
B.Norris	6	6	3	2	3	5
Cisnero W,2-0	2	2	0	0	2	0
Veras S,15-18	1	0	0	0	0	1
Chicago						
Tr.Wood	6	5	3	3	1	5
Camp	1	0	0	0	0	0
B.Parker	1	0	0	0	1	1
Gregg L,2-1	1	1	1	1	0	1

Tr.Wood pitched to 1 batter in the 7th.
HBP—by Tr.Wood (Corporan).
T—3:02. A—38,870 (41,019).

SATURDAY'S LINESCORES
AMERICAN LEAGUE
YANKEES 7, RAYS 5

Tampa Bay .... 010 004 000 — 5 7 2
New York .... 002 010 40x — 7 7 1

Colome, Al.Torres (5), Jo.Peralta (7), McGee (7), J.Wright (8) and Lobaton; Sabathia, D.Robertson (8), Rivera (9) and C.Stewart, Au.Romine. W—Sabathia 8-5. L—Jo.Peralta 1-4. Sv—Rivera (26). HRs—Tampa Bay, Longoria (17), W.Myers (1).

Local note: Jayson Nix was 1 for 4 with a double and two strikeouts.

BLUE JAYS 4, ORIOLES 2

Baltimore .... 000 010 010 — 2 6 0
Toronto .... 100 010 02x — 4 4 1

Mig.Gonzalez, O'Day (8) and Teagarden; Wang, Loup (7), Wagner (7), Oliver (8), Janssen (9) and Arencibia. W—Oliver 3-1. L—Mig.Gonzalez 5-3. Sv—Janssen (17). HRs—Baltimore, Teagarden (2). Toronto, M.Izturis (5), Bautista (16).

INDIANS 8, TWINS 7

Minnesota .... 200 100 112 —7 13 0
Cleveland .... 600 020 00x —8 12 0

Walters, Swarzak (1), Pressly (5), Thielbar (8) and Mauer; Kluber, Hagadone (6), Allen (7), Shaw (8), R.Hill (8), Pestano (9) and C.Santana. W—Kluber 6-4. L—Walters 2-3. Sv—Pestano (3). HRs—Minnesota, Mauer (8), Arcia (6), Parmelee 2 (7).

WHITE SOX 3, ROYALS 2

Chicago .... 000 200 001 — 3 9 0
Kansas City .... 010 001 000 — 2 7 0

Quintana, Lindstrom (6), Crain (8), A.Reed (9) and Flowers; Gimenez; W.Davis, Collins (8), Crow (9), G.Holland (9) and S.Perez. W—Crain 2-1. L—Crow 3-3. Sv—A.Reed (21).

TIGERS 10, RED SOX 3

Boston .... 200 000 001 —3 10 0
Detroit .... 400 120 21x—10 15 1

Webster, F.Morales (5), A.Wilson (7) and Saltalamacchia; Scherzer, Alburquerque (8), Putkonen (9) and B.Pena. W—Scherzer 11-0. L—Webster 0-2. HRs—Boston, D.Ortiz (16). Detroit, V.Martinez (6), Infante (5).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
ROCKIES 7, NATIONALS 1

Colorado .... 300 300 010 —7 12 0
Washington .... 000 000 001 —1 6 0

Chacin, Belisle (8), W.Lopez (9) and W.Rosario; Haren, Ohlendorf (4), Abad (9) and J.Solano. W—Chacin 6-3. L—Haren 4-9. HRs—Colorado, LeMahieu (1), Arenado (6). Washington, Zimmerman (9).

GIANTS 2, MARLINS 1, 11 INNINGS

Miami .... 100 000 000 00 —1 10 1
San Francisco .... 000 010 000 01 —2 10 0

Ja.Turner, Qualls (8), Da.Jennings (9), M.Dunn (10), Webb (11) and Mathis; Zito, Affeldt (8), Romo (8), J.Lopez (10), S.Rosario (10) and Posey. W—S.Rosario 2-0. L—M.Dunn 2-2. HRs—Miami, Lucas (1).

PHILLIES 8, METS 7

New York .... 001 000 402 —7 10 1
Philadelphia .... 200 221 001 —8 12 2

Gee, Burke (6), Edgin (7), Rice (8), Aardsma (8), C.Torres (9) and Buck; Pettibone, Stutes (7), De Fratus (7), Diekman (7), Bastardo (8), Papelbon (9) and Ruiz. W—Papelbon 2-0. L—C.Torres 0-1. HRs—New York, Valdespin (4). Philadelphia, Howard 2 (10), M.Young (4), Frandsen (3).

Local note: Laynce Nix did not play.

BREWERS 2, BRAVES 0

Atlanta .... 000 000 000 —0 4 0
Milwaukee .... 000 110 00x —2 9 0

T.Hudson, D.Carpenter (7), A.Wood (8) and McCann; D.Hand, Badenhop (5), Mic.Gonzalez (7), Axford (8), Fr.Rodriguez (9) and Lucroy. W—Badenhop 1-3. L—T.Hudson 4-7. Sv—Fr.Rodriguez (6).

DIAMONDBACKS 4, REDS 3

Cincinnati .... 010 000 002 —3 4 0
Arizona .... 000 002 002 —4 6 1

Leake, Chapman (9) and Mesoraco; Corbin, Bell (9), Ziegler (9) and M.Montero. W—Ziegler 4-1. L—Chapman 3-3. HRs—Cincinnati, Bruce 2 (18). Arizona, G.Parra (7).

DODGERS 6, PADRES 1

Los Angeles .... 000 014 100 —6 7 0
San Diego .... 000 000 010 —1 5 2

Greinke, Jansen (9) and A.Ellis; Volquez, Boxberger (6), Bass (8) and Grandal. W—Greinke 4-2. L—Volquez 5-6. HRs—Los Angeles, Ad.Gonzalez (9), H.Ramirez (3).

WESTTEXASSPORTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

To submit an item for West Texas Sports please either fax, bring in, mail or email your information in hard-copy form to the Reporter-Telegram sports department.

Please make your submission as detailed as possible, including dates of events, deadlines, fees, age groups, etc.

To bring your item to the MRT, come to 201 E. Illinois Ave. in Midland. To mail your information, send it to Reporter-Telegram, c/o Sports Department, 201 E. Illinois Ave., Midland, TX 79701.

To fax your information, send to 570-7650.

Baseball

GCM Baseball Academy
What: Professional private baseball lessons & clinics covering pitching, fielding, catching and hitting provided by three former professional players
For: Ages 5 & up
Cost: Individual lessons $65 an hour or $40 for 30 minutes. Bulk purchases & group lesson rates available at discount
For more info: Call (432) 425-6108

Private batting and pitching instruction
For more info: Call Danny Jordan at 230-0096 for instruction on mechanics and pitch selection in a one-on-one setting

Private hitting and catching instruction
For more info: Call Scott Chapman at 967-2364 for instruction in a one-on-one environment

Pitching, hitting and fielding lessons
For more info: Call Midland High baseball coach Barry Russell at 296-2438

Private Baseball/Softball lessons
For more info: Contact Extra Innings Midland/Odessa at (432) 617-4487 or visit www.extrainnings-midlandodessa.com

Midland Little League Umpires Needed
For more info: Contact 889-6080

Minor League Baseball scorekeepers needed
What: Baseball Info Solutions needs scorekeepers for Midland RockHounds games
Qualifications: Demonstrate knowledge of baseball and baseball scorekeeping, computer proficiency and the ability to learn and use the provided software, and regular ability to attend nSight and weekend games in person.
For more info: Contact Don Masi at milb.scorers@yahoo.com or phone 210-471-1676 for information and website. All inquiries will be answered.

Basketball

Permian Basketball Association needs officials
For more info: Jim Cox, 685-4143 or 553-3714

YMCA needs basketball referees
For more info: 682-2551

Lunch break Pick-up Basketball
When: Noon-1 p.m., Monday-Friday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut Lane
For more info: Call 413-0521

Monday Night Skills Training
When: Starting May 6; 1st hr. session: 3rd to 6th grade, 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.; 2nd hr. session: 7th to high school, 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.
Where: Lifehouse Fellowship Gym: 300 Thomas St.
Cost: $15 per session
For more info: Contact Eddie Venzant, venzanteddie@yahoo.com or 432-254-6894

7th Annual WT High School Summer Shootout
When: July 6-7
Where: San Angelo
For: Boys and girls varsity and junior varsity players
Cost: $225, 3-game guarantee
Deadline: July 1
For more info: Contact Chris Cardenas, cardenas_chris@yahoo.com

Midland College Girls Basketball Camps FUNdamental Camp
When: 8:30 a.m.-Noon, July 15-18
Where: Midland College Physical Education Gymnasium
Cost: $90
Shooting Camp
When: 6-8 p.m. July 15-18
Where: Midland College Physical Education Gymnasium
Cost: $60
For more info: Contact MC Head Women's Basketball Coach Ron Jones at 685-4581 or rjones@midland.edu

Bowling

Tuesday Night Petroleum Men's League
When: Meets at 6:45 p.m.
For more info: Melton Post 684-5176 or Cactus Lanes 694-0177

Edith McElmore Three-Person League
When: 10 a.m. Wednesdays
Where: AMF Lanes
For more info: Call AMF Lanes at 689-9725

Camps/Clinics

Ten Star All Star Camp
For whom: Boys and girls ages 10-19
For more info: Call (704) 373-0873 for a brochure

COM Aquatic Camps
What: Swimming, diving, snorkeling
Ages: Preschool and grade school
For more info: Call 684-7755

Beginner tennis clinics
Where: Midland High School tennis courts
When: Monday-Thursday from 8:30 to 10 a.m. or 7 to 8:30 p.m.
For: Kindergarten-12th grade, community-based organizations, parents and adults
Deadline: Two weeks before week wanting to attend
For more info: Call Luis Valdez at 570-6245, Brandi at 687-7059 or Elizabeth at 699-6058

YMCA Basketball Skills Clinic
When: Every Saturday
Times: 1 p.m.-3:45 p.m. for grades 3 through 12
Cost: YMCA Family member, free; YMCA Youth member, $5 and program participant, $10 per visit
For more info: Call Midland YMCA at 682-2551

Midland Christian Mustang Summer Camps
Athlete's Edge
When: June 10-July 18
For: Boys and girls entering grades 9th-12th. Girls, 8-9:40 a.m.; Boys 9:45-11:30 a.m.
Cost: $150
For more info: Contact gmcclendon@midlandchristianschool.org
X-Factor Weight Clinic
When: 6-8 p.m., July 1-Aug. 8
For: Boys and girls entering grades 5th-8th
Tennis
For: Ages 4-8
Cost: $100
For more info: Contact jlanier@midlandchristianschool.org

Midland College Girls Basketball Camps FUNdamental Camp
When: 8:30 a.m.-Noon, July 15-18
Where: Midland College Physical Education Gymnasium
Cost: $90
Shooting Camp
When: 6-8 p.m. July 15-18
Where: Midland College Physical Education Gymnasium
Cost: $60
For more info: Contact MC Head Women's Basketball Coach Ron Jones at 685-4581 or rjones@midland.edu

Cycling

Permian Basin Bicycle Association Meetings
When: 7 p.m., third Monday of every month
Where: Atmos Energy's Fischer Community Room, 2304 Loop 40, Midland International Airport
Dues: $25/$30 for a family
For more info: Peyton's Bikes 699-1718 or go to www.pbbatx.com

Dodgeball

Sticks and Kicks Leagues
Who: Kids, adults, co-ed players
Cost: $35 per player (8 game season)
Where: Register at Sticks and Kicks, 3918 W. Wall
For more info: Call 520-6633

Fitness

Beach Body
When: 7-8 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
Note: Instructor is Tommy Hindman
For more info: Call 685-7355

P-90X/Beach Body Fitness Club
When: 12-1 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Yoga
When: 5:30-6:30 p.m., Tuesdays & Thursdays
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Cardio/Core
When: 11 a.m., Tuesdays & Thursday
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Flag Football

YMCA Officials Needed
What: The YMCA needs officials for Youth Flag Football games Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
For more info: Call 682-2551

Football

Permian Basin Officials Chapter seeks officials
Note: Education and training will be provided
For more info: Call Terrell Pierce at 559-5004 or Don Orren at 631-2395

Midland Lee Rebel Football Camp
When: Aug. 5-8
Where: Lee High School
For: 8:30-10 a.m., incoming 1st through 5th grades, 10:30 a.m.-noon, incoming 6th through 8th graders
Cost: $50 per athlete

2013 Bulldog Football Camp
When: July 22-26
Where: Memorial Stadium
For: 8-11 a.m., 4th-6th grades, 9-11 a.m. 7-8th grades, 10 a.m.-noon, 9th grade
For more info: Call 689-1195 or 689-1193

Crane 7 on 7 HS Tournament
When: July 6
Where: Crane
Cost: $150 per team
Deadline: July 3

Golf

Crossroads of West Texas Classic
When: June 21-23
Where: Big Spring Country Club
Cost: $200 per team
For more info: Call 267-5354 or the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce at 263-7641

Midland Women's City Golf Tournament
When: July 15-18
For: Any resident of Midland County, who has lived here for the last 30 days
Cost: $30
Deadline: Wednesday, July 10, 2013
Note: An established handicap index as of July 1, 2013 is required to participate
Entry forms: Can be picked up at Midland Country Club, Green Tree Country Club, Hogan Park Golf Course, Ranchland Hills Golf Club, Nueva Vista Golf Club

Hogan Park Junior Golf Summer Program
When: Session II: July 22-26; Session III, Aug. 5-9; Check-in, 9:30 a.m., Clinic, 10 a.m.-Noon
For: Boys and girls ages 9-17
Cost: $100 per session
For more info: Call Hogan Park Golf Shop at 685-7360 or jon@hoganparkgolf.com

Pee Wee Golf Summer Program
When: Session II, July 22-24; Session III, Aug. 5-7. Check-in, 8 a.m., Clinic, 8:30-9:30 a.m.
For: Boys and girls 4-8
Cost: $70
For more info: Call Hogan Park Golf Shop at 685-7360 at jon@hoganparkgolf.com

Ice Hockey

Jackalopes Amateur Hockey Association
Where: MCM Ice, Odessa
When: May through August
What: Hockey 101 Skills and Drill every Tuesday, 7-8 p.m., for beginners to advanced; Power skating every Saturday, 13 year olds, 8:30-10 a.m., 14 year olds, 10:15-11:45 a.m.
Cost: $15 per class, helmet required
For more info: Contact jaxyouthhockey@hotmail.com or call 661-3453

Martial Arts

Aikido
When: Monday-Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 12:30 p.m.
Note: Specializing in traditional Hombu style Aikido
For more info: Call John Riggs, 684-7008 or 770-3155

Cardio Kickboxing Class
When: Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do and Fitness Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
Cost: $35 a month
For more info: Call 689-8139

Women's Self Defense Class
When: Monday and Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, 6 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
For more info: Call 697-8554

Private Tae Kwon-Do lessons
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
For more info: Call 697-8554

Brazilian Jiu Jitsu
When: 6-8 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, 2-3 p.m. Saturdays
Where: Perez Martial Arts Academy, 350 N. Midland Dr., Suite A
For more info: Call 634-9621 or (469) 248-8472

Matthews Martial Arts
When: Monday through Thursday, 5-9 p.m.
What: Karate-Judo-Jujitsu-Kempo-KungFu
For: Ages 3 and up
Where: 3205 Cuthbert
For more info: Contact Jason Matthews at 488-7467 or 689-8444

Taekwondo
When: 6-7 p.m. Tuesday nights, Saturdays 10-11 a.m.
Where: MLK Center, 2300 Butternut
For more info: Call 685-7355

Miscellaneous

Student-Athlete Sports Consultant
For: Assisting high school student athletes with academic-athletic scholarships
For more info: Call Jacob Santillano at (915) 240-1030

Etiquette
When: 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays
Note: Instructors is Natalie Cargile
For more info: Call 685-7355

Poker

Lone Star Poker League
What: Free to play Texas Hold 'em Poker tournaments
For: Beginners to experienced players. Ages 21 and up
When/where: 7 p.m., Sunday-Monday, Wednesday through Friday at Woofers & Tweeters. 7 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday, The Detour. Players must be signed in by 6:45 p.m. each night
For more info: Go to www.lonestarpokertour.net

Professional Wrestling

Old School Wrestling School
What: Professional wrestling school for all ages.
Where: 404 E. 61st St., Odessa
When: 7-10 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; 2-6 p.m. Sunday
Cost: $50 down; $35 a month
For more info: Call Fred, 770-7001, or Sam, 349-3055

Rugby

Midland Mad Dog Rugby Club
What: Recruiting for 2012-13 season, no experience necessary
For: Participants 16 years and older, need shorts, t-shirt or jersey, cleats or running shoes, watch
When: Practice is 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays
For more info: Go to www.maddogrugby.com

Midland Rugby (Bloodhounds) Club
For more info: Call Joshua 661-7147

HHD Dads & Lads Rugby
When: 7-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays
Where: Cowden Park
For more info: 212-6088

Running

Permian Basin Running Club
Cost: $20 per year for individual membership, $30 for per year for family membership
For more info: Go to www.pbrunningclub.com or email Shawn Hailey, president at haileyshawn@pbrunningclub.com

Gazelles Training Group
When: 6 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call Popcorn Leonard at 512-762-1020 or 682-0988

Shooting

Comanche Trail Shootists
What: Single Action Shooting Society affiliated club in Midland
When: Monthly shoots first Saturday and third Sunday of each month, first Saturday beginning at 10 a.m.; Third Sunday from 1 p.m. (Mandatory safety meeting at 12:30 p.m.) Also shoot on fifth Sunday on months that have them (begin at 1 p.m. and are no cost to the shooter); Mandatory safety meeting at 9:30 a.m.
Where: Timberline Ranch adjacent to Jake's Clays
For more info: Go to comanchetrailshootists.org or call Hoodoo Brown 682-1422.

Midland Shooters Association
What: All types of shooting practice and competition, featuring archery, benchrest rifle, bulls-eye rifle, high power rifle, pistol silhouette, rimfire silhouette, 3 gun, practical pistol, skeet, trap 5 stale and sporting clays.
When: Members can access rifle and pistol ranges from sunrise to sunset seven days a week. Shotgun ranges open 11 a.m. until dusk Wednesday to Sunday.
For more info: Go to www.midlandshooters.com

Soccer

Permian Basin Soccer Association
What: Registration for women's spring/summer season
Where: Dunagan Park, located at corner of Gist and Terrell
When: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 7 to 8:30 p.m.
For more info: Contact Jesus Chavez at 557-7032 anytime or Josh Chavez at 238-6947 after 6:30 p.m.

Midland Soccer Association
For: Youth Recreational League Ages 4-18
When: Spring/Fall Games
Note: Also information on becoming a certified referee
For more info: Register online at www.midlandsoccer.com and go to 432-684-5425

Softball

Midland Softball Association Tournament Schedule
Now available at www.midlandsoftball.com
For more info: call Tommy Hawkins at 520-9100

Midland Men's Woodbat Fastpitch Association
What: Men's fastpitch softball
For more info: Call 634-6474 or visit www.facebook.com/pages/Midland-Texas-Mens-Fastpitch or wyofastpitch@gmail.com

USA Softball Jr. Men's National Fastpitch Team looking for players
For: Boys players born between 1995 and 1998
Note: No softball experience is needed
For more info: Tim Lyon, USA Jr Men's National Team coach, 801-244-7477 or Dave Parker, West Texas Men's Fastpitch Association, 634-6474 or wyofastpitch@gmail.com

Swimming

COM Pre-competitive swimming
Where: Mabee Aquatic Center
Cost: $49 per month
Prerequisite: Must be able to swim 25 yards or freestyle or backstroke
For more info: 684-7755

COM Water Aerobics Classes
When: All times, Monday through Saturday
Who: All skill levels
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Learn to Swim
Ages: All ages
Note: Private, semi-private and group lessons are available
For more info: 684-7755

COM Masters Swimming
What: Competitive or non-competitive program for adults of all skill levels
When: 5-6 a.m., 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Cost: $40 per month (includes cardio training)
For more info: Call 684-7755

COM Diving Instruction
Who: All ages and levels invited
For more info: 684-7755

COM Learn to Dive
What: Learn basic skills for beginners then advance to pre-competitive and competitive diving that emphasize skilled diving techniques and participation in diving meets
Ages: 4 and up
For more info: 684-7755

COM Competitive Dive Team
Who: Try out for Bronze, Silver, Gold Prep or Gold levels of COM Dive Team
What: Emphasizes is on diving techniques and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: 684-7755

COM Elite Dive Team
What: Highest level of COM diving. Concentrates on perfecting Olympic level skills, national and international travel
For more info: 684-7755

COM Competitive Swim Team
Who: Try out for COM Swim Team, tryouts available by appointment
What: Emphasizes stroke correction and participation in local and out of town competitive meets
For more info: 684-7755

COM Adult Conditioning
What: Allows adult participation use of top quality lap pools and fitness room during specified hours
For more info: 684-7755

COM Water Walking Class
What: Unstructured, self-paced class
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

COM Senior Fitness Class
Who: Senior citizens that need help with physical conditions resulting from injury, disease, chronic conditions, advanced age, etc.
For more info: Call Tommy McAlister at 684-7755

Central YMCA Water Aerobics Classes
When: Early morning, morning and evening
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Arthritis Water Exercise Classes
When: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Swimming Lessons
Who: All ages and ability
For more info: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Central YMCA Synchronized Swimming
For: Ages 6 and up
For more information: Call Leaf Faller 682-2551

Tennis

West Texas Tennis Association
What: West Texas Tennis Association, a non-profit community tennis association, promotes and oversees USTA leagues, programs and events in the area
For more info: Call 432-563-1333 or www.westtexastennis.com for more information

Bush Tennis Center Youth Clinics
What: Tennis clinics for beginners to advanced players ranging from preschoolers to high school seniors. Ages 3-5, balloon tennis; ages 6-8, Quick Start (red ball); ages 9-10, Quick Start (orange and green ball); ages 11-18, junior development; all levels of adult programs
Where: Bush Tennis Center
For more info: Visit www.bushtenniscenter.com and click on "Programs & Events" or call, 620-8180

USTA Team Tennis Adult Leagues
When: Leagues run May through November
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Sherry 620-8610 or Email www.midlandtennis@aol.com

WTTA/USPTA Junior Circuit
For: Boys and girls singles players, ages 10-18
When: July 20, Sept. 18, Oct. 10
Register: By the Thursday before each event
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Contact Lance or Kathy at 694-6321

Midland Tennis Club (MTC)
What: MTC is a non-profit public tennis club for all ages, all levels. Tournaments are free for members. Non-members may play by paying a tournament fee.
When: July 13-14, Aug. 17-18; Sept. 14-15; Sept. 21-22; Nov. 16-17
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
Annual dues: $65 Adults; $30 Youths, $140 Families
Call: 687-4046 or 563-1333 to join

Midland College tennis classes
When: Tuesdays and Thursdays 12:30 to 1:50 p.m.
Where: Midland College
For more info: Midland College 685-4500 or Lance Armstrong 687-4046

Youth Clinics
When: For children 4-8 years of age (Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:30 to 4 p.m.) and 9-15 years of age (Mondays and Wednesdays, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: 687-4046

Midland Women's Tennis Association fall league
For more info: 689-4340

Track & Field

Midland Crusaders Track Club Summer program
When: 6:30-8:30 p.m., Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, May 28 through Aug. 2
Where: Lee High School Track
For: Boys and girls 8-18 years old
For more info: Call Tony Goyang at 694-2424 or 349-1125

Tall City Christian Track Club
When: 6-8 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, through Aug. 1
Where: Midland Memorial Stadium
For: Ages 7-18
For more info: Call Farris Strambler at 685-1179 or email MichelleBarnes@pbmhmr.com

Walking

Midland Walkabout AVA Club Meetings
When: Fun Walks, 10K, 3rd Saturday morning of the month; Monthly meeting 3rd Sunday at 5 p.m.
Where: Fun Walks, vary; meetings in Room 227, First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave.
Who: All ages
For more info: Call Alex Rose 687-2588 or go to www.midlandwalkabout.org

Toll Free: 1-800-881-8164 • Fax: 682-6999 • Email: mrtclassified@mrt.com • Search: mywesttexas.com • Mail: 201 E. Illinois, 79701

PLACING AN AD:
Call 682-6222
Monday through Friday
from 8a.m.-5p.m.
A friendly Advertising Consultant will help you word and schedule your ad for best results

HOW TO WRITE A CLASSIFIED AD THAT WORKS!
- Promote Your Merchandise
- Check The Market Value
- Always Include The Price
- Keyword Your Ad

Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified

mywesttexas.com 682-6222

Notices | Auto | Real Estate | Jobs | Marty's Market | Who's Who

GENERAL INFO

To ensure the integrity of our newspaper, for the benefit of our readers and advertisers, the Midland Reporter-Telegram reserves the right to revise, reclassify, edit or refuse any advertising. We also reserve the right to convert all advertising into digital and/or print formats within our other products and services.

Please check your ad the first day it appears, and, if you find a mistake, please call our office at 682-6222 so we can correct the error immediately. This will ensure that your ad is exactly what you want readers to see. If an error does occur, you can choose to rerun your ad once for free, or we'll gladly refund the cost of the portion of the ad affected by the error. If an ad is inadvertently omitted, we will assume liability up to the cost of the ad itself – consequently, we will publish your ad in our next available edition or refund the price you have paid.

Rate charges are determined at the time of placement. All ads accepted are subject to credit approval. Some classifications require payment in advance. Credit applications are required for business accounts.

We welcome suggestions or comments. Please call: Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager, 687-8894.

HAPPY ADS

Surprise your child, parent, or special friend with a Happy Ad!

Happy Birthday! Congratulations! Welcome Home! Graduation Day!

We'll help you design something unique and publish it in the Midland Reporter-Telegram Classifieds...whatever the occasion!

Publish a special memorial to mark the passing of a loved one with an "In Memory Of" ad. Include a poem, prayer, and/or the names of all who care. Also, express your appreciation to everyone who brought food, sent flowers, or was there for you when you needed them most with a "Card of Thanks." We'll help you design a respectful, thoughtful ad.

Ads containing art or photos need to be in our office 2 working days before the ad is to be published and we ask that you pay in advance.

DEADLINES

WORD ADS:

PUBLISHES ON	DEADLINE IS
Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri	5p.m. Prior Day
Saturday	12p.m. Friday
Sunday	5p.m. Friday
Monday	5p.m. Friday

DISPLAY ADS:

PUBLISHES ON:	DEADLINE IS
Wednesday	3p.m. Monday
Thursday	3p.m. Tuesday
Friday, Saturday	3p.m. Wednesday
Sunday, Monday	3p.m. Thursday
Tuesday	3p.m. Friday

Midland Reporter-Telegram • The People To People Marketplace • 201 E. Illinois

The Bottom Line

Newspaper delivers the consumers that advertisers most want to reach - those with higher household incomes, more education and more job responsibility. Nationally, more than 54 million newspapers are sold daily, with an average of 2.3 readers per copy. And on Sunday, more than 56 million newspapers are sold, with an average of 2.5 readers per copy. That's mass coverage!

So put your messages where they will be seen, read, clipped and acted upon - in the Midland Reporter-Telegram

Newspaper sections provide advertisers with unique targeting opportunities

Midland Reporter-Telegram
Delivering life...every day.

201 EAST ILLINOIS AVENUE • MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 • 432-682-5311 • MYWESTTEXAS.COM

Legal & Public Notices

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Midland, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas until 2:00 p.m. on July 10, 2013 for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for constructing certain improvements at Midland International Airport, Midland, Texas. These improvements are contained in the plans and specifications entitled, "City of Midland, Texas, Midland International Airport, Terminal Vehicle Parking Expansion, Phase I" dated June 2013.

Immediately following the closing time for receipt of bids, proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

The principal items of work are set forth in specific detail in the proposal section of these specifications; however, the work items may be generally described as: 10,000 square yards of hot mix asphaltic concrete pavement, 1,150 linear feet of concrete curb and gutter, shade structures, automated access controls, fencing and striping.

The work will also include other miscellaneous materials, equipment, machinery, superintendence and labor for constructing these improvements for the Midland International Airport, Midland, Texas.

A bid proposal guaranty is to accompany the bid, thereby guaranteeing the good faith of the bidder and that the bidder will enter into the written contract. The guaranty is to amount to five percent (5%) of the total bid and must be in the form of cash or certified check, issued by a bank satisfactory to the City of Midland, or a bid bond.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file in the office of the Director of Airports, Midland International Airport, Midland, Texas, at the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 1700 W. Wall Street, Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79701, phone (432) 697-1447.

Paper copies of the plans and specifications may be secured at the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 1700 W. Wall Street, Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79701, (432) 697-1447, at a cost of $50.00 for a set of specifications and full size plans. The cost for the plans and specifications is **NON-REFUNDABLE**. Download documents (.pdf file extension format) can be obtained from PSC's Info Exchange web site after registering as a plan holder with the office issuing paper copies. There is no cost or deposit required for this option.

CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS
Amy M. Turner
City Secretary

Lost & Found

FOUND BEAGLE Garfield & Loop 250 Please call to identify. 432-230-1415

FOUND DOG - black female Lab on Illinois & Thomason 432-661-4499

FOUND Dachshund male Brown Sunday 6.16 432-230-4883

FOUND LARGE (Box?) Turtle vicinity D St & Princeton 432-694-2728

FOUND MALE Beagle at Lee High School 432-352-3357

FOUND SMALL Dog vicinity of Front & H St Friday 6.14 call to identify 423-559-0650

FOUND Wadley Midkiff small dog red long hair w/white patch 432-235-9340

LOST 6.13.13 Reddish brown terrier mix female dog wearing a pink zebra collar with tags. $300 REWARD Call 432-528-3583 or 432-687-4671

LOST 6mo old Sheltie conure $300 Reward Named Tiki colors are yellow & orange on head & green feathers Lost 6.18 in the vicinity of Ruby Dr Pls call 432-230-0724 or 432-661-1604 He is very friendly and will go to anyone

LOST FEMALE Yorkie recently had babies not wearing collar or ID from Neely Garfield area Please call 432-570-6141 REWARD

LOST GERMAN Shepherd white female with pink collar & tags REWARD 432-218-6960 432-230-9664

Legal & Public Notices

BID #6637-13

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

Project Name: City of Midland Paving Alleys, Streets, and Sidewalks

The City of Midland, Texas is soliciting bids for the furnishing of materials and labor for the paving of alleys, streets, and sidewalks together with other miscellaneous and appurtenant work.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held in the basement conference room of City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 10, 2013.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to condition of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

The contract may be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or to the bidder who provides goods or services at the best value to the municipality as referred to in Section 252.043(b) of the Texas Local Government Code.

Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file for viewing in the office of the Purchasing Manager, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland, Texas. The contract documents may be purchased at the office of the Purchasing Manager, second floor, 300 North Loraine Street, Midland, Texas for a non-refundable purchase price of $50.00 per set.

Bids will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas, until 11:00 AM on the 17th day of July, 2013. Bids will be opened and read aloud at that time.

Meetings

Masonic Lodges

Communications
1600 W. Wall
432-853-1273
Stated Meetings
Acacia Lodge #1414
1st & 3rd Tues
@ 7:30pm
Midland Lodge #623
2nd & 4th Thurs
7:30pm
Centennial Lodge #1448
1st & 3rd Sat
8:30am
Did you know
General Douglas MacArthur was a Master Mason?

Passenger Cars

SKY mazda of Odessa
6101 E. BUSINESS 20
ODESSA, TX 79762
432-617-8040
SKYMAZDA.COM

Mazda named the lowest cost to own for 2013 by Kelly Blue Book (KBB.com)

mazda of Midland
5115 W LOOP 250 NORTH
MIDLAND, TX 79707
432-617-2273
MAZDAOFMIDLAND.COM

STARTING AT $21,675

*1.9% APR for 60 months

2014 MAZDA6

STARTING AT $21,990

6 months free gas

2013 MAZDA CX-5

STARTING AT $17,690

*0% for 60 or $1000

2013 MAZDA3

Choose from over 100 Pre-Owned

Certified
2012 Mazda5 $12884 U12407

Cars
2012 Fiat 500 $13995 U12453
2012 Malibu $14995 M12377
2012 Fusion $15750 U12419

Specialty
1980 CJ-5 $8995 U12425
2006 Acura RSX $9995 2416MA
2013 VW Beetle $20984 U12451

Luxury
2010 Mercedes C300 $26795 U12475
2011 BMW 328i $29884 U12452
2012 Lincoln MKT $31884 U12471
2012 Cadillac CTS $32750 U12464
2010 Mercedes E350 $35884 U12474
2010 BMW 535i GT $37950 U12448
2010 Mercedes GL450 $38895 U12444
2011 Land Rover Range Rover HSE $56884 U12443

Trucks
2008 Ram Flat Bed $9995 U12478
2007 Silverado $17750 U12455
2011 Ram 2500 $19884 U12408
2010 Silverado Crew $22784 U12457
2010 F150 Crew Lariat 4x4 $24880 U12465
2012 Sierra Crew SLT $31875 U12447

*APR specials for qualified customers from dealer stock. $1000 customer cash on 2013 new Mazda3 from dealer stock. Offers cannot be combined. 6 months free gas on new in stock 2013 Mazda CX-5 paid by gift card equal to 6000 miles/ 32 mpg hwy * 3.42 per gal or $641.25. All offers subject to approved credit and prior sale and end 6/30/2013 while supplies last.

Lost & Found

FOUND AN ITEM?

If you are trying to return an item to its rightful owner, let us help you. Call 432-682-6222 For Your Complimentary Ad!

Marty's Marketplace

... leading you to the best bargains in the Permian Basin

Merchandise

Appliances

1- AAA Appliance 1 hour free pickup. Call 556-0104 / 528-3046.

MOVING SALE Washer/Dryer $75. Book shelf $50. 432-889-5528 for more info

REFRIGERATOR $175, Double Door Refrigerator $225, Upright Freezer $250, Washer $160, Dryer $125, Front End Washer $250, Front End Dryer $175. Electric stove. Call 432-352-7988.

Free Stuff

FREE WOODEN PALLETS!
Midland Reporter-Telegram (on dock side)

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Furniture

COUCH AND loveseat $200, big reclining chair $50, queen mattress $75. Call 432-352-7988

Free Stuff

If You Have Items You Are Giving Away For FREE, Your Ad Is On Us! CALL 432-682-6222 TODAY!

Furniture

10 Sections metal shelving, 2'x4'x7' $50 each. 4 sections rotating file, legal depth 60" tall, $200 each. 2 sections 84" tall $250 each. 20) 5 drawer lateral files, great shape, $450 each. 20 vertical 4 drawer legal, files $125 each, 432-557-1927

Miscellaneous for Sale

2 TRAILERS - 1 welder type $500. 1 car hauler 6x14 $700. Ferguson tractor w/ disk tiller & blade $2500. 432-694-5850

CEMETERY PLOTS (2)-Resthaven Memorial Park Midland, Last supper Garden-List price $2400 each, will sell both for $4000 or Best Offer! call 281-856-0620

COKE BOTTLES & holders, Humming Bird novelties, collectibles, include old magazines, records, plates, books, etc. Lots of misc. Some furniture too. Low prices. Call private party 694-9491.

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Miscellaneous for Sale

3308 WCR 182 (Skywest Airport) Midland 1948 Military Jeep. Frame off restoration in 1996. $9,500. 2011 North Trail Bumper pull travel trailer, only 3 trips of 250 miles or less. Always garaged since new. Two slides, heat & air. Absolutely like new. New $37,000 now $25,000. 1952 Ford 8-N "Red Belly" tractor, needs some work. Bought new Mahindra, so selling Ford. $3,500. 5' Shredder for above, new in 1996. $200. Post hole digger for 3 point hitch. Railroad set. 8'x8' base on rollers. 3 Coca Cola trains, lighted buildings, farm set, windmills, etc. $500. Electronics: TV's, radios, CD players, etc Las Vegas "Bally" nickel slot machine, and 25 cent poker machine. Office desk, file cabinets, wrought iron, GE AC/ heater, lots of misc.

Miscellaneous for Sale

KEN'S RV SALES
5904 W. Hwy 80
Midland, TX. 79706
432-697-6447
KENSRVSALES.COM
KNOWLEDGEABLE STAFF
for your RV Needs!
Mon - Fri 8:30-5:30 pm
Sat 9:00-3:00 pm
• MOBILE REPAIR SERVICE
• EXPANDED PARTS DEPT.
• INSURANCE CLAIMS
• FULL SERVICE DEALER
• PROPANE

FOR SALE by owner cemetary plot located at Sunset Memorial Gardens, 580-492-5859

Over 1,300 books, new and old, all subjects, famous authors, most are first editions, great for bookstore or home library, $2,000 for all or $2.00 each. Call 432-352-4895 or 432-362-0568.

USED SUNSETTER, good condition, 10 ft wide, reels out to about 8 ft, $175. Black lacquer dining set with China hutch, 6 chairs, 64" table with 18" leaf, $700. Craftsman, 10" compound miter saw with stand, $175. 432-699-5951, 634-4234.

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Sporting Goods

PERMIAN BASIN Gun Show - Ector County Coliseum, Odessa TX, Building G.
Saturday & Sunday, June 22nd 9am-5pm June 23rd, 9am-5pm.
Guns, knives, reloading supplies, pistol grips, coins, jewelry, Army surplus & complete line of ammunition.
Sponsored by: John and Shirley Pokorny

Miscellaneous for Sale

VINTAGE LEATHER Dallas Cowboys jacket. Jimmy Johnson Era, $375. Vintage wedding gown size 10. Queen-anne neckline, 4' train with vail slip, $450 obo. Antique Seth Thomas wall/mantle clock, $325. 432-352-6127.

Real Wheel Deals! only $35 w/Photo
Call for Information
432-682-6222

Musical Instruments

HAVE A student in band needing a used 602 King Comet?- $325 firm. Also for sale, used Acoustic Classical Guitar, excellent condition $75. Call 432-425-4424

Sporting Goods

Deer lease 10,000 acres perfect for company or large group. Some feeders & blinds in place. Water & electricity provided, small cabin. Hunt from September 1st to February 28th. Can divide. 432-631-1331.

Tools & Hardware

1999 LINCOLN ranger welder, home made trailer, $1895. Has less than 800 working hours. 432-682-5157

Industrial Products & Supplies

Agriculture & Farm Equipment, Parts & Supplies

1961 FORD Tractor with mower, good running condition. $3000. Call 432-699-8088.

KUBOTA L3300 Diesel, 4-wheel drive, 8-speed hydrostatic transmission, like brand-new, only 174 hours, 6-foot shredder, rotary tiller, disk harrow, broadcast seeder/fertilizer, toolbar with sweeps, box blade, 3-point lift. All like new for only $17,000. Call 432-664-9009.

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Agriculture & Farm Equipment, Parts & Supplies

REPOSSESSED: Must sell, 2 Quonset steel buildings, one is 60x200 still crated in Lubbock TX warehouse. Call Bob at 800-956-6341.

10" ALUMINUM Water Transfer Pipe and Fittings. Waterdog Irrigation Co. (806) 385-4620

Animals & Pets

Livestock & Feed

ROUND BALES FOR SALE $95.00 TO $125.00 CUT THIS MONTH. HIGH PROTEIN 432-413-9312

Pets

AKC LAB PUPPIES $250. Call 432-770-4877.

Pets

AKC WESTIE pups for sale! M/$400-F/$500 Will be ready to go 6/28/13. For more info or pics please text or leave message 432-661-4726

Border Collie Male. 8 month old Black/White Recent shots. Free to good home. 432-553-3216

BORDER COLLIES Champion working ABCA registered lines. Black, Red and Merles now available. See abbordercollies.com or our Facebook page. Call 806 777-5577.

LAB PUPPIES AKC & started dogs. Hips/ eyes guaranteed. Training available. Pooles Labs. www.pooleslabs.com. Call (806) 633-4364.

MINIATURE DONKEYS, Registered, Pedigreed, in Big Spring. 1 yr old, Gray-Dun Jenny, 2 yr old, Dark Brown Jenny, 4 month old, Dark Brown Jack. Call 432-466-2294

PUG PUPPIES, 1st shots & papers, 1 black female, 2 fawn females $400. Call 432-352-0156.

Legal & Public Notices

JOINT NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS §
§ BY VIRTUE OF ORDERS OF SALE
COUNTY OF Midland §

DATED the 3rd day of June, 2013, and issued pursuant to judgment decrees of the District Court of Midland County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in the hereinafter numbered and styled causes, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on the 3rd day of June, 2013, seized, levied upon, and will on the 2nd day of July, 2013, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Midland, at 10:00 A.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, as provided for by the TEXAS PROPERTY TAX CODE.

All of the following properties being located in Midland County, Texas and each property being more particularly described on an instrument recorded in the Volume and Page reference (V___/P___) or document number of the Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. The approximate property addresses reflected herein are the addresses on the tax records and may or may not be completely accurate.

PROP #	CAUSE #	STYLE	PROP DESCRIPTION, ADDRESS, ACCT #
1	TX12193	Midland Central Appraisal District v Danny Barela et al, in the 441st District Court	Lot 9, Block 9, Barber Cole Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1065, Page 564), 1604 North Main Street, Account #R09949
2	TX12246	Midland Central Appraisal District v Pablo Hernandez, in the 441st District Court	Lot 11, Block 16, Permian Estates Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 974, Page 440), 3303 Tanner Drive, Midland, Texas 79703-6535, Account #R37349
3	TX12387	Midland Central Appraisal District v Brenda Carol Risper et al, in the 142nd District Court	Lot 13, Block 37, Greenwood Addition, 707 South Tilden Street, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1155, Page 721), Account #R23722
4	TX12480	Midland Central Appraisal District v Ervin Young et al, in the 385th District Court	Lot 3, Block 57, Park Avenue Heights Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1517, Page 311), 1304 East New York Avenue, Account #R35965
5	TX12573	Midland Central Appraisal District v Jeremy Green et al, in the 441st District Court	3.00 Acres out of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 4, Block 38, T-2-S, Midland County, Texas (Instrument 2009-18739), 4600 FM Road 307, Account #R3390
6	TX12603	Midland Central Appraisal District v Maria Gonzalez AKA Maria Leyva, in the 142nd District Court	Land only being 1.230 Acres out of Section 33, Block 38, T-1-S AKA Lot 2, Elkins Ranch, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1925, Page 649 SAVE AND EXCEPT that property conveyed in Instrument 2009-11907), 4101 East County Road 79, Account #R2550
7	TX12612	Midland Central Appraisal District v Richey Elton Truitt et al, in the 441st District Court	Lots 1 and 2, Block 12, Section 4, Westview Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1207, Page 146 and Volume 1708, Page 232), Account #R51660/ R51661
8	TX12748	Midland Central Appraisal District v Larry Woodruff et al, in the 238th District Court	Lot 16, Block 4, Glenmore Heights Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 476, Page 200 and Volume 2377, Page 334), 1411 Chestnut Ave., Account #R20966
9	TX12867	Midland Central Appraisal District v Devon Petterson et al, in the 142nd District Court	Lot D, Block 46, Original Town Addition, to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1849, Page 377), 105 N. Lamesa Road, Account #R35247
10	TX12876	Midland Central Appraisal District v Pablo Lozano and Norma Lozano, now known as Norma Garcia Ortega, in the 441st District Court	Lot 7, Block 142, Southern Addition, to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 789, Page 212), 611 S. Dallas Street, Account #R45660
11	TX12881	Midland Central Appraisal District v Emilio Madrid et al, in the 385th District Court	Lot 15A, Block 14, Bizzell Kiser Addition, Section 4, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1420, Page 718), 307 E. Stokes Ave., Account #R11887
12	TX12903	Midland Central Appraisal District v Lillie Jones et al, in the 441st District Court	Lot 5, Block 37, Moody Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 827, Page 313), 208 N. Madison St., Account #R32669
13	TX12908	Midland Central Appraisal District v Cynthia Lujan et al, in the 238th District Court	Lot 4, Block 3, Holloway Addition Replat to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 2611, Page 779), 928 N. Dallas St., Account #R25645
14	TX12908	Midland Central Appraisal District v Cynthia Lujan et al, in the 238th District Court	Lot 5, Block 3, Holloway Addition Replat to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 2611, Page 779), 930 N. Dallas St., Account #R25646
15	TX12916	Midland Central Appraisal District v Oscar Valencia, in the 238th District Court	South half of Lot 8, all of Lots 9 and 10, and North 10 feet of Lot 11, Block 2, Edwards Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 728, Page 521), 934 N. Ft. Worth St., Account #R17546
16	TX12916	Midland Central Appraisal District v Oscar Valencia, in the 238th District Court	South 40 feet of Lot 11 and the North 20 feet of Lot 12, Block 2, Edwards Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 954, Page 143), 932 N. Ft. Worth St., Account #R17547
17	TX12948	Midland Central Appraisal District v Maria Arizpe, in the 441st District Court	Lot 10, Block 12, Midland Heights Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Instrument 2011-3320), 1204 W. Dakota Ave., Account #R31053
18	TX12950	Midland Central Appraisal District v Aurelio Gonzales et al, in the 142nd District Court	Lot 8A, Block 10, Section 4, Bizzell-Kiser Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1039, Page 603), 209 E. Longview Avenue, Account #R11813
19	TX12974	Midland Central Appraisal District v Ladislao M. Soto et al, in the 142nd District Court	Lot 6, Block 17, Permian Estates Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1026, Page 545), 3505 Tanner Dr., Account #R37366
20	TX12986	Midland Central Appraisal District v Raymond Ochoa, Jr. et al, in the 142nd District Court	Lot 8, Block 12, Permian Estates Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1441, Page 38), 3601 Travis Avenue, Account #R37258
21	TX13026	Midland Central Appraisal District v Norma Linda Gomez et al, in the 238th District Court	East 1/2 of a 20.00 Acres, more or less, out of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 25, Block 39, T-4-S, Midland County, Texas (Document #2010-19245), 1100 E. FM 1379, Account #R207255
22	TX13031	Midland Central Appraisal District v Joseph A. Barron, in the 238th District Court	Lot 12, Block 46, Permian Estates Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1893, Page 598), 503 Devonian Dr., Account #R38037
23	TX13038	Midland Central Appraisal District v Martha Mesquita, in the 441st District Court	West 35 feet of Lot 2 and the East 35 feet of Lot 3, Block 126, West End Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (A part of that in Volume 2245, Page 560), 1703 W. Washington Ave., Account #R52570
24	TX13039	Midland Central Appraisal District v Jesus Rafael Natividad, in the 238th District Court	Lots 2 and 3, Block 11, South Park Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 1151, Page 351 and Volume 1426, Page 76), 1204 S. Weatherford, Account #R44575
25	TX13048	Midland Central Appraisal District v Anastacio Lozano, in the 142nd District Court	0.478 Acre, more or less, out of Tract #1, , Bizzell Kiser Subdivision, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 885, Page 523), 515 E. Montgomery Ave., Account #R11681
26	TX13111	Midland Central Appraisal District v Pedro Deleon, in the 238th District Court	A Crestridge Manufactured Home, Label #TEX0493335, Serial #CRHTX1299, located at 3512 S. County Road 1307 1/2, Midland County, Texas, Account #M185470
27	TX13117	Midland Central Appraisal District v Brenda Dunlap, in the 238th District Court	An Oakwood Manufactured Home, Label #NTA0037955, Serial #HOC0F8016CK3F00168, located at 7100 Airline Drive, Space 404, Midland County, Texas, Account #M105019
28	TX13148	Midland Central Appraisal District v Carl Lewis, Jr., in the 238th District Court	Lot 6, Block 5, Greenwood Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas (Volume 421, Page 562 and Probate Cause Nos. P06946 and P07345), 310 S. Clay, Account #R23346

This sale will be conducted to satisfy the judgment(s) for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interests due on the properties described herein, and for all costs of court and sale.

I do hereby verify that true and correct copies of the foregoing Joint Notice of Sale have been delivered by United States Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, and by regular mail, to each of the Defendants named in each of the numbered and styled causes.

DATED the 3rd day of June, 2013, at Midland, Texas
GARY PAINTER
Sheriff, Midland County, Texas
By: ______________________
KEN COLSTON, Sergeant

You may contact the Midland Central Appraisal District at (432) 699-4991.
4631 Andrews Highway, Midland, Texas 79703.

Lost & Found

LOST OLDER black Chihuahua mix with a bobbed tail. Gray face. $200 REWARD! Call 830-377-6980. 432-260-3231

Passenger Cars

2006 CHRYSLER 300 SRT8 63,000 miles, magnaflow cat-back exhaust, cold air induction, Diablo Intune programmer included. Very nice and very fast! $19,500 Call Bryan at 325-201-1078

CAMARO 2010 SS, V8, leather $27,000. Call 432-559-4977

Passenger Cars

2013 MERCEDES Benz CLS 550 - 4 matic - black on black, showroom condition, navigation, sunroof, loaded, garage kept, non-smoker, 9k miles. Sticker price $85,500. Will sacrifice- $75,000. Call 432-413-0394.

CADILLAC 2004 CTS, leather, sun roof, all options, one owner, good condition, 78K miles. $9,000. Call 432-553-9688.

HONDA 2005 Civic, red, 2 door. We finance. B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222.

Passenger Cars

CHEVY 2002 Monte Carlo SS, blue, black leather, sun roof, great condition, 118K miles, $4,000 Call 262-1886

CHEVY 2010 Corvette Grand Sport, silver, convert, 14k mi, 1 owner, always garaged, $43,500, 238-1373, 570-7604.

FORD 2006 Mustang GT V8, Warranty. We finance. B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222

MERCEDES 2003 ML350, mileage 44,600. excellent condition, leather interior, heated seats, color-maroon, asking $15,000.00 (432) 661-1225

OLDSMOBILE 2004 Alero. Gold, 4dr, 6 cylinder, TMU, very nice car. Only $2500. Call 432-218-9941

PONTIAC 2009 G6 convertible leather/heated seats, 24k miles, 1 owner, good condition, $19,000, 432-269-8595.

Exotic Cars

MERCEDES BENZ, 1967 250SE Coupe. Gas, 4 speed on floor, European model, very rare. Looks brand new. Garaged and under cover. Serious inquiries only! $38,000, 432-688-2406.

Antique & Vintage

1955 STUDEBAKER Commander $1500 OBO. 575-390-6475

Pickup Trucks

2008 FORD XLT Supercrew - Very clean with a 5.4 V-8, 4 speed auto transmission, air, limited slip differential, new tires, bug deflector, chrome headache, and weather guard toolbox. 115k miles, asking $17,000. Call 432-556-9629.

2013 FORD Raptor SVT - 4 x 4 Crew Cab, black on black, perfect condition, garage kept, non-smoker, 8k miles, many aftermarket upgrades. $57,500. Call 432-413-0394.

General Announcements

ATTENTION:
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!
Wed. June 26th @ 10am
2936 E. IH-20, Odessa, TX 79766 (Behind Roper Equipment)
Featuring: Construction Machinery, Multiple Cranes, Oilfield Trucks & Equipment, Heavy Haul Trucks & Trailers, Pickups, One Tons and more, over 200 lots.
To consign, call Matt at 210 825-9531
www.MachineryAuctioneers.com
210-648-2225
7% Buyers Premium Onsite, 10% Online
TX. LIC 16858 Sprute Dickerson

Legal & Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE:

This Texas Lottery Commission Scratch-Off game will close on July 14, 2013. You have until January 10, 2014, to redeem any tickets for this game: **#1486 Cash Excitement** ($20) overall odds are 1 in 3.05. These Texas Lottery Commission Scratch-Off games will close on August 28, 2013. You have until February 24, 2014, to redeem any tickets for these games: **#1399 Easy Money** ($2) overall odds are 1 in 4.14, **#1497 Great Golden 8's** ($2) overall odds are 1 in 4.38, **#1449 Chili Pepper Tripler** ($3) overall odds are 1 in 3.97, **#1488 Instant Riches** ($5) overall odds are 1 in 3.65. The odds listed here are the overall odds of winning any prize in a game, including break-even prizes. Lottery retailers are authorized to redeem prizes of up to and including $599. Prizes of $600 or more must be claimed in person at a Lottery Claim Center or by mail with a completed Texas Lottery claim form; however, annuity prizes or prizes over $1,000,000 must be claimed in person at the Commission Headquarters in Austin. Call Customer Service at 1-800-37LOTTO or visit the Lottery Web site at txlottery.org for more information and location of nearest Claim Center. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for lost or stolen tickets, or for tickets lost in the mail. Tickets, transactions, players, and winners are subject to, and players and winners agree to abide by, all applicable laws, Commission rules, regulations, policies, directives, instructions, conditions, procedures, and final decisions of the Executive Director. A Scratch-Off game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed. Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase a Texas Lottery ticket. PLAY RESPONSIBLY. The Texas Lottery supports Texas education.

Legal & Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

Steve Ausmus and Glenda Willis are no longer employed by, or in any way associated with A-1 Office Furniture, A-1 Office Furniture Movers or any derivation of these names that may possibly be tied back to A-1 Office Furniture at 401 W. Industrial Ave. Midland, TX. This relationship was officially dissolved on May 15, 2013. A-1 Office Furniture and its owners, Harry and Lola Crawford encourage anyone who has purchased products or services from Steve and/or Glenda or has purchased office furniture and/or folding chairs from them to call : (432) 683-6181, call the police department or email information to a_1officefurniture@hotmail.com

Newspapers are a major force in the shopping experience of Americans. Just check the factoids. And go online to newspapermedia.com for information on the power of newspaper media, in print and online.

Numbers don't lie

[illegible]

Pickup Trucks

CHEVY 1997 Silverado 1500, new set of tires, Cold AC, Great shape! $3600 432-770-7982

► NEW TODAY! ◄

CHEVY 2003 1500 HD Crew Cab, 109,000 miles. $11,000. Good condition. Call for info. 432-559-9159.

CHEVY 2004 Silverado 2500, black, Ranch Hand grill guard, BFG all terrain tires, CD, 65k miles, premium wheels & much more Runs great. $15,500. 225-413-1273

CHEVY 2007 Avalanche LT 4X4, leather, warranty. We finance. B&B Auto 683-6222

CHEVY 2009 Silverado crew cab 4X4 71k miles, clean truck. We finance. 432-683-6222

CHEVY 2012 Silverado 2500HD. 29,800 miles extended warranty. 432-770-6692

FORD 2008 F250 XLT crew cab, 4x4, 6.4 turbo diesel. We finance. B&B Auto 683-6222

FORD 2011 F250 crew cab, 6.2L engine, $16,999. We finance. B&B Auto 683-6222

Passenger Cars

BMW of the Permian Basin
5715 Business Hwy - Midland
432-571-5900

2007 BMW 650i
Convertible/Gray soft
Silver Gray/Blk
Cold, Sport, Night
Vision,Head
up,Bluetooth, Sat.
Heated seats,
25k miles
$33,900

09 BMW 328i
Jet black on beige
CPO, Premium, Xenon
Lights
38k miles
$25,900

2011 Lincoln MKX
burgundy
AWD, Nav, ventilated
seats, Sync system,
upgraded sound system
30kmiles
$34,900

2011 BMW X5 50i
Sparkling bronze on
beige
CPO, Premium, Tech
20k miles
$51,900.

2013 BMW X3 28i
White on beige
Premium sound and
tech, former loaner
6,500 miles
$43,900

Vans & Minivans

1998 Enclosed Van 52ft. long, 8ft. ceilings, insulated, can be used for storage or convert to living quarters, fair condition $3900. Call 432-682-5157

4WD & SUV

2012 TOYOTA FJ Cruiser, PRD, Red, 14, 000 miles. Brand New, 100,000 mls - warranty-transferrable Clear Title. For Sale $31,000. Call John 432-352-0770 or 432-352-8754.

CADILLAC 2007 Escalade, clean. We finance & warranty. B&B Auto 683-6222

FORD 2004 Expedition XLT, 3rd row seat. We finance B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222

GMC 2005 Envoy 4 door. Very low miles. Immaculate shape. Retired owner $8,000. 432-288-3761

GMC 2005 Yukon, 3rd row seat, $10,999 We finance. B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222

GMC 2011 Acadia SLT-2, fully loaded, excellent condition, garage kept, 19,500 miles. $29,900. Will deliver, call 806-679-3263

HONDA 1995 Passport SUV, V6 Senior owner, all original. Michelin tires, Loaded! 128K miles. Very very nice! $3,600 Negotiable. 432-684-4788

► NEW TODAY! ◄

MITSUBISHI 1999 Montero Sport, 186k mi, 4WD, heated leather seats, power windows & locks, sunroof, towing package, clean, well maintained, $3500. For immediate sale, 432-816-3303

TOYOTA 2003 4RUNNER Sport Edition, 137k mi, excellent condition, brand new tires, leather interior, DVD player. $11,000. Call 432-242-1290.

TOYOTA 2007 FJ Cruiser. Blue/black interior, 4WD, DVD/CD, All power, 95k miles,

Commercial Vehicles

Tractors & Trailers

FORD F350 2006, Dually, Automatic, 1 owner, 4 door, 6.0 diesel, ONLY 53K miles with 35' Legends trailer. Ready to work. Perfect! Only $29,500. 432-218-9941

Commercial Vehicles

Tractors & Trailers

INTERNATIONAL (9400i) vacuum trucks with troxell trailers for sale. Call John 575-942-1688

Specialty Vehicles

AUTOMATIC Scooter, freeway legal, 3300 miles, fun and easy $3,500. Nighttime message 432-520-9219.

CHEVY 2006 3500 Diesel 12ft Box Delivery Truck, 83k miles, $12,500. 432-694-2770

Motorcycles

2002 YAMAHA Roadstar 1600cc, high performance pipes, recent battery and tune up. 21,400 miles, $4,495. 432-553-1053

2003 HARLEY Davidson Centennial Edition Duece. Fuel injected with 10,000 garaged miles. 1 year only Gun Metal Peal paint. all the chrome and whistles you could want. $9,900.00 OBO Please call 432-557-1228.

2009 HARLEY XL1200 Nightster, 5000 miles, Stage 1 upgrade, Excellent condition. Serious inquires only. Call: 432-682-0123

HARLEY DAVIDSON 2011 Road King. 14k miles, meriott and black. Lots of ad ons. $16,900. 325-338-5555.

RVs

1996 BORN Free 2 - Person Motor Home. Fully equipped kitchen, toilet, shower, TV. Ford F-350, V-8 with 34,950 miles. 1 owner, factory built & ordered. Garaged when not being used. $35,000. 830-719-3812

1996 SOUTHWIND motor home, 33ft, sleeps 8, fair condition, good motor. $6000. 432-682-5157.

2000 WINNEBAGO, Itasca, Sundancer, 31 Ford V-10, 29,475 miles, one owner, non-smoker, excellent condition, 3 queen beds, 1 bed over driver, tub/shower outside shower & TV, 2 TV's/VCR, satellite setup, trailer hitch. Wardrobe closets w/mirror, excellent storage inside/out. 432-697-1995

4WD & SUV

Auto Sure Sell

30 days
Midland Reporter-Telegram
30 days
Mywesttexas.com
New Today Banner
1 day only
Up to 10 lines of text
$40

RVs

2001 DYNAMAX Isata 22 ft. Sports Sedan. 50K, Chev 7.4L vortec gas, frig, bath, ducted air, 19" lcd tv, awning, trailer pkg, just like the big rigs only more convenient, perfect for 1 or 2. Very clean must see $24,500. Call 432-553-6021

2001 GULF Stream Conquest LTD 27' 38k miles, Ford Triten V10 E-450, 2 slides, 7 new tires, non smoker, generator, ducted air, covered vents, patio awning, basement storage, over cab queen bed, rear slide out queen bed, mirrored, wardrobe closets and drawers, 2 Tvs, VCR, satellite set up, slide-out dinette table turns to full bed, split bath, full refrigerator, stove, micro. $32,500 Road ready 936-539-1369

2004 CANYON trail Gulf Stream 5th wheel. Will sleep up to 6 adults with all the modern conveniences $12,500 432-262-2685

2006 AMERICAN Eagle motor home 4 slides, 4 door frig w/icemaker, washer/dryer, satellite for tv/Internet, home theater system w/3 tv's. Custom built computer desk, sleeper number bed, sleeper sofa, many extras. See at Brownwood, TX. $170,000. Call or e-mail for more info (325) 646-5104 bobea del@bwoodtx.com

2009 COUGAR 302RLS - 30' travel trailer, 2 slides, queen bed, shower, extremely clean $26,500. Call 806-790-9433

2009 NORTH TRAIL Heartland. 28ft 5th Wheel with slide, gently used, 1/2 ton towable. $17,500 OBO. 432-352-7933 or 432-687-4454

2010 38 ft Sierra luxury 5th wheel. 3 slide-outs, 42 in flat screen TV with surround sound stereo system, king size bed, queen size sleeper sofa, 2 lounge chairs, wine rack. Call 432-466-2294

2010 JAYCO Eagle For Sale $24000.00 M320 RLDS, Sleeps 6, has two slide outs, full kitchen, full living room. Call 432-413-1076

2011 SKYLINE mountain view travel trailer, 26.5 ft., queen bed, large slide, full shower, like new, automatic awning, non smoking, no pets. $17,000. Call: 432-522-1055.

2012 36' Travel trailer, 2 slide outs, 2 AC's, washer & dryer, rollout awning, microwave, & more. Asking $25,200. 432-638-6947.

2012 BIGHORN TI32 by Heartland - 5th wheel - 38 ft. but pulls like 32 ft. - 3 Slides, 2 A/C, fireplace, 40 inch TV, full body paint. Like New. Never Lived In. $45,500. Call for info: 432-230-2080.

2012 PREMIER, 37 ft, 5th Wheel - Fiberglass, 3 slides, deluxe interior, rear living room, fireplace, 2 a/c, washer/dryer, electric awning, showroom new, no pets, non smoking. $29,900. Call: 956-802-1720

2012 WILLOW Creek 32 ft. Travel Trailer. Super slide, bedroom slide, double A/C, W/D, electric awning, loaded. $20,500 OBO Call 432-254-1504 or 817-501-8361

RVs

31 1/2 foot Hitch Hicker II, 5th wheel 2 slides, extra clean, 1 couple owner, low mileage 2005 F-250 Ford diesel pickup, crew cab. Lanat Auxillary gas tank. Call 325-573-3900 or 325-207-1634

38' PREMIER by Hyline 2011 5th Wheel. 3 slide outs, washer/dryer, microwave, and many extras. $28,500 obo. 817-694-8268.

BAYPOINT 2012, 40 ft, 5th wheel, 3 Slideouts, 2 bdrms, washer / dryer, 2 a/c, all options, deluxe interior, showroom new, no pet, non smoker. Sweetwater. $31,000. Call for info. 956-329-3560.

COACHMAN 1998 Class A, good condition, $10,000. Can be seen in Abilene. Call 325-692-7424.

HAWKINS CLASS A 35ft Motor Coach, $12,500 OBO, low miles. Makes for a wonderful home, brand new tires. Comes all operators manuals & recent maintenance records. To see the RV call 432-247-1009.

LA JOYA RV spaces: County Rd 1270 & 154. $475/mo. 432-661-1180.

MINNIE WINNIE 2005 31ft Class C motor home, king bed, cab over entertainment center, 1 slide out, 8,000 miles, sleeps 6, 325-669-0584.

MONTANA 2009 38ft 5th wheel, 2 AC's, 4 slideouts, queen size bed. Below retail. Must see to appreciate, $45,000. RV is in Midland area, 806-778-0823, 806-778-3646.

PROVIDENCE 2008 Fleetwood 40', Diesel Pusher. Outdoor kitchen, 3 slides, media package. Excellent condition. $145,000 obo. Call Judy 817-706-2929.

RECREATION by Design 2012, 37ft 5th wheel, fiber glass, tri axle, 3 slide outs, 2 airs, washer & dryer, fireplace, all options, sacrifice. 817-723-4808.

Auto Services and Parts

BUYING/Hauling Off Junk Or Unwanted Vehicles Dependable Junk Removal. 432-352-5031

Garage -Estate & Yard Sales

Yard & Garage Sales

79703

114 N. Dewberry Dr. Huge Garage Sale! Open all week.

79705

6 STUTZ Ct. Saturday, 9-3. Sunday 9-1. Women's clothes small-Medium, Womens shoes size 8. Lots of miscellaneous

79707

3400 ALICIA Ct, Sat 6:30am-3:30pm & Sun 7:00am-3:00pm.. (2) dining room tables, set of coffee tables, (2) new garage doors, toys & clothes. Everything must go!

DURING A TYPICAL WEEK, NEWSPAPERMEDIA REACH 77% OF ALL ADULTS.

mywheels · myclassifieds · myhomes
mynews · myphotos · mycommunity · mylife · myentertainment
myblogs · mysports · mymovies
myjobs · myvideos · mybusiness

Today's Sudoku Puzzle brought to you by Swimming Pools by Quiroz's Companies.

Swimming Pools by
Hurry To Get Your Spot In Line!
For Your New Swimming Pool Or Repairs.
30 Yrs. Experience
COMPANIES
Matt 631-2475

SUDOKU

THE SAMURAI OF PUZZLES By The Mepham Group

			4	5			1	
4		2						5
9			6					4
						5	3	
7	9						8	2
	2	3						
2					8			6
3						1		9
	6		7	1	2			

Level: 1 2 3 4

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit www.sudoku.org.uk

SOLUTION TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE

6	8	9	5	7	1	3	2	4
5	2	7	4	8	3	6	1	9
1	4	3	6	2	9	8	5	7
8	1	4	7	9	6	5	3	2
9	7	6	3	5	2	4	8	1
2	3	5	8	1	4	9	7	6
3	9	8	1	4	7	2	6	5
4	5	1	2	6	8	7	9	3
7	6	2	9	3	5	1	4	8

6/23/13

© 2013 The Mepham Group. Distributed by Tribune Media Services. All rights reserved.

Find Local Business Listings in the Midland, Texas Area... http://local.mywesttexas.com/

LOCAL BUSINESS DIRECTORY

AIR CONDITIONING SERVICES

CLARK'S Air Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration
TRANE
bryant
10 YEAR PARTS & LABOR WARRANTY!
SUMMER AC SPECIAL - ONLY $78.00
GET READY FOR THE HEAT NOW!
• INSPECT UNIT • FREON CHECK • ELECTRICAL CHECK • TEMP CHECK
WE WILL GET YOU READY FOR THOSE TRIPLE DIGIT DAYS!
10% OFF ANY NEEDED REPAIRS DISCOVERED IN INSPECTION.
Rex Clark - Owner
P.O. Box 7953, Midland, TX 79708
432-522-1938
Fax: 432-520-2304 • E-mail: clarkair1@sbcglobal.net

HAIR CARE

Barber Avenue
Lynn Harris & Michael Johnson
3920 W. Wall St.
Midland, TX 79703
www.facebook.com/BarberAve
Men's Walk-In Barbershop Open Tuesday to Saturday
(custom vacuum system utilized with haircuts)

REAL ESTATE

Darrell McDonald Jr. Realtors
Darrell & Kay McDonald
Broker/Owner
4801 N. Midland Dr
Midland, Texas 79707
432-897-1075

RESTAURANT

Montecito Bar & Grill
1811 W. Industrial Ave.
Midland, TX 79701
432-897-4377

ART

EXTRAORDINARY ART • EXCEPTIONAL VALUE
OILS • WATERCOLORS • BRONZE SCULPTURE • GICLEES • CUSTOM FRAMING • ART BOOKS
FOLGER GALLERIES
FINE AMERICAN ART
#22 Imperial Shopping Center - Wadley & Midkiff
(432) 697-3778
LAYAWAY • GIFT CERTIFICATES • CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED
facebook

HAIR CARE

En Vogue Salon
Maria Vidales
Certified Hair Stylist
W. Wall Ste 3
79707
432-425-4477

REAL ESTATE

If you're selling the home where your memories were made, or buying the home of your dreams, call your home specialist today...
DeLaura Gammage
432-897-2410
REALTOR/Agent
LEGACY
4400 N. Big Spring, Suite 101 • Midland, TX 79705

RESTAURANT

Vera's
2101 W. Wadley # 20
Garfield & Wadley Ave
432-687-0900
Fax 432-682-0594
Lunch: Tue-Fri 11:00-1:45
Dinner: Mon-Fri 5:00-10:15
Saturday: 5:00-10:30
Closed Sunday
www.veracruzrestaurant.info

AUTOMOTIVE SUPPLIES

HOLMES AUTO SUPPLY
3301 Bankhead Hwy.
Midland, Texas 79701
AUTOMOTIVE - FLEET PERFORMANCE
Watts 877-623-5530
Local 432-689-8008
JAMES HOLMES
Owner
Fax 432-689-8101
Cell 432-557-8841

HOME FURNISHINGS

Blackbird
• Interior Design • Furniture • Accessories
Plaza Oaks • Garfield & Wadley • 432-638-2473

REAL ESTATE

YOUR ONLY REAL CHOICE
Dorman-Dorsey Realtors
Once used, always preferred
Mon.-Fri. 8:30 to 5:30 • Saturday 8:30 to 5:00
Sunday By Appointment
1215 NORTH MIDKIFF • 432-242-3011

RETAIL

BLING 2 Dazzle
Get Your BLING On
3211 W. Wadley #18
Midland, TX 79705
432/689-3104
Facebook/bedazzlemidland

BEVERAGES

BILL'S BOTTLE SHOP #2
Great Selection of Wines
OPEN 10:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.
(MONDAY-SATURDAY)
432 689 8944

HOME IMPROVEMENT

Window World
"Simply the Best for Less"
Vinyl Replacement Windows • Doors
Free Estimates • Licensed • Insured
(432) 242-3024
4309 South County Road 1300
Odessa, TX 79765
5821 50th Street, Suite B
Lubbock, TX 79424

REAL ESTATE

Kahler Homes
Karen White
Sales Consultant for Kahler Homes
Call to see any of our homes
432-242-3019

RETAIL

Peapods & Petticoats
432.682..kids (5437)
Imperial Shopping Center
3211 W. Wadley#20
Fashionable Maternity • Organic Bamboobies • Toys • Taggies
• Inspirational Gifts

BOUTIQUE

Julian Gold
Midland
2101 W. Wadley Ste. 16
Midland, TX 79705-
(432) 682-5368
(432) 682-5468 Fax

JEWELRY

Donna's Gems
432 201 9946
Donna Cunningham - Owner

REAL ESTATE

Sandy J. Hanson
432-638-3819 cell
sandy@sandyjhanson.com
LEGACY

SHOES

SMITH'S
5101 Twin Towers Blvd • Odessa, Texas 79762
Monday - Friday 9:00 to 5:30 • Wednesday 9:00 to 7:00
Ph. (432) 363-4271 www.smithshoes.com Fax (432) 333-7361

CLEAN UP SERVICE

West Texas Dumpsters
432-614-5241
dumpsters@westtexasdumpsters.com

JEWELRY

Randy's Rings
1028 A Andrews Hwy. • Midland
(across from Albertsons & West Lake Hardware)
432-699-1117

REAL ESTATE

The Real Estate Company
432-897-0450
Tammy Brookshire
Sales Agent
4400 N. Big Spring, Ste. C-30 • Midland, Texas 79705

SKIN CARE

Carolina
Skin Centre and Salon
Hair Services • Waxing • Teeth Whitening • Make-up • Skincare
432-262-5885 • Fax 432-262-5843
3303 N. Midkiff, Ste. 114 • Midland, TX 79705

ENTERTAINMENT

Lettuce Bingo

MAILING SERVICE

CUSTOM PACKING • SHIPPING
Domestic & International • Packing Supplies • Boxes
Mail Box Rentals • Fax • Copies • Notary • Gift Wrapping
Mail 'n' More
"We Can Do It All, and More..."
4706 N. Midkiff #22
Midland, TX 79705

REAL ESTATE

Real Estate Leads
Call our office for a fresh look of listings for land and minerals
[illegible] N. Big Spring, Ste. [illegible]

TOWING COMPANY

www.actionwrecker.com
Fax: (432) 694-0052
Service FIRST... Since 1988!!!
ACTION WRECKER SERVICE, INC.
1109 S. Midland Dr.
Midland, TX 79703
(432) 697-8697
Light to Heavy Landoll Services

ENTERTAINMENT

Paul St. Hilaire, Executive Director 432-242-3027

MEDICAL

Terri L. Beck, MD
Medical Director
(432) 242-3028

RESTAURANT

"VOTED MIDLANDS FAVORITE CHICKEN RESTAURANT"
BUSH'S CHICKEN
CATERING • CUSTOM ORDERS • FUNDRAISING
2210 N. BIG SPRING
432-687-7090

TRAVEL

Amera Travel Network

FLORIST

Everland
413 Andrews Hwy.
Midland, TX 79701
432.682.1634
fax 432.682.8049
toll free 1.800.461.3498
www.flowersandmidland.com

PET GROOMING

Michelle's Groom Spaw
432-699-4300
Michelle Dilley
Professional Pet Stylist
Owner

RESTAURANT

D I E

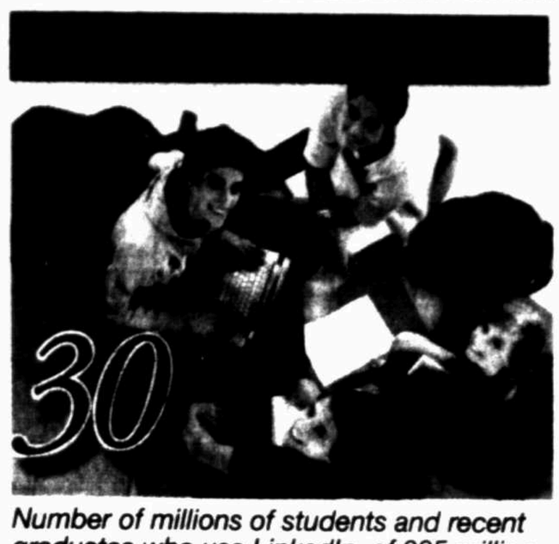
WATER PURIFICATION

Healthy Water Systems
by Cool Technologies
Whole House Filter!
Uses No Salt & Does Not Waste Water!
www.CoolTechnologies.com
Call 432-699-7812

To become a featured business call 682-5311 Midland Reporter-Telegram

JOB WEEK

MYWESTTEXAS.COM/JOBS | SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2013 | CONTACT: (432) 682-5311



Number of millions of students and recent graduates who use LinkedIn, of 225 million total users.

SOURCE: LinkedIn

© CTW Features

OUTSIDE THE BOX

By PATRICIA RIVERA
CTW Features

Alan Corey likens landing a better job to dating.

"The taken people always seem the most attractive. You are in higher demand if you are currently employed," explains the author of "The Subversive Job Search: How to Overcome A Lousy Job, Sluggish Economy and Useless Degree to Create a Six-Figure Career." (Career Press, 2013).

Among his tips to overcome a weak economy is to always try to start your hunt prior to contracts ending, being fired or laid off or even quitting. If you are already unemployed, find work freelancing online, even if it is working for a lower fee, just so you can say you are currently employed. People who want to change careers or specialize in a particular area can also gather valuable experience by freelancing. Websites like TaskRabbit.com, Odesk.com and Elance.com allow you to easily create a free resume-like profile and bid on jobs.

"Put the experience on your resume to denote what you are doing now and spin it positively by saying you are freelancing to earn more experience in your field quickly," says Corey, also a career consultant from Brooklyn, N.Y. Don't view the freelance work as a way to make money. The reality is that you'd be competing with a global market, including people in different countries who are willing to work for much less.

Other tips that Corey offers:

* Be a problem solver. Employers appreciate workers who try to figure out how to improve the company. If you are still with a company, research how to improve performance and if possible, try to quantify it. Possibilities vary and may include improving the company's hiring practices, introducing new technology or software or improving a simple workflow or process.

* SEO your resume. Search engine optimization is not just for websites- it's for you, too. Make it easy for employers to find you on LinkedIn and in resume databases by using searchable keywords and phrases on your resumes. Think about the most-used terms. For instance, use "MBA" rather "Master of Business Administration."

* Sell your future self. Assume your resume is going to sit on someone's desk untouched for up to half a year. In that period, commit to earning an industry certification or an educational equivalent by listing credentials that you could possibly earn within the next six months on your resume now. This also helps you stay current while you are looking for work..

© CTW Features

FATHER KNOWS BEST

THE BEST PROFESSIONAL ADVICE IS STILL THE STUFF DAD TAUGHT US.

By MEGAN TAYLOR MORRISON
CTW Features

Father's Day weekend is an appropriate time to reminisce about how our dads impact the way we see the world – including our thoughts on business. While many of us learned about work from conversations around the dinner table, others had the opportunity to gain more intimate knowledge through their role in a family business.

"My father didn't tell me how to live; he lived, and let me watch him do it," said 20th century writer Clarence Budington Kelland. When a child is able to work alongside his father, he has the opportunity to learn even more about respect, professionalism and other essential qualities. This was true for the following men and women, whose dads taught them not just how to excel at home, but also while on the clock.

THERE'S NO EASY WAY TO THE TOP

Ten years ago, Julie Lenhart began working for her father Ken at her family's ACE Hardware store in Mesa, Ariz. According to Julie, she did "everything except clean toilets" as she learned the ropes.

"He didn't just hand me the business and say 'there you go,'" she says. "I had to prove myself to get respect and to get where I am."

Ken set a high bar. He works Monday through Saturday and does office work on Sundays when the store is closed. He donates supplies to numerous charities and always makes sure his employees receive their raises and vacation before he accepts his own.

For Julie, the chance to prove herself came when she caught the bookkeeper stealing money.

"My dad's perception of me really changed because I jumped in, learned the role and found a way to improve the company," she says.

Today, Lenhart is a co-owner of the store and tries to emulate the standard her father set by example.

"He taught me that running a business is difficult," she says. "Every day, you've got to be there."

MENTORSHIPS MATTER

As the fifth generation of his family's jewelry business, Travis Corwin grew up hearing about precious gems and metals from his father, Timothy. As a certified gemologist, master jeweler and watchmaker, Timothy shared his in-depth knowledge with his son every time Travis helped out in the family's 134-year-old store in Southampton, N.Y.

It wasn't until Travis went to school for jewelry making that he realized how much his dad had taught him.

"I already knew most of the techniques," he says, adding that he found the mentorship far more valuable than any class. "A mentor teaches you how to apply lessons to a business. An instructor doesn't care about your business."

By learning with his dad on the job, Travis was also able to integrate knowledge about jewelry with skills such as customer service. It also taught him the importance of legacy.

"It created a yearning to pass this information down to my own children," he says.

DON'T BRING IT HOME

The daughter of a pastor in Fresno, Calif., Beth Spitzer Beatty was a part of her father's work from the start. "As a pastors kid, you're always involved in the ministry," she says. "It's been my entire life." Beatty helped her dad and the church with vacation bible school, child care and other tasks. Over the years, she noticed her father's remarkable ability to separate work and home life. Although he dealt with issues from divorce to death on a regular basis, he came home ready to love his wife and kids.

"You have to learn to let go and that there are things you can't control," Beatty says. "You have to have ways that you can release negative feelings in a positive way." Beatty's father would sometimes watch his favorite movie, make his favorite dinner or take the dog for a walk to decompress.

Now that Beatty works as a Medical Bill Collector in Gallatin, Tenn., she regularly applies this wisdom.

"There are people I deal with every day that make me feel angry or sad because of the situations they're going through," Beatty said. "Sometimes it breaks my heart, but I know I can't take that home because it will just bring me down. Watching my dad all those years helped me a lot."

© CTW Features

IN THE COMPANY OF HEALTH

Nearly all workers are judged by a measure, like whether they meet a sales quota or don't draw customer complaints. Increasingly, employers are also interested in probing how workers' health measures up.

A recent survey conducted by Fidelity Investments and the National Business Group on Health found that 15 percent of firms from a cross-section of industries require workers to complete a "biometric screening" or a "health risk assessment" [HRA] to determine their eligibility for one or all of the company's health insurance plans.

An HRA is a questionnaire that typically asks a how much an employee exercises, how many servings of vegetables he averages daily and similar queries on health-linked habits, explains Karen Marlo, a Business Group vice president.

The biometric screening takes actual measures, like blood pressure readings, weight and cholesterol levels.

"We think [such data gathering] is an emerging trend," Marlo says, with companies interested in formulating programs based off the data to help workers get healthy, so that health insurance costs are contained.

While companies don't use a worker's health stats to deny him participation in one of the company health insurance plans, three percent of the firms surveyed do deny insurance coverage to workers who refuse to complete an HRA or biometric screening, notes Marlo.

Screenings and HRAs are often required annually, adds Marlo.

Moreover, there's a "movement towards outcome based metrics," she notes, whereby workers who participate in health education programs are given a reward, like lower premium costs, and then are continually rewarded if they keep improving their personal stats.

– Marilyn Kennedy Melia

© CTW Features

SNELLING
Use Placement People
• Light Industrial
• Medical
• Office Services
• Administrative
• Technical
• Sales
• Professional
• Benefits
• Validated Testing
The Right Fit is Everything℠
9 out of 10 of our clients would recommend our services. Keep us in mind the next time you need to restock your workforce.
Locally Owned and Operated
Midland, TX
1031 Andrews Hwy Ste. 111
520-8140
Odessa, TX
4001 Penbrook, Ste. 1002
367-7088
800-298-7106
www.snelling.com/odessa

mywesttexas jobs

http://www.mywesttexas.com/jobs

Midland Reporter-Telegram in partnership with monster

ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Bookkeeper
ESI Supply FT
E.S.I Supply is looking for a **Bookkeeper**. Must know InTuit Quick Books, Accounts Payable, and Accounts Receivable. Please Call 432-520-5374 to schedule an appointment.

Producer Accounting
West Texas Gas, Inc. FT
Oil & Gas Energy Firm in Midland, Texas, is looking to fill a Producer Accounting position. Duties will include data preparation and settlement of Gas Processing plants on a monthly basis. Must have excellent computer and communication skills. Accounting degree required. Benefits include 401K and Cafeteria Plan. Mail resume to Producer Accountant, 211 N. Colorado, Midland, TX 79701 or email to: employment@westtexasgas.com.

AUTOMOTIVE

Benny Boyd Lamesa is looking for a
Service Advisor
with GM and Dodge experience. Benefits include 401k, paid holidays, health insurance, and paid vacation. Sign on Bonus depending on level of skill and experience.
Apply in person or send resume to:
BENNY BOYD
2713 Lubbock Hwy Lamwsa, TX
Attn: Tim Harner,
Parts & Service Director
or call **806-872-4400** or email
tharner@bennyboyd.com

IMMEDIATE OPENING
Experienced Parts Manager
Excellent Benefits:
Health Insurance - Dental
Paid Vacation
Excellent Pay Plan
Apply in Person
Ask for Buck Hooker Sr.
or send resume to alberthooker@aol.com
FREEDOM
Buick - GMC
5252 E. 42nd St. - Odessa, TX 79762
432-550-9950
EOE

BANKING & MORTGAGE

Mortgage Lender / Mortgage Processor
LOCAL COMMUNITY BANK NEEDS **Mortgage Lender/Mortgage Processor** with knowledge of processing Conventional, FHA, and VA mortgage loans. Input data into Calyx Point loan origination system. Gathering financial info for completeness of new loan files. Duties to include ordering credit reports, flood determinations, request title, survey, appraisals, homeowner's insurance info, mortgage payoffs and verifications. Coordinating with borrowers and third parties for conditional underwriting loan approval. Knowledge of documenting consumer real estate loans. Knowledge of state and federal lending regulations along with real estate compliance. Order closing document package from attorney firm or Lender's closing department and coordinating closing date and time with all parties involved. Prior mortgage loan processing experience or related real estate preferred. Skills to include strong attention to details, ability to prioritize and muli-task, customer service skills and computer proficiency. Email to: **rgriffin@wtnb.com** or fax to: **432-687-9724**.

FIRSTCAPITAL BANK OF TEXAS

Our friendly local bank is GROWING and has several openings in our downtown and branch locations. FirstCapital Bank of Texas is a locally owned, independent Bank headquartered in Midland, Texas. The Bank was originally chartered in November of 1998 and has grown to nearly $700 million in assets. We are looking for individuals interested in a career in the banking industry. We are currently hiring for:

- Quality Control Specialist
- Staff Accountant I
- Teller
- Personal Banker
- Temporary Summer Help

Get your foot in the door to success! If you're interested in working for an organization with a solid future, don't hesitate!

Please apply online at **www.fcbtexas.com** or send resumes to:
FirstCapital Bank of Texas
Attn: Team Resources
310 W. Wall
Midland, TX 79701
FAX: 432-686-9311
teamresources@fcbtexas.com
EOE

SouthWest Bank is hiring for a new branch.
New branch on Wall Street: **FT New Accounts/ Teller FT Mortgage Loan Processor**. Submit your resume to: **careers@southwbank.com**
EOE, AA Employer, M/F/D/V
SOUTHWEST BANK OF TX

CLERICAL & ADMINISTRATIVE

Administrative Assistant
Administrative Assistant for insurance brokerage agency. Microsoft, Excel & Word required. Entry level position. Varied responsibilities. Starting pay DOE. Send resume to: cheryl@brooks-benefits.com

Administrative Assistant
Seeking **Administrative Assistant** for expanding oilfield services company. Microsoft Word, Excel valued. Varied responsibilities. Starting pay DOE. Send resume to: **tstewart@airdrillingsolutions.com**.

Executive Assistant
Mechanical Equipment, Inc. FT
Hiring an Executive Assistant in a fast paced office. Applicant should possess the ability to work without constant supervision and work on multiple projects at one time. Good communication skills are a must in this position. Experience with QuickBooks is highly valued. Also some experience with MS excel and Word valued. Please submit resume to: patty@mei-usa.net. resumes will be accepted until June 25, 2013. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Receptionist
Ellis Funeral Home FT & PT
Is looking for a full time receptionist, Mon-Fri. from 8am-5pm and weekend receptionist, Saturday from 8am-5pm and Sunday from 1pm-5pm. Duties include answering phones, greeting people, running erons, and other clerical duties. Must have intermediate computer skills, and atleast 1 year of clerical experience. Apply in person at 801 Andrews Hwy. Midland, TX 79701.

Receptionist
T-Star FT
Midland, TX 79705
Receptionist needed for busy physical therapy clinic. Great organizational skills a must. Bring resume in person to: 4519 N. Garfield St., Ste 5.

The Top 5 Ways to Get Your Ad To The Public:

1. Call 432-682-6222
2. Fax 432-682-6999
3. mrtclassified@mrt.com
4. Just Mail or Drop It By: 201 E. Illinois
5. *Come On In And Say HI! We'll Leave The Computer On!*

CONSTRUCTION & FACILITIES

FaithWorks
"Youth work Training Program"

TEAM LEADERS

We are looking for the right person to work as a team leader in a special work-training program getting new customers for the area's leading newspaper. You must enjoy working with young people, be responsible, and have a SUV or van, be a strong Recruiter, Trainer, Motivator and with a desire to earn $800 to $1000 per week. If this is you, call 1-205-991-3030.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

Air Wisconsin
AIRLINES CORPORATION

Air Wisconsin Airlines Corporation operating as United currently has full time and part time positions available at the Midland International Airport (MAF) and we are looking for customer service oriented people to join our team! Air Wisconsin offers a competitive benefits package including world-wide travel privileges.

Responsibilities include:
- Providing great customer service to passengers during their travels to include: check in, reservations, and boarding
- Loading and unloading bags, directing aircraft movement

Minimum Requirements:
- Valid Driver's License
- At least 18 years of age or older
- Ability to lift 50-100 pounds, bend, kneel, squat repeatedly
- Must be able to speak, read, write and understand English
- Be able to work flexible schedule including nights, weekends, and holidays
- Must be able to work in all types of weather conditions
- Must be able provide legal right to work in the US
- Must be able to complete a 10 year background check, FBI fingerprinted and a Drug Screen

Compensation:
$11.00 per hour + yearly pay increase and an annual bonus of up to $3,000!

Air Wisconsin Airlines is the largest privately held airline and has been providing quality service for nearly 50 years.

To apply for this position or to learn more about Air Wisconsin visit our website, **www.airwis.com**.

EOE

CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE
Stadium Sports FT
FULL TIME HELP WANTED. 9-6 MON-THURS, FRI 9-5
ABILITIES: PRESSING SHIRTS, PLACING AND TAKING CUSTOMER ORDERS. COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE A PLUS. ABILITY TO WORK UNDER PRESSURE AND BE SELF MOTIVATED.
DROP BY 2040 WEST CUTHBERT AVE, MIDLAND, TX 79701 FOR AN APPLICATION.

Sales Reps
Fred Loya FT
Now Hiring Bilingual customer Sales Reps (English/Spanish) Apply at (2106 S. Rankin Hwy St A300) or Email Application & Resume to krodriquez@fredloya.com
Hiring for Midland pay starting at $8.00/Hr & up to $12.00/Hr within 60 Days! Experienced Personal is always Welcome.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

CHILD CARE TEACHERS
Mrs. Irene's Child Care FT/PT
Child Care Teachers needed. Above average wages for Full and Part-time positions. Call 432-520-8888.

ENERGY & UTILITIES

Chemical Technician
CHEMICAL TECH – Local oilfield chemical company hiring chemical technician. Class B w/ tanker & HAZMAT endorsement required. Blue Cross/Blue Shield Employee health benefits paid, 401K w/company match, paid vacation. Send resume to: M-31 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois Midland, TX 79701

Environmental Technician (LDAR)
Trihydro Corporation FT
Midland, TX
Trihydro Corporation, an Environmental Engineering and Consulting Firm has an opening for an Environmental Technician. Duties include air quality monitoring at natural gas plants. A basic understanding of mechanical systems is required. Applicants must have a clean driving record, a commitment to safe operations, be at least 21 years old, and the ability to travel significantly. Apply at www.trihydro.com with application, resume, and cover letter. Trihydro is an EEO/AA employer.

Laboratory Technician
Growing oilfield company looking for a Laboratory Technician. Laboratory experience is not required but preferred. Fax all resumes to: 432-563-0764 or email justin.disney@catalystoilfield.com

LEASE OPERATORS - SONORA, TX
HighMount Exploration & Production is a forward-thinking company powered by people who are passionate about producing oil & gas and driving returns from our portfolio of assets. HighMount plays a key role in all phases of an exploration and production business. We are seeking individuals who are interested in launching and advancing their career in the Oil and Gas Industry. As a Lease Operator for our Sonora, TX location you will have the opportunity to operate various types of oil & gas equipment to maximize production in a safe and environmentally sound manner. This position requires a minimum 3+ years in Oil and Gas Industry or Military Service. We offer an excellent benefits package, competitive wages, and 401K. If you have a High School Diploma or Equivalent and you have demonstrated a high degree of reliability, strong communication skills, good work ethics, the ability to plan and prioritize work, perform independently and take direction then this may be the opportunity for you. To apply please visit www.highmountep.com/career center and apply to job #77-607. HighMount E&P is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Power Substation Construction Manager
Isolux Ingeniería USA, LLC has an opening for a **Power Substation Construction Manager** at our Big Spring, TX facility to provide oversight, coordination, management and technical expertise for all aspects of field municipal power substation construction. Req BS+8 yrs exp or MS + 6 yrs exp. Applicants should email resume to **IUSA_HR@isoluxcorsenuse.com**.

TESSCO
A Pentair Company
Electrical contractor currently seeking a
Safety Coordinator
for our Energy Division.

Requirements
- Current OSHA 500 or 501
- Proficient with computers, Microsoft Office
- Ability to train employees on a variety of safety related topics
- Willingness to travel to office and field locations, flexibility with schedule
- Experience in the Electrical Oil field construction is a plus

Education/Experience
- Degree in a safety related field and 3 years of oilfield safety experience or...
- 5 years related oilfield experience in safety; oilfield contractor a plus.

Benefits
- Medical/dental and life insurance options, 401(k) and paid vacations.

Resumes may be faxed to (432) 686-8971 or mailed to the following address:

TESSCO Energy Services, Inc.
Attention: Safety Director
P.O. Box 1699
Midland, Texas 79702

ENERGY & UTILITIES

UNIVERSAL
PRESSURE PUMPING, INC.

Universal Pressure Pumping, Inc., a leader in well stimulation and cementing, is currently looking for individuals to work in our division lab. We offer competitive compensation, benefits packages, training, and career advancement. Start your career with Universal today and start your path to the top.

Laboratory Technician:
This position performs basic testing in the division lab, including testing of fracturing systems/fluids, acidizing systems and cement systems. Completes proper documentation of all tests performed on the computer and reports them to engineering as required. Maintains testing equipment to ensure it is kept clean and in good working condition and performs other duties as assigned.

Education and other Requirements:
High School Diploma or GED, or equivalent is a must. Technical training in one of the related fields, such as Chemistry, Geology, Engineering or Applied Sciences, is highly preferred. Experience working in a lab is a plus. This individual must have the ability to follow instructions and work well in a team environment. Available and willing to work day and night hours on a flex schedule and must also be able to demonstrate safe work habits. Experience in oil well cement testing preferred.

Apply today by emailing your resume to: cody.allen@univpp.com or by calling 432-296-3067 between 9:00AM and 5:00PM weekdays only.

Universal Pressure Pumping, Inc.
4607 W. Industrial Avenue
Midland, TX 79703

Universal Pressure Pumping, Inc. is a drug-free workplace/EOE

HEALTHCARE

Healthcare Professionals

- LVN, PRN
- Certified Nurse Aides (All Shifts)
- Activity Assistant
- Housekeeping (7a-3p)
- Dishwasher/Dietary Aides

We offer a new salary and benefits are available. If you are a person dedicated to providing quality care, please apply in person or email resume to:

Terrace West Nursing & Rehabilitation
2800 Midland Drive • Midland, TX 79707
Phone: 432-697-3108 • Fax: 432-689-0486
ADM.TerraceWest@daybreakventure.com

For other job opportunities please visit our website
www.daybreakventure.com
EOE

Deerings Nursing and Rehabilitation

Nursing Department staffing schedule offers one 3 day weekend off each month. Benefits are available. If you are a person dedicated to providing quality care, please apply in person or email resume.

Healthcare Professionals

- RN or LVN 6a-2p p/t & 2p-10p p/t
- LVN PRN
- Certified Nurse Aides (All Shifts)

Email resume to: **ADM.Deerings@daybreakventure.com**

www.daybreakventure.com

Assistant Office Manager
Immediate opening for **Assistant Office Manager** for busy physician practice in Odessa. College education and 2 years medical office experience preferred. Excellent salary and benefits. Please send resume to: **gscbecky@cableone.net**.

Dental Assistant and Dental Hygienist
The Kids Place FT
Join our growing team. Benefits and top pay for experienced dental assistant and Dental Hygienist. Please mail resume to: 4410 North Midkiff, Suite D1 Midland, Tx. 79705

Dental Assistant
Part time Dental Assistant wanted for general dental practice. Please reply to P-113 c/o Midland Reporter Telegram, 201 E. Illinois, Midland, Tx. 79701

Experienced Board Certified Family Physician
Needed for private practice. Must qualify for hospital privileges and have Texas license. Send resume to **M-29 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois Ave. Midland, TX 79701**

Hospitalist Physicians
Confidential
Apogee Medical Group, Texas seeks Hospitalist Physicians to work in Big Spring, TX Send CV to jacqueline.gallina@apogeephysicians.com

LCDC Or LPC/License Counselor
Midland/Odessa Addiction Treatment Center PT
Monday-Friday 8:00am-10:30am
Treatment planning/Case management. Personal days/CEU days. Paid holidays. Fax resume to 800-671-8364.

LCMS Med Technician
PathGroup FT
IMMEDIATE opening at PathGroup for a LCMS Med Tech position, Full-time Monday-Friday, 7am-3:30pm, located in Nashville, TN. This position requires either a MLT/MT or a BS/MS Chemist with LCMS experience. Located in Nashville, Tennessee, PathGroup is situated in Grassmere Park, in a 50,000 square foot facility dedicated to the company's use. Nashville, the capital of Tennessee, is a growing cosmopolitan area with a population exceeding 1 million, diverse entertainment, excellent schools, and ready access to outdoor activities. Nashville offers low cost of living, no state income tax, outstanding activities on land and water and is less than a 6-hour drive from the Gulf Coast and is less than a 3-hour drive from the Blue Ridge and Appalachian Mountains. Music City, as it is known, has a broad range of cultural and entertainment opportunities for people of all ages. Email resume to: hr@pathgroup.com or fax to: 615-234-2502.

LVN or MA
LVN or MA needed for busy Physician's Office. Great Benefit Package. Please fax resumes to 682-2284 or mail to Premier Physicians, Attn: Arita Routh, PO Box 5291, Midland, Texas 79704. No phone calls please. PO# BOR-7027

mywesttexas jobs

http://www.mywesttexas.com/jobs

Midland Reporter-Telegram in partnership with monster

HEALTHCARE

Medical Assistant

Advanced Neuroscience Clinic & Somno Systmes FT

Hiring medical assistant with experience preferred, but will train the right person. Please email your resume to: Irma@brainanc.com or Call Irma: 432-570-9991

Permian Basin Community Centers

A Great Place to Work and Make a Difference in our Community.
Salary positions enjoy a full benefit package with outstanding health coverage, affordable dependent health coverage, retirement, life insurance, scheduled pay increases, optional cafeteria coverage for dental insurance, vision insurance, AFLAC, and paid leave. Hourly positions enjoy flexible work schedules and retirement.

Salary positions available

IDD Respite Provider - Midland and Odessa - Provide respite services to individuals with IDD, working a designated shift or on an as needed basis. Responsible for daily supervision, care training, assessment and assistance to individuals receiving respite services.
Rehab Provider (Qualified Mental Health Professional) - Midland, Odessa, and Fort Stockton - Provide rehabilitative, medical, service coordination and case management services to eligible adults in the community setting.
Clerk - Odessa - Assist the supervisor with group home management, including record keeping duties, typing, filing, supply requisition, inventory and distribution, as well as some shift coverage.
Provider Case Coordinator - Odessa - Ensures compliance with treatment and support planning, documentation, monitoring progress, and overall compliance with the provider contract.
Employment Specialist - Midland - Learn job responsibilities at a job site and then teach them to individuals with developmental disabilities in an atmosphere that promotes confidence, safety and job security.
Team Leader - Midland - Provide administrative supervision of the case management unit, monitoring, assessment, service planning and coordination, continuity of care/liaison planning, and assist in crisis management.
Administrative Assistant - Midland - Assist the Director of Human Resources in execution of all human resources functions, including but not limited to, personnel administration, employee orientation, and employee benefit programs.
Early Intervention Specialist - Midland and Odessa - Provide education services to children 0-3 years of age.
Financial Clerk - Midland - Responsible for accurate verification and determination of Medicaid eligibility and documentation of client's financial information, as well as, obtaining third party payer prior authorizations for services.
IDD Service Coordinator -Midland - Assist eligible individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities in accessing medical, social, educational, and other appropriate services. Includes crisis prevention and management, monitoring, assessment and planning.
Licensed Vocational Nurse -Odessa - Provide services in our individuals with developmental disabilities program or provide medical oversight in conjuction with the Medical Director for substance abuse residential.

Hourly positions available (Starting at $10.50)

Counselor Intern/Residential Monitor - Odessa - Provide daily support to individuals in a residential substance use treatment facility. Earn valuable hours toward your chemical dependency counselor license
Behavior Therapist - Midland - Implement ABA Treatment Plans and train individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities using behavior management techniques.
Community Living Instructor - Midland and Odessa - Responsible for the daily supervision, care training, assessment, and assistance of individuals with IDD. Work a designated shift or request to work on an "as needed basis".

All applicants must have a valid Texas Driver's License, proof of auto liability insurance coverage, and will be subject to a criminal history background check. For additional information and qualifications for all positions, see our pdf application and current job listing available at: www.pbmhmr.com. For questions, contact the Human Resources Department at 432-570-3322.

Permian Basin Community Centers

Two great opportunities for a flexible source of income

Starting at $10.50 per hour

Flexible schedule, competitive pay, and a strong sense of fulfillment, these are some of the great benefits that are available if you join Permian Basin Community Centers as a Community Living Instructor or Residential Monitor.

Community Living Instructor

Available in Midland and Odessa. Work as a caregiver on a day to day basis with individuals who have intellectual and developmental disabilities. Our caregivers have the option of being assigned to a designated shift in a residential home or providing services on an as needed basis for our Respite facilities and in community settings. This is an outstanding opportunity for anyone who needs a flexible schedule with respectful income.

Residential Monitor

Available in Odessa only. Provide daily support to individuals in a 24/7 residential substance use treatment facility. All shifts available.

All applicants must have a valid Texas Driver's License, proof of auto liability insurance coverage, and will be subject to a criminal history background check. For additional information and qualifications for all positions, see our electronic application and current job listing available at www.pbmhmr.com. For questions, contact the Human Resources Department at 432-570-3322.

Receptionist

Busy Physician Office has opening for a receptionist. Medical experience a plus. Vacation, sick pay, health insurance, and 401K included in benefit package. Please send resume to Attn: Arita Routh P.O. Box 5291 Midland, TX 79704 or fax to (432) 682-2284. No phone calls please.
PO # is BOR-7026

Want a job with a Future?

Director of Nurses needed for successful home health agency in Midland TX. Minimum 3 years Home Health DON experience required. Please send resume to: M-30 c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Ave. 79701

INSTALLATION & MAINTENANCE

MISD Maintenance

CURRENTLY SEEKING: Plumbers, HVAC Mechanic, Carpenter, Periodic Maintenance Worker, Grounds Equipment Operators, Security & Surveillance Worker, Grounds Caretaker, Grounds Crew Leader, Grounds Crew/Special Projects and Custodians. Please apply on-line at www.midlandisd.net

LAW ENFORCEMENT & SECURITY

MISD Police Department

Seeking Police Officers to maintain the safety and welfare of students, employees and property. Great salary and benefits.Please apply on-line at www.midlandisd.net

MANAGEMENT & EXECUTIVE

Manager

UNISEAL FT

Automotive detailing company looking for a strong manager to handle local dealerships. Management and customer service experience required. Salary paying position. Please call 832-499-9574 to apply.

Marketing Manager

Finance background helpful. Must be able to travel. Apply at Bidco Corp., 312 E. 2nd, Odessa, TX. or send resume to jimgolden@americanlenders.com

Marketing Position

Outside Sales. Advertising, Publishing, Printing. Apply at Bidco Corp., 312 E. 2nd, Odessa, TX. or send resume to nhq@goldenlinecorp.com

OTHER JOBS

Yard Man

Halmerich & Payne, Inc., a financially strong NYSE-listed contract drilling company, has an immediate opening in our Odessa, TX office for a Yard Hand. The Yard Hand position is primarily responsible for maintaining the warehouse inventory. 1-2 years oil field experience required, knowledge of drill pipe sizes required, forklift experience preferred, needs to live close to Odessa. We offer competitive wages and benefit package.

If you feel you possess the necessary qualifications and wish to be considered for this opportunity, please apply online at www.hpinc.com/emp.html.

Midland Memorial Hospital

We work hard to make sure our facility is the ideal place to work and develop your career. If you're thinking of making a move, make it to Midland Memorial Hospital!

Clinical positions:

- Registered Nurses
- Clinical Managers
- Clinical Dietitian
- Collector
- Special Procedures Technologist
- Physical Therapist/PTA
- Occupational Therapist
- Surgical Technologist - OR
- Surgical Technologist - Interventional Radiology
- Telemetry Monitor Tech
- Sterile Processing Tech
- Diabetes Educator
- MRI Technologist
- Multi Modality Tech
- Unit Coordinator

Non - Clinical positions:

- Lead Groundskeeper
- Groundskeeper
- Plant Operator
- Master/Journeyman Plumber
- Housekeeper
- Barista
- Sous Chef
- Room Service Manager
- Room Service Representatives
- Medical Records Clerk
- Release of Information Clerk
- Charge Master Reimbursement Specialist
- Quality Management Staff Assistant
- Center Core Coordinator
- PBX Operator
- Dish Room Attendant
- Food & Nutrition-Retail Line Server
- Valet

For information of these or other positions available please contact:
Midland Memorial Hospital
400 Rosalind Redfern Grover Parkway
Midland TX 79701
Office: (432) 221-4682
Fax: (432) 221-4654
www.midland-memorial.com
Midland Memorial Hospital is a nicotine- free hiring facility and Equal Opportunity Employer

OTHER JOBS

stripes TACO

NOW HIRING!

IN ODESSA AND ANDREWS

Great Pay! Great Benefits!

Assistant General Manager Trainees

Looking for quality candidates with at least three years of retail or food mgmt experience. Proficient computer knowledge (Microsoft Office). High school diploma or equivalent required. Ability to work flexible hours.

Assistant Manager Trainees

Looking for quality candidates with at least two years of retail/ food mgmt experience. High school diploma or equivalent required. Ability to work flexible hours.

Apply at Stripes website at www.susser.com/careers and complete an application or you can apply at the Stripes Division Office at 7100 West Highway 80 in Midland.

Company offers a competitive salary and benefit package including medical, dental, vision and life coverage, 401(k) plan, tuition reimbursement, paid vacation, career opportunities and an employee referral program.

Drug-Free Workplace - EOE

Baskin 31 Robbins.

NOW HIRING!

Cake Decorators for our location at 2101 W. Wadley here in Midland. No experience needed and willing to train. Great for mothers looking for part time jobs or retirees. Flexible working hours and competitive pay.

Please apply at any Baskin Robbins or Our Corporate Office
2408 N. Big Spring St.

Detailers

UNISEAL FT

Looking for experienced detailers at local Midland & Odessa dealerships. Can make up to $15 to $18 an hour. Please call 832-499-9574.

LANDSCAPING EMPLOYEE WANTED

Must be willing to work hard and have a valid drivers license. Call El Jardin 432-770-2369

OTHER JOBS

Drywall & Acoustical Journeymen & Laborers

Need experienced Drywall and Acoustical Journeymen and Laborers. Competitive wages paid. Must be able to pass background check and drug test. Call 432-683-1818 to schedule an appointment.

1staffing

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

- Bi-Lingual Admin Asst.
- Sales Position
- Meat Processers
- Hot-Sauce Processers
- Home Audio-Video Installation Tech
- CDL Driver
- Warehouse
- Delivery Driver
- Swamper
- Shelter Asst.- Reception Nights-Mornings-PRN

Apply in person at:
4400 N. Big Spring St., Ste. C 26,
Midland, TX. 79705
432-550-4059.
www.staffitusa.com

Inventory Clerk/Delivery Person

Abacus Computers Inc. is inviting applications for an inventory clerk/delivery person. Main duties will be shipping, receiving, stocking, making deliveries, and assembling computers. Applicant must be able to lift 60-pound boxes and must have a clean driving record. Non-smoking environment. Apply to: Abacus Computers Inc. Attn: Mark Singh, 6 Desta Drive, Suite 1350, Midland, TX. 79705

Inventory Control Specialist

Helmerich & Payne, Inc., a financially strong NYSE-listed contract drilling company, has an immediate opening in our Odessa, TX office for an Inventory Control Specialist. This position is primarily responsible for maintaining proper inventory levels and ensuring compliance with fixed asset procedures. Primary qualifications for this position will include:

- Thorough knowledge of inventory and fixed asset concepts, practices and procedures
- Thorough knowledge of purchasing, warehousing, distributing and tracking costs of capital and non-capital items
- Excellent written and oral communication skills with the ability to communicate effectively with all levels of employees and management
- Excellent PC-based software application skills: Excel, Word, etc.
- Ability to plan and organize multiple
- Associate's Degree preferred
- 1-3 years experience in warehousing and/or inventory required

If you feel you possess the necessary qualifications and wish to be considered for this opportunity, please apply online at **www.hpinc.com/emp.html.**

Irrigation Technician

The Odessa Country Club, 1 Fairway Dr., Odessa - Position available for an Irrigation Technician. Qualifications/experience for position include knowledge of irrigation system, experience with irrigation control systems (golf courses, residential or commercial systems) repair of PVC piping, basic understanding of hydraulics, ability to work overtime, working in hot conditions and Bilingual. Salary based on experience, with excellent benefits.
Contact Greg Hinton 432-254-0999

Janitors & Maids

Part-time evening Janitorial positions available. Great pay. Perfect for someone needing extra income or semi-retired. Apply at: 1307 North Big Spring, 8:30am-5:30pm.

KENT KWIK®
Convenience Stores

In Gardendale
Custodian needed for Kent Kwik
Truck Stop in Gardendale
Competitive Pay
Paid Weekly
Tuition Reimbursement and Weekly
Gas Allowance provided from Midland/Odessa
Heavy cleaning to include
bathrooms and shower stalls
Please Apply At
2408 N. Big Spring St.
Midland, Tx.

Parts Sales Positions

Golden Suzuki Honda Kawasaki Yamaha
306 E. 2nd St., Odessa, TX.
Full or Part time Please apply in person

PT Relief Resident Monitor/FT & PT Cook

Dismas Charities FT

Dismas Charities is now hiring for an Employment Specialist, Full-time & weekend Resident Monitors & Full-time & Part-time Cook . Apply: www.dismas.com

RUSTIC CAFE

Located in Gardendale!

Hiring for
• Cooks • Prep Cooks
Competitive wages, full benefits and weekly gas card provided.
Apply Now at 2408 N Big Spring St.

Service Driver

B&W Chemical Toilets FT
4500 S State HWY 349
Midland, TX 79706
Service Driver needed for portable toilet business. Must have a good driving record. Health insurance & 401K available. Please apply in person or call 432-685-1082.

Snelling Staffing Services
Hiring
• Clerical/Admin • General Workers
• Mechanical • Shop Hands • Medical
Apply online at: www.snelling.com/odessa
* 699-4799 * 800-296-7106
EEOC Employer

Let Classifieds Work for You! Call

432-682-6222

mywesttexas jobs

http://www.mywesttexas.com/jobs

Midland Reporter-Telegram in partnership with monster

RETAIL JOBS

KENT KWIK Convenience Stores. Now Hiring!

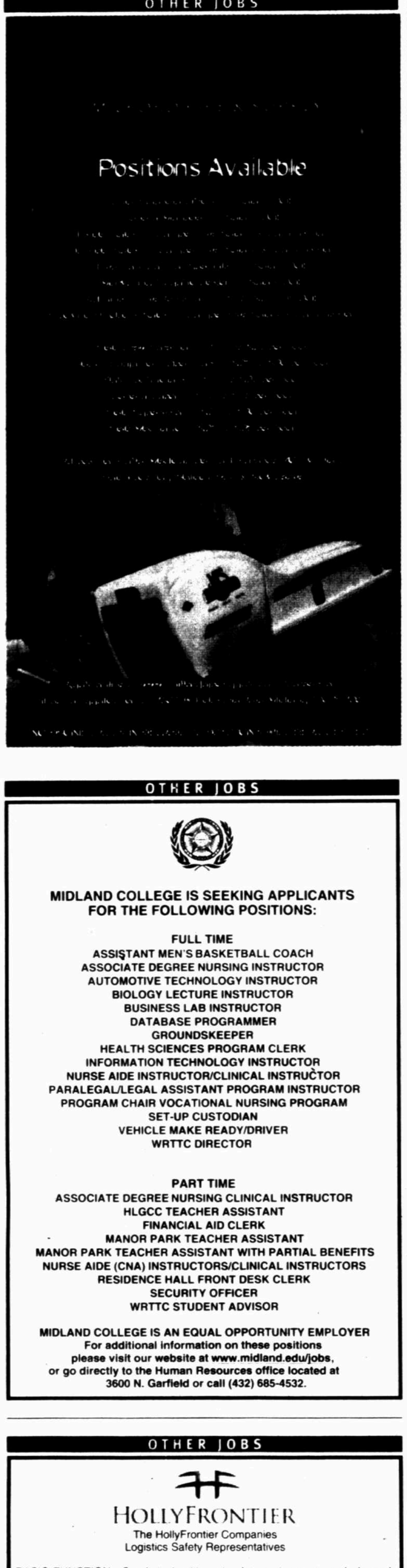
THE KENT COMPANIES
Making your life easy

- Starting pay based on experience. Quarterly Bonuses.
- Great Benefits 401k, Health/Dental, Vacation/Sick Pay, Tuition Reimbursement And Weekly Pay.
- Please Apply At Any Location Or Corporate Office - 2408 N. Big Spring St.

Now Growing! Apply at Any Location!

Please apply www.thekentcompanies.com or fax your resume with salary requirements to (432) 620-0005.

OTHER JOBS



OTHER JOBS

MIDLAND COLLEGE IS SEEKING APPLICANTS FOR THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS:

FULL TIME
ASSISTANT MEN'S BASKETBALL COACH
ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING INSTRUCTOR
AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTOR
BIOLOGY LECTURE INSTRUCTOR
BUSINESS LAB INSTRUCTOR
DATABASE PROGRAMMER
GROUNDSKEEPER
HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAM CLERK
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTOR
NURSE AIDE INSTRUCTOR/CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR
PARALEGAL/LEGAL ASSISTANT PROGRAM INSTRUCTOR
PROGRAM CHAIR VOCATIONAL NURSING PROGRAM
SET-UP CUSTODIAN
VEHICLE MAKE READY/DRIVER
WRTTC DIRECTOR

PART TIME
ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR
HLGCC TEACHER ASSISTANT
FINANCIAL AID CLERK
MANOR PARK TEACHER ASSISTANT
MANOR PARK TEACHER ASSISTANT WITH PARTIAL BENEFITS
NURSE AIDE (CNA) INSTRUCTORS/CLINICAL INSTRUCTORS
RESIDENCE HALL FRONT DESK CLERK
SECURITY OFFICER
WRTTC STUDENT ADVISOR

MIDLAND COLLEGE IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER
For additional information on these positions please visit our website at www.midland.edu/jobs, or go directly to the Human Resources office located at 3600 N. Garfield or call (432) 685-4532.

OTHER JOBS

HOLLYFRONTIER
The HollyFrontier Companies
Logistics Safety Representatives

BASIC FUNCTION: Conducts health and safety assignments and, depending on assignment, environmental management assignments for the Logistics/Asphalt/Heavy Oils distribution organization, under general supervision. Conducts process hazard analysis (PHA) assignments for motor vehicle drivers, maintenance mechanics and related operators. EXPERIENCE: A minimum of three years of on-the-job experience required. And a minimum of 5 years of work experience in a refinery or motor vehicle operating unit is required. EDUCATIONAL LEVEL: A minimum of a High School Diploma or equivalent required. Additional education may be substituted for experience, such as an Associate's, Bachelor's and/or Master's Degree in Safety or a related discipline. REQUIRED SKILLS: Working knowledge of occupational safety and process safety, and ability to apply this knowledge. Special training/Certifications in Industrial Safety, Hazard Assessment, Air Monitoring, Radiation Safety, HAZWOPER, etc. Satisfactory completion of a comprehensive medical physical examination. Working knowledge of refinery practices and application of PSM Policies and Procedures. Ability to stand firm on doing the job safely if challenged, acting in diplomatic manner. Ability to evaluate and take prudent risks to accomplish work. Ability to effectively communicate with others, intermediate ability to read and write, and an ability to perform intermediate level mathematical calculations. PREFERRED SKILLS: Computer skills are desirable for word processing or spreadsheet applications. WORK CONDITIONS: Office and field based with travel up to 25% of time by land or air required. Outdoor duties under wet and/or oil contaminated conditions, at both below grade and elevated positions. Industrial environment, including, but not limited to chemicals, pressure vessels, tanks and rotating equipment. Subject to random drug testing. Required to work in all weather and temperatures including outdoors. PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS: Job conditions require standing, walking, sitting, twisting, stooping, crouching, kneeling, talking or hearing, making visual inspections, making precise hand & finger movements, reaching or grasping, bending, lifting and pushing or pulling up to 20 lbs, climbing up to 30 ft, ability to operate and drive all assigned company vehicles at company standard insurance rates, valid State driver's license and proof of insurance, and ability to wear personal protective equipment (beards not permitted).
Please visit us at http://hollyfrontier.com/careers/ to view the full job description and apply for current opportunities with HollyFrontier Corporation. Application must be submitted by 4:00 pm on Monday, July 1, 2013.

HollyFrontier Corporation is an EEO / Affirmative Action Employer

OTHER JOBS

Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT FOR PART TIME DAY ASSOCIATE

NOW HIRING EXTRA! EXTRA!

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 occasionally. We will train the right person

Pay 10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

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@hearstmp.com
NOPHONECALLSPLEASE

OTHER JOBS

NOW HIRING EXTRA! EXTRA!

Midland Reporter-Telegram HAS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS IN IT'S 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

Pay 10.00 per hour paid every 2 weeks

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@hearstmp.com
NOPHONECALLSPLEASE

ATTENTION $TUDENT$

Are you a little short on cash!

Our Works Training Program may be just the answer you're looking for. Work 3 to 4 hours; afternoons and evenings in an exciting work program that teaches you the basic sale and marketing skills you need to succeed in life. You'll work with 6 to 10 other young people getting new customers for the areas leading newspaper and can earn $100 to $150 per week. If you like talking to people and having fun, for an opportunity to: Make money! Make friends! Gain valuable work experience!

Apply, Text or Call 1-205-991-3030

FaithWorks
"Faith work Training Program"

OTHER JOBS

General

NEWSPAPER STREET CORNER SALES
Midland Reporter-Telegram

Selling Newspapers On The Street Corners
(avg. income $50.00 - $100.00/day)

MUST BE AT LEAST 14 YEARS OLD
SUNDAYS ONLY
IF INTERESTED CALL
TOMMY 967-2267

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

DOT Fleet Manager
DOT Fleet Manager needed for Oilfield Service Company. Knowledge of DOT rules and regulations required, along with good driving record. Bilingual Spanish preferred. Please call 432-634-1042 to schedule an interview with Daniel.

MARC
Creating choices for people with disabilities

MARC has immediate openings for Director of Vocational Services Part-Time Registered Nurse. Experience in working with individuals with developmental disabilities preferred. Apply in person at 2701 North A Street or emailing resume to Deanna Evans at devans@marcinc-tx.org.

mywesttexas jobs

http://www.mywesttexas.com/jobs

Midland Reporter-Telegram in partnership with monster

OTHER JOBS

TOYOTA

Toyota of Midland

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

NEW & USED SALES PROFESSIONALS

$18 AN HOUR GUARANTEED! Right Now!

No Experience... We Will Train You! WE MUST FILL 6 to 8 POSITIONS IMMEDIATELY

We are seeking Automotive Sales Professionals to join our team. We offer a competitive pay plan, lots of floor and i-net traffic, plus great benefits and a guarantee while you train! This is your chance to get in on the ground floor at a brand new Toyota Dealership. We have an extensive supply of certified and pre-owned vehicles along with new Toyota and Scion vehicles. We are eager to discuss the possibility of your new career with our growing store. Our clients deserve only the finest customer service oriented professionals. Let us know if you are that person!! If you are a high energy professional looking for the right organization to succeed with... look no further. Take a look at what Toyota of Midland provides all team members.

SERVICE ADVISORS

Toyota Of Midland has an immediate opening for a Service Advisor in our growing Service Department. We're looking for team players with good follow-up and people skills. This is a great opportunity... we have lots of work! Dealership background is preferred. Compensation is based on background and ability. Plus, we offer one of the finest benefits programs in the automotive industry, which include medical and dental insurance, paid vacations, 401K & more!

SERVICE TECHNICIANS

If you can fix most anything with an engine and/or transmission. We have a job for you in our busy state of the art Service Center. We are looking for someone with the knowledge base to work on all makes and models of vehicles. If you are an all around mechanic (domestic or foriegn... or both!)... we need you immediately. Any certifications and ASE is a big PLUS but not required. We do Brakes, Alignment, Oil changes, warranty work, Tune-ups, HVAC, Computer Analysis, Axles, Bearings, and a lot more. TOOLS NOT NECESSARY... we got it covered. *Your hard work and motivation can take you to new heights of success. Join Toyota of Midland, a growing local auto dealership TODAY!*

CASHIER/RECEPTIONIST

Seeking people person with exceptional communication skills. Experience is helpful, but will train the right person. Cashier, answer multi-line phone system and perform other clerical duties. Office, typing, & computer background a plus. Plus, we offer one of the finest benefits programs in the automotive industry, which include medical and dental insurance, paid vacations, 401K & more!

We provide all our team members with a great benefits package: Medical & dental insurance programs - 401K - Paid vacations - Ongoing training & mentoring - A great work environment - Appreciation for your hard work - Opportunity for Advancement. Pay based on experience.

Your hard work and motivation can take you to new heights of success. Join Toyota of Midland, a growing local auto dealership TODAY!

TOYOTA OF MIDLAND is Seeking: SALES PROFESSIONALS, CASHIER/RECEPTIONIST, SHOP FORMAN and a LUBE TECHNICIAN!

Apply in person

800 North Loop 250 West

SALES JOBS

MUELLER, INC. METAL BUILDINGS, ROOFING & COMPONENTS

Mueller, Inc. is a highly respected, well-established manufacturer of pre-engineered steel building systems, metal roofing & components.

We now seek a:

Sales Representative Bilingual

Odessa, TX

Serve as an inside sales representative to customers. Develop project specifications and generate sales of metal building systems, residential metal roofing and components. Serve as the project manager to assist the customer and service the account.

Working experience with metal buildings and components and knowledge of agricultural related environment preferred but not required. Bachelor's Degree strongly preferred. Seeking individuals with effective customer service and interpersonal skills. Sufficient personal computer and business software application use capabilities required. Must be bilingual English/Spanish.

We offer competitive pay/benefits, with 100% paid employee & dependent health insurance, long-term disability, 401 (k), vacation, sick leave, life insurance, employee assistance program etc.

$37,500 base salary + SIGNIFICANT commission potential.

Online application required, may complete on-site at 5600 Andrews Hwy, Odessa, TX, (432) 550-0163 or by visiting www.muellerinc.com

$35,000 base salary+ significant commission potential for non-Bachelor's Degree

Compensation specifics will be discussed during the interview process.

Employment contingent upon completion of successful drug screen and extensive background check. EOE

www.muellerinc.com

FULL - TIME PAY FOR PART - TIME WORK FLEXIBLE HOURS (MORNINGS OR EVENINGS)

Looking for one sharp person to add to our sales force. Experience in retail a plus but will train the right person.

Must have dependable transportation and be able to pass a background check.

Call Stan Copeland 205-991-3030

Pump Salesperson

Basin Engine and Pump FT

Basin Engine & Pump is looking for a Experienced Pump Salesperson. Excellent Compensation and Benefit Plans. Email resume to: shawn@basinengine.com

STORE MANAGERS and CASHIERS

Smoker's Outlet is looking for **Store Managers** and **Cashiers** in the Midland area. We offer competitive wages and a good work environment. Paid is weekly plus tips. Go by your nearest **Smoker's Outlet** to apply.

SKILLED LABOR

Fork Lift Driver

Natural Gas Services Group FT

NGSG has an immediate opening for **Fork Lift Driver.** This person must have 3 years experience moving material and equipment around a warehouse, storage yard and factory. Only experienced Fork Lift drivers need apply, Excellent Salary and Benefit package for the right person. For more information or to submit your resume contact employment@ngsgi.com or call (432) 262-2700.

Journeyman Electrician

City Wide Electric FT

Need licensed Journeyman Electrician. Pay $26 plus an hour depending on experience. Excellent benefits. Please call 432-697-6456.

Mechanic/Service Man

Midkiff Tranports, Inc. FT

Salary DOE. and paid benefits. Apply at Midkiff Tranports Inc. 6601 FM 715 Midland, TX. 432-682-2405.

NEW TECH systems

NEW TECH SYSTEMS is seeking an individual that has a desire to further develop their skills as a **HUMAN RESOURCE GENERALIST.**

Also actively seeking applicants for **Accounts Receivable Clerk** position.

Responsibilities to include but not be limited to:

- New employee orientation
- Benefit administration (health, life, 401-K, etc)
- Maintain employee records
- Scheduling drug tests
- Posting employment ads
- Creating& maintaining job descriptions
- Complying with governmental regulation such as: EEO/FMLA/EEO/ Wage Garnishment/Unemployment
- Maintaining HR policies & procedures manual
- Compiling data for hourly & salary payrolls submittal

Qualifications to include but be limited to:

- 1yr minimum experience in HR work environment
- Proficient in using MS Office software
- Bilingual (English/Spanish) a plus
- Interact well with all levels of employees
- Dependable & trustworthy

Benefits provide include paid health, life and vision insurance for employee, 401K & vacation.

Please send resume and salary history to:
Human Resources - CONFIDENTIAL
P.O. Box 60276
Midland, TX 79711
E-mail: hr@newtechsystems.com

Now Hiring

Oil field construction company hiring experienced heavy equipment operators, foremen/leadsmen, & experienced CDL truck drivers. Paid time off and medical benefits. Please call 432-258-1339 for more information. Hablamos Espanol.

Plumber Helpers

Apply in person at **1101 W. Florida**. Salary DOE. We offer benefits, paid holidays, paid vacation & 401k. Must have HS Diploma or GED and clean driving record.

Professional Picture Framer

Art Gallery and custom frame shop is accepting applications for a reliable **Professional Picture Framer**. Applicant should be very familiar with high quality custom frames, matting and museum quality mounting technics, different glazing materials, ready-made frame installation and stretching of canvases and linen original paintings. Candidate will be responsible for the day to day operation of the frame shop. Successful candidate should be able to walk in and take over the positions. Occasional lifting up to 50lbs. with some assistance available. This is an outstanding opportunity for long term stable employment in a relaxed atmosphere, with a gallery in business over 25 years. 9am-6pm, five days per week. Salary commensurate with experience. Moving assistance is possible for the right candidate. Apply to: Professional Picture Framer **3001 W. Loop 250 N. Suite C-105, MAIL BOX 292, Midland, TX 79705**

Roustabout Hand

Now hiring experienced roustabout hand with heavy knowledge on pumping units. Top wages and health insurance offered. Call 894-1069

Top Drive SCR or VFD Technician

Texas Generators FT

Experienced Top Drive SCR or VFD Technician needed for well-established company located in Odessa, Texas. Includes benefits, paid vacation, 401-K, and performance bonuses. Pay depending on experience. Will relocate the right person. Please fax resume to: (432) 561-9360 or call: (432) 561-9355.

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

CDL Drivers and Non CDL Drivers

B & B Wrecker Service is looking to hire **CDL Drivers and Non CDL Drivers**. Must be 21 years or older. Good driving record. Paid every Friday. Health Insurance provided. Please come by **2823 S. Rankin Hwy**.

Class A CDL Driver

Service Seal, LLC FT

$5,000.00 Sign On Bonus – Stable company with competitive hourly wage and excellent benefits located in Midland, TX is looking for a full time Class A CDL Driver with Hazmat endorsement. Position requires a minimum 3 to 5 years verifiable professional driving experience with a clean driving and background record. Ideal candidates need to be dependable, reliable, and trustworthy. If you meet these qualifications, please contact Hope at 432-570-9414.

Class A CDL Truck Drivers

Prefer drivers with Pneumatic Tanker experience. Benefits include: driver $2,000 sign-on bonus, medical, life and dental insurance, and paid vacation. Applicants having experience hauling sand and/or dry cement helpful. Good driving record, DOT, drug & alcohol testing required. Apply in person, call 432-563-1894 for interview or online @ www.silverlinetx.com

Pinnergy, Ltd. is seeking experienced

Vacuum Truck Drivers, Conductor Crews, Mechanics & Disposal Attendants for Rankin, Big Lake, Odessa, and Pecos locations. Drivers must have a valid class A CDL with tanker endorsements and at least (1) year of driving experience. Prior saltwater and heavy equipment hauling experience preferred. • Must have a clean driving record • Must be able to pass a drug screen. Compensation package to include: • Highly competitive pay • Sign on Bonus • Healthcare insurance • 401K • Paid vacation. Positions need to be filled immediately, so if you are interested please submit an application at www.pinnergy.com or call 325-884-2258 for immediate consideration.

SKILLED LABOR

OPPORTUNITY

SOUTHERNSTAR dish

$14.00 per hour training pay

Now Hiring

Satellite Installation and Repair Technicians

in

Midland

and the surrounding area

Other amenities, including but not limited to:

Health, Dental, Vision, 401K, Bonuses

Tools, Transportation and Initial Uniforms supplied by Southern Star.

View Requirements, Benefits and Apply Online at:

www.southernstarjobs.com

ESI ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS AND INSTRUMENTATION INC

Huge opportunity for the right individual!

- **Journeyman Electrician**
- **Apprentice Electricians**
- **Experienced Lineman**

Comprehensive Benefit Plan including Health, Vision Plan, Life Insurance, Paid Vacation, Sick and Holiday Pay

Salary is negotiable DOE

Ph. (432) 563-0020 - Contact Jonathan Cadd, ESI Midcontinent Area Manager

Email resumes to esi-midcon@elect-systems.com.

EOE

Electric Apprentice or Helper

Electric Apprentice or Helper needed ASAP Call 432-570-9757 between 8am-12 Noonor email rdcrockett@yahoo.com

Electricians and Apprentice

Electrical Staffing FT

Must have Texas license. Commercial work. Must pass Background check and drug test. 40 hours per week. Call 877-695-1200.

Electricians

Confidential FT
Midland, TX 79701

Experienced Electricians needed. Please call 432-413-9344.

Experience Truck Accessory Installer

Fender Truck Accessories FT

Experienced truck accessory installer, must have own tools. Experienced in goosenecks, grill guards, headache racks, 40-45 hrs per week, Monday –Friday 7:30-5:30, benefits uniforms, good pay Send resume to kerry@fendergroup.com.

Finish Blade Operators

Danny's Asphalt Paving seeking **Finish Blade Operators**. Must have experience. Great wages, 60-70 average hours per week. Please stop by **12820 Hwy 191** Midland M-F 8-5 or call **432-563-1583**.

O-Tex pumping is hiring for an E-Tech, with experience needed: They need to have experience in troubleshooting problems, sodering cables, and replace broken cable wires, some computer skills, including MS Excel, Word, and Access. O-Tex also needs CDL drivers, Pump Operators, Service supervisors and Mechanics. We offer Full benefits after 30 days of employment that includes: BCBS, dental, aflac, life insurance, and 401 k. Please come to our office at 2611 E I-20 to apply, no phone calls please.

RESTAURANT & FOOD SERVICE

All Positions

La Bodega Mexican Restaurant FT
2700 N. Big Spring Street Apply in Person
Midland, TX To fill out application.

La Bodega Midland & Odessa, located at 7th & Dixie is now hiring for all positions.

All Positions

Schlotzsky's Deli hiring for all positions. Full and part time, day and evening shifts. Fun, grease free environment and opportunity for advancement. Apply at 5211 W Wadley or 1109 Andrews Hwy.

Assistant Manager

Rockin' Rodeo FT/PT

Now hiring Assistant Manager, Barbacks, Floor and Door Guys, Bartenders, and Shot Girls. Pay range varies. Apply in person at 4400 N Big Spring St, online at rockinrodeomidland.com or call 432-682-0400.

Bartender

VFW Post 7208 PT

Need experienced **part-time Bartender**. TABC required for private club. Saturday's a must. Only 2-3 nights per week needed. Send resume to Fax **432-684-6181** for an interview.

Breakfast Cook

Hiring full time Breakfast Cook, 1 year experience needed. $12.00 hourly + pooled tips + gratuity. Apply within @ Courtyard by Marroitt, 1505 Tradewinds Blvd. Phone 432-689-9400. Ask for Clint

Catering and Social Director

Midland's Premier Country Club FT/PT

Has opening for Catering and Social Director. Experience in sales and food service a plus. In addition to competitive wages we offer paid medical and 401K. Please apply in person: Midland Country Club, 6101 N. HWY 349, Midland TX 79705.

Dining Staff

Midland's Premier Country Club FT/PT

Is looking for Dining Staff/Servers. We offer competitive wages, benefit packages and 401K. Please apply in person: 6101 N. HWY 349, Midland TX 79705.

Dishwashers

The Garlic Press FT
Midland, TX 79705

The Garlic Press is hiring for Dishwashers. Apply in person at: Oakridge Square, Wadley and Garfield, between 11am and 2pm or 5:30pm and 7pm.

DOMINO'S PIZZA NOW HIRING!

•**Drivers:** Make cash everyday, Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $7.50 an hour (no split tip/wage here) plus delivery reimbursement, plus tips. •**CSRs:** Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $8.25 an hour, Bright & Friendly people only! •**Shift Leaders:** Great part time & full time shifts, Starting wage of $10 an hour, Flexible Schedules. Apply at any **Domino's Pizza** Midland or Odessa or send resume: **cassie@clearwire.net**. Senior citizens & stay at home moms always welcome. EOE

Swensen's Now Hiring Daytime & Evening Servers!

Excellent working environment! Now adding **Daytime** & **Evening servers** to our Team. Come join a group that fosters membership, not just employment. Excellent pay. Will train. Closed Sundays. Apply at **Loop 250 & A Street** or call **432-967-9823** & speak to someone immediately

RETAIL JOBS

Aaron's

OPEN HOUSE JOB FAIR

FOR MIDLAND & ODESSA OPPORTUNITIES ON WED. & THUR. JUNE 26TH & JUNE 27TH - 10 AM - 5 PM

3001 W. LOOP 250 N., MIDLAND,TX. 79705

NOW HIRING: MANAGER TRAINEES, CUSTOMER SERVICE REPS & DELIVERY DRIVERS!!! (NO CDL NEEDED)

Email resumes to: Esther.Aranza@aarons.com

Apply Online at: Aarons.com/careers

Aaron's Offers: 55 Years of Stability, 2,093 Stores across USA, Billion Dollar Company, Medical/Dental/Vision, 401K, 5-day Workweek, Sundays Off, Paid Vacations, Bonus Programs.

Aaron's is the Nation's Fastest Growing Retailer of Furniture, Electronics, Computers and Appliances.

Join the Aaron's Team Today!

Aaron's is an Equal Opportunity Employer

SALES JOBS

Attention Insurance Professionals!

Honesty...Integrity...Driven
Do these words describe you?
Realistic six figure income potential
4-day work week Mon. - Thurs.
Overnight travel required
Contact (866) 326-4309 or **joinusnow@pltnm.com**

Exp. Field Sales Person Needed Immediately

Casing and Tubing services company has immediate opening for experienced field sales representative. We offer excellent pay, paid insurance, 401K, and company vehicle. Please call Dean at 361-648-9412 for details. Must pass preemployment drug screen and have clean driving record.

Sales Assistant

Help Wanted: Sales Assistant. Seeking dependable detail oriented person to join our team. Must have computer skills, work well in a fast paced environment, able to meet deadlines. Hours M-F, 8-5. Send resumes to luzi@centuryga.com.

mywesttexas jobs

http://www.mywesttexas.com/jobs

Midland Reporter-Telegram in partnership with monster

SALES JOBS

Multi-Media Sales Consultant

The Midland Reporter-Telegram and mywesttexas.com advertising department is looking for an Multi-Media Sales Consultant. The ideal candidate will have a proven track record of personal sales successes, preferably in a newspaper/media environment. Some knowledge of the advertising industry would be helpful, but not required.

Duties for this position will include, but are not limited to selling advertising in all print publications of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and all online products, including mywesttexas.com.

Qualifications & Skills:

- *Ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline oriented environment*
- *Excellent customer service and time management skills*
- *Highly organized with the ability to work independently with minimal supervision*
- *Detail-oriented with good communication, spelling and math skills*

The Hearst Corporation is one of the largest diversified communications companies. Its major interests include magazine, newspaper and business publishing, cable networks, television and radio broadcasting, Internet businesses and more. As an associate of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, you join more than 20,000 in the Hearst family. The Multi-Media Sales Consultant is a full-time, outside sales position. We offer a competitive compensation plan and benefits package, comprehensive training, mileage allowance, and the opportunity to advance your career in an exciting, progressive, and innovative organization in one of the fastest growing markets in Texas.

If you are the one we are looking for, please send current resume to:

Jeri Houston, Advertising Sales Manager
Midland Reporter-Telegram, 201 E. Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701
or email to: jhouston@mrt.com

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER / NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE

SKILLED LABOR

Holly Transportation Company

POSITION: Crude Oil Truck Driver - Midland, TX. Hours of work: 60+ hours per week, working rotating shifts (night and day) including weekends and holidays. Hours may vary from week to week. GENERAL DUTIES: Driving a tanker truck hauling various products in New Mexico and Texas. BACKGROUND REQUIREMENTS: Must hold a valid CDL with Tanker and Hazardous Materials endorsement. **A MINIMUM OF TWO (2) YEARS Tractor Trailer EXPERIENCE IS REQUIRED AND A GOOD DRIVING RECORD IS AN ABSOLUTE MUST**. EDUCATION REQUIRED: High school diploma or G.E.D. equivalent and be at least 23 years of age. PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS: Driving 80%, standing 10% and moving about 10%. Assume awkward positions when working around tractors, trailers, and be able to climb to heights of 25' and climb in/out of elevated cab; connect and disconnect 4" load hose weighing approximately 25 lbs. Must be able to wear respiratory protection equipment (NO BEARDS). Must be able to carry and use fire extinguisher. Successful candidate must be able to meet **ALL** D.O.T. physical requirements including: **SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A DRUG/ALCOHOL SCREEN.** MENTAL CAPABILITIES: Must be able to read and understand D.O.T. regulations, prepare Company and D.O.T. paperwork, must be mentally alert at all times and operate a tractor-trailer with the utmost safety. BENEFITS: A comprehensive fringe benefit package for employee and family. The program includes medical, dental, life insurance, disability insurance, paid holidays, paid vacation time, 401k savings and retirement plans. REMUNERATION: Highly Competitive Incentive Pay Plan. WHERE TO APPLY: Applications may be obtained online at http://hollyfrontier.com/employment-opportunites/.

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

HollyFrontier Corporation is an EEO / Affirmative Action Employer

SKILLED LABOR

TMK IPSCO

NOW HIRING!

Odessa, TX

ULTRA Premium Oilfield Services, a division of TMK IPSCO, provides a line of patented premium connections available for deep, high pressure, horizontal / directional drilling and other challenging drilling and completion environments. Due to our incredible growth, we currently have excellent career opportunities available in **Odessa, TX!**

Sign-On Bonus Available!

Forklift Operator / Shipping & Receiving

Responsibilities include safely operating an articulating forklift; loading and unloading trucks; and staging material for production of full-length tubular goods.

Maintenance Mechanics

Provide maintenance and repair for manufacturing and shop equipment.

Production Operations

Requires work experience in an automated manufacturing environment with knowledge of saws, swage and stress relieve machines.

We offer competitive compensation and excellent benefits, including medical and dental benefits starting on your first day of employment ***No Waiting Period!*** In addition, we offer profit sharing, outstanding bonus and incentive plans, a 401(k) plan with a generous company match, immediate vesting and much more.

To apply, please email your resume to:
OdessaUltraCareers@tmk-ipsco.com

You may also apply in person **Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm:**
ULTRA Premium Oilfield Services
7501 Groening Street
Odessa, TX 79765
Phone: (432) 367-3200

www.tmk-ipsco.com

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

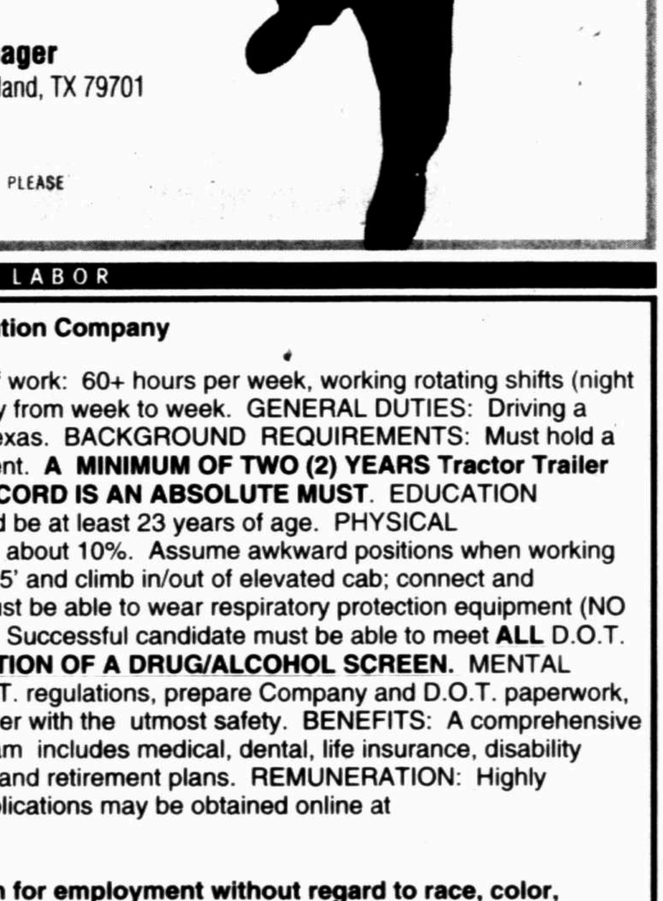
Dispatcher
Aveda Transportation and Energy Service
Oilfield Heavy Hauling Equipment Company

Aveda Transportation and Energy Services has an immediate need for a **Dispatcher** for the Midland TX location. Aveda Transportation and Energy Services is an oilfield heavy hauling equipment company specializing in moving drilling rigs in the United States.

The **Dispatcher** is responsible for coordinating the movements of trucks/equipment as well as personnel to sites and tasks. Must be able to resolve complex dispatch issues, assign drivers to vehicles, and ensure the drivers have the proper documentation. Must have a minimum of four (4) years of oilfield trucking/hauling experience, or logistic experience.

We welcome your interest in a career with Aveda Transportation. Submit your resume or request an employment application by sending an e-mail to R**LS@rlsbusinesssolutionsllc.com**, or call **432-254-5702**, approved search agent for Aveda Transportation, an Equal Opportunity Employer.

TECHNOLOGY



Premises Technician

AT&T knows a thing or two about technology – and so do you. We need customer-focused people like you to work closely with customers to answer questions and connect them to the latest technology. Come on, let's push the cutting edge.

Connect today at: www.att.jobs/MidlandInstaller

Diversity is the AT&T way of standing apart. Equal Opportunity Employer.
© 2013 AT&T Intellectual Property. All rights reserved. AT&T and the AT&T logo are trademarks of AT&T Intellectual Property.

at&t

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

DRIVERS
Average up to $1,100.00 to $1,700.00/wk! 5 Day Work Week, Dedicated STX & WTX runs in Assigned Trucks! Excellent Benefits. CDL-A, X 1yr Exp & TWIC Req. **1-866-823-0286**

Field Safety Advisor
Aveda Transportation and Energy Service
Oilfield Heavy Hauling Equipment Company

Aveda Transportation and Energy Services has an immediate need for a **Field Safety Advisor** for the Midland TX location. Aveda Transportation and Energy Services is an oilfield heavy hauling equipment company specializing in moving drilling rigs in the United States.

The **Safety Advisor** will provide safety support to terminal operations, develop and implement HSE processes and systems, conduct training, lead incident investigations and provide field level safety support during rig moves. Must have a minimum 3-5 years of health and safety experience to include safety program auditing and a working knowledge of OSHA and DOT regulations.

We welcome your interest in a career with Aveda Transportation. Submit your resume or request an employment application by sending an e-mail to R**LS@rlsbusinesssolutionsllc.com** or call **432-254-5702**; approved search agent for Aveda Transportation, an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Fax Your Ad 682-6999

SKILLED LABOR

Centurion Pipeline L.P.

Centurion Pipeline

Occidental Petroleum Corporation (NYSE: OXY) is an international oil and gas exploration and production company. We are one of the largest U.S. oil and gas companies, based on equity market capitalization, with more than 40,000 employees and contractors worldwide.

Centurion Pipeline is an oil-gathering, common carrier pipeline and storage system with approximately 2,750 miles of pipelines.

Our greatest asset has been and will continue to be our people. We are looking for an experienced and motivated individual to fill the position of **Measurement Specialist** within our Centurion Pipeline group based in **Midland, Texas**.

Measurement Specialist (S)

Essential Job Duties:
- Responsible for accurate measurement, sampling, operations, and custody transfer of various crude oil types being gathered and transported; following measurement manual procedures and guidelines.
- Responsible to reconcile system/segment line balance, batch changes, and system utilization and quality control.
- Performs (L) ACT and tank inspections with associated documentation.
- Responsible for measurement security at field locations and stations within area of responsibility.
- Perform batch change operations to ensure effective commodity segregation and quality.
- Monitor SCADA/HMI interface to ensure safe operating parameters.
- Performs various mathematical calculations associated with job duties to ensure accurate quality, quantity.
- Read and understand station flow diagrams, gate maps, and pipeline drawings.
- Interact with various computer programs to generate custody tickets and other operations required to perform assigned duties.
- Schedule crude oil movements thru facilities to maintain safe efficient inventory levels.
- Read, understand, and follow measurement manual procedures.
- Position requires manual dexterity and visual acuity, ability to lift 50 lbs., and work outside in all weather conditions, and extended hours.
- Self motivated and able to work with little supervision.
- Must have a good driving record.
- Must be a team player and work with others.
- Other duties as required

Required Qualifications:
- High School Diploma or GED
- 2 years of oilfield measurement, preferably pipeline/station measurement experience.
- Strong computer skills (Microsoft Suites, STAR, Maximo)
- Must be able to work shift work (if applicable, site specific)
- Experience with (L) ACT meter operations and station equipment, and meters calibration.
- Experience with crude oil analyzing equipment.
- Experience with (L) ACT unit design and operations.
- Experience with flow computers, coriolis meters, and displacement meters.
- Must be able to climb large storage tank stairs, with measurement equipment, and work at elevated heights.
- Strong interpersonal and communication (verbal and written) skills.
- Ability to distinguish colors on LCD SCADA/HMI interface.
- Ability to multitask.

Please apply on-line at www.oxy.com/careers
Apply to Requisition 00006498, Measurement Specialist (S)
Oxy is an Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

BLACK HORSE CARRIERS, INC

DRIVERS
CLASS A & B CDL
BLACK HORSE CARRIERS is expanding into the Big Spring area: Looking for Class A & B CDL drivers. Night start times. Dedicated routes, Drivers will handle freight, Home daily, Mon. - Fri. work week. Average 35 hours per week, Average $1000 a week. These full time positions come with full Benefits, 401K and paid vacation. If you have 3 yrs. Exp., Hazmat Endorsement or willing to obtain and a clean MVR. Please call Toby at **(972) 304-2082** or email to: **tobin.williams@blackhorsecarriers.com.** EOE. Drug Testing is a condition of employment.

Drivers
Renzenberger, Inc. FT
Renzenberger, the leading provider of transportation services, is seeking qualified drivers in the Midland, TX area to provide transportation services for our clients. We provide well-maintained, late model vehicles in excellent condition. Starting salary is $12.00/ hour. Apply online at www.renzenberger.com

Driver
Troy Vines, Inc. FT
Driver's needed. Class A/B CDL required. Call 432-682-7031 for more info.

Driver/Warehouse
Confidential FT
Midland, TX 79711
Local delivery CDL Truck Driver/Warehouse helper needed. Apply in person at 11524 County Rd 128 West, Midland, 79711

MECHANICS
Diesel Tractor and Tank Trailer repair. Knowledgeable in all phases of PM, and repair. Tanker Repair Exp. a plus. Generous Benefits. Martin Transport: **1-866-823-0286**.

Who's Who For Service

What a GREAT place to advertise your business!

Call 682-6222 for details.

Services & Professionals

Cleaning Services
Home Cleaning

ANNA'S HOUSEKEEPING. Weekly and bi-weekly rates. Business & residential. References available. Free estimates. 432-288-0940.

CINDY'S CLEANING Service now accepting appointments. Call 432-269-7080.

DEPENDABLE HOME CLEANING. Have References. Call 432-254-7293.

HOUSE CLEANING & new construction. Make ready at its best & residential! Also empty. Experience plus references. 432-816-0608.

PAULA'S CLEANING Good references. Call 432-978-0995 or 432-269-4271

Ramirez Services House cleaning to your perfection. If you want it done right, Call 432-559-1226. Free Estimates!!!!

SENORA Responsapel busca trabajo limpiando casas o cuidai a su ser querido fanor de llamar al 830-461-3234

Cindy Clean! The new clean for Midland/Odessa for homes and offices now booking weekly, bi-weekly & monthly clients! 800-914-4670 ext.2 www.cindyclean.net

WILL CLEAN your homes or offices. References. 3 years experience. Call or text 432-272-9104 or 432-352-1452.

Office Cleaning

CLEANING SERVICES, Empty rental property, Empty realty property. Call Diane @ 432-634-3616.

HONEST, RELIABLE, cleaning service. Homes & Offices. Call Ann 432-202-2019

I CAN clean houses, offices, and construction. 20 years of experience, prices reasonable or negotiable. Se habla espanol. We speak english. Call 432-254-2907 or 432-222-1092

WE ARE a honest, reliable, Christian based janitorial company. We service all offices residential homes. Hotel & Motels. Gurantee to beat any price. 432-488-6933

Window Cleaning

The House Washer. Window cleaning. & more. 432-684-5379.

WINDOWS PLUS + Serving Midlanders Est. 1994. Residential, Commercial. Call 432-682-9322.

FAX YOUR AD 24/7 682-6999

Computer Services
Repair & Replacement

APPLIANCE REPAIR
REPAIRING & Selling Refrigerators, Freezers, Stoves, Washer & Dryers. Free Service call with repair. Free Removal. Full warranty, very affordable prices. M&M Appliances. 1007 N. Midkiff, Midland. Call 432-570-8278

APPLIANCE SERVICE
Mike's Appliance Service. Repairs on Most Major Brands. 432-559-9465

COMPUTER PROBLEMS? WE SOLVE THEM!
TechSmart will tell you in plain English how we can help you. Virus Removal, Repairs, Data Recovery, Security, Cloud Services & Networking. TechSmart does it all, at home or work. Our services are professional, affordable, and fast. For best results, call TechSmart first. (432) 631-7202

TJ'S COMPUTER REPAIR. Repair/Upgrades. New Computer Setup. Virus and Spyware Removal. Wireless Networking. Reasonable Rates. Work on site or pickup. 432-686-0831

Cleaning Services
Home Cleaning

NATALIES HOUSE CLEANING 432-978-6854

Computer Services
Repair & Replacement

A+ COMPUTER Tutor! Overcome Your Fear of Computers! Your PLACE, Your PACE. Call Karen 432-553-2468 (leave message)

COMPUTER SUPPORT SERVICES Repair, troubleshooting, upgrades, installs. Virus/spyware removal. Over 20 years experience. Reasonable rates. 432-238-9664 432-694-3915

Hauling

1 Dependable Junk Removal from single items to trailer loads, we remove it all. Call 432-352-5031

FREE REMOVAL of scrap metal & appliances. Call 432-553-1984

J - P DIRTWORK Caliche, Fill Dirt, Any and All Type Dirtwork. Residential & Oilfield. Fully Insured. Call 432-352-2591

J - P FORKLIFT Services. Forklift & Flatbed Services. Pipe Racks & Catwalks for Lease. 24hr. Call 352-2591

J-P FRAC Tank Moving and Setting. Vaccum Truck for Cleaning Tanks. 24hr. Call 432-352-2591

Home Services & Home Improvement
Brick, Block & Stone

ADVANCED BRICK DOCTOR, brick & mortar repair, All types of new construction specializing in flower beds and landscape. Steve Rickey. 432-853-2859.

CABALLERO MASONRY. Brick/block/stone, stucco, driveways, sidewalks, tile, flowerbeds. Insurance. Bonded. Residential & Commercial. Free estimates. 432-631-8781

MASONRY WORKS Mortar Replacement, Brick Replacement & Commercial Grade Sealer. Free Estimates. 432-425-3111.

PRO Contractors of Midland Custom **Granite starting at $39sq.ft. installed. Commercial & Residential.** Call 432-557-4261.

Home Services & Home Improvement
Carpentry

QUALITY SERVICES Carpentry, cabinets, laminate/wood flooring, ceramic tile, painting 432-770-9516 Email: sicorr@aol.com

Concrete

CABALLERO MASONRY. Brick/block/stone, stucco, driveways, sidewalks, tile, flowerbeds. Insurance. Bonded. Residential & Commercial. Free estimates. 432-631-8781

CONCRETE FINISH Complete Concrete Needs! Patios, driveways, wood & cinderblock fences. Free estimates! 432-222-5297

CONCRETE SPECIALTIES Drives, patios, staining, flagstone, brick planters & block walls, outdoor kitchens and fire places. 35 years experience! 432-934-8102.

JS Concrete Slabs,curbs,driveways, patios, Stamp concrete. Free Estimates. Bonded & Insured. Juan Sanchez, owner. 432-413-0924

QUALITY CONCRETE & METAL BUILDINGS Work of all types. Driveways, patios, sidewalks, house/ metal buildings, foundations. Call 432-816-6839 / 432-263-5272.

QUIROZ COMPANY STAMP CONCRETE All types of concrete work. Choose your pattern. All types of remodeling. References. Felix @ 631-6734 or Matt @ 631-2475.

Contractors & Builders

WEBB HOMES AND REMODELING Quality reconstruction, quality new construction, commercial, interior and exterior, 40 plus years experience, large or small jobs, good referrals. **432-269-2279**

Let "Sure Sell" Work For You! Call 432-682-6222

Home Services & Home Improvement
Electrical

BRADY ELECTRIC Free estimates and prompt service. Residential repairs, remodels, and new construction. Licensed & Insured TECL #20297 **432-413-4872**

LAING ELECTRIC Residential and Commercial. Midlander for 42 years. No job too small. Appreciates all work. Free estimates. Licensed and insured. TECL#18544. Please call 432-413-5880.

LBL ELECTRIC Free Esitmates. Residential & Commerical Services. TECL#29182. Call 432-695-6035

Fences

ABC FENCE, Native Midlander building and repairing fences since 1979. Reasonable rates. Call Lonnie 432-638-7950

ARMANDO'S Fencing & Handyman services. 432-978-9990. Please call for junk & scrap metal removal & Yard clean-up

Handyman Services

HANDYMAN SERVICE Carpentry, Drywall, Painting, Flooring, Plumbing, Electrical **432-528-1033**

Heating & Air Conditioning

At your service www.ActionAirPlumbing.com (432) 620-8900

ELLIS & SONS Plumbing & Air Conditioning Sales & Service. Service all brands. 683-2679. TALCB005482.

Painting & Wallpaper

A & B PAINTING & REMODELING. Interior & Exterior. References Available. Free Estimates. Call Reed @ 432-528-3253 Bonded & Insured.

DOUBLE TT PAINTING Interior and Exterior Texture, tape & bed. Senior Citizens 50% discount. Power washing. Residential. 432-288-7849 or 352-4633.

K & J Painting - Midlands Readers' Choice Silver Winner! Interior & exterior painting, drywall repair, tile. Top Quality Work. Free estimates. Kevin Ison, 432-563-3178 or 432-349-6110.

PAINT WORX Painting- Drywall- Texture- Power Washing-Patches, interior/ exterior. Free estimates, No job to big or too small. T. J. Rodriquez Call 432-230-2424

SUPERIOR EXTERIORS & Interiors-All types of Painting & Remodeling. Credit Cards Accepted. 520-7348.

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Home Services & Home Improvement
Painting & Wallpaper

YANACEK PAINTING, Frank Jr. Commercial & Residential Painting. All Types of Wall Finishes and Pressure Washing. 556-2103

Plumbing

At your service www.ActionAirPlumbing.com (432) 620-8900

Pool & Spa

30+ years of swimming pool building experience. Minor and major repairs. 432-222-2215

Remodeling & Repair

All Types of Home Remodel/Repairs: Bathroom, kitchen, living spaces, texturing, removal of popcorn ceilings at affordable rates. Free estimates. Call Eugene 432-661-2556

Alpha General Construction, remodeling additions, metal and wood fencing, cabinets, stucco, roofing, painting, tile, showers and counter tops and masonry work, landscaping and hardscaping. Small jobs welcome. Call 432-664-0155

HOME IMPROVMENT roofing, remodeling, and painting. Call 432-816-4828

RONNIE'S HOME Repair. Just about anything you need fixed or replaced. Lots of experience. Hardworker. Trustworthy. Reasonable. 432-269-8142

Roofing

J&J ROOFING All Types of Roofing & Repairs. Fence Repairs. Free Estimates Juan, 432-631-6861

REYES ROOFING NEW roofs, replace, leaks. Free estimates (BBB). 432-686-7113 leave message, 432-238-4254

ROOFS BY NICHOLAS The Roofing Company you rely on! Up to $250 off complete roof! (432) 520-7348.

Tile & Vinyl

Custom floors, showers & tubs. 20 yrs exp. James 432-978-5793

Landscape & Tree Maintenance
Lawn & Garden

A-1 Expert Tree Removal/Trimming 30 years experience. Stump Grinding & Storm Damage. References. Insured. Save money & get MAX results. Chris 254-1339

A & D LAWN SERVICES Tree Trimming and Removal complete lawn maintenance. 432-853-8897 or 432-288-0940

AFFORDABLE LAWNS, Complete lawn care including new yard planting. Total yard & lot clean-up. New accounts welcome. Richard 432-235-2673

AFFORDABLE TREE shrub pruning, removal, sprinkler repairs. Licensed & Insured. Call Kut-Rite 561-8802, 638-6163.

A & G Services. Mowing, edging, tree trimming, shrub removal, fertilizing, planting, mulch, flower beds, all seasons. Free estimates. 432-599-4240.

Home Services & Home Improvement
Concrete

RUDY'S HOME IMPROVEMENT Repair & remodeling, commercial and residential. All types of concrete work, concrete staining & stamping, brick, block, rock, stone tile, brick mortar repair, etc. Drywall, texture, and painting, interior & exterior. REASONABLE RATES quality work, free estimates, bonded Contractor Rudy 212-1122.

Heating & Air Conditioning

Guy's Electric and Air Air-conditioning, heating, and electrical , sales and service on all brands, residential and commercial. 432-553-5014 TACLB005816C TEC19305

Remodeling & Repair

A.M. Pro Construction Commercial/Residential Remodeling. New Construction, Framing, Concrete, Painting, Texturing, Tile, Custom Crown Molding Door, Window, French Door Installation. **Custom Fencing.** Bonded & Insured. **432-222-6335**

Remodeling & Repair

Hand Scraped Birch Engineered Hardwood flooring installed with 3" 1/4" baseboard starting @ $8.99 a sq.ft.

Pro Contractors of Midland
Residential/Commerical
- Wholesale Granite
- Custom Kitchens, Fencing, and Outdoor Patios
- Vendor for Carpet & Tile w/ Install
- **Water Well Drilling & Installation**

Insured and Bonded. References Available. For Free Estimates **Call 432-557-4261** **www.procontractorsmidland.com** *Find us on Facebook for photos & products:Pro Contractors of Midland

Landscape & Tree Maintenance
Lawn & Garden

ALL SEASONS Lawn Care. Tree trimming, flower beds, mowing. Free estimates. Call anytime 432-889-1461

Arbor Max Solutions Professional Landscape & Tree Care. Call for Summer check-up. **Taylor Maxwell Degreed Horticulturist Certified Arborist** TX3606A 432-528-1737

CareFree Lawn Care for all of your rock, sod, artificial lawn, & tree installation, sales & services. Call Russell 432-557-9622

EL JARDIN Keep your trees strong & healthy this year with our professional level services. Tree healthcare, pruning, planting, and removal 20yrs. exp. in Permian Basin. Call 770-2399

FIREFIGHTER: tree trimming and removal. Marlin 432-530-6044.

FOR CHEAP yard and field services please call Diane 432-634-3616

FRANK D'S LAWN SERVICE Mow big or small lots. Tree, shrub trimming and removal. Fence building and removal. Irrigation Specialist Li#0020437. Call 432-238-2060

HERMAN'S LANDSCAPING. Tree & shrub trimming, stump removal, flower bed cleaning, and planting. Please call 432-683-2904, 432-967-0196.

TRACTOR WORK. Free Estimates. Mowing, tilling, bucket work posthole digging and more. Stephen @ 432-556-4530.

JAY'S TREE & Lawn Service. Tree trimming & removal, mowing. Call Clayton or Donna 432-269-9321 or 432-254-2681.

M & M Landscaping. 22 years experience. All types of landscaping Xeriscaping, tree and shrub removal. No job too large or too small. Call 432-230-3372

MOWING. Tree/Bush Trimming. Call Emilio 432-488-6520 or Arnold 432-978-1524

MURPHY'S LAWN CARE Mowing, edging, trimming, Hedge/ shrub trimming, clean-ups. Bill or Maryann. **(432)687-2131**

PRO Contractors of Midland Xeroscape and tree removal. Commercial & Residential. 432-557-4261. Find us on Facebook

STRACENER IRRIGATION **Sprinkler Systems** Repairs & Installations License #4933 Call (432) 561-9525

Tractor mowing and tandem disc plow work small or large lots. Call Mark 432-638-6364

VILLA'S YARD Service Free Est., Reasonable Rates, mowing, flower beds, & tree trimming. 432-349-3893 Lord Is My Shepherd, I Shall Not Want. Psalm 23:1

Miscellaneous Services

BLANCO'S Mobile Wash. Trucks, trailers, RVs, 432-212-1141

Fax Your Classified Ad In Today! 682-6999

Miscellaneous Services

e H2O WATER WELL DRILLING SERVICES TM
Have you been thinking about getting a water well? Now is the Time!
Call us today for a free estimate.
For all your well drilling & pump servicing needs.
432-230-7723

FREE REMOVAL of scrap metal & appliances. Call 432-553-1984.

LONE STAR old appliance pickup all kinds, old car parts, motorcycle parts, mowers. 235-2603

Moving & Storage

A-1 RELOCATIONS at A1 Prices Moving/Load/Unload/ Pack/Unpack (Local/Long Distance) Over 20 years experience we also do deliveries and free onsite estimates. Call 432-425-3738 or 432-631-0678

FIVE STAR Movers. We will move you anywhere, in state or out. No job 2 big or 2 small. Moving help available. Call 432-250-4386

FIVE STAR Moving at affordable prices. We will move you anywhere, in state or out. No job 2 big or 2 small. Moving help available. Call 432-250-4386

J & K LOADING AND PACKING SERVICES. 432-553-2416.

Musical Instrument Tuning & Repair

EXPERT PIANO Tuning and Repairs. Please Call Michael Sherrod At 432-694-3161 For An Appointment.

Personal Services

DAYCARE NOW accepting enrollment for new born through 12 years. Full time; part time; part day; drop ins. Transportation provided. 687-5904

IRMA'S UPHOLSTERY & Drapery. Please call 432-352-4633

STRESSED OUT? Need a Massage? Fri., Sat. & Sun. before 5pm. $40 in Midland. Call Henry 349-7811

Fax Your Ad 682-6999

Landscape & Tree Maintenance
Lawn & Garden

TEXAS TREE MD & LANDSCAPES Senior Citizen Discount **(432)557-1340** Complete Tree Care, Pruning, Removals, Diagnosis & Treatment. Landscape Design, Artificial Turf, Xeriscapes, Sod, Pavers, Irrigation Repair, Retaining Walls, & Fencing. ISA Certifed Arborist on staff. **texastreeandlandscapes.com**

EL JARDIN - Trees, Landscape, Irrigation. Experienced Professionals From Start to Finish. New Landscape Design and Installation, Re-landscaping, New Lawns and Lawn Restoration. Tree Pruning, Planting, Removal and Health Care. Sprinkler Repair, Modification, New Design and Installation. Drip Irrigation Specialists! 29 Years in the Permian Basin. Please Call Bruce at 432-770-2399

JOJO'S BEE TREE TRIMMING, REMOVAL, GRINDING. BUCKET TRUCK AVAILABLE. FREE ESTIMATES. INSURED. CALL JOSE RUEDAS 432-684-6745 OR 432-352-7435 JOJOSBEELAWN@YAHOO.COM

Eddie's Lawn Service. 432-413-1819. Need Your Yard Mowed & Trees Trimed. Free Estimates

Miscellaneous Services

DIGGERS OILFIELD SERVICES LLC Commercial and oilfield pad construction, pit construction and closure. R.O.W. and road construction (432) 664-8030 www.diggersoilfieldservices.com

Pet Services

ATTENTION DOG OWNERS! Dog-Waste Clean-Up & Removal Service. $10.00/wk/1 dog; $2.00/add'l dog. www.k-9pottypatrol.com, 432-254-9951

Repair Services
All Type of Repair

TIM'S MOBILE Automotive, for all of your automotive needs. Over 25 years exp. Call 432-634-5395

Wrought Iron & Welding

ALPHA IRON WORK AND WELDING Services. Carports, fencing, structural, iron work, and pipe welding. 432-664-0155.

In A Hurry? E-Mail Your Ad Today! It's Quick & Easy mrtclassified mrt.com

Get Framed See how this ad caught your eye with its effective use of a border as a frame? Ask your Rep. about framing your ad today! **432-682-6222** or fax to **432-682-6999**

Brick, Block & Stone

½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF ½ OFF

1/2 OFF! Price Special

- Run your Who's Who ad in multiple categories and save BIG!
- All subsequent ads are half off.
- Call 682-6222 to take advantage of this amazing offer!

1/2 OFF!

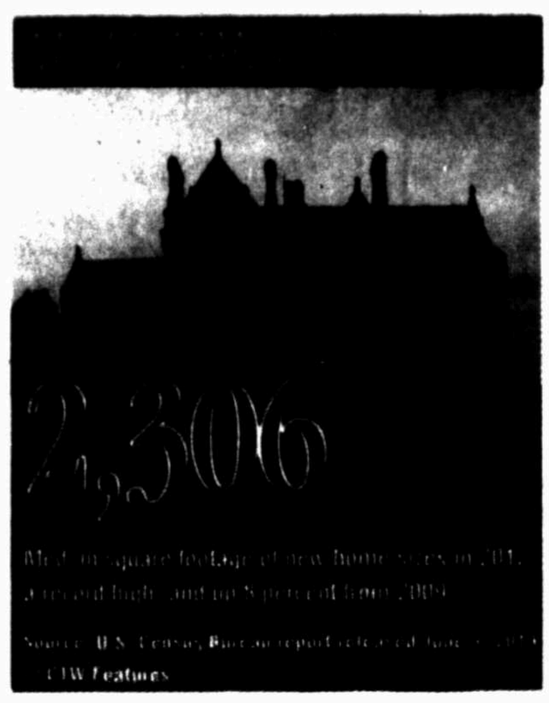
CA$H IN ON YOUR GARAGE SALE

Planning a garage sale? Boost your profits with an ad in the Classifieds. It's an easy and affordable way to bring more business to your door!

Call 432-682-6222 to place your ad Today! or www.mywesttexas.com

Midland Reporter-Telegram

REAL ESTATE



PENT-UP HOUSING DEMAND HAS FINALLY EXPLODED. FOR SELLERS WHO WERE DISCOURAGED MONTHS OR YEARS AGO, IS IT TIME TO TRY AGAIN?

By CHRYSTAL CARUTHERS
CTW Features

After five years of steady housing market declines, homeowners are finally seeing light at the end of the recession. For many municipalities and metro areas, it is now a seller's market.

That means sellers who have been sitting out the recession-level low prices are now being urged to put their homes on the market to meet pent-up buyer demand. Homes are selling faster, for more money and usually with multiple offers.

"If someone is looking to buy in East Sacramento, there are only one or two houses available," says Tom Gonsalves, broker-owner of Gonsalves Real Estate Properties in Sacramento, Calif. The market is so strong that he's confident his properties can demand a higher selling price than other recent comparative sales.

Gonsalves says the Sacramento housing market has doubled since last year. "That house that was $80,000 last year is now selling for $160,000 today," he says.

The reason? Limited supply.

Banks are still holding onto foreclosed properties or selling them in bulk to national investors, which strains supply. Homeowners, in many cases, are just starting to wake up to the news that buyers are actively overbidding list prices and are eager to purchase, he says.

All of this means the housing market is off-kilter in many markets, especially in the West.

According to the National Association of Realtors, western states have been calling for an expedited process to get more foreclosures on the market. "They have more buyers than available property," says Lawrence Yun, chief economist of NAR.

Nationally, all regions are seeing an increase in real estate activity. "In spite of tight access to credit and limited inventory," Yun says, "buyer traffic is 31 percent stronger than a year ago."

Yun says the only way to tame double-digit price growth is with new inventory. Existing-home sales are at the highest pace since November 2009, when the first-time homebuyer tax credit caused a spike in sales. Yet, there is only a 5.2-month national housing supply, down from 6.6 months in 2012.

"With homes selling in half the time it took to sell a year ago, buyers must be both decisive and prudent," says Gary Thomas, president of NAR.

Another example of a seller's market is Chicago, where homes that generated little interest in previous years are being snapped up by eager buyers.

Marty Winefield, a Coldwell Banker agent in Chicago's Lakeview neighborhood says he listed a house in 2011 for $575,000 and got no offers in a six-month period. Recently, he re-listed the same house at the same price, and it's now sold.

"Most of my sellers are happy," he says. The Midwest is enjoying a 19.5 percent increase in median home sales from this time last year.

"We're seeing more buyers, but they aren't willing to aggressively pay more than they need to," Winefield says. "The market is more disciplined."

He cites another example of a townhouse he listed that generated multiple offers. "I got five offers but none over list price," he says.

All real estate is local. Still, national statistics suggest that more and more local markets are looking attractive to sellers. National inventory levels are 20 percent below a year ago, according to NAR. The Buyer Traffic Index hit a high of 72, signifying increased demand, while The Seller Traffic Index clocked in at 41, indicating a shortage of supply, according to Realtors Confidence Index report.

Nearly all agents surveyed in the confidence report said they expect prices to continue rising for the rest of the year.

Gonsalves agrees. He says "I'm telling buyers to come in with more money or go find another house, but they can't. [The inventory] is just not out there."

© CTW Features

Ask our broker

WITH PETER G. MILLER
peter@ctwfeatures.com

CASH RULES EVERYTHING

QUESTION:

What is the probability of having four cash offers on the same property? In a good market I would think it unlikely. I feel there's little chance of that in today's market.

ANSWER:

It may well be possible to have four cash offers for a single property, all above the asking price – and more so today than during the past few years.

According to the National Association of Realtors, 30 percent of the existing home sales in March were cash purchases, or about one out of three. Alternatively, 2006 NAR figures show that 92 percent of all existing home transactions were financed, meaning that 8 percent were all-cash buyers.

A number of reports have suggested that real estate prices are rising in most markets. For instance, the Federal Housing Finance Agency says that as of February home values nationwide had risen 7.1 percent when compared with a year earlier. The S&P Case-Shiller index (now the CoreLogic Case-Schiller Index) shows that home values in 20 major metro areas as of February were 9.3 percent higher than February 2012.

Recent pricing trends surely suggest that the competition for homes in selected markets is intense, so if 30 percent of all offers are for cash, it would not be surprising to find cases where there are multiple bids for a single property from several all-cash buyers.

The recent flurry of all-cash bids is likely powered by several factors.

First, in the case of an all-cash transaction, the sale does not depend upon the approval of a lender, because financing is in hand.

Second, more buyers are willing to make all-cash bids because real estate ownership is a hedge against inflation, the rental market is strong in many areas and the alternative uses for cash are unattractive.

For instance, one-year CDs at this time return about 0.65 percent, far less than the rate of inflation.

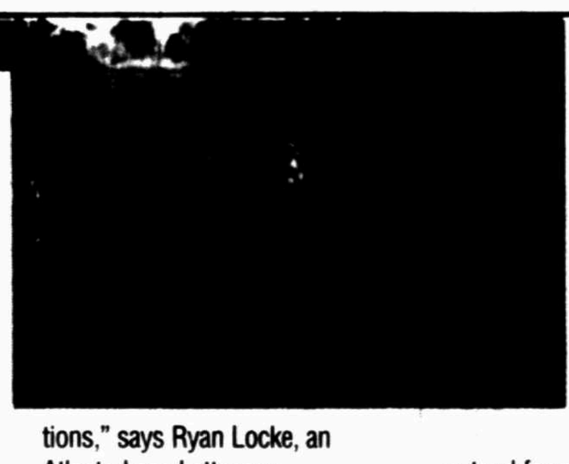
© CTW Features

Email peter@ctwfeatures.com. Due to volume, not all questions may be answered.

ETIQUETTE

NEXT-DOOR NEMESIS

Try these mediation steps before resorting to legal confrontation in a neighborly dispute



Whether the problem is loud parties, grass-killing canines or nuisance foliage, difficult neighbors can make the American Dream seem like a nightmare. A residential clash can escalate quickly, but experts say it's best to avoid taking it to court.

"The best way to resolve these disputes is by person-to-person discussion," says John K. Weston, attorney and partner with Sacks, Weston, Petrelli, Diamond and Millstein in Philadelphia. "Not only is this the quickest way to end the matter, it's also most likely to preserve a good neighbor relationship."

If the neighbor continually ignores your in-person requests, then you may need to call the police, Weston says.

An alternative to seeking a cop or lawyer is to mutually agree to enlist a skilled professional mediator who can hear both sides of the argument and offer a resolution. Local nonprofit community service agencies often offer mediators for a small fee.

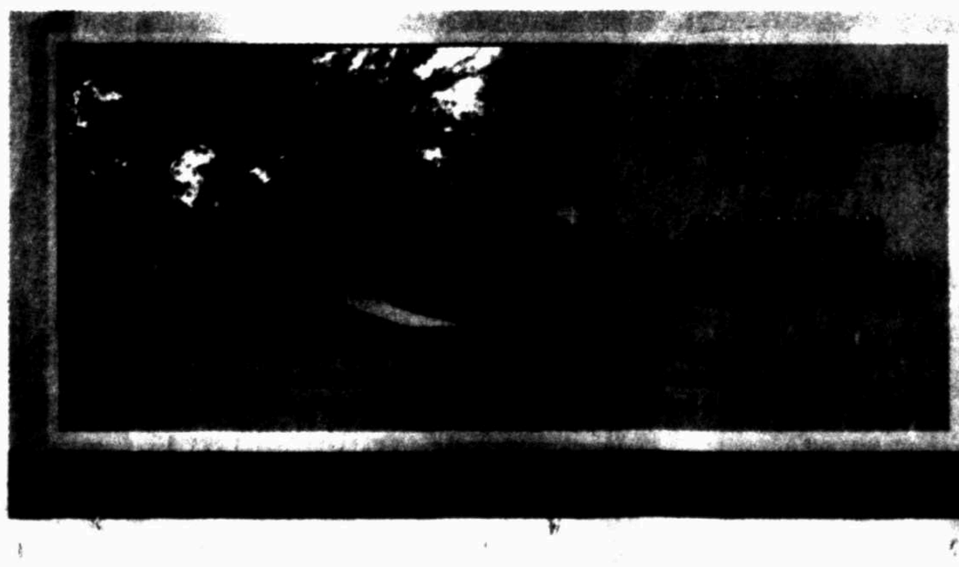
"Mediation is especially helpful because it allows a neutral mediator to help the parties find common ground and realistic solutions," says Ryan Locke, an Atlanta-based attorney.

Finally, there are a few legal actions you could take. Start with a cease-and-desist letter to your offensive neighbor from a lawyer.

If that doesn't work, consider filing a suit in small claims court, which doesn't require an attorney and typically involves a fee of $100 or less. However, either party has a right to appeal to the county-level trial court (often a minimum $200 fee), where lawyers usually are required.

"Actual litigation should be a last resort. Lawyers are expensive and the litigation can extend for months or years, although with property boundary disputes, this may be unavoidable," Weston says. "Do an honest cost-benefit analysis before you move forward. And never assume that your neighbor will fold once you sue him." — *Erik J. Martin*

© CTW Features



BRIDLEGATE | *A Bandera Ranch Community*

Pre-July 4th Land Sale!

Sat & Sun, June 29th & 30th

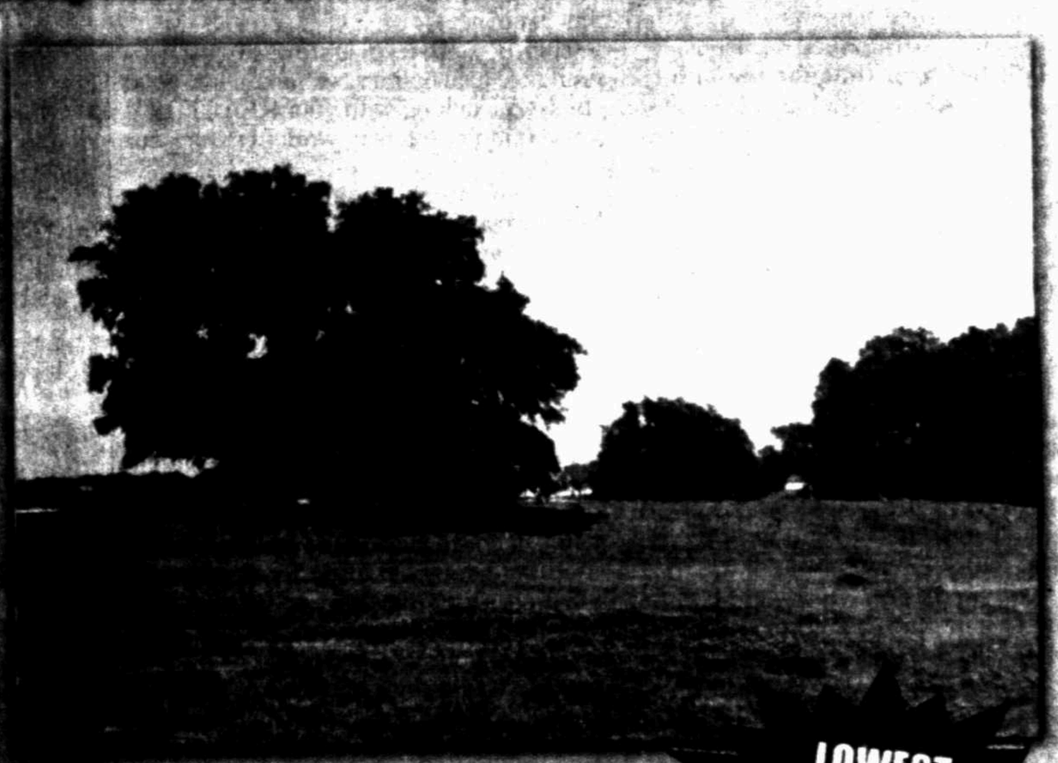
SAVE $5,000 to $10,000 OFF Every Homesite!*

2+ Acres
Larger Homes
from $[illegible]

Riverfronts
from just
$149,900

Free Catered Cajun Food, Music & Horseback Rides!

- Towering 100+ Year Old Live Oaks and Endless Hill Country Views
- Miles of Gorgeous Private River Access
- Clubhouse, Pool & Guest Suites
- Miles of Hiking and Horseback Riding Trails
- Private 25 Acre River Park (Fish/Swim/Kayak)
- Minutes to San Antonio, Bandera and Boerne, in the Heart of the Texas Hill Country
- Underground Utilities and Central Water
- Buy Now, Build When Ready and Choose Your Own Builder!



LOWEST INTEREST RATES IN YEARS!

★ Excellent Bank & Texas Vet Financing ★

"Don't wait to buy land. Buy land and wait." – Will Rogers

[illegible]

What Do Higher Rates Mean?

We do not mean to beat a dead horse here; however the topic of higher interest rates seems to be dominating the headlines of the financial world. While these articles dissect the possible effects of higher rates on the stock markets, business performance and more, the question we would like to focus upon is -- how do higher rates affect the average individual? There is no doubt that these rates may make home and car financing more expensive -- but by how much? As of recently, rates have risen a little more than .50% from rock bottom record lows -- depending upon the date we take a reading. What does one-half of one percent cost? Using a base of $100,000, this would raise the cost of owning a home by approximately $42.00 per month. If one were financing $300,000, then the additional cost would be $125 per month. These numbers are presented before the effect of taxes is taken into account. Most homeowners can deduct the cost of interest. In this case we will assume a tax bracket of 25%, which would lower the cost of the increase to around $94.00 per month.

Another effect of the higher payment would be qualification for the home loan. Lenders limit qualification to a certain amount of one's monthly income. That ratio will vary widely based upon the details of the transaction and type of loan -- amount of downpayment, credit score, etc. However; assuming that the person is already at the "limits" of qualification, then the $125 per month would lower the qualification by approximately $25,000 of the total loan amount. This entire analysis is truly an over-simplification, yet it is important to analyze. Homes have been as affordable as they have ever been and a half-of-one percent change will not change that. Keep in mind that we still are not predicting the future of rates. Finally, what about car loans? The change in the cost of owning a car would be much, much less than owning a home. This is because car loans are much smaller than home loans, they are based upon shorter term rates which have not changed as much and are many times offered at discounts as low as 0% in new car promotions. The conclusion? At today's rates, purchasing a car or a home is still a bargain. But depending upon the future of rates, the bargain may not last forever.

****

Smith

SUBMITTED BY:
Suzanne Smith,
President, NMLS#192813
HNB Mortgage
2101 W. Wadley, Ste 36
Midland, Texas 79705
432.683.0081
800.669.8223 (toll-free)
432.687.2612 (fax)
www.hnbmortgage.com

Saving for Retirement - It's Never Too Late

The difficult economic environment of the past few years may have stalled your retirement savings plan—or maybe you haven't even gotten around to creating a plan. And you're not alone—43 percent of Americans had less than $10,000 saved in 2010.

The good news is that it's not too late and with the right planning, you can retire comfortably no matter what your age. According to retirement planning specialist Derrick Kinney of Derrick Kinney & Associates, never think that you're too old to start saving for retirement. As he explains, the years between your 40s and 60s represent a timeframe when many of the financial obligations associated with raising a family have decreased, allowing you to put retirement savings into overdrive.

Kinney offers the following tips for speeding up the process:

• **Create a detailed catch-up plan.** Determining the amount of money you will need in retirement can be difficult. You must factor in the inflation rate, your retirement age, the longevity of your retirement and your expected expenses, including your increased medical costs. For obvious reasons, calculating retirement income can get complex fast, but there are online calculators that can provide an estimate. Plus, there are some widely accepted guidelines you can use as a baseline such as planning to live on 80 percent of your pre-retirement income. After you have determined the estimated amount of money you will need to save, use that number to create realistic, yearly goals.

• **Redirect spending to build your savings.** Since you are beginning to save later in life, Kinney recommends you save 20 percent of your salary each month. Take advantage of online budgeting websites and smartphone apps that connect to your accounts and track your spending to determine wasteful spending habits. Cut out these habits and redirect the money to your savings account. Also, consider automatically directing any raises you receive to your savings account. You can't miss money you never touched.

• **Invest wisely and max out your 401(k).** After you have built up your savings, you will need to invest some of it to ensure future income. Yes, the market does fluctuate, says Kinney, but overall, it has a pretty good track record and still remains a good bet against fighting inflation. Begin investing by maxing out your contributions to your 401(k), 403(b) or IRA. Next, consider purchasing exchange traded funds (ETFs) or mutual funds. Make it a point to review your investments periodically to ensure they are performing to your expectations.

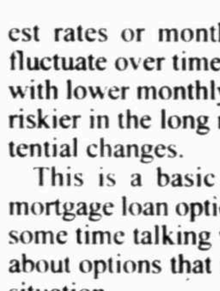
• **Buy the appropriate insurance.** Statistics show that nearly 2/3 of retirees will need long-term care either at home or through an assisted living facility and the cost can be upwards of $50,000 annually. To ensure skyrocketing medical costs won't destroy their financial security, retirees should consider purchasing long-term care insurance as well as health insurance, says Kinney. It's important to realize long-term care insurance does not cover the same day-to-day medical expenses that health insurance covers and if you retire at 59.5 you are on your own when it comes to providing health insurance. Retirees may also want to consider buying life insurance if they have dependents.

Following the above four steps can put anyone on the path to a more secure retirement, even if you're in your 40s, 50s or 60s.

Copyright© 2012 RISMedia, The Leader in Real Estate Information Systems and Real Estate News. All Rights Reserved. This material may not be republished without permission.

RISMedia

****



Beckett & Pine

This story was submitted by Norma Pine, Broker/Owner Chris Beckett, Broker/Owner Pine & Beckett, REALTORS www.pineandbeckett.com

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S PEN

4 most frequent questions from first-time homebuyers answered

If you're thinking of buying your first home, you've undoubtedly got questions about how to get started and what the process entails. Here are answers to four common first-time homebuyer questions to help you make informed decisions.

1. Is it the right time for me to buy? You might hear conflicting ideas about whether or not it's the right time to buy. The answer is ultimately up to you, but here are some things you should consider when deciding if buying now is the right move for you:

• Do you have a stable source of income?
• Are you able to make monthly mortgage payments?
• What is your credit situation?
• Are you prepared to cover the additional costs of homeownership, such as regular home maintenance or unexpected repairs?

2. How do I get started? The best place to get homebuying help is from a REALTOR®. REALTORS® do more than show you properties. They can help you determine how much home you can afford, negotiate the best price for your dream property, and help you navigate the tricky process that comes along with purchasing a home. You can get recommendations for REALTORS® from family or friends, or use the Find a Texas Realtor search on TexasRealEstate.com

3. What's the difference between all of these mortgage loans? You should ask your REALTOR® to explain in more detail various mortgage loans, but here are two of the most common:

• **Fixed-rate mortgages.** A fixed-rate mortgage keeps the same interest rate over the lifetime of the loan, typically 15 or 30 years. Your monthly payment will stay consistent except for adjustments on taxes or insurance.

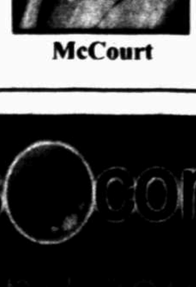
• **Adjustable-rate mortgages.** Adjustable-rate mortgages (ARMs) have interest rates or monthly payments that can fluctuate over time. While ARMs start out with lower monthly payments, they can be riskier in the long run because of their potential changes.

This is a basic overview of just two mortgage loan options, so make sure spend some time talking with your REALTOR® about options that may work best for your situation.

4. How much should I offer for a house I want? When you find a house you love, it can be confusing—maybe even a little scary—figuring out how much to offer. Come in too low and you may lose the house. But you don't want to pay more than you have to either. Your REALTOR® is the best resource to help you put together a strong offer. He or she will provide information about the local market, the home's condition, and comparable home sales. Your REALTOR® also will help you understand all the factors besides price that go into an offer. Be open to negotiations. You may have to go back and forth with the seller to reach the best price for both of you.

Being a first-time homebuyer is exciting, but it's easy to get overwhelmed with the details. A REALTOR® can provide more information about these common questions, plus answer yours.

****



McCourt

Bobby McCourt
president@pbbor.org
2013 President of the Permian Basin Board of Realtors, Inc.

Midland Real Estate Agency
432-664-9881

Peggy - Broker/Owner 664-9881

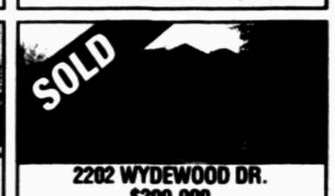
3101 Chelsea Place ◆ Midland, TX 79705
www.midlandrealestateagency.com peggyveatch@me.com

SOLD
3213 FAIRFIELD LANE
New Construction. 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage.

2502 REGENCY OAKS
Call for Details. New Construction. 5 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage

SOLD
3109 FAIRFIELD LANE
CALL FOR DETAILS
New Construction. 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage.

SOLD
2503 REGENCY OAKS
CALL FOR DETAILS
New Construction. . Impressive 5 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage.


SOLD
2202 WYDEWOOD DR.
$209,900
An ADORABLE 3 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 car garage home in a great neighborhood.

2505 REGENCY OAKS
Call for Details. New Construction. 5 bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage.

DURING A TYPICAL WEEK, NEWSPAPERMEDIA REACH 77% OF ALL ADULTS.
myhomes myclassifieds
mynews mycommunity
myphotos mylife
mywheels myentertainment
mymovies mybusiness
myblogs myjobs
mysports myvideos
.com

mywesttexas.com
wtxgardening.com
Green or Purple Thumbs Welcome!

Roommates

TEACHERS, MEDICAL, OR PROFESSIONAL WANTED! Female Professional looking for same to share Duplex!!! Looking to moving into Midland and I know there are a lot of nice homes or Duplexes to rent! Call me if you want to save on Rent!!! **Serious Inquiries ONLY!!!** 575-390-2602.

Residential Rentals

Apartments for Rent Unfurnished

2/2 DOWNSTAIRS, w/d included, no pets, $1600 a month. Call 432-520-0998.

FOR SENIORS 55 & up. Very nice 2 bedrooms, covered parking, W/D connections, $950/month. No pets. 432-694-9853.

NEW MANAGEMENT Spacious 1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments. Call 432-687-4514.

Townhouse/ Condo for Rent Furnished

2-3 BEDROOM, 2 bath. 1734 sq ft beautiful Town Home with fireplace. $40 Application fee. $2,000/mo and $2,000 security deposit. Call 432-556-0684.

Houses for Rent Unfurnished

2619 ROOSEVELT. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat/air. $1400/mo + $1100 dep. No pets. Background check. 432-694-2736.

3 BEDROOM MOBILE HOME FOR RENT at Airline Mobile home park, Midland, Tx. 325-728-5846 325-242-0582

4503 Fairbanks Dr, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, EXTRA AMENITIES! $2,100 Month. $2,000 Deposit. Background check. No pets. 432-694-2736.

4/BR 2/BA $3000 mo. Call 432-687-1426.

NEW TODAY!

BEAUTIFUL HOUSE for rent in Old Midland 3bed, 3bath. Pet friendly. For more information call 432-363-4560 or go to www.midlandrentalproperties.com

FOR SALE or Lease Nice 2 Bedroom houses, $1000-$1150 Month. 432-694-9853

TRINITY AREA 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Near Quanah Parker Elementary. $2,250 per month plus deposit. 432-520-5563 or 432-638-3377.

Rooms for Rent

2 BEDROOM, 1 Bath, Corporate apartment. Fully furnished. daily or weekly. 432-570-7334

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

20 ACRE property with horse facility, Mertzon Tx. Riding arena, 3700 SF Barn, 3000 sf custom home, 1100sf Bunkhouse, inground pool on 576' of spring creek, Call Diana Kirking 325-656-8355 Coldwell Banker Patterson Properties

2801 MARIANA. 1983 Built, 3/2 with 2 car garage. $145,000 UP Group 889-2934

4310 ERIE Dr. Totally remodedle, 4 bed, 2 bath, custom cabinets, granite cabinet tops thru-out. New appliances, new central AC, tile floors in kitchen and bath, large utility room with cabinets and pantry. Large back yard, Large storage building or shop. $140,000 325-721-7180

NEW TODAY!

5600 DREXEL Court Custom 4 BD, 3.5 BA, Living, Dining, Study, Family Room, Upstairs Living Area, Craft Room, Oversized Kitchen, Terraced Patio, 3CG. 4215 square feet. $585,000 432-694-6546

FOR SALE 2 bedroom 1 bath duplex in Gold Park. 3122 A West Kansas Ave. 432-599-9237.

FOR SALE by Owner. 2025 6th St. 2/1 $120,000 or best offer. Financing available Call Martha, 830-556-2280. Se Habla Espanol

HOME FOR Sale Custom-built home 2006, 3800 SQ FT, 3 Bedroom, 3 bath. 3 car garage on 5 acres with 70 pecan trees. 4 miles east of Midland north of Loop 250. Please text 432-238-0301 for more information.

Residential Sales

Homes for Sale

HOUSE AND land. 7.8 Acres. 2 water wells, 3 septic tanks, 3/2 Mobile home. 4 sheds, 1 Barn, $220,000. Serious inquiries only. 5808 East CCR 57. 432-528-5545

I BUY homes any condition.Fast closing! Pay Cash! Call Martha 830-556-2280 Se Habla Espanol

LUBBUCK OPEN house saturday and sunday 2-4pm. This spacious, beautiful exceptionally well located 2972 sf home including a finished basement, equipped with a large swimming pool and cabana, Idela for entertaining and rainsing families. home is adjecnet to large park, on 2 lots with large oak and pine trees, This 2 living area 4 bed, 3 bath, 2 car garage is only $249,500. 3701 75th St. South Lubbuck, or call 432-799-3660 for a private showing

NICE 3 BR 2Ba home on Oak Creek Lake. Other building with screened porch--great guest room or man cave. Large Oak trees. $74,500. Call Pat 325-374-1880. Dierschke REALTORS.

OWNER FINANCING 3527 Gulf 3/2/2 on large 0.294 acre lot 432-631-8100 or 432-266-1212

RUIDOSO, 103 Slate Ct. Beauty for sale by owner. 3 bedrooms/3 ba, spectacular views, 2 master suites. Call 575-802-0229. Website: http://www.creativepartnersnm.com/home/photos.html.

SMALL TWO bedroom house one bathroom, living area & kitchen. Newly remodeled, no A/C. $85,000. 432-222-1959.

WE BUY HOMES! Fair prices, quick cash! Call 432-266-1212, 432-631-8100.

WE LOVE VETERANS Key Homes Inc. 432-520-9848 www.keyhomesinc.com

Vacation & Resort Property

$99,500 FANTASTIC VIEW OF LAKE LBJ AND GOLF COURSE This 2 BR condo is located in Horseshoe Bay Resort. The condo dues of $239 a month cover building insurance, water, lawn service, trash, pool maintenance, outside repairs of roof etc. The complex was remodeled three years ago, including a new metal roof. The only utility you pay is electricity. Lots of new paint and carpet, including new Whirlpool appliances. Complex has swimming pool and tennis court for you and your guests. CALL 432-413-4155 OR EMAIL SWOWENS@AOL.COM

NORTH RIDGE @ Lake Alan Henry - Lot 28A - Waterfront - Lake has softest water in West Texas. 6 miles of private paved road. Call Jerry Kitten, broker, (806) 773-2262.

RUIDOSO MOUNTAIN Home, Immaculate landscaping, beautiful views of Sierra Blanca. 3504sq ft, 3 story, 3 Master Bdr, 4 bath, 1 guest bath, 2 patios, 2 decks. Fully furnished, lavishly decorated. Built 2007. $750,000 or $650,000 unfurnished. Call Pat 432-559-5779

SAN ANGELO RIVER FRONT. Fabulous 3/2/2/2 $325,000. UP Group. 325-245-7155.

Residential Sales

Real Estate Sure Sell
Call 682-6222 Today!
(Private Parties Only)

- **30 days - Midland Reporter-Telegram**
- **30 days - mywesttexas.com**
- **New Today Banner on 1st Day Only**
- **Up to 10 lines of text**

$55
(each additional line $5)

Homes for Sale

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

ALL real estate advertising herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to indicate any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, age, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or intention to make any such preferences, limitations or discrimination.

We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on equal opportunity basis.

To file a complaint, contact www.hud.gov or 1-800-669-9777

Residential Sales

Vacation & Resort Property

SAN ANGELO RIVER FRONT. Fabulous 3/2/2/2 $325,000. UP Group. 325-245-7155.

WATER FRONT home on Constant level Lake LBJ. Boat house has 2 electric lifts, good fishing, swimming or boating right from your own back yard. Call Kay for more information. 512-755-6000

Lots & Land

Acreage

1912 PUEBLO. 100x300 lot. $45,000. Nice neighborhood, cul-de-sac. Serious inquires only. Se habla espanol. Please call 432-889-3432

2 ACRES for Sale. SE/4 Sec 23 Blk 38 T2S Midland Co. Street Address - 3811 E CR 157. Water well. Call 432-664-3057

84 ACRE valley of pine trees at 8,000' elevation near Cloudcroft, NM. Maintained road, electricity & telephone. $840,000 Lender/ Broker Work: 575-437-0220 Cell: 575-405-0911.

FOR SALE by owner, 200 acres at Silver, Tx in Coke Co. Excellent hunting property Mountains & flatland, 24 miles from Colorado City & 18 miles from Robert Lee Tx. Surface only, 325-548-2212 for appointment.

FOR SALE by owner. 365 Acres in SE. Nolan County. Lots of deer, turkey, hogs and Oak trees, 2 windmill with concrete resiviors and spring fed creek, 2 fields in CRP. Hilton area with paved county road access. 325-650-0302

GREAT LOT!
Great location
6.67 Acres (Undivideable)
7707 WCR 52
North of Saddle Club Ranch Estates
30x50 metal building, good water well
$250,000.
432-889-6829

LOT DEAL at The Hill above Possum Kingdom. 1.34 acre lot with access to a club house, boat storage, boat ramps, and a park area with a cabin on the lake. Asking $37,900. (682) 553-1310 / 432-230-6935

MIDLAND, TX
1.6 to 3+ acre lots in restricted sub.
Good water.
Owner financing.
972-839-8732

PRIME RAPIDLY developing area. Retail land & residential land available. The Estates of Shiloh (between Midland & Odessa, NE corner Hwy 191 & Faudree Rd.). Call 432-352-4621. Owners & Texas Real Estate Licensees with Realty Unlimited.

QUIET 31.4 ACRES 3 miles N/NE of Loop 250, 1,200' paved frontage on CR 2,300, 6 water wells, virtually square tract. $15,000 per acre, 432-425-1790.

STEPHENS RANCH REAL ESTATE
Acreage
Barnhart, Tx.
Ozona
1-800-880-0769

STEPHENS RANCH REAL ESTATE
We have houses, large tracks and small tracks of land in Big Lake & Reagan County.
1-800-880-0769.

Lots & Land

Acreage

SUTTON CO. 1924ac Turnkey hunting ranch, camp house, blinds, feeders, Paved county road access, large live oak, whited deer, turkey, exotics, 3 water wells, surface only, $975 Ac appointment only. Bob Caruthers, Broker 325-226-3003 anytime.

NEW TODAY!

THREE LOTS at corner of Carter & Garfield - 3/4 Acre $425,000. Four Lots at 1505 W. Illinois with house $250,000. Call Bill Jackson at 432-557-3366

Hunting Leases

DEER LEASE 10,000 acres perfect for company or large group. Some feeders & blinds in place. Water & electricity provided, small cabin. Hunt from September 1st to February 28th. Can divide. 432-631-1331.

HUNTING PROPERTY for Sale 45 miles from Shelfield, TX. $62,000 OBO. 432-557-2213

Oil & Gas Leases

LEASE FOR Sale. Brooks lease Sweetwater, Texas. 75% Net revenue- 100% WI. 4 BBL/Day. 320 Acreage. possible Cline Shale play. If interested please call 432-685-3236.

MINERAL RIGHTS for sale in 5 Counties. Have several tracts in the following counties. Terry, Bailey, Parmer, Dickens and Lamb. call 806-928-8995

Ranches

755 AC: Irion Co. 15 miles S.E. of San Angelo, 3900ft of beautiful spring creek! Large water dam & scenic topography. Great deer/turkey/hunting! Lee, Lee & Puckitt 325-656-1225

Great Ranch Property At Lake Ivey - 300 Plus acres in Concho County overlooking Lake Ivey. Excellent deer, turkey and quail hunting, 2 large water wells, 3 dirt tanks and creek. Small MH, road frontage on two sides. Possible owner financing. Call 325-656-2324 or 325-949-5949.

S.K. ROGERS Oil, Inc.'s N.P. Cochran Lease. Dawson County, TX. For information email: kbrogers@nts-online.net.

Commercial

12,763 SQ. Ft. office warehouse for lease situated on a five acre paved yard at 1515 South Fairgrounds Road, Midland, Texas at $15,000.00 per month. Please contact Phil Stroud at 432-661-0013 or cmc@montevalloinc.com.

5,000 SQ. FT. office-warehouse for lease behind Copy Craft off Highway 80 at $3,500.00/ month. Please contact Phil Stroud @ 661-0013 or cmc@montevalloinc.com

AFFORDABLE
1200sq.ft. shop 30x40 gated & fenced $750.
Call 432-664-2718

FOR LEASE /Build to Suit
Commercial shop with 5 acre yard East of Midland.
432-664-7764
432-934-7777

"MAN CAVE" New storage on 1788. 1500-4500 square ft starting at $650 RV's/cars/industrial ask for Don 352-2067.

Commercial

NOW LEASING
Office/Warehouse and Small Office Suites
Various locations.
Call 432-661-4057.

NEW CONSTRUCTION
5/10/20/50 acres +/- yard with 5,000 or 10,000 sq. ft. building with Bridge Cranes/ wash bays. Ask for Don. 570-9155 or 352-2067.

STEPHENS RANCH REAL ESTATE
5 Acres - fenced, office & barn.
San Angelo, Tx.
83 Acres - house & pens with a barn.
1-800-880-0769

WAREHOUSE
20,000 SF, 3 years old, 2600' office sitting on 5 acres. Lubbock, TX on interstate frontage. Another 5 acres land track for sale. 806-928-9895

Modular & Mobile Homes

Mobile Homes for Rent

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath with 24ft X 80ft carport, Greenwood Schools. No pets, $1,400 per month plus $1,400 deposit, 432-528-1609.

Mobile Homes for Sale

ATTENTION Investors/Oilfield, modular bath houses, (6) bedroom duplexes, 28 X 68 & 16 X 80 offices, built strong, purchased at government auction. Ready to move. Call 830-377-1519 for more information while supplies last. RB#34936

LIKE NEW 2012 Champion manufactured home. 3 bedroom 2 bath. Spacious kitchen comes with fridge stove and dishwasher. Large size utility room. Soft water system. On an acre of land with septic, electric pole, water well horse stall and storage building. Only asking $130,000. No owner financing. If interested please call 432-349-3165

Classified CAN 682-6222

The Top 5 Ways to Get Your Ad To The Public:

1. Call 432-682-6222
2. Fax 432-682-6999
3. mrtclassified@mrt.com
4. Just Mail or Drop It By: 201 E. Illinois

Come On In And Say HI! We'll Leave The Computer On!

Houses for Rent- Furnished

UPSCALE HOUSE
FULLY FURNISHED W/ LINENS & DISHES
Includes 3 bedrooms, 1 office, high speed internet, phone, cable TV, wet bar & maid service. Beautifully decorated with backyard patio & BBQ. No pets. Non smoking environment. Credit & background check & security deposit required. $4,800 per month
432-685-7041

Acreage

Lots & Land

SOUTH OF OZONA
320 acres per gun, $1300 ea.
Pastures for 1, 2 or 3 guns. 1 Buck, 2 Does, 1 Turkey, Feral Hogs.
Campsites, Water, Electricity.
325-655-5747

Ranches

Lots & Land

617 Ac., Kerrville area, 3-cabins, rolling oaks.
1,055 Ac., Near junction, 1-mile big live creek, 2-lakes, will divide. $3,500 per acre.
2,599 Ac., South of Sheffield, great hunting, nice improvements. $595 per acre.
8,313 Ac., South of Ozona, great hunting, nice ranchhouse, will divide. $575 per acre.
2,018 Ac., Near Junction, High fence, huge whitetail,nice improvements, Price Reduced! $1,995 per acre.
1,648 Ac., Burnet County, 1-Hr. W of Austin, high fence, live water, lodge, big deer. $3,610 per ac.
Meek Ranch Sales
www.meekranchsales.com
830-257-8881

Condos/Townhouses

Real Estate Quick Sale
(Private Parties Only)

- 14 days in the Midland Reporter-Telegram
- 14 days on mywesttexas.com
- Up to 10 lines of text
- New Today Banner-1st Day Only
- (1) Homes Gallery listing with photo

$75
(each additional line $5)

Call 682-6222 today!

Commercial

READY-RANCH
RR
WWW.READY-RANCH.COM
VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.READY-RANCH.COM

- **Kent County**
*11,155 ac. n. of Snyder. 4 houses, pens/roping arena, 800 ft. mtn., creek, lakes. Whitetail deer, mule deer and quail ... $795/ac
*4,212 ac. Maverick Creek, canyons, whitetail and mule deer and quail ... $825/ac
*1,771 ac. windmill, creek, blinds and feeders, great w-tail and mule deer, turkey, hogs, quail ... $850/ac
- **Nolan County**
*646 ac. over 1 mile of spring fed creek, blinds, feeders, elevation change, oaks, minerals ... $2,295/ac
*565 ac. Pecan Creek, approx 200 acres cleared for cattle, blinds/feeders, windmill, minerals ... $2,095/ac
- **Howard County**
*842 ac. canyons, blinds/feeders, great deer, cedar/mesquite, surface water, some oilfield traffic ... $750/ac
*150 ac. big canyo... **SOLD** ...anks. cedar/mesquites, great deer, turkey, jav... $895/ac
- **Martin County**
*135 ac. Sulphur Springs Draw, mule deer and whitetail, hogs, varmints, metal storage building ... $1,150/ac

(432) 664-7764 or (432) 934-7777
No Realtors - Buy Direct!!!
Deal with Landowners that know the Country!!!
Owner Financing Available

Acreage

Lots & Land

RUGGED HILLS & VALLEY
102.7 AC Sonora/ Del Rio. End of Road, privacy, large ranch 2 sides. White-tail, Axis, Aoudad, Turkey. $995/ AC. Owner or Vet Financing
(830)257-5564 texasranchland.com

Acreage

Lots & Land

Terrell County
White Tail-488 Acres @ $395/AC
Mule Deer-399 Acres @ $265/AC
Val Verde County
White Tail- 348 Acres @ $695 A/C
owner financed 5% down (210)734-4009
www.westerntexasland.com

Residential Sales

148 CR 246-SWEETWATER, TX 79556
Gorgeous lakefront home in an extremely desirable location at Lake Sweetwater. Huge dock with upper deck and slip only 4 yrs old, large front deck overlooking the lake and golf course, large covered patio in the back, sprinkler system, beautiful landscaping, fenced in back yard, good size storage building and two-car carport. Home has been updated within the past 3 years w/new flooring throughout, fresh paint and new A/C (2012). This amazing lake property will not last long! Please call owner, Toni Gill at 325.728.0139 for a showing. **Listed for $99,500**

Residential Sales

Dene Kelly Inc **Realtors**

Homes are selling fast, List with us!

NEW & RECENT LISTINGS

Starter Home 3/1, 2 living areas, all new kitchen/bath, no carpeting, all tile & vinyl "wood look" flooring	$122,000 TINA
Move in Ready! 3/1.5, recent laminate wood, carpeting, and paint, updated bathrooms, close to elementary school	$125,500 TINA
Unique Home 3/2, 2 car carport, oversize lot, workshop, outside storage, 1,721 sq ft	$153,000 DENE
Chandelle Condo 3/3, oversize bedrooms, open kitchen/living/dining, community pool, 2 story, downstairs master	$175,000 DENE
Northgate 4/2, corner lot, formal living area, office/media room, open kitchen/den, Greathouse/Abell/Lee schools	$185,000 DENE
Northgate Greathouse/Abell schools, 3/2, built in 2003, immaculate and clean, open floor plan, sequestered master	$210,000 DIANE
Close to Everything 4/2, recent flooring, walk to schools & shopping, 2 car garage, great floor plan	$259,950 DENE

COMMERCIAL

1.5 Acres possible owner finance, commercially zoned	$132,000 DAVE
Wall Street Office Building, 2 story, warehouse w/overhead door, separate offices, break room, kitchen	$650,000 LINDA

We also have a Property Management Department – Call for more information!

DENE KELLY REALTORS • 697-0500
LIST NOW, SELL NOW . . .NO TRANSACTION FEES!!!

Vacation & Resort Property

TEXAS HILL COUNTRY
Vacation Home
Do you or your company want a vacation home in the Texas Hill Country? Come see the views of hills, water, golf courses or just a place to relax.
Perfect, beautiful place for your "getaway".
Call Jill Hill Giesecke,
Veranda Real Estate, Kerrville, TX.
Phone 866-257-7575 (toll free).

Ranches

Lots & Land

LASATER WHITETAIL LODGE
High-fenced 1339-acre hunting ranch NW of Eldorado in beautiful Schleicher County, Texas. Water. Minerals. Turnkey sale of successful hunting operation. Furnished and equipped. Call for showing.
Just bring your rifle and suitcase.
LAURENCE LASATER, BROKER/OWNER

HIDEOUT RANCH
High-fenced 1296-acre ranch 10 miles NW of Eldorado in beautiful Schleicher County, Texas. Lodge, barn with apartment, valuable minerals. Might divide. Possible owner financing.

LAURENCE M. LASATER
BROKER
(325)949-3763
lasater@isacattleco.com

Residential Sales

CALL **Callie** JAN MELTON & ASSOCIATES
REAL ESTATE
www.callieshouses.com
CALLIE STEVENS 682-0000 • 967-1059

1304 College: PAYMENTS CHEAPER THAN RENT-Museum District 2 bedroom, 1 bath cozy cottage. New windows, upgraded insulation, exterior freshly painted, carport, storage building ... **U/C**
803 W I-20: 1.94 acres on busy corner of Rankin Hwy & I-20. Perfect for strip center ... **$975,000**
801 W I-20: PROFITABLE Mechanic Shop on BUSY corner of I-20 & Rankin Hwy ... **$1,500,000**
Coming Soon: Northgate Addition, great area, great price. More details next week!!!

Homes for Sale

JUNCTION AREA

11 acres commercial property—large 77,000+/- sq. ft. metal warehouse, 2 septics, city water, 8 overhead cranes, great location near I-10 and Junction;
7 acres commercial property—3 large warehouses, loading dock, sheds, endless possibilities;
1,215.19 acres—approx. one mile both sides Bear Creek, new home, trophy bucks.
1,276+/- acres—1,100 acres high fenced, 2 houses, 3 wells, exotics.

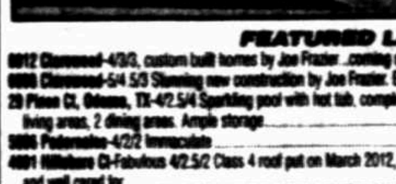
325-446-3013 • kothmannrealestate.com

Homes for Sale

List for Less! Home of the 4% Listing. Call for details.

Permian Basin REAL ESTATE
Shana Curry
Broker/Owner
432-694-7333
1003 N. Midkiff
www.mypermianbasinrealestate.com

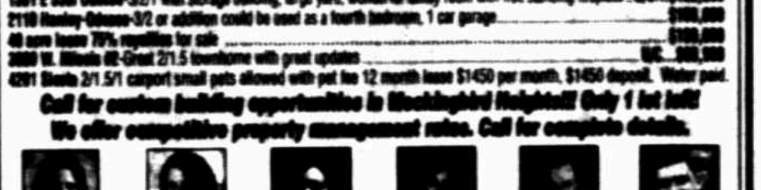
FEATURED HOME



3303 Michigan
$174,900
3 or 4 bedroom, large backyard. Clean and move in ready.

FEATURED LISTINGS

[illegible]



Realtors they help put you in your place

Residential Sales

Lance Brock
Broker/Owner
Suite 200, San Miguel Square
www.lancebrock.com
Office: 432.202.6700
Fax: 432.202.9433
Cell: 432.528.6700

5100 LOS ALAMITOS CT.
$334,900
4 bedroom, 2 full baths with 1/2 bath, wonderful find in Saddle Club South.

1100 SPARKS
$234,900
Three bedroom, two baths of terrific space. Large living, with new flooring, large den for friday nite DVD with family and popcorn. [illegible]

[illegible]

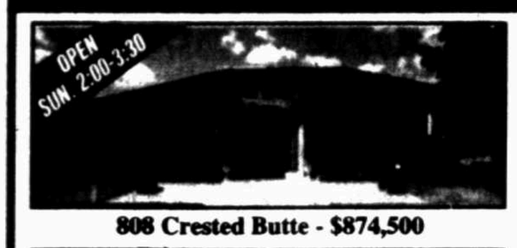
The ONE Team to Call on for All your Real Estate Needs

one

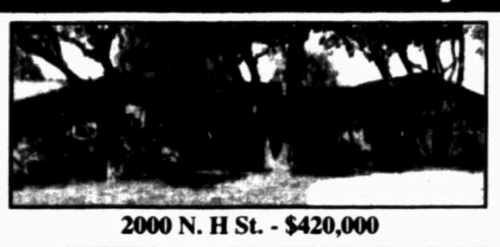
682-1111
3300 N. "A" St., Bldg. 7-100
Midland, TX 79705

Where you get local personalized service, the kind of first class service Midlander's expect.

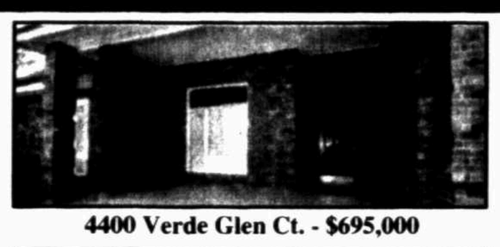
Open Houses/Featured Homes



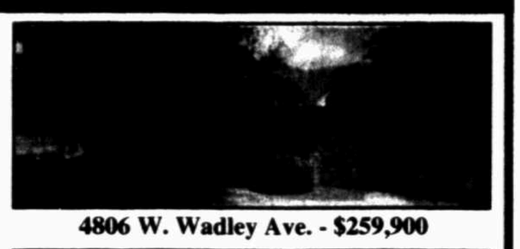
808 Crested Butte - $874,500



2000 N. H St. - $420,000

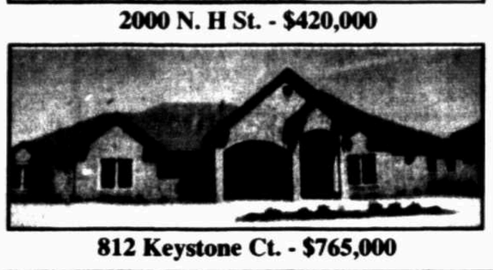


4400 Verde Glen Ct. - $695,000

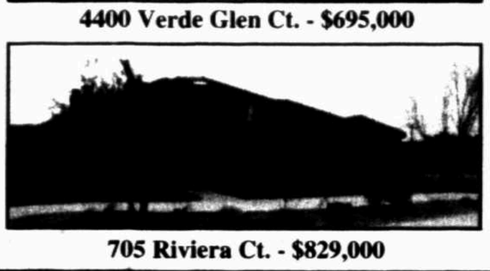


4806 W. Wadley Ave. - $259,900

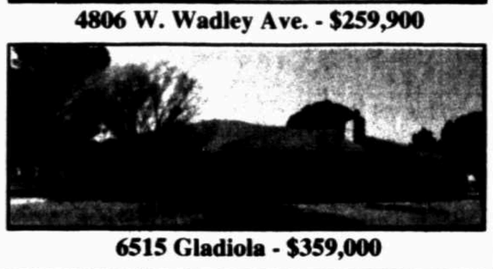
1407 Golf Course - $259,000



812 Keystone Ct. - $765,000



705 Riviera Ct. - $829,000



6515 Gladiola - $359,000

www.RE1Midland.com to view all MLS Listings

New and Reduced Listings

705 Riviera Court REDUCED...$829,000
812 Keystone-Beautifully appointed executive home in Woodland Park 4/3.5/2 living, 4 car garage, pool sized yard on quiet cul-de-sac. $765,000
4400 Verde Glen Ct.-This one is PERFECT! Every inch has been updated! Gorgeous 4BR/3.5BA w/beautiful floors, granite, new appliances and wonderful open floor plan $695,000
1002 N. I St.-Fantastic 3 bedroom, 2 full and 2 half baths in Warwick $640,000
712 Augusta-Fantastic 4BR with many updates, workshop, beautiful landscape $449,500
2000 N. H St.-Rare find in "Old Midland"! Features 4BR 3BA, 2LA, pool, large yard plus 3 car garage w/shop $420,000
2001-C ECR 129-3BR/4BA/3.5 AC Pool! $398,000
6515 Gladiola-Newly renovated on 1.19 ac, 5BR/3BA/2 liv + gameroom $359,000
3012 Wichita Dr.-Well maintained 3 bedroom U/C...$275,000
3117 Chelsea Pl.-Better than new! Granite everywhere, open kitchen, walk-in closets n bedrooms. The list goes on U/C...$298,000
4806 W Wadley- 3BR/2BA/3 garage. Patio home. Lovely updates $259,900
504 Broadway/Stanton-Wonderful Historic home w/3 or 4 bedrooms, ready for move-in! $147,500
3410 Wedgewood Ct.-For Lease. Lovely 3BR/2BA home w/master bedroom downstairs $2,400/MO

Two Bedrooms

907 W. Storey-Charming 2BA/2BA, 2 living, 1 garage, hardwoods, updated with electrical and cosmetic repairs done! U/C...$135,000

Three Bedrooms

7100 E. Cr. Rd. 110-3/2.5/3 on 155.29 Acres, totally irrigated, perfect for development "ABUNDANT WATER!" $2,750,000
1902 N. I St.-Fantastic 3 bedroom, 2 full and 2 half bath home in Warwick $640,000
1202 Community Lane-3-2 1/2-3LA. Ist Old Midland remodeled limestone, wood & tile flooring, versatile floor plan - WOW! Inground spa, storage galore U/C...$649,900
1910 Crescent Pl.-Fantastic townhome! High ceilings and open living spaces $525,000
5700 Fenwick-3BR/2.5BA/3 garage patio home U/C...$429,000
2001-C ECR 129-3BR/4BA/3.5 AC Pool! $398,000
2502 Sentinel Dr-Spacious and inviting! 2-2 $327,500
6012 W. Cr. Rd. 152-Completely remodeled! Recent everything! Plus 4 horse stalls, pens and arena sits on 3 acres! Must see! $325,000
3012 Wichita Dr.-Well maintained 3 bedroom U/C...$275,000
1405 W. Golf Course Rd. U/C...$299,500
1407 W. Golf Course-Nice town house in central Midland w/2bd, 2bth, high ceilings, saltillo tile floors and pool! $259,000
4806 W Wadley- 3BR/2BA/3 garage. Patio home. Lovely updates $259,900
3322 Haynes-Nicely updated with a new yard in back with covered patio! SOLD...$250,000
3308 Dobbsson-Well maintained home, new appliances, granite countertops, workshop $249,900
4429 Lasbeth-Immaculate one-owner 3BR, 2BA, formal dining, sunroom, 2 garage U/C...$242,500
3299 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,900
3211 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,900
3213 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,900
3215 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,900
2308 Boyd-Charming 3/2, great updates, water well! SOLD...$214,900
1309 Goldsby-Lovely low maintenance newer 3/2 home w/circle drive, high ceilings, sequestered master w/wonderful bath and HUGE closet. Surrounded by newer homes in Dixie Midland U/C...$210,000
2004 Whittingham Dr-It's open, bright and updated! Texas sized living, master retreat has separate walk-in closets, separate shower and tub. Workshop too U/C...$210,000

Three Bedrooms

2302 Neely Ave.-3/2, 2 living, 2 dining, updated and move in ready. Hurry - won't last long U/C...$210,000
3701 Dolomont 3/2 Clean. Fresh! $200,000
4504 Cimmaron Ave.-Tons of updates to this wonderful home on quiet street. Spacious open floor plan U/C...$182,000
3504 W. Louisiana-Spacious rooms, lots of new tile, good kitchen & bathrooms U/C...$154,000
4513 Brookdale-Charming 3/2 w/many updates SOLD...$134,000
3410 Wedgewood Ct.-For Lease. Lovely 3BR/2BA home w/master bedroom downstairs $2,400/MO

Four Bedrooms

812 Keystone-Beautifully appointed executive home in Woodland Park 4/3.5/2 living, 4 car garage, pool sized yard on quiet cul-de-sac $765,000
29 Lakes Drive-Architecturally designed 4/3/3. A must see property - awesome! $574,900
4400 Verde Glen Ct.-This one is PERFECT! Every inch has been updated! Gorgeous 4BR/3.5BA w/beautiful floors, granite, new appliances and wonderful open floor plan $695,000
712 Augusta-Fantastic 4BR with many updates, workshop, beautiful landscape $449,500
2000 N. H St.-Rare find in "Old Midland"! Features 4BR 3BA, 2LA, pool, large yard plus 3 car garage w/shop $420,000
1905 Coleman Ct.-Great plan, cook's kitchen, wonderful trees & patio! U/C...$399,900
3405 Llano Ct.-Gracious, like new 4BR/3BA Mark Payne re-sale in Heritage Oaks in walking distance from HCA polyclinic under construction U/C...$366,900
4403 Hackberry-4/2.5/2 liv/3 car garage on #5 Fairway at Greentree CC. Lots of updates! U/C...$335,000
2502 Sentinel Dr-Lovely home in great "Old Midland" neighborhood U/C...$327,500
2304 Boyd-Charming 4/3 in Suffolk Place - open plan, many updates, perfect guest suite, lovely yard w/pergola U/C...$258,500
415 Cooper Ct.-Gorgeous 4br 2ba, formal dining, 2 garage SOLD...$235,000
4608 Aspen-4 Bdrm, spacious townhouse - great neighborhood $232,000
1200 E. Golf Course Rd.-Very nice 4 bdrm/2 bath home w/hardwood floors, tile, carpet in large bedrooms. Move in ready $214,900
10000 E. Cr. Rd. 107-Rare 4 bedroom home in Greenwood. Large bedrooms, great closets and sequestered master w/fray ceilings. Perfect family home U/C...$190,900
3407 W. Cr. Rd. 148-Beautiful double wide on 1.0 acres. 4BR, 2BA, formal dining or 3BR w/study, 12x24 lofted barn, workshop & 12x16 lofted storage U/C...$159,000
504 Broadway/Stanton-Wonderful Historic home w/3 or 4 bedrooms, ready for move-in! $147,275

Five or More Bedrooms

5011 N. Midland Dr.-This spacious home has it all! Contemporary style great guest house, beautiful grounds, horse lovers dream includes an indoor arena! $2,500,000
4807 Rustic Trail-Must see! 5/5/4 golf course property in Green Tree North. Stunning! $899,900
6802 Island Circle-Wonderful 5/4.5 on the water - gorgeous views $899,500
808 Crested Butte Court-Woodland Park beauty with pool and spa. 5BR/5BA game room, open kitchen/breakfast/family room, gourmet island kitchen w/viking appliances $874,500
705 Riviera Ct.-5BR, 3 full baths, 2 1/2 baths, 6 car garage, gorgeous with every amenity you could ask for! $829,000
2012 Calloway-5BR, 3.5 baths, 4 car garage, great pool, wood & tile floors, water well, this one is loaded U/C...$585,000
4001 Braybrook Ct.-Lovely 5bd/3.5 full baths/2 half baths home in Mockingbird Heights $580,000
6515 Gladiola-Newly renovated on 1.19 ac, 5BR/3BA/2 liv + gameroom $359,900
3705 Maxwell Dr.-Tons of space, versatile plan, new roof, great kitchen, game room, more! $295,000
3004 Crestridge-Texas sized 5 bedroom, 4 bath w/perfect layout for in-laws or teenagers w/desirable school district U/C...$319,000
305 S. Clay-5 bed/2 bath. Totally updated! $160,000

Town Homes and Patio Homes

1910 Crescent Pl.-Fantastic townhome! High ceilings and open living spaces $525,000
3322 Haynes-Patio home with yard in back SOLD...$250,000
3410 Wedgewood-3BR/2.5BA/2garage $240,000
4608 Aspen-4 Bdrm, spacious townhouse - great neighborhood $232,000
3299 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3211 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3213 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3215 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000

New Construction

3312 Verona Dr., Odessa $382,000
7805 Sienna Dr., Odessa-Beautiful Bernal Homes - New construction $377,000
7905 Sienna Dr., Odessa-Hurry and select brick, stone, granite, paint, tile, stain, etc $369,000
3299 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3211 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3213 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000
3215 Whittle Way-Fantastic 3/2.5/2 Bernal Townhome w/granite throughout U/C...$225,000

For Lease

3410 Wedgewood Ct.-For Lease. Lovely 3BR/2BA home w/master bedroom downstairs $2,400/MO.

Lots, Land and Acreage

7100 E. Cr. Rd. 110-3/2.5/3 on 155.29 Acres, totally irrigated, perfect for development "ABUNDANT WATER!" $2,750,000
E. I-20-660+ acres just East of Midland on Interstate 20. Call Bill Scott for details U/C...$1,200,000
Loop 250 & I-20-approx. 20 acres. call Bill Scott U/C...$800,000
44 Lincoln Park-San Angelo lot & boat house. Lake Nasworthy $179,000
Mockingbird Oaks-1 Acre lots each $131,000

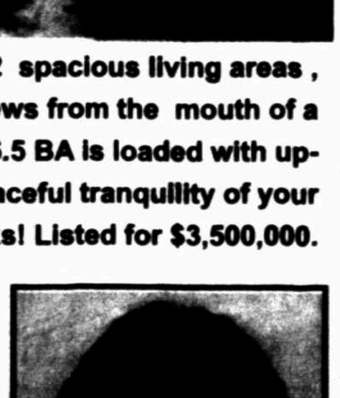
Commercial Investment Property

805 W. Wadley-For Lease-Free standing office building with approx. 4,064 sq. ft LEASED
1304 W Texas-For Lease-Office building with approximately 2,976 sq. ft LEASED
2136 Commerce Dr-Approximately 32,920 sq. ft. warehouse/fabrication facility with over 6,400 sq. ft. of office, easy access to I-20 or Hwy. 80. Call Bill Scott $995,000
5000 Block of N. Midkiff-2.0+/- acres for development, great for office complex. Call Bill Scott $575,000
701-703 W. Indiana-Office building w/4 separate suites. 10,000 sq. ft., great downtown location, partial sale possible. Call Bill Scott SOLD...$325,000
2913 W. Industrial-Approx. 8,458 sq. ft. industrial/warehouse building on .788 acres. Terrific location w/2 offices & access to Carter St. Call Bill Scott SOLD...$310,000

Out of Town Properties

3625 Country Club, San Angelo-Fabulous! Lake front home. Southwestern Style $850,000
44 Lincoln Park, San Angelo-Lot & boat house. Lake Nasworthy $179,000

This private, gated property on 1.2 acres on Possum Kingdom has everything –2 spacious living areas, outdoor kitchen, fire pit, one of a kind double dock, AND deep water! Amazing views from the mouth of a protected cove. The interior of this fully furnished elegant but comfortable 6 BR/6.5 BA is loaded with upgrades from security cameras to separate living areas for company! Enjoy the peaceful tranquility of your own waterfall as you watch the sunset from one of your many decks! Listed for $3,500,000.



Pam Harris
Realtor
940-[illegible]3737
www.pamharris1.com
email: pam@possum[illegible].com

RE/MAX POSSUM KINGDOM REAL ESTATE

1677 Park Road 36 • Graford, Texas, 76449
940-779-3115

Each Office Is Independently Owned and Operated

Homes for Sale

Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!... Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!... Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!...

Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!...

Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!...

The VICTORIA Printz Team, Realtors®

683-1000

To See All Of Our Listings
Visit Our Website: www.victoriaprintz.com

VICTORIA PRINTZ 664.5400 | Julie Golden 349.4441 | Stephanie McSwain 978.1724

Dona Satterfield 889.6241 | Teri Vestal 556.1632 | Crystal Brown 638.8995 | Kerri Payne 553.7443

OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY 1:30-2:30

4300 Lehigh Dr. -NEW!- Elegant 4 bed/3 bath home w/a spacious living area! Gleaming floors, high ceilings, and built-ins throughout! Galley kitchen w/separate eating area! Sequestered master! Large guest rooms and closets! In-law plan! Covered patio w/cable! **$329,000**

4+ BEDROOMS

3000 Fairwood-NEW!-This stunning 5 bed/4.5 bath home sits on a quiet cul-de-sac in Mockingbird Heights! Some of its' incredible features include a gourmet kitchen, a beautiful wrought iron railed staircase, hand-scraped hardwood floors, gorgeous granite and a fabulous 1420 sq. ft. guesthouse! **$1,100,000**

4004 Woodbar Ct.-Fantastic Kahler custom 4 bed/3.5 bath home in Greathouse district! Hardwood floors, soaring ceilings, and walls of windows! Really open floor plan w/gourmet kitchen! ..... SOLD...**$489,900**

4513 Breezeway Ct. -Spectacular 4 bed/3 full/3 half bath home sits on a corner lot in Green Tree North! Spanish tile and granite counter tops throughout! Formal dining features beautiful hardwood floors! ..... SOLD...**$485,000**

5103 Las Alamitos Ct.-Absolutely stunning one of a kind, 4,166 sq ft, 2 story 4 bed/3.5 bath home in Saddle Club South! Light & bright w/walls of windows! Great room, formal living, study and breakfast room! Hardwood and Italian look flooring! Upstairs kitchen perfect for an in-law plan! Lovely updated kitchen! Gorgeous updates throughout! Very well maintained home! **$439,000**

4616 Woodhollow Dr.-NEW! - Fabulous 4 bed/3 bath Mark Payne resale in Briarwood! This home features updates throughout! The gourmet kitchen has Dacor gas stove, Franke sink, and stainless appliances! ..... U/C...**$436,500**

5210 Oak Valley Dr. - Spectacular 4 bed/3 bath home in Greathouse! Large kitchen w/granite & custom cabinets, opens to the den, breakfast nook, and formal dining! ..... SOLD...**$419,9000**

9914 W County Rd. 77-Elegant & dramatic architectural design in this 4 bedroom/3bath home on 2.047 acres in Estrada Estates! Soaring ceilings! ..... SOLD...**$389,900**

4204 Cynthia-Beautiful 4 bed/2 bath country home sits on 1 acre w/swimming pool and mature trees! Light & bright kitchen opens to the spacious den and game room! ..... SOLD...**$385,000**

5509 Grassland Blvd.- Absolutely fantastic 4 bed/2.5 bath home in Grassland Estates! Some of its' features includes walls of windows, granite throughout, soaring ceilings, and plantation shutters! ..... SOLD...**$329,900**

4308 Lehigh Dr. -NEW!-Elegant 4 bed/3 bath home w/a spacious living area! Gleaming floors, high ceilings, and built-ins throughout! Galley kitchen w/separate eating area! Sequestered master! Large guest rooms and closets! In-law plan! Covered patio w/cable! **$329,000**

5304 Sherwood Dr.-Fabulous 4 bed/2 bath home with a 3 car garage! Gourmet kitchen features granite, stainless appliances, gas cook top, and beautiful cabinets! Open floor plan! Large den has brick fireplace and opens to the formal and breakfast dining areas! Oversized bedrooms! Spacious sequestered master suite w/jetted tub, double sinks, and large closet! ..... SOLD...**$309,900**

4407 Kori Ct. -NEW! – Spacious 2 story, 4 bed/4 bath home, sits at the end of a quiet cul-de-sac on a large lot! Light and bright! Hardwood look floors, soaring ceilings, wall of windows, and skylights throughout! Lovely kitchen w/abundant cabinetry, pantry, and breakfast bar! Seq. master suite! Huge backyard has a swimming pool and large deck! ..... U/C...**$299,900**

3007 Apollo-NEW!-Spacious 4 bedroom on a cul-de-sac! This home features large bedrooms, living area and kitchen! The master bath has tub & her closets and separate tub and shower! This home is complete with a sunroom and low-maintenance backyard! **$295,000**

2302 Hemlingay Ct-Spacious 4 bed/2.5 bath home sits on a quiet cul-de-sac! Large living area w/built-ins and a towering brick fireplace! ..... SOLD...**$250,900**

112 Ridglea Dr.-Lovely 4 bed/2 bath home sits in the heart of downtown within walking distance to the duck pond! Spectacular updates throughout! Hardwood floors, miles of tile, and custom lighting! ..... SOLD...**$189,900**

5000 S County Rd 1130-NEW!-Country living only 8 miles from town! This lovely 4 bed/2 bath home sits on over one acre and has an appealing open floor plan w/spacious bedrooms and closets! The kitchen features an island and all black appliances! **$185,000**

1, 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

2116 County Rd. 1122- Absolutely fabulous 3 bed/2.5 bath home sits on almost 3 acres in Reatta Ranch Estates in Greenwood! Spacious den features a beautiful granite fireplace! Gorgeous gourmet kitchen has upgraded stainless appliances! Fantastic game room! Sequestered master suite! 30X40 workshop! **$575,000**

5708 Fenway-NEW!-Absolutely stunning 3 bed/2.5 bath Tuscany style patio home! Gourmet kitchen and upstairs media room complete this incredible home! ..... SOLD in 1 Day...**$499,900**

2910 E FM 1212 STANTON-Fabulous county property on 12.888 acres w/2 water wells, 60X25 workshop, 3 storage buildings and over 100 trees! Trailer is completely remodeled w/new floors, roof, outlets, windows, A/C, paint, and fixtures! All 12.8 acres fenced! Easy access to the interstate! 2 mobile home hookups! **$395,000**

5029 Llano- Spectacular 3 bed/2 bath home in Holiday Hill Village within walking distance to schools & parks! Miles of tile, walls of windows, and soaring ceilings throughout! Large den boasts an Austin Stone fireplace! ..... SOLD...**$295,000**

1000 Tarleton-NEW! - Completely updated 3 bed/2 bath home within walking distance to schools and parks! Beautiful wood floors in 2 living areas! Large kitchen w/granite tile, gas range, eating bar, and pantry! Updates include electrical service, kitchen cabinets, floors, bathrooms, and plumbing! This home is complete w/a sparkling pool and landscaped corner lot! ..... U/C in 1 Day...**$229,900**

816 W Spruce-NEW! - Charming 3 bed/2 bath home sits on a corner large corner lot! Some of its' features include 2 living areas, tile, built-ins, and walls of windows! Huge backyard w/covered patio and cinder block fence! ..... SOLD...**$229,900**

4503 Pheasant Dr.-NEW!-Spectacular 3 bed/2 bath home w/in minutes of Beal Park! Open-floor plan! Soaring ceilings, crown molding, and upgraded wood blinds throughout! Seq. master bedroom has dual vanities, separate shower & tub, and separate closets! Large backyard w/covered patio & gazebo! Move-in ready! ..... U/C in 1 Day...**$212,000**

4905 Bruns St. - Must see the updates in this 3 bed/2 bath home in Northgate! Gleaming wood floors in the living and master bedroom! Soaring ceilings, miles of tile, and custom lighting throughout! ..... SOLD...**$185,000**

1910 N. Tyler-Beautiful 3 bed/2 bath home located on a large corner lot w/an open floor plan! Some of its' fabulous features include hardwood floors, soaring ceilings w/crown molding, and walls of windows! ..... SOLD...**$185,000**

612 W. Spruce-Cute 3 bed/2 bath homes with 2 living areas! Large windows in living area providing lots of light! Newer windows throughout the home! Updated kitchen w/neutral color black splash! ..... SOLD...**$150,000**

3001 W. Illinois Ave. -Charming 3 bed/2 bath home w/a 24X24 workshop & 7ft metal privacy fence! This nice well-maintained open has an open floor plan! Kitchen is open to the dining & living areas! Energy efficient windows! Nice landscaping in front & private backyard! **$144,900**

4710 Harvard-Cute! Cute! Cute! This attached 2 bed/1 bath townhome has oversized bedrooms and nice size closets! Cozy kitchen w/breakfast bar and dining area! Master bedroom has a walk-in closet! ..... SOLD...**$129,000**

LAND AND LOTS

2221 Timber Wolf Lane-Build in Midland's newest subdivisions, Timber Wolf Estates! Huge 5 acres in Martin County! Roads will be paved by developer! 25 LOTS! **$75,000**

1975 Timber Wolf Lane-Build in Midland's newest subdivisions,Timber Wolf Estates! Huge 4.8 acres in Martin County! Roads will be paved by developer! 25 LOTS! **$72,000**

1980 Timber Wolf Lane-Build in Midland's newest subdivisions, Timber Wolf Estates! Huge 4.3 acres in Martin County! Roads will be paved by developer! 25 LOTS! **$64,500**

Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!... Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!... Victoria Has Been Midland's Top Agent 13 Consecutive Years!...

RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World!

RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World!

CHECK ALL LOCAL AND ALL NATIONAL LISTINGS AT REMAX.COM THE MOST UP TO DATE WEBSITE!

NEW & ACTIVE LISTINGS

11508 WCR 39-5bd, 4 1/2ba, 4liv, 2din, pool, 10.8 AC **$3,500,000**
5263 SCR 1065-5bd, 6.5ba, 3liv, 2din, 32.5 AC www.taraofwesttexas.com ..... REDUCED...**$1,825,000**
18.54 Ac. Mockingbird Lane **$1,600,000**
5028 Mira Vista-4bd, 4.5ba, 2liv, 2din **$999,000**
1002 I-20-5.71 AC **$695,000**
3708 Cardinal Lane-4bd, 3ba, 2liv, 2din, 3.78 AC **$625,000**
4109 ECR 63-4bd, 3ba, 2liv, 2.2 AC **$545,900**
1920 Fringewood Dr.-4bd, 3ba, 2liv, 2din **$485,000**
2804 Garfield St.-3bd, 2.5ba, Gourmet Kitchen, Pool **$398,500**
3806 Cardinal Lane-5 AC **$380,000**
2807 Ann Drive-4br, 3ba, 1.35 AC **$360,000**
3531 & 3533 Wadley Duplex -2br 2 1/2 ba both **$365,000**
3312 Andrews Hwy. 841 AC **$349,900**
4409 Rosewood Dr 4bd, 3ba, 2 car garage **$332,500**
2815 Lockheed-3bd, 3 1/2ba, 3liv, 2din, RV Port/Shop, Plus Garage ..... REDUCED...**$325,000**
2705 SCR 1114-4bd, 2.5ba, 3.13 AC 2 car garage, Greenwood ..... REDUCED...**$319,900**
4404 Dalton Dr.-Low Maintenance, 3bd, 2.5ba, 2din, bonus Room **$289,900**
2600 Shandon-4bd, 2ba, 2liv, 2din **$278,000**
1107 E. Maple-4bd, 2ba, 3liv, 2din **$170,000**
3905 Gaston-3bd, 2ba, 2liv, 1din **$155,000**
3310 Park Ave.-2bd, 1ba, plus effiency apartment **$149,900**
1705 E. 13th-2bd, 2ba **$149,900**
2610 N. A St.-3bd, 2ba, 2liv, 1din **$147,000**
4209 ECR 61-2.34 AC, Bonito Estates **$90,090**
4001 ECR 61-2.34 AC, Bonito Estates **$90,090**
4201 ECR 61-2 AC, Bonito Estates **$77,000**
ECR 159-1.53 AC, unrestricted MH's & RV's allowed ECR & FM 1213 ..... **$20,000**
108 S Bentwood-Rental! 3br/1, 1/2 ba ..... **$1,850 Monthly/$1,850 Deposit**

Sheri Doss Broker/Co-Owner 432.352.4826 | Denise Underwood Broker/Co-Owner 432.553.0121 | Bill Underwood Sales Associate 432.413.9855 | DeeDee Franco Sales Associate 432.556.5563 | Diane Green Sales Associate 432.559.9900 | Lisa Buescher Sales Associate 432.413.1788 | Deborah Pierce Sales Associate 432.889.2400 | Linda Haynes Sales Associate 432.664.2964 | Les Caruso Sales Associate 432.528.9577 | Jo Braden Broker Associate 432.352.5046 | Tom Younger Sales Associate 432.934.9183 | Brooke Underwood Sales Associate 432.978.5300 | John Sullivan Sales Associate 432.238.3377 | Ernesto Calderon Sales Associate 432.413.4347

RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World! RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World!

RE/MAX is the #1 Real Estate Company in the World!

Homes for Sale

520-5151

4410 N. Midkiff, Ste. B2, Midland, Tx. 79705

See our listings at:
www.midlandkellerwilliams.com
Midland's fastest growing real estate office!

KELLER WILLIAMS® REALTY

New Listings

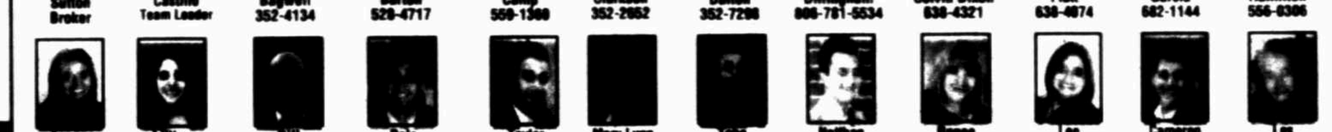
48 Lafayette Place....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* **$315,000**
3 bed/2 1/2 bath updated/remodeled townhome. Fresh paint, recent hardwood floors, shutters and granite throughout.
2709 Caldera Blvd....*Call Lillian Iniguez 349-7985* **$248,000**
3 bed/2 bath w/huge living room located in a convenient part of town. His/her walk-in closets in master bedroom.
3005 Vermont....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$227,500**
4 bed/2 bath w/open floor plan w/granite in kitchen, high ceilings and beautifully kept yard.
400 4th, Stanton....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* **$60,000**
2 bed/1 bath wonderful starter home in quiet neighborhood. Could convert to 3 bed/2 bath and flip or rent.

4+ Bedrooms

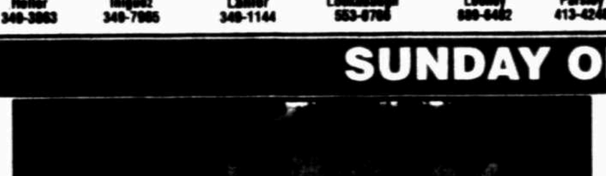
1 La Paz Circle....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **U/C...$1,300,000**
*6500 sq ft - 5 bd/4 1/2 bath-w/exquisite view of the pond in LaPaz Circle. 3 fireplaces, 5 car garage, and entertainment room w/bar!
5309 Algodon....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **REDUCED...$1,250,000**
5bed/5 full baths/2 1/2 baths, 6700 sq ft amazing Mason Trendsetters home! Patterned tile floors, high ceilings, and extensive amenities makes this a must have!
509 Allamont Lane....*Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$975,000**
4 bed/3 1/2 bath plus a media room! Outstanding wood and tile floors, back patio w/fireplace and kitchen w/granite countertops.
2911 Colusa Dr.....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$700,000**
4 bed/4 1/2 bath w/gourmet cook's kitchen w/lots of counter space, granite countertops, and stainless steel appliances. Wood flooring.
6305 Hopewood Ave.....*Call Leann Haller 349-3863* **$575,000**
4 bed/3 full/ 1 1/2 bath w/hardwood floors, wood shutters, soaring ceilings & custom cabinets. Kitchen w/granite countertops.
11720 W. Co. Rd. 64....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$575,000**
4 bed/2 bath w/shop for RV parking. Grapes, pecan, fig, peach and plum trees all on drip system. Your own private oasis!
2200 S. Co. Rd. 1128....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$367,500**
4 bed/3 bath beautifully updated on a quiet street. Wood floors, granite countertops and stainless steel appliances. 2 plus acres.
3300 Northfield Court....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **REDUCED...$349,500**
4 bed/3 bath, 3231 sq ft w/sunroom! Living room w/hardwood floors, plantation shutters, brick gas log fireplace. Kitchen w/granite.
2500 Colgate....*Call Lee Allred 557-3454* ..... **U/C...$341,000**
*3102 sq ft, 4 bed/3 bath/low maintenance home w/mature trees. Tons and tons of space!
6312 E. Co. Rd. 90....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* ..... **U/C...$339,000**
*2356 sq ft - country property in Greenwood school district. 5 acres w/new barn.
5014 Castleford Rd.....*Call Mary Lynn Parsley 413-4248* **$315,000**
4 bed/3 bath w/hardwood floors, high ceiling in light & bright living room, updated granite countertops and recent appliances.
1607 Huntington....*Call Cherith Hamilton 556-0306* ..... **U/C...$312,000**
4 bed/3 bath updated kitchen & bathrooms. Granite countertops throughout and a workshop in the back!
2923 Slate Dr.....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$302,000**
4 bed, 2 1/2 bath w/updated wood flooring, recent tile, carpet, granite countertops, faucets, light fixtures, and paint! Move-in ready!
2307 Auburn Place....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$279,000**
4 bed/2 1/2 bath on a quiet tree shaded cul-de-sac. Bamboo flooring, granite countertops, and master bath w/recent updates.
2504 Hagerman Ave.....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$250,000**
4 bed/2 bath w/neutral colors, granite countertops, recent fixtures, and large den. Backyard is a child's playground!
3616 Stansfield....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$210,000**
4 bed/2 bath, living room w/brick fireplace, windows overlooking huge backyard, covered patio and mature trees. Beautiful foyer.

3 Bedrooms

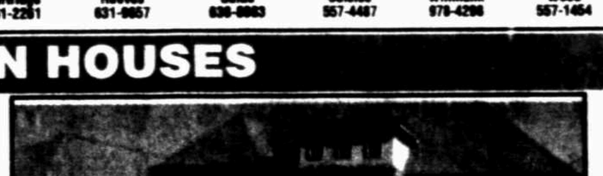
6300 Quicksand Cove....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$480,000**
3 bed/3 bath w/dream kitchen! Has huge island, double ovens, stainless appliances, and butler's pantry. Each bedroom has own private bathroom.
5200 Elton Joyce Way....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$388,000**
*2270 sq ft, New construction! 3 bed/2 bath/2 car garage. Lance Friday home!
1000 St. Hwy. 115, Pyote, Tx....*Call Lillian Iniguez 349-7985* **$380,000**
3 bed/3 bath amazing home w/underground, heated pool and wrap around porch. 15 acres.
5205 Elton Joyce Way....*CCall Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$330,000**
*2077 sq ft - New construction, Lance Friday Home! 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage w/low maintenance yard, storage room & glass doors that open to a patio!!
4911 King Richards Row....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$317,000**
3 bed/2 bath home in Green Hill Terrace. Roof 2 years old. A/C and heater 2 months old. Fenced yard w/RV parking pad and large trees.
917 Lafayette....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$309,000**
*2256 sq ft - 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath attached townhome under construction in Berkman Square.
2912 Slate Dr.....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* ..... **U/C...$230,000**
3 bed/2 bath great location on quiet street. Recent improvements - windows, carpet, tile and fencing.
2109 Community Ln.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **U/C...$230,000**
3 bed/3 bath w/pool & cabana! Saltillo tile floors throughout, fireplace, and a hot tub!
1000 Pecos Ave.....*Call Ray Dallas 416-6299* **$230,000**
*2192 sq ft - Low maintenance, very private, w/wonderful outdoor living, 3 bd/2 1/2 bath.



SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES



OPEN SUNDAY 1:30-3:00
5014 Castleford Rd. - $315,000 - *Shown by Mary Lynn Parsley*



OPEN SUNDAY 2:00-4:00
5309 Quicksand Cove - $439,500 - *Shown by Leo Salcido*

3 Bedrooms

4002 Elma Dr.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$236,000**
3 bed/2 bath Low maint. yard, huge master bed w/wood floors, and gas log fireplace. Bigger than it looks!
2109 Hughes St.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **U/C...$225,000**
3 bed/2 bath deep rich wood floors, red brick fireplace, and updated kitchen. Perfect marriage of new & old.
3109 Bluebird Lane....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$219,900**
3 bed/2 bath beautiful open floor plan on corner lot. Dark wood floors, wood blinds, and kitchen w/granite countertops!
3201 Ranchland Dr.....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* ..... **U/C...$216,000**
3 bed/2 bath, sequestered master w/his/hers closets. Granite in the kitchen, big backyard and enclosed patio.
3000 Wedgewood....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **U/C...$199,000**
3 bed/2 bath, beautifully landscaped corner lot! Wood floors in living area, quartz countertops in kitchen and master suite w/large walk-in.
2900 Wildlife Way....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* ..... **U/C...$199,000**
3 bed/2 bath w/recent paint & carpet, updated kitchen cabinets, and updated master bedroom w/his and hers closets/sinks!
4004 Floyd Court....*Call Kandi Bagwell 352-4134* ..... **U/C...$199,000**
3 bed/2 bath w/pool! Beautiful landscaping, great appliances, open bar to eating area, tall ceiling and plenty of privacy.
1413 NW 6th St. (Andrews)....*Call Vicki Barton 528-4717* ..... **U/C...$199,000**
3 bed/2 bath corner lot home w/granite countertops, tile and carpet throughout, and 32'x35' shop.
1005 Manly Ave.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Raquel Calvin Dixon 638-4321* ..... **U/C...$189,000**
3 bed/2 bath w/mature trees in established neighborhood. Covered patio, 3 car garage w/workshop and parking for RV/boat.
2909 Hagman Dr.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$185,000**
3 bed/2 1/2 bath, low maintenance home! Spacious living area w/fireplace, kitchen w/tile floors, and master suite w/his/her closets.
2923 Citronn Ave in Odessa....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* **$179,000**
*2139 sq ft, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, beautifully remodeled mid century home.
2902 Wedgewood Dr.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$169,000**
3 bed/2 bath w/wood burning fireplace, vaulted ceilings, and living area w/wet bar. Large backyard w/covered patio.
4421 Polagata....*Call Laura Camp 559-1388* ..... **U/C...$162,000**
3 bed/2 bath, low maintenance. Updated hard surface floors.
4311 Manly Dr.....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* ..... **U/C...$139,000**
3 bed/1 1/2 bath with a bonus game room! Large pantry in kitchen, spacious backyard + workshop.
5100 Thompson....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **U/C...$116,000**
3 bed/1 1/2 bath w/fantastic wood floors thru-out. Kitchen w/gas stove, plenty of pantry storage, and bedrooms w/new carpet.
713 Ruby Dr.....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* ..... **REDUCED...$97,000**
3 bed/1 bath w/open floor plan & natural light shining through patio doors. HUGE backyard w/tall wood fence!
3704 Dunlap....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144* ..... **U/C...$95,000**
3 bed/1 bath/1 carport home. Fresh paint inside and out, ceiling fans, and new plush carpet thru-out. Large backyard.
1005 N. Lamesa Rd.....*Call Leann Haller 349-3863* ..... **REDUCED...$89,000**
*960 sq ft - 3 bed/1.5 baths, large backyard.
7100 6400 Airline Dr.....*Call Leann Haller 349-3863* ..... **U/C...$82,000**
3 bed/2 bath mobile home. 16x76. Large kitchen, large living area w/new carpet. $250 per month lot fee.

2 Bedrooms

10 Ridglea Dr.....*Call Nathan Reeves 631-9657* ..... **REDUCED...$225,000**
2 bed/2 bath Old Midland charm! Hardwood and tile throughout and stunning master suite.
2100 Wadley Ave.....*Call Nathan Reeves 631-9657* **$145,000**
2 bed/2 1/2 bath, super clean condo in Chandelle w/both bedrooms upstairs w/own separate bathrooms.

Odessa & Surrounding Areas

84 Oak Canyon on Lake Allan Henry....*Call Taylor Looney 889-6402* **$275,000**
*1992 sq ft, 3 BR, 2 Bath. This isn't your typical lake house! Enjoy the view by the outdoor fireplace under the covered patio!

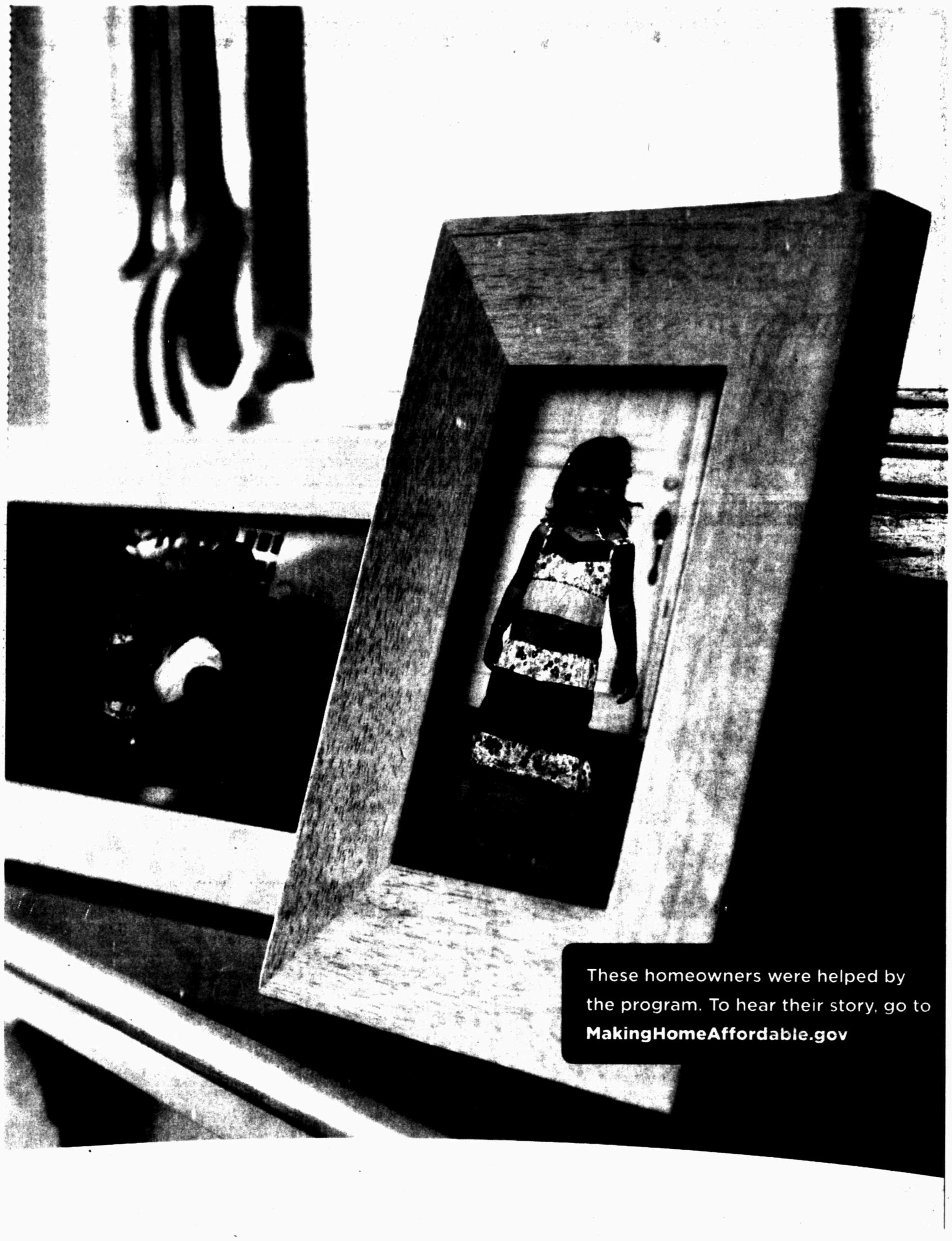
Lease Property

5901 Hathaway Ct.....*Call Reese/Bates 559-5959* **$3,500/Month**
4 bed/2 1/2 bath in a very quiet cul-de-sac. Fireplace, fabulous backyard and covered patio. Only 1 pet allowed.

Land & Lots

000 Hwy 173 0000 Bandera, TX....*Call Cameron Wiltmann 978-4298* **$1,200,000**
202 acres - Own a piece of the Hill Country!!! Just a few miles outside of Bandera, TX!
0 Hwy. 349 & Tejas....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$115,000**
.815 Acres - Office/Residential.
1100 Wadkins....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$95,000**
0.5 Acres - Office/Residential.
1101 Wadkins....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$95,000**
0.643 Acres - Office/Residential.
1100 Wadkins....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$75,000**
0.643 Acres - Office/Residential.
1102 Wadkins....*Call Bill Lanier 682-1144/Bobi Lankhaugh 553-6708* **$75,000**
0.5 Acres - Office/Residential.
10101 W. Co. Rd. 77....*Call Nathan Reeves 631-9657* **$75,000**
2.003 acres of land.
County Rd. 2001, Stanton....*Call Bill Jones 557-3005* **$30,000**
2.77 acres in Martin County. No deed restrictions.
2001 County Rd.....*Call Leann Haller 349-3863* **$15,000**
1 acre. Home site in Martin County.

(= approximately)*



If you're struggling to keep your home, there is help.

Today, many people are at risk of foreclosure through no fault of their own.

Making Home Affordable is a free program from the U.S. government that has already helped over a million struggling homeowners.

The sooner you act, the better the chance we can help you.

MakingHomeAffordable.gov | 1-888-995-HOPE (4673)

Ad Council

MAKING HOME AFFORDABLE℠

COLDWELL BANKER

COVENANT

432-570-8200
cbcovenant.com

Have You Considered a Career in Real Estate?
whyrealestatecareer.com

SUNDAY OPEN HOUSE

OPEN 3:00-4:30

5310 WIMBERLEY SPRING COURT
$398,900

Beautiful drive-up, circle drive, Xeriscaped front yard. Spacious open kitchen/living area with granite, skylights, large pantry, high ceilings and beautiful fireplace and crown molding. Fantastic sequestered master bed/bath suite with large closet, granite, jetted tub & walk-in shower. 3BR/2.5BA, study with built-in desk, large laundry room w/sink, 3 car garage. Don't let this one slip by!
Shown by Steve Weir, 413-1992

SUNDAY FEATURED HOMES

301 S. MINEOLA
$152,500

Great new build in South Midland! A nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath! Great starter home! Has a nice open floor plan with 9' ceilings in the living area and 8' ceilings in the kitchen! Will have a cedar fence around it and has a driveway in front and a side entry off Indiana with a huge 2 car carport!

1207 BURCHILL DRIVE
$144,900

Cute, clean and move-9n ready! 4 bedrooms, 1 bath (master bedroom has connections/plumbing to open master bath if desired), beautiful high ceilings in living room and master bedroom, cozy fireplace, ceramic tile throughout except bedrooms, side parking pad with carport.

REDUCED LISTINGS

[illegible] SANTA ROSA ODESSA	FACT ID #1067	$171,027

4+ BEDROOM

[illegible] ANGUS DR	FACT ID #1061	$699,000
[illegible] KINGBIRD CT	FACT ID #1049	U C
[illegible] RIP	FACT ID #1065	$269,900

3 BEDROOM

[illegible] WIMBERLEY SPRING	FACT ID #1062	$398,900
[illegible] SOUTER AVE	FACT ID #1063	U C
[illegible] HACKNEY	FACT ID #1066	$225,000
[illegible] ESSIE	FACT ID #1079	$176,900

3 BEDROOM

1207 BURCHILL	FACT ID #1093	$149,900

2 BEDROOM

10600 W. COUNTY RD		$130,000

LAND

6000 N. COUNTY RD. 1236 10 ACRES	FACT ID #10095	300,000
1508 10 TEXAS AVE		$192,000

ODESSA

7100 HACKBERRY		U C
3127 N. HANCOCK		$72,900

HOME FACTS
CALL OR TEXT 570-8000
then enter the four digit number found with each listing
24 HOUR AUTOMATED PROPERTY DETAILS

LOOKING FOR A HOME IN SAN ANGELO? LAKES PROPERTY AFFORDABLE HOMES OIL FRIENDLY COMMUNITY
325-944-9559
clpatterson.com
COLDWELL BANKER
Patterson Properties

Darrell McDonald Realtors

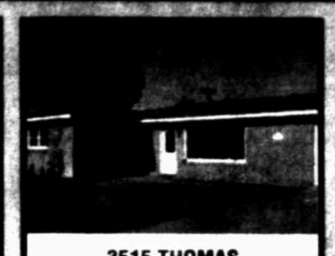
689-0021

4801 N. MIDLAND DR.
MIDLAND, TX 79707
689-0021 • FAX 697-7014

Kay McDonald
Darrell McDonald

www.mcdonaldrealtors.com
rentmidlandtexas.com
E-mail: mcdonaldrealtors@aol.com

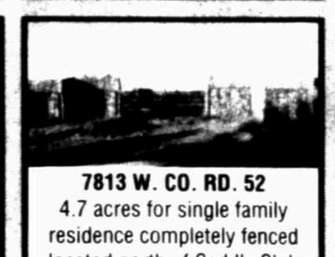
3239 WHITTLE WAY
3 bed, 2 bath in terrific neighborhood. **$184,900**.
Contact Jim 432-352-3576.



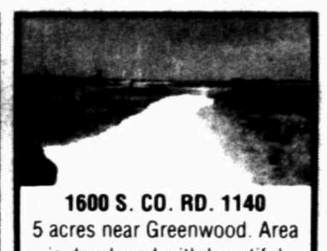
3515 THOMAS
4 bed, 2 bath everything new. **$169,800**.
Contact Cindy 432-413-8494

806 N MAIN ST.
Cute home well maintained. 4 bed, 2 bath with large back yard. **$115,000**
Contact Elvia 432-978-9798.

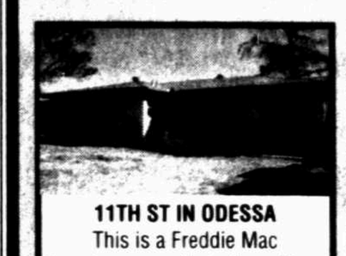
1504 S DALLAS ST
3 bedrooms, 1 bath & 1 half bath, 2 living areas. 2 car garage. Totally remodeled. **$139,000**. Call Jim.



7813 W. CO. RD. 52
4.7 acres for single family residence completely fenced located north of Saddle Club Ranch Estates. **$199,000**.
Contact Carol Fulfer at 432-528-1632.



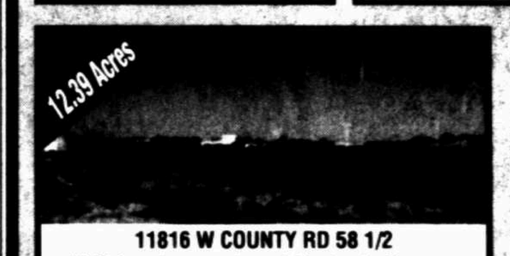
1600 S. CO. RD. 1140
5 acres near Greenwood. Area is developed with beautiful homes. Horses allowed. **$62,500**. Contact Elvia Lopez 432-978-9798.



11TH ST IN ODESSA
This is a Freddie Mac foreclosure and is to be sold as is. 4 bed 1955 sf. **$104,900.**
Contact Deborah 432-553-0056.

2500 W.CR 135
Double wide 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 3/4 acre. **$79,900.**
Contact Kay 432-664-2120

2310 S. CR 1118
Fabulous 5 bedroom home on 5 acres. Large barn,horse stalls, pipe fencing. Also included are round pens, roping arena w/ AC call center and 3 water wells. **$650,000**.
Contact Kay 432-664-2120



11816 W COUNTY RD 58 1/2
12.39 Acres in a very nice neighborhood with mature trees. Seller will be willing to split this acreage into smaller sections. Location is great and is not far from amenities and has a great country feel. **$280,000**. Call Deborah.

LOOP 250
This property is currently zoned retail however city will consider other proposals. No industrial. 6.21 acres. Call Deborah.

DON BYERLY 699-4127

CINDY COLLEY 413-8494

DEBORAH GILLUM 553-0056

CAROL FULFER 528-1632 699-0008

JOHN BOSWELL 425-3140

JOHN NOBLES 894-4464

JAMES GUNN 352-3576

ELVIA LOPEZ 978-9798

Century 21 The Edge

Century 21

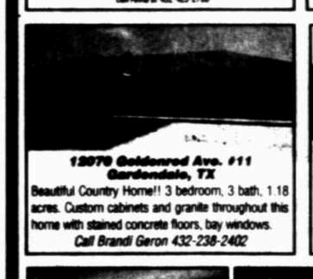
SMARTER. BOLDER. FASTER.
Email: TheEdge@Century21.com
www.Century21TheEdgeMidland.com
Each Office Is Independently Owned And Operated

2000 W. Wall Street
Office 432-617-3053 - Fax 432-617-3055

4303 Rutland Ave., Midland, TX
This home is move in ready. 3 big bedrooms, nice size kitchen with lots of cabinet space, 2 car garage, water well system for whole yard front and back with manual sprinkler system, nice work shop in the back with lots of shelves, and room to work in, and more than lots of room. Ally flooring throughout with lots of room. Don't miss it won't last long. Seller is offering Home Warranty.
Call Anna at 432-425-2706

1201 E. Hobbs Ave., Midland, TX
Built by LAST Remodel. Credentials! Built with grooved tahoe sheetrock walls in the interior. Floors are stained concrete. Very good income at $1300.00 a piece. They are 3 bedroom 1 bath with their own utilities, parking, and backyards. Great investment!
Call Brandi Geron 432-238-2402

4305 Douglas Ave., Midland
1847 Approximate Sq Ft, 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom with two living areas. Laminate flooring in most of the house except the kitchen, dining and bathroom which have tile. The Den/Family room has painted concrete flooring.
Call Sarah Ivey 432-238-8392



12079 Goldenrod Ave. #11 Goldsmith, TX
Beautiful Country Home!! 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1.18 acres. Custom cabinets and granite throughout this home with stained concrete floors, bay windows.
Call Brandi Geron 432-238-2402

2200 GOLFING, Gessmer
2200 GOLFING, Gessmer. Large shop with3 bone stalls, pen fencing, 1 water well, sprinkler system, wood deck for pool & protection shop in backyard in well. This home has lots of living space with 3 bedroom 3 bath, separate office and a mudroom. Master has bathtub, shower and bath in shower with large double vanity, beautifully landscaped with established trees.
Call Brandi Geron 432-238-2402

407 E Bonger Ave., Midland
Great opportunity for First Time Home Buyer or Investor! 3 Bedroom Brick Home with 2 Living areas, good size kitchen, bedrooms and back yard. Walking distance to Milam Elementary.
Call Betty Terrell 432-296-1925

520 Ruby, Odessa, TX
Charming, bright home with 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms. Fenced yard that is large with an open patio.
Call Lindsey Barton 432-212-2272

3000 W. Olds Ave, Midland, TX
This house needs very little work done to it. Cute 4 bedroom 2 bath with plenty of room both inside and out. BIG back yard and a BIG work shop in the back, with 3 carports one on the house and one on the shop. With water well, seller does not warranty water well. Come check this out before its gone.
Call Anna 432-425-2706

3004 Hodges St., Midland, TX
Charming 3 bedroom, 2 ½ bath home nestled on the tree shaded street north of Neely and in North Central Midland. Master bedroom spacious with sitting area and lovely view of the rose garden. Sun room has abundant windows and is so inviting. A pleasure to see.
Call Lou Matson 432-559-1950

3708 Fairhaven Court, Midland, TX
Two Story House on Cul-de-sac Street Make this Beauty Your New Home. Open spacious living area, formal dining room and a breakfast area. Spacious kitchen updated in 2011. Master Suite downstairs, double sinks in Master bath and an access to backyard. Large Backyard with 7 ft privacy fence. Great for entertaining. Storage building.
Call Carol Caudillo 432-425-5407

3402 Sycamore Ave, Midland
Updated 4 bedroom 2 bath home with addition that includes den and master bedroom and bathroom. Storage/ Workshop in back that can be converted back to garage. Must see to appreciate.
Call Darwin Ivey 432-238-8392

1001 S Main St, Midland, TX
Lovely immaculate! The 51,400 square foot Church building features a large Sanctuary with seating for over 700 in pews and chairs. The original Sanctuary has been converted to a gymnasium. Approximately 30 rooms are in use for classrooms, office, work rooms, recreation rooms, etc. There are 3 sets of fellowship/ Lobby restrooms, and a single restroom in the current nursery.
Call Melonna Campbell 432-634-0722

1203 E. Big Spring, Midland, TX
This building has tons of space with 9 rooms, barred windows, lots of parking front and back, with 3 covered parking space, large driveway and circle drive. Priced for your business.
Call Brandi Geron 432-238-2402

600 E. Clay St., Midland, TX
The coming clean gen has many recent updates! Please call and make appointment to see the beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath cozy brick home! Updates: Kitchen cabinets and granite counter tops, covered back porch, open patio, metal fencing and a new roof, energy efficient windows, and more! Time Home Buyer or Investor.
Call Betty Terrell 432-296-1925

Land For Sale

4301 S County Rd 1176 – 3 Acres	Call Lou Matson 432-559-1950
0 Loop 494, Stanton TX – 0.41 Acre Lot	Call Carol Caudillo 432-425-5407
0 W Bohlen Dr Stanton TX – 1.04 Acre Lot	Call Melonna Campbell 432-634-0722
0 County Rd 2260 Stanton – 6 Acres	Call Warren Ivey 432-238-7832
1307 Goldenrod Goldsmith – 6-1 Acre Lots	Call Brandi Geron 432-238-2402
1714 Morgan Way Midland – 0.163 Acre Lot	Call Melonna Campbell 432-634-0722
1601 S I-10 Roosevelt – 205.6 Acres	Call Leo Salcido 432-557-4407
1600 S I-10 Roosevelt – 368.1 Acres	Call Leo Salcido 432-557-4407

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT • CALL 432-617-3053
Need Help With Your Investment Portfolio Or Thinking About Renting Out Your Property? Let Us Manage It For You!
Download the CENTURY 21 App for your smart phone today, www.CENTURY21.com

CENTURY 21 The Edge:
It's the Right Path for You!
Looking for a change? CENTURY 21® The most recognized name is Real Estate, Award Winning Training, Lead Management, Industry Leading Marketing, CENTURY 21® Global Referral Network, and a Team to Help Build Your Business!
Call Warren or Sarah for more information.

Warren Ivey
Managing Broker
432-238-7832

Sarah Ivey
Agent Development
432-238-8392

Lou Matson
REALTOR®, CRS, GRI
432-559-1950

Betty Terrell
REALTOR®, SRS
432-296-1925

Carol Caudillo
REALTOR®, CRS, GRI
432-425-5407

Andy Shipman
REALTOR®
432-638-7760

Melonna Campbell
REALTOR®
432-634-0722

Anna Reed, GRI
REALTOR®
432-425-2706

Vickie Wallis
REALTOR®
432-816-7341

Lanny Young
ABR
REALTOR®
432-279-9427

Brandi Geron
REALTOR®
432-238-2402

Dana Talent-Major
REALTOR®
432-488-7741

Sonya Luna
REALTOR®
432-934-8358

Amanda Sparks
REALTOR®
432-269-0098

Lindsey Barton
REALTOR®
432-212-2272

Bobby McCourt
REALTOR®
432-967-0652

R. Scott Kenner
Texas & New Mexico Broker
915-588-2188

If you're struggling to keep your home, there is help.

Today, many people are at risk of foreclosure through no fault of their own.

Making Home Affordable is a free program from the U.S. government that has already helped over a million struggling homeowners.

The sooner you act, the better the chance we can help you.

MakingHomeAffordable.gov | 1-888-995-HOPE (4673)

Ad Council
MAKING HOME AFFORDABLE

Pine & Beckett REALTORS®

TOP 5

686-7000

Visit Our Websites
www.pineandbeckett.com
www.facebook.com/pineandbeckettmidland

The #1 Real Estate Boutique in Midland

MOVING YOU IS ALL WE DO!

NEW LISTING

4125 Fox Hollow - $374,900
4BR, 3BA. In-Law Plan! Large Lot on a Quiet Cul-de-sac in Trinity West.

NEW LISTING

4901 Thames Ct - $379,500
Stunning 4BR, 2.5BA in Polo Park! So Many Updates!

NEW LISTING

4503 Lennox - $297,900
3BR, 2.5BA. Gorgeous Updated Kitchen!

NEW LISTING

5412 San Saba - $295,000
Fabulous Mark Payne Resale! Holiday Hill! 4BR, 2.5BA

OLD MIDLAND

2006 Shell - $599,900
Gorgeous 3BR, 3.5BA in Coveted Warwick! Pool! So Much NEW!!!

FEATURED HOME

425 W. Pine Ave. - $185,000
Need Space? 2,200 sq. ft. on almost 1/2 acre in town.

NEW CONSTRUCTION

6413 Mosswood - $510,000
Spectacular 4BR, 3BA Almand Construction! Time to Make Selections!

NEW LISTING

5205 Ric Dr - $159,900
Cute as can be 3BR, 2BA! Great Open Floor Plan!

4+ BEDROOMS

48 Oak Hill Ave, Brownwood, TX - Exclusive Home Built by Dick Clark Architect! Nothing like this home! Uber Contempo.ary with Distinctive Upgrades! 3 Bedroom on almost 5 Acres. Please call Chris Beckett 349-7000 for further details & private showing! **New Listing! $5,000,000**

Racquet Club South-Magnificent Estate Home!!! Enchanting & Very Elegantly Appointed for Entertaining! 5 Bedroom, 5.5 Bath, 4 Living Areas + Study, 3 Fireplaces, Over 6,300 sqft! Soaring Ceilings, One of A Kind Spiral Stairway! Master Suite has Private Balcony & Media Area. Separate Guest Wing w/Game Room & Wet Bar. Outdoor Kitchen & Gorgeous Pool!!! **Call Norma for Private Showing!**

2504 Textland Circle-Quiet Elegance is Spoken Here! Distinctive Architecture, Gleaming Floors, Stunning Appointments Starting at the Front Door! Study has a Panic Room. Master Suite has Cozy Fireplace w/Luxurious Bath. Gourmet Kitchen. 4 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath, 3 Living, 5 Car Garage! Stunning Pool & Hot Tub w/Waterfall! Barn/Workshop on 2 ACRES!!! Water Well for Yard! **Call Norma for Private Showing! $965,000**

2117 Blackwood-5 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath. Dramatic McPherson Home!!! Granite, Stainless, High End Finishes! Still Time To Make Your Selections! **Sale Pending! $581,000**

6413 Mosswood-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath. NEW Almand Construction in Grassland West! 8' Iron Door, Plantation Shutters, Granite. Still Time to Make Selections!!! Est Completion September. **New Construction! $510,000**

2505 Legacy Oaks-4 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath in Mockingbird Oaks! Brand NEW AGA Home! Granite, High Ceilings, Double Ovens, Island. Est Completion June! **New Construction! $489,900**

6405 Mosswood - 4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 Living. Sensational NEW Plan by Almand Construction! Make it Custom! Estimated Completion Nov 2013. **New Construction! $489,000**

5204 Teakwood Trace-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 Half Baths! 2 Car Garage. Golf Course View!!! Call Chris for details! **New Price! $405,000**

4816 Rustic Trail-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 Living. HUGE Open Kitchen w/island, skylight & gorgeous granite!! Luxurious Master Retreat! On The Golf Course!!! **Sale Pending! $394,900**

7605 Canterbury, Odessa-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath. Brand NEW Floor Plan! First Time Built! Show House Perfection! Gorgeous New Rosas Home! Granite, Stainless, Shutters! Still Time to Make Selections!!! **New Construction! $382,500**

5803 S Co Rd 1200-4 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath on over 8 ACRES!!! Updated 2 Story Vintage Home! Loads of Space! 3 Water Wells. 1800 sqft Workshop! **New Price! $379,900**

4301 Thames Ct-4 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath. 3 Living Areas! Gourmet Kitchen w/Granite! Porcelain Tile Throughout Entire Home! So Much More! **New Listing! $379,500**

4125 Fox Hollow-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 Living. In-Law Plan! Oversized Lot on a Quiet Cul-de-sac in Trinity West! **New Listing! $374,900**

5402 Grassland-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath. Beautifully Maintained 1 Owner McPherson Home! Open floor plan, large bedrooms & closets. Tons of Storage! **Sale Pending!! $305,000**

1216 S Co Rd 1120-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 5 Car Garage. 3,500+sqft! In Coveted Greenwood on 1.94 ACRES, recent septic, water well. 18GPM. Storage All Over! $5,000 Buyer incentive. **New Price! $299,900**

5412 San Saba Ct-4 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath in Holiday Hill! Stunning Mark Payne Resale! HUGE Open Plan. Double Sided Fireplace! Better Than NEW. Move in Ready! **New Listing! $295,000**

1812 Pueblo-4 Bedroom, 2 Bath. Brand NEW Construction by Summit Homes! On 1/3 of an Acre in 349 Ranch Estates! Granite, Stainless, Tile!!! **New Construction! $287,000**

5613 Llano Ct-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath in Holiday Hill! High end finishes, granite, plantation shutters, stained concrete! Absolutely Stunning! **Sale Pending! $282,000**

2000 Indiana-4 Bedroom, 2 Bath in Historic Museum District! Exposed brick, hardwood floors, arched doorways, beautiful moldings! **SOLD! $259,000**

3308 Dengar-4 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Living. Open Plan. In-Ground Pool. AS IS WHERE IS ONLY! Calling All Investors. **New Listing! $169,900**

6709 E Co Rd 96-4 Bedroom, 3 Bath, 2 Living, 2 Dining. On almost half an Acre in Greenwood! Oversized 2 car garage with RV Parking! **New Price! $139,900**

5001 S Co Rd 1136-4 Bedroom, 2 Bath on 1 Acre in a Quiet Cul-de-sac! Open Plan. Sequestered Master. HOA Neighborhood. **New Listing! $139,900**

2 & 3 BEDROOMS

2001 E FM 1379-2 Bedroom, 1.5 Bath Custom Built Retreat on 54.54 ACRES!!! Gated Entry w/paved drive. AMAZING half acre pond. Gourmet kitchen w/wine fridge. All top of the line high end finishes here!!! 4 water wells! Call Sabrina for more details! **New Listing! $830,000**

2906 Shell-3 Bedroom, 3.5 Bath, 2 Living, 2 Dining in Coveted Warwick! Totally Updated! Gorgeous Pool! **New Listing $599,900**

34 Lafayette-3 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath, 2 Living, 2 Dining. ABSOLUTELY FANTASTIC 2 Story Townhome in Barkman Square! New Designs. Granite. Stained Concrete. Large Courtyard. 2 Upstairs Balconies. 2 Covered Porches Downstairs! Seriously Stylish!!! **Back on the Market! $384,900**

4717 N Co Rd 1130-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Car Garage. 1.5 ACRES in Greenwood School District!!! Granite, Austin Stone, Sequestered Master! Exquisite Home!!! **New Construction! $335,000**

4583 Lennox-3 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath. Exceptional Find in Skyline Terrace! Enormous Master Suite! Private Courtyard. Gorgeous Hardwood & Slate Flooring! **New Price! $295,000**

5009 Los Alamitos-3 or 4 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath, 2 Living Areas. Location! Location! Location! Saddle Club South! Beautiful Curb Appeal. New Outside A/C Unit. Huge Master. Lots of Storage! **New Price! $290,000**

3103 Baybridge-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath. Gorgeous Gourmet Kitchen! Spacious Open Floor Plan! Huge Sequestered Master. Plantation Shutters Throughout! **Sold! $275,000**

1614 W Pine-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Living Areas. Amazing Home in Old Midland! So Much New!!! New Metal Roof & Masonry Fence! **Coming Soon! $269,500**

3805 Neely-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath. IMMACULATE Home w/So much NEW! Granite, Stainless Appliances, Crown Molding! **Back on the Market! $229,000**

425 Pine-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Large Living Areas! On a HUGE Lot 0.428 ACRES!!! **New Listing! $185,000**

2108 W Missouri-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath in Historic Museum District. LOADED W/Charm! New Windows, Stainless Appliances, Updated Master Bath. **Sale Pending! $169,000**

5205 Ric Dr-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath. Great Floor Plan. Sequestered Master. Updated Fixtures & Appliances. Fridge Passes w/Sale! Great Price Point! **New Listing! $159,900**

4480 Fairgate-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Townhome! Ready To Go! 1 Car Garage. 3 Carport. Sequestered Master Bedroom, large walk-in closets. **Sale Pending, $159,900**

3711 N Co Rd 1140-2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 1 Car Garage on 1 ACRE! Affordable Country Living just Minutes from the Loop! Cozy Country Home w/Charm! **New Price! $139,900**

1605 Butternut-2 Bedroom, 1 Bath. 2 Living Areas. IMMACULATE Home! What a Find! Hardwood Floors, Tile. Roof 2 years old. Expect to be Impressed! **New Listing! $125,000**

4801 Thomason - 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath. HUGE Workshop approximately 576 sqft! As Is Where Is. Wonderful & Affordable in the Market Place! **Sale Pending! $106,000**

COMMERCIAL/LOTS/ACREAGE

1901 N. Big Spring-2 Lots. High Traffic, Highly Profitable Business Opportunity! Call Chris for more info. **New Price! $995,000**

2903 Wall St-2.67 ACRES with Buildings & Warehouses! Perfect for trucks, car lot, oil company, retail store. **New Listing! $975,000**

529 N CR W, Odessa-Phenomenal Investment Opportunity Here! ENTIRE block of land. Church & Warehouses Included! **New Listing! $695,000**

Billy Hext Rd, Odessa-Fabulous Pad Site in Eastridge Office Park! Anchor Location! Call Chris for more details! **New Listing! $500,000**

1111 W Wall-Fantastic Opportunity to Own Your Own Business!!! Loads of Space. High Traffic Location. Zoned O1. Call Chris for Details. **New Listing! $399,900**

911 N Midkiff Rd-Fantastic Location in a Very Busy Hub! 3 Large Offices, 3 Small Offices, Full Kitchen. Tremendous Opportunity!!! **Sale Pending! $238,500**

5191 Marigold Dr, Gardendale-Beautiful 7.264 Acres with over 100 Pecan Trees! 3 Water Wells. Gated Entry. Underground Irrigation System for Trees! RV Cover. **Land! $104,900**

7710 Trenton-One of the Last Available Lots in Saddle Club Ranch Estates!!! No HOA! Build Your Dream Home on 1.95 ACRES! **Sale Pending! $99,900**

Scharbauer Dr-Investor Opportunity! 4 Lots Sold in package. 1201-1207 Scharbauer Dr. Owner will not subdivide. Ready to Build! May require flood insurance. **Lots! $65,000**

Turtle Dove Ln, Possum Kingdom-Great Lake Property in a Private Gated Community! Amenities include 3,000 sqft Clubhouse over looking lake w/infinity pool! Call Bianca for more details!!! **New Price! $32,000**

E CR 60-15 Lots Available! 2 ACRES Each. Horses Allowed. No Mineral Rights. Mobil & Modular Homes Allowed! Call Ron for more details. **Lots! $17,500/each**

LOOKING IN AUSTIN AREA?

8508 Azis-4 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath in ground pool! Bank foreclosure in SW Austin, right off S. Mopac. **Sale Pending! $224,900**

121 Serene Hollow-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath in Buda! Relocation listing in pristine condition! Bonus Study! **Sale Pending! $181,650**

138 Dove Lane-3 Bedroom, 2 Bath in gated Meadowlakes with access to lake LBJ! **New Price! $169,900**

151 Stone Crest-3 Bedroom, 2 Ba Chase foreclosure in Buda with super easy access to IH-35! 1 Story Ranch Style. **Sale Pending! $144,900**

6507 Eudora Cove-4 Bd/2.5 Ba, 3 living, FANNIE MAE listing with fresh new beige paint & clean carpets. Cul-de-Sac in S Austin. **Sale Pending! $144,900**

8604 Winter Haven-3 Bedroom, 2.5 Ba Bank Foreclosure! SE Austin KB home in master planned community. **Sold! $188,900**

5629 Victory Gallop-3 Bedroom, 2.5 Bath in Del Valle! FANNIE MAE property, over 2600 sqft on corner lot! **Sale Pending!! $104,900**

404 Emerald Way-Fabulous Cul-de-sac Lot in Horseshoe Bay West Ready to Build On! Call 512-796-4340. **New Price! $29,900**

Norma Pine
Broker/Owner
349-3440

Chris Beckett
Broker/Owner
349-7000

Ginger Trevino-Reed
Co-Owner/Lic. Assistant
686-7000

Ron Crow
Realtor Associate
349-6140

Blanca Salgado
Realtor Associate
238-0177

J. David Pine
Realtor Associate
889-3307

Sabrina Roden
Realtor Associate
312-5001

Miranda Sigler
Realtor Associate
770-2512

Jeaneen Pruitt
Broker Associate
557-9212

Lillian Reynolds
Realtor Associate
210-9682

Amber Pruitt
Realtor Associate
288-4466

Myra McKinley
Realtor Associate
889-4294

Ashley Proctor
Realtor Associate
553-0277

Kendra Meadows
Realtor Associate
413-5668

The Jeaneen Pruitt Team 683-1001

SUNDAY FEATURED HOME

4808 RUSTIC TRAIL - $699,950

Gorgeous golf course living, move-in ready! Grand entry leads to 2 living areas w/amazing views & miles of imported tile! Private study, downstairs master suite,3 beds up 2 w/private baths & walk-in closets. Family room w/balcony + bonus rooms. Updated kitchen w/granite, island & breakfast bar! Pool sized yard w/3 patio areas perfect for entertaining! 4 Oversized garages + water well for grounds.

GREEN TREE PROPERTIES

4808 Rustic Trail-NEW-Gorgeous golf course living, move-in ready! Grand entry leads to 2 living areas w/amazing views & miles of imported tile! Private study, downstairs master suite,3 beds up 2 w/private baths & walk-in closets. Family room w/balcony + bonus rooms. Updated kitchen w/granite, island & breakfast bar! Pool sized yard w/3 patio areas perfect for entertaining! 4 Oversized garages + water well for grounds. **$699,950**

5309 Scottsboro Lane - fabulous 4 bedroom/3 bath home in green tree! Gourmet kitchen w/granite, island, stone back splash & stainless appliances. Great den has built-ins, brick fireplace & lots of windows! Formal living & dining areas w/so much natural light. Spacious utility room w/walk-in pantry, seq. Master suite w/2 vanities, sep tub/shower & walk-thru closet. Lovely covered patio overlooks lush landscaping. **SOLD...$369,900**

4+ BEDROOMS

6107 Dunbarton Oaks-NEW-Spectacular custom 5 bed/5 bath/5 car garage! Main house has 4 bed/3 bath, across portico there is 1 bed/1 bath/1 garage! Beautiful iron front doors, hardwood floors in formal dining, gourmet kitchen boasts stainless appliances, granite, 6 burer gas cook top & ice maker. Seq. Master suite w/jetted tub, sep shower (dual heads). Wall of windows overlook back porch w/fireplace & outdoor kitchen. **$875,000**

6513 Los Conchos Lane - Spectacular country estate on nearly 1 acre! 5 Bed/5 ba/5 gar formal dining, grand living area + den. Hand textured walls, gourmet kitchen boasts stainless appliances (6 burner gas ct & ice maker), seq. Master suite w/barrel ceiling, jetted tub, sep shower (dual heads), soaring ceilings & walls of windows overlook huge patio w/outdoor fireplace & kitchen. Enery star home w/foam insulation. **SOLD...$850,000**

2012 Gladewood-NEW-Gorgeous custom home w/dazzling pool + media room! Exceptional finishes throughout! 4 Bed/3 bath/3 half baths. Formal living w/wall of windows overlooking pool, hardwood floors, den w/stone fireplace, media room, study off seq. Master suite. Gourmet kitchen w/custom cabinets, granite, stainless appliances & 2 pantries. In-law suite w/bath, lovely backyard w/fireplace is perfect for entertaining. **SOLD...$725,000**

4808 Rustic Trail-NEW-Gorgeous golf course living, move-in ready! Grand entry leads to 2 living areas w/amazing views & miles of imported tile! Private study, downstairs master suite,3 beds up 2 w/private baths & walk-in closets. Fam... room w/balcony + bonus rooms. Updated kitchen w/granite, island & breakfast bar! Pool sized yard w/3 patio areas perfect for entertaining! 4 Oversized garages + water well for grounds. **$699,950**

6113 Homestead-NEW-Fabulous 4 bed/4 full bath/2 half bath/2 liv/2 din/4 gar w/dazzling pool w/retractable cover. Gourmet kitchen w/gorgeous granite, stainless appliances (includes ice maker!) Spacious master suite w/jetted tub. Wrap around closet w/tons of built-ins. All bedrooms w/private baths! Wonderful theatre room w/3 rows of stadium seating! All equipment stays! $3k chandalier stays! Study w/hardwood floors. **SOLD...$675,000**

5106 Hilltop-NEW-Absolutely stunning 5 bed/4 bath/3 living/2 dining home w/amazing theatre room! Spacious living areas, hardwood floors + designer paint, soaring ceilings, stacked crown mouldings, walls of windows, plantation shutters, stone fireplace and miles of fabulous tile! Gourmet kitchen w/granite+stainless appliances, breakfast bar, pantry and large island w/sink! Spectacular seq. Master suite w/office and separate closets! Landscaped yard w/outdoor kitchen. **U/C...$586,900**

5609 Ashwood Ct.-NEW-Beautiful 4 bed/3 bath/3 garage. Formal living & dining w/distressed hardwood floors, neutral paint, stacked crown molding & recent carpet. Gourmet kitchen w/granite, refinished cabinets, tile backsplash, stainless appliances & tile! Seq. Master suite w/sitting area, 2 vanities, jetted tub & sep shower. Great floorplan (in-law plan + jack & jill on other side of home), large backyard w/patio + deck. **U/C...$399,900**

5106 Oak Valley- Immaculate custom home w/gorgeous features thru-out. Large living w/stone columns, stone fireplace, miles of tile & crown molding. Gourmet kitchen w/large island gas cooktop, stainless appl. Stone backsplash & breakfast bar. 3 Covered patios. Great backyard+separate side yard!Seq. Master suite w/jetted tub, sep shower w/dual heads, 2 vanities & wrap around closet. Big bedrooms w/walk-in closets. **SOLD...$390,000**

5801 Llano Court-NEW-Gorgeous mark payne model home! 4 Bed/3 bath on corner lot! Grand entry w/archways lead to formal dining, spacious living w/brick fireplace(gas logs)& walls of windows that overlook patio. Open kitchen w/tile backsplash, electric cooktop, pantry & breakfast bar. Beautiful concrete floors, seq. Master w/soaking tub, separate shower, 2 vanities & 2 walk-in closets. **U/C...$379,900**

5212 Mathis-NEW-Carassco resale in greathouse! 4 Bed/3 bath/3 gar. Spacious living w/tray ceiling, crown molding, stone fp, & built-ins. Gourmet kitchen w/custom cabinets, granite, island, skylight, stainless appliances & desk area! Spacious master w/granite, dual vanities, jetted tub, walk-in shower w/glass block & large closet w/custom built-ins. Formal living w/french doors & formal dining. **U/C...$375,000**

2 & 3 BEDROOMS

2486 Goddard Court-NEW-Lovely 3 bedroom/2 bath home on culdesac that has many recent updates! Open living area w/wood flooring, nuetral paint, brick fireplace & walls of windows! Spacious kitchen w/lots of counter top space & great storage. Cool beverage area w/disigner lighting & brick wall! 2 Patios! Backyard offers livig space + outdoor kitchen prep area. **U/C...$215,000**

10801 E. County Rd 184-NEW-Spacious 3 bedroom/2 bath home on .50 Acre lot! Living area w/brick fireplace & beamed ceiling. Big den (could be used as 4th bedroom) sequestered master w/walk-in closet! Open kitchen & breakfast w/ lovely hardwood floors. Lots of storage, recent roof, large yard w/mature trees & open patio. Within walking distance to schools. **$189,900**

3615 Anetta-NEW-Spacious 3 bedroom/2 bath home w/large living area! Recent carpet & paint throughout. Kitchen is open to living and has plenty of counter top space. Large backyard offer plenty of space for shop or extra parking. **$129,900**

2734 Eisenhower- Odessa- 3 bedroom/1 bath home with lots of potential! This property would be perfect for an investor or handyman. Very open floor plan, wood laminate flooring, recent flooring, large backyard. **$72,000**

Pine & Beckett REALTORS® **686-7000**

NEW CONSTRUCTION

Houston Chalmers HOMES

5808 Dunbarton Oaks
4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $363,800

Ashingdon Homes

2503 Legacy Oaks
4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $479,500

Walter Pate's Texas Classic Homes

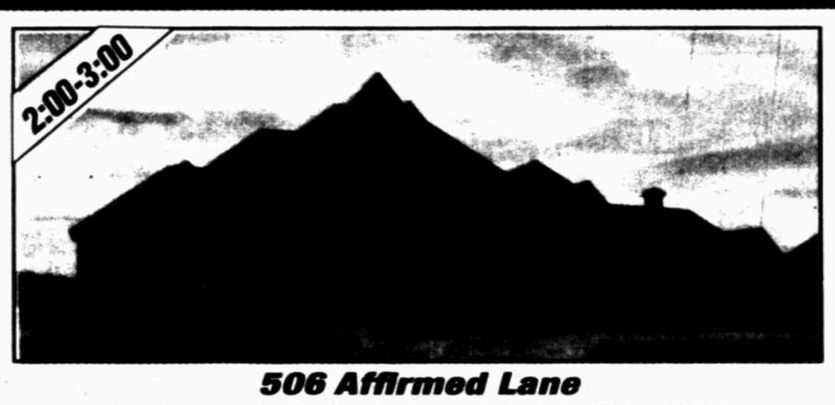
432.853.5782 www.TexasClassicHomes.net

5303 Wimberley Spring Court
4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $379,900

The Real Estate Company

683-1001

Keeping the Island



506 Affirmed Lane
4 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $749,000

"You may not realize it when it happens, but a kick in the teeth may be the best thing in the world for you."
- Walt Disney

NEW CONSTRUCTION

Crystal Homes

Custom Homes & Fine Cabinetry

6401 Los Conches Lane
4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, game room, 4 car garage
Photo is representative of finished work by Crystal Homes

Saenz Signature Homes

3204 Fairfield
4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $349,900

Carrasco Homes

2508 Regency Oaks
4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 car garage, priced @ $469,500

RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS/HOME SITES/ACREAGE

RESIDENTIAL

201 Club Dr	4 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
6901 Stonegate Dr	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
2504 Bobwhite Dr	Odessa/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	$249,000
1307 E. Jax St	6 Bdrm/3.5 Ba/2 Living Areas	$319,900
500 Affirmed Lane	4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/2 Living/3 Car Garage	$795,000

NEW CONSTRUCTION

1215 E. Nobles	Carrasco Homes/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/2 Car Garage	U/C
409 Springwood Ct	James Isbell Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
5303 Wimberley Spring Ct	Texas Classic Homes/4 Bdrm/3.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
5308 Wimberley Spring	Dominion Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
3101 Patrick Pl	Hensen Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
3204 Fairfield	Saenz Signature Homes/4 Bdrm/2.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
5808 Dunberton Oaks	Houston Chalmers Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
2508 Regency Oaks	Carrasco Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
6505 Mosswood	Diamond Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
2503 Legacy Oaks	Ashingdon Homes/4 Bdrm/3 Ba/3 Car Garage	SOLD
506 Affirmed Ln	4 Bdrm/4.5 Ba/3 Car Garage	$749,000

SUBURBAN/ACREAGE

Luna Rosa Estates	Gardendale/New Homes	Call Gary
Co. Rd. A 3601	35.52 Acres/Lenorah, Tx	$71,000
3198 C 1900	Stanton/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/5 Acres	U/C
4007 E. Co. Rd. 160	3 Bdrm/2 Ba/Mobile Home/6.2 Acres	$129,900
16076 N. Pecan Ave	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba/4.49 Acres	U/C
10705 E. Drake Rd	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2 Ba	$192,000
Goldenrod Drive	14.04 Acres/Lighted Roping Arena	$225,000
5606 E. Daisy Gold	Gardendale/3 Bdrm/2.5 Ba	$240,000
12046 E. Goldenrod	13.93 Acres/Horse Training & Stable Facility	$375,000
17131 N. Azalea Ct	Gardendale/2 Apartments/2 RV Hook-ups	$425,000
E. Hwy. 158	Gardendale/1.474 Acres/Warehouse/House	$425,000
12044 E. Goldenrod	27.17 Acres/Horse Training & Stable Barn	$575,000
FM 1213	Approx 30 Acres	$600,000

SUBURBAN HOME SITES

Luna Rosa Estates	W. Co. Rd. 30/1.5-2 Acre Lots	Call Gary
14920 Bluestem	Gardendale/1 Acre	$28,000
14920-2 Bluestem	Gardendale/1 Acre	$28,000
3905 Tumbleweed Trail	2.5 Acres/Horse Barn	SOLD

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

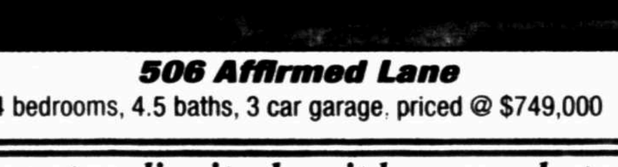
3008 Elkins Rd	3.25 Acres/Office/Warehouse	$1,700,000

LAKE SIDE PROPERTY

421 Co. Rd. 611	Lake Brownwood/2 Bdrm/2 Ba	$300,000

FEATURED HOMES

1307 E. Jax Street
6 bedroooms, 3.5 baths, 2 living areas, priced @ $319,900

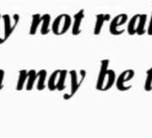


3008 Elkins Rd
3.25 Acres/Office/Warehouse,priced @ $1,700,000

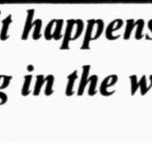
500 Affirmed Lane
4 bedrooms, 4.5 baths, 2 living, 3 car garage, priced @ $795,000

Tammy Brookshire
Broker/Owner
967-3383

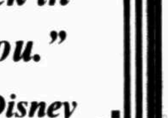
Carolyn Joughin
Agent
557-[illegible]



Stevie Neely
Agent
631-4[illegible]



Gary Luna
Agent
[illegible]



[illegible]
Agent
[illegible]

[illegible]
Broker
[illegible]

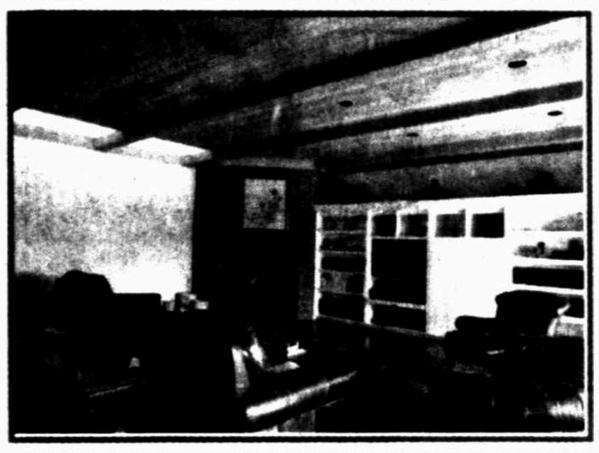
TOLL FREE 1-866-618-0286 4400 N. BIG SPRING STREET, STE. C-30 WWW.MIDLANDSRECO.COM

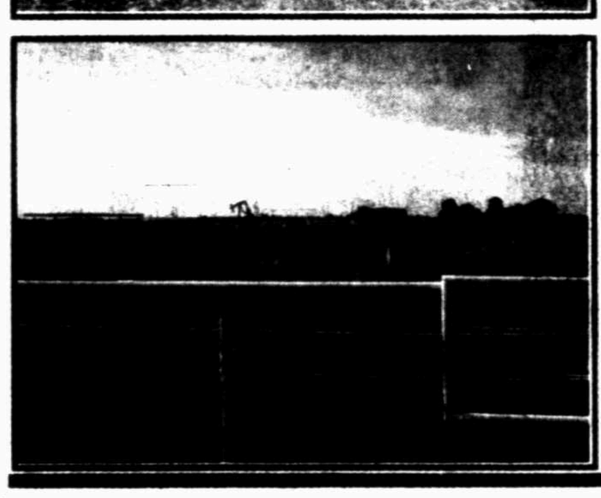
MIDLAND 687-6500

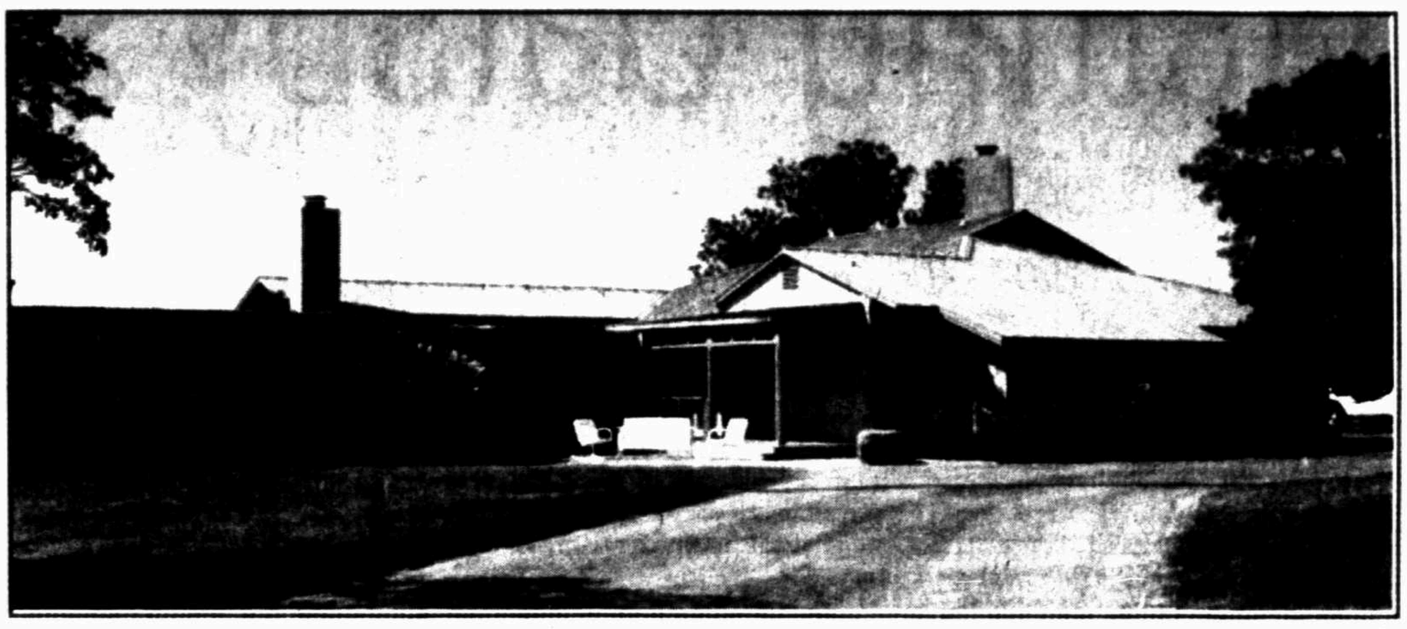
ODESSA 550-6200

www.LegacyRealEstate.com

SUNDAY FEATURED HOME







12278 W. Hwy. 158

This superior horse farm in the Gardendale area sits on 17± acres. This is a very well kept and cared for property that just exemplifies a true stewardship of a property owner.

The farm is watered and irrigated by 3 water wells that produce an average of 80 gpm (per owner). This area is also known to have above average water. The property will also come with the irrigation equipment. In addition there is a GDMW tap that could be hooked up to the house. Owner has never needed to.

The farm has an updated home with 3 Bedrooms, 3 Baths, an office, with a very open floor plan. The gourmet kitchen has all Wolf appliances, granite, 3 ovens, gas & electric range, and a huge dining area. This immaculate home appeals to the high end but is easy to live in. The sparkling pool is in excellent condition with brand new equipment. The courtyard around the pool is very inviting and ideal for outdoor entertaining. The facilities include a 7200 sq ft barn with 8 indoor stalls, wash rack, tack room, and feed room. The other half is a shop and full living quarters. This is in great shape and ready to go. Completing the property are 8 outdoor pens and 3 large turnouts. Call Caleb to view this spectacular property. You won't be disappointed! $1,100,000, MLS # 94739.

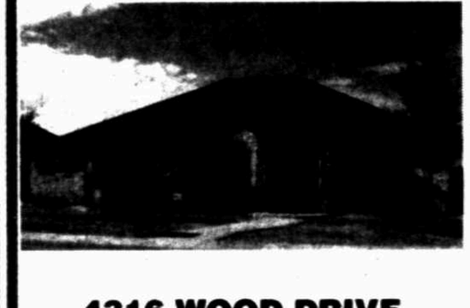
Call Caleb Matott at 349-3330

SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES

OPEN 1:00-2:00

2213 CULVER
$220,000
Great place to call home!
Shown by Susan Palmer

OPEN 1:30-3:00



4316 WOOD DRIVE
$694,900
5 bedroom new construction!
Shown by Karen Foster

OPEN 1:30-3:00

6204 CHICKASAW
$210,000
3BR/2BA. .71 acres, house w/barn. Horses allowed.
Shown by Mona Lopez

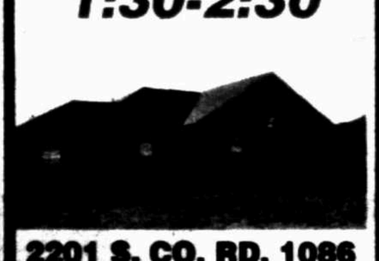
OPEN 2:30-3:30

2104 WHITNEY
$329,000
Spacious 4 bedroom home in Old Midland. Gameroom. Beautiful lot.
Shown by Leah Watkins

OPEN 1:30-2:30

3804 ST. ANDREWS
$525,000
Fabulous location! Amazing backyard!
Shown by DeLaura Gammage

OPEN 1:30-2:30



2201 S. CO. RD. 1086
$385,000
Wow! Pristine, beautiful & move-in ready!
Shown by DeLaura Gammage

OPEN 3:30-4:30

2012 COUNTRY CLUB
$365,000
Awesome house in Old Midland!
Shown by DeLaura Gammage

OPEN 3:30-4:30

2608 NORTHRUP DR.
$275,000
Tons of Space!
Shown by DeLaura Gammage

OPEN 2:00-3:00

4805 CRISTA
$359,900
Gorgeous 3 or 4 bedroom. Must see!
Shown by Ruth Young

HOMESTYLE

SIMPLE SOLUTIONS FOR EVERYDAY LIVING

Sunday, June 23, 2013

Getting Gatsby's Style

'The Great Gatsby' film pays homage to the '20s Art Deco movement. Here's how create some Gatsby glamour at home

By DAWN KLINGENSMITH | CTW Features

Every now and then, a TV show or movie comes along that sparks a trend in fashion and home design. AMC's "Mad Men" is a perfect example. The show's set designers meticulously recreated the fashion and furnishings of the 1960s, igniting consumer demand for mid-century modern styling in recent years.

Now, the summer release of "The Great Gatsby" film, set in the Roaring '20s, has stirred interest in that period's Art Deco movement.

That trend has made its way up to jewelry heavyweight Tiffany & Co., which introduced The Great Gatsby Collection of jewelry, including a $200,000 headpiece with distinctive Art Deco styling.

Don't worry – you don't need to splurge on a little blue box to get the look. This '20s style supports other current trends, like mirrored surfaces and geometric shapes, and Art Deco-inspired furnishings are available at retailers of all price points

Art Deco is characterized by Machine Age materials and bold geometric shapes. It's "almost automotive-looking, with a lot of industrial, techy features," says luxury real estate developer and home design expert Sabine Schoenberg, founder of SabinesHome.com. "You see this in a lot of light fixtures, especially."

Chrome, leather and high-polished lacquer are typical materials of the style. Geometric forms, often arranged in symmetrical patterns, include spheres, triangles, zigzags, stylized stars, sunbursts and chevrons.

"I don't know if we'll see a massive resurgence, but there are elements of that era and aesthetic that resonate with people," says Joss & Main co-founder Mitra Morgan.

Joss & Main is a flash sale website for high-end home goods, and they recently featured Great Gatsby-themed items to coincide with the film's release. Curators pulled together a crescent headboard, mirrored table, tufted settee and other furnishings to create a cohesive, if not quite literal, interpretation of Art Deco splendor.

Known for his exuberant set designs, director Baz Luhrmann may have amped up the grandeur of Gatsby's mansion just a tad, with Art Deco elements representing luxury and wealth as they did in their heyday.

Few homeowners today would be inclined or able to redecorate an entire room to achieve his style, Schoenberg says. Still, those who are inspired by the movie or trends to jazz up a room can do so with just one or two Art Deco-inspired pieces.

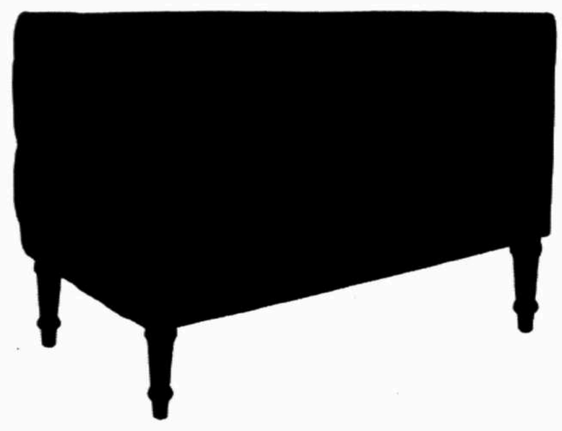
Mirrored furniture brings a bit of Gatsby glamour to a room, and just one addition is enough to make a statement. A high-gloss piece can achieve the same result. Look for "chunky" pieces with clean lines, Schoenberg says, because underneath all that glimmer and glamor, Art Deco pieces "have simple forms that come straight out of cubism."

That's not to say that everything meets at a right angle. Fan-shape or round chair backs express Art Deco's fascination with shapes.

"There are some newer furniture lines that go in the direction of 1920s Art Deco with a modern twist," Schoenberg says, "but for the true enthusiast, only antiquing will do."

An authentic Art Deco armchair is a sound investment and fits in with today's contemporary furnishings, she says. "The light fixtures that came out of that period are very interesting and add an interesting dimension to the home."

As for the interaction between film, consumer and Art Deco style, film reviewer Josh Larsen weighs in. "I could see someone buying from a line of furniture modeled after Luhrmann's version of 'The Great Gatsby.' The furnishings – like the costumes, makeup and entire production design – are spectacular."



"Industrial, techy" features are emphasized in the Art Deco movement. In a modern interpretation, this means nailhead trim and mirrored surfaces.

Photos courtesy of Joss & Main

Luxurious features like velvet material and tufted cushions reflect the opulence of Luhrmann's movie.

For the literary purist, though, Larsen warns, "To buy a Gatsby couch would be to miss one of the main themes of the movie – that material things are no substitute for authentic relationships."

© CTW Features

Cushion Me Softly

Choose the right material for your couch cushions to provide optimal support for your seat

StockByte

By ALICE OGLETHORPE | CTW Features

When choosing anything with a stuffed seat – sofas, armchairs, loveseats – the cushion's filling material is just as important as the way the furniture looks. That's because anything you sit on needs to be both comfortable and supportive at the same time. When it comes to cushioning, there are more options now than there ever was before.

"Unless the piece is very low-end, chances are the cushion is going to be filled with a combination of materials," says Tim Springer, president of ergonomics consulting firm Hero, Inc., Geneva, Ill. "You might have springs or dense foam in the middle, softer down or memory foam on top of that and cotton batting wrapped around the whole thing." So, what's the difference?

Down-filled cushions can definitely be soft and welcoming, but they also can get flattened out. "These offer widely appealing relaxed comfort but have more of a casual appearance, and the down will settle with use," says Stephanie Kennedy, the manager of home retailer Room & Board's Shop From Home. "But when that happens, just a simple fluffing of the cushion will allow air to get back into the channels."

Another option is memory foam. "This material first entered the market in the form of mattresses, but we are seeing more and more of it in chairs and sofas," Springer says. The defining characteristic is that it molds to your body when you sit on it and, when you get up, returns to its original shape.

"The thing is that memory foam does, with time and use, wear out," Springer notes. "It loses its ability to go back to its original shape and would ultimately need to get replaced."

A few manufacturers have started using gel foam in the cushions. "This is a newer innovation but reacts similarly to memory foam in the way it molds to your body and then returns to its original shape," Springer says. "It is known to conduct temperature better than the more traditional foam, so if there's something warm on it, like a body, it will conduct the heat away."

Above all, the biggest issue is how comfortable the sofa is when you test it out at the store. "Spending thirty seconds on it isn't going to tell you how it will feel after sitting on it for a three-hour movie," Springer says.

"Settle in for a bit at the store, bring a book and see how it feels after your body settles into the cushions," he says. "That's when you'll know if it's the right sofa for you."

© CTW Features

CARTER'S
furniture since 1951
Corner of Wadley & Garfield
570-1843
cartersfurnituremidland.com

FOUNDED S&F 1845
SEARS & FOSTER
ALWAYS SPEAK

Homes for Sale

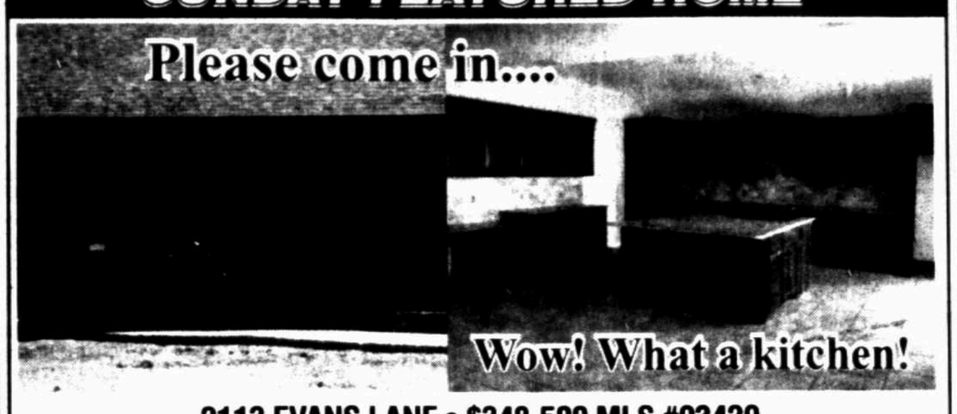
Sandy J. Hanson

REALTOR ASSOCIATE
ABR, GRI, CRS, ASR

Office: 618-0613
Cell: 638-3819
NEW EMAIL: sandy@sandyjhanson.com

The "KEY" to your Real Estate needs!

SUNDAY FEATURED HOME



2113 EVANS LANE • $348,500 MLS #93429

Stucco and faux stone exterior with vinyl Plantation shutters & 3 spacious bedrooms with walk-in closets, 2 full baths and 2 half baths. Open and flowing living area with wood burning fireplace, kitchen w/ granite, double ovens, cook top, and large island w/ breakfast bar and dining room with view of morning sunrise. Solid decked attic above garage, extended drive-way, and seq. master suite w/ 8' X 18' closet.

FEATURED LISTINGS

5420 Basswood Circle	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #94741	$535,000
6006 E. Co. Rd. 85		MLS #94760	$99,500
4908 Crista Lane	UNDER CONTRACT/OPTIONED	MLS #94575	$330,000
4901 San Antonio	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #94474	$199,950
10310 S. County Rd. 1210-House/Hanger/Shop		MLS #94176	$745,000
3901 E. Golf Course-New Construction	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #94301	$312,800
3300 MaMar Ct.-Sparking Pool	SOLD	MLS #94286	$317,000
West Country Rd. 140		MLS #94306	$210,000
2648 FM 1212, Stanton, TX, Mobile home with 2 acres	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #94064	$169,900
West Co. Rd 180...172 acres	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #93938	$602,000
2113 Evans Lane-New Construction		MLS #93429	$348,500
1307 Godfrey	UNDER CONTRACT/OPTIONED	MLS #93599	NEW PRICE $179,900
717 Ruby Dr.		MLS #92856	$79,900
6801 SCR 1210-on 70 acres w/ private gun range, pool & cantina		MLS #91271	NEW PRICE $789,900
9300 S. Co. Rd 1210... house and 60 acres		MLS #93935	NEW PRICE $695,000
Sundridge Ranch Estate-3+ acre lots			$85,000 to $135,000
FM 1212, Stanton, TX...10 acres	UNDER CONTRACT	MLS #94234	$60,000

Barbara Bates
Office Manager for Sandy Hanson

LEGACY REAL ESTATE

687-6500

Homes for Sale

DeLaura Gammage

(432) 288-3880
REALTOR/Agent

Golden Eagle Award 2012
Midland's Favorite Realtor 2011
Realtor of the Year 2009

degammage@aol.com
www.DeLauraGammage.com

6814 W. CO. RD. 50 - $1,250,000
EXQUISITE ESTATE ON 10 ACRES!

2501 MOCKINGBIRD LN - $625,000
PRIME LOCATION FOR THE NEWEST SUBDIVISION!
Tucked away with two great entrances, this could house several lots! Surrounded by lexland circle and mockingbird heights. this location has tons of potential!!! Per recent test, water well produced 69 gpm! Please Call for any further info!

3804 ST. ANDREWS - $525,000
FABULOUS LOCATION! AMAZING BACKYARD!

4437 VERDE GLEN CT. - $425,000
GORGEOUS IN GREEN TREE NORTH!
Formal living w/big windows! Formal dinning! Gourmet kitchen w/breakfast bar, island & granite! Den is open to breakfast nook & offers built-ins, fireplace & high ceilings! Sep master w/gorgeous bath & big closet! Office is 4th bedroom & in use plan! Nice patio & yard! 3 Car garage!

2201 SOUTH COUNTY RD. 1086 - $375,000
WOW! PRISTINE. BEAUTIFUL & MOVE-IN READY!
Gorgeous open plan! Gourmet kitchen w/granite countertops, island & breakfast bar! Living room w/high ceilings & fireplace! Affordable too! Sequestered master suite w/pretty bath! Rooms, bedrooms. Nice closets. Wood flooring. Plantation shutters. Covered patio! Come on in & NOT when!

2012 COUNTRY CLUB - $365,000
AWESOME HOUSE IN OLD MIDLAND!
Formal living/dining rooms! Kitchen is amazing! Open to the cozy den. This is a gourmet kitchen w/all upper end appliances. 5 burner stove, smoke ded bar, wet bar, wine fridge, etc! Fireplace in den and on outside patio. Updated paint, flooring, bathrooms, too! Big pog bedrooms. Nice storage! Den and 1/2 of Master's fenced. Huge yards!

6303 SCR 1185 - $ 350,000
WONDERFUL COUNTRY PROPERTY!

2608 NORTHRUP DR. - $275,000
TONS OF SPACE!

2303 CARAWAY AVE. - $ 270,000
UPDATED & POOL!

7305 CO. RD. 1297 - $235,000
ADORABLE & WELL KEPT ON 1/2 ACRE LOT!

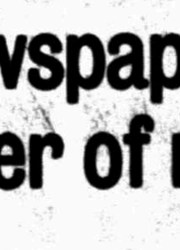
2310 DENGAR - $225,000
BEAUTIFULLY UPDATED!

1101 W. ILLINOIS - $225,000
ZONED COMMERCIAL OR RESIDENTIAL!

5809 JOY DR. - $210,000
DARLING 3 BEDROOM HOME W/MAN-CAVE!

118 EISENHOWER - $150,000
TONS OF SPACE!

3701 NCR 1130 - $150,000
WONDERFUL SPACE!
5 Acres! Perfect for horses!!! 3 Bedroom/2bath home with 3 car garage! Open kitchen concept with large dining space!



Whether you are making the home of your dreams... I look forward to helping you with any of your real estate needs.

LEGACY REAL ESTATE

www.legacyrealestate

687-6500

Photos courtesy of Joss & Main

67%
Coupon-loving adults clip and use newspaper coupons each month.

170 Million
Adults read a newspaper in print or online in the past week.

Newspapers are a major force in the shopping experience of Americans. Just check the factoids. And go online to newspapermedia.com for information on the power of newspaper media, in print and online.

Numbers don't lie.

Newspaper Association of America

MIDLAND 687-6500

ODESSA 550-6200

www.LegacyRealEstate.com

NEW CONSTRUCTION IN MIDLAND

3901 E. GOLF COURSE RD...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94301	SALE PENDING
EE HOMES, INC.		
10204 CO. RD. 104...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #94774	4BD/$391,000
10205 CO. RD. 104...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #94388	4BD/$357,900
1811 PUEBLO ST...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #93388	SALE PENDING
GOMEZ CONSTRUCTION		
925 EDWARDS ST...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #93261	SALE PENDING
JC CHAVEZ CONSTRUCTION		
1105 CHESTNUT AVE...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #93951	SALE PENDING
502 W. ESTES AVE...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #92559	SOLD
ELITE HOMES		
412 CHARISMATIC DR...Stephanie Rogers 978-9757	MLS #93068	5BD/$1,075,000
PERMIAN BASIN COVENANT HOMES		
2519 S. CO. RD. 1089...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #94461	SALE PENDING
2601 S. CO. RD. 1089...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #94463	4BD/$321,600
2100 S. CO. RD. 1087...Clemmie Sorge 618-5019	MLS #93081	SALE PENDING
CAROUSEL CONSTRUCTION		
2113 EVANS LANE...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #93429	3BD/$348,500
DOZIER CUSTOM HOMES		
4316 WOOD DR...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #93618	4BD/$694,900
OLGIN HOMES, INC.		
1603 N. FT. WORTH ST...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #93828	SALE PENDING

FOUR OR MORE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

1300 SOUTH CO. RD. 1130...Tracey Farrow 413-4412	MLS #94884	$2,700,000
3901 FAIRWOOD CT...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94932	$1,350,000
4005 TODD DR...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #92010	$1 295,000
6814 W. CO. RD. 50...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94745	$1,250,000
910 HARVARD AVE...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94460	$995,000
6020 HOMESTEAD BLVD...Peggy Spence 664-3011	MLS #94232	$930,000
6826 ISLAND CIRCLE...Peggy Spence 664-3011	MLS #94072	$725,000
7811 TRENTON DR...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #94017	SALE PENDING
8300 EDINBURGH DR...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #94567	$580,000
1109 TELLURIDE...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #94809	$529,000
5420 BASSWOOD CIRCLE...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94741	SALE PENDING
3804 ST. ANDREWS CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94804	$525,000
1200 TELLURIDE DR...Martha Manulik 557-8744	MLS #94805	SALE PENDING
4628 HILLTOP DR...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94982	$429,000
4437 VERDE GLEN CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94898	$425,000
808 ALMONT PLACE...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #94827	SALE PENDING
4104 BAYBROOK DR...Larry Hatfield 349-4790	MLS #94495	SALE PENDING
3904 ARROYO DR...Debbie Hatfield 349-4790	MLS #94556	SALE PENDING
4604 HILLTOP...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94302	SALE PENDING
1805 HOLLOWAY AVE...Leah Watkins 559-2187	MLS #94727	SOLD
2100 NEELY AVE...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #93948	$389,900
4506 WOODHOLLOW DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94833	SALE PENDING
5400 HEARTLAND CT...Larry Hatfield 684-0369	MLS #94801	SALE PENDING
5808 GRASSLAND BLV...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94580	SALE PENDING
4008 SPRINGFIELD CT...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #94569	SALE PENDING
5600 HEARTLAND...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94321	SALE PENDING
4509 WOODHOLLOW DR...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #93875	$389,900
5724 GRASSLAND BLVD...Peggy Spence 664-3011	MLS #94168	SALE PENDING
3302 MARBLE...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #94800	SALE PENDING
3900 CRESTLINE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94348	SOLD
5202 GREATHOUSE AVE...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #94480	SALE PENDING
1107 CASTLEFORD RD...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94117	$329,900
2104 WHITNEY DR...Leah Watkins 599-2187	MLS #94725	$329,000
3312 STANOLIND CT...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #93801	$324,900
2408 STUTZ PL...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94124	SALE PENDING
6406 BOWMAN...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #94265	SOLD
4805 RICHMOND ST...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94523	SALE PENDING
3300 STANOLIND AVE...Barbara McWilliams 230-2034	MLS #94979	$300,000
6211 SEQUOIA DR...Jennifer Martin 349-2632	MLS #94497	SALE PENDING
4606 ST. ANDREWS CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94254	$285,000
2822 STUTZ DR...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #93975	$280,000
2401 NORTHTOWN COURT...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #94902	$279,500
2608 NORTHRUP DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94322	$275,000
2516 KESWICK RD...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94808	SALE PENDING
3101 LOCKHEED DR...Angie McKay 599-0272	MLS #93999	$269,000
3604 CRESTMONT DR...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #94428	SALE PENDING
2818 GODDARD PLACE...Jane Wolf 684-6040	MLS #94811	SALE PENDING
2302 STANOLIND AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94141	SOLD
2309 GULF AVE...Elisia Flatt 557-7159	MLS #94290	SOLD
2514 STOREY AVE...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94923	$199,900
1907 W. TENNESSEE AVE...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94853	SALE PENDING
4002 CRESTGATE AVE...Peggy Spence 664-3011	MLS #94715	SALE PENDING
3609 IMPERIAL...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94318	SALE PENDING
3505 SEABOARD AVE...Sam McCrary 634-8370	MLS #94003	SALE PENDING
2905 MARANATHA PL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94012	SALE PENDING

THREE BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

3302 BLUEBIRD LANE...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #94206	$1,100,000
12278 W. HIGHWAY 158...Caleb Matott 349-3330	MLS #94739	$1,100,000
5604 FENWAY DR...Betty Hicks 553-8194	MLS #94219	SALE PENDING
2216 BRADFORD CT...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94674	$375,000
2012 COUNTRY CLUB DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94349	$365,000
4805 CRISTA LN...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94571	$359,900
3213 HAYNES AVE...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94579	$339,900
4000 IRVIN DRIVE...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #94812	$339,900
3105 PATRICK...Betty Hicks 553-8194	MLS #94874	SALE PENDING
3208 HAYNES AVE...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94110	SOLD
4908 CRISTA LANE...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94575	SALE PENDING
6211 SEQUOIA...Jennifer Martin 349-2632	MLS #94497	SALE PENDING
4611 TATTENHAM CORNER...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #93908	$299,900
4308 IRVIN DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #93783	SALE PENDING
1201 W. PECAN AVE...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94838	SALE PENDING
5711 SABINE DR...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #94864	SALE PENDING
4505 STILLMEADOW...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #93509	$274,900
2303 CAMARIE AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94701	$270,000
906 DOUGLAS AVE...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #94581	SALE PENDING
2818 MOSS...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #94769	$259,900
5118 ASHDOWN PLACE...Kim Merrill 664-4702	MLS #94819	$259,900
4502 MOCKINGBIRD LANE...Jennifer Martin 349-2632	MLS #93384	SALE PENDING
3402 CRESTMONT DR...Elisia Flatt 557-7159	MLS #94537	SALE PENDING
5916 PEDERNALES...Laura Lyons Sales 618-1818	MLS #94405	SOLD
1410 NAVAJO...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94002	$249,900
4902 FOXBORO CT...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #94705	SALE PENDING
2407 MAXWELL DR...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #94225	SALE PENDING
3001 BLUEBIRD LANE...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #94767	SALE PENDING
5111 BRIGHTON PL...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #93984	SALE PENDING
3400 OAKMONT DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94011	SALE PENDING
3306 OAKMONT DR...Martha Manulik 618-5049	MLS #94402	SALE PENDING
2310 W. DENGAR AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94916	SALE PENDING
4500 BROOKDALE DR...Brook Smith 528-2980	MLS #94868	$225,000
1101 W. ILLINOIS AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94847	$225,000
2213 CULVER DRIVE...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #94816	$220,000
6204 CHICKASAW...Mona Lopez 967-8602	MLS #94466	$210,000
3210 ORIENTAL AVE...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #94974	$208,000
5009 JOY DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94693	SALE PENDING
4208 GLENEAGLES DR...Martha Manulik 618-5049	MLS #94230	SALE PENDING
2500 W. CUTHBERT...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #94341	SALE PENDING
708 LEGENDS BLVD...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94155	SALE PENDING
4723 DENGAR AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94663	SALE PENDING
3312 FANNIN AVE...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #94423	SALE PENDING
4901 SAN ANTONIO...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94474	SALE PENDING
3603 W. WADLEY AVE...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #94288	$199,500
2100 W. WADLEY #34...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94422	$185,000
1104 SPARKS...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #94540	SALE PENDING
1603 MICHIGAN AVE...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #94451	SALE PENDING
1202 PUEBLO ST...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94252	SALE PENDING
3800 PERMIAN COURT...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #94683	SALE PENDING
3219 ELMA DR...Karen Mason 349-3550	MLS #94669	SALE PENDING
5104 ANETTA DR...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94113	SOLD
1909 MCDONALD...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94438	$164,900
5005 BLUE HAVEN DR...Larry Hatfield 432-349-4788	MLS #94897	SALE PENDING
1805 NORTH D AVE...Jane Wolf 684-6040	MLS #94601	SALE PENDING
3216 OHIO AVE...Donna Omar 349-1458	MLS #94377	SALE PENDING
3307 MICHIGAN AVE...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #94033	SOLD
5118 SUNNYSIDE DR...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #94818	SALE PENDING
3314 FANNIN AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94255	SALE PENDING
3903 CEDAR SPRING...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #93877	SALE PENDING
3701 ROOSEVELT AVE...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #94277	SOLD
324 CLOUD...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #93456	SALE PENDING
4600 WILSHIRE...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94672	SALE PENDING
300 WILLOWOOD DR...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94273	SALE PENDING
110 W. SPRUCE AVE...Maria Mallory 352-4021	MLS #94983	SALE PENDING
803 SPRUCE AVE...Melissa Williams 349-2812	MLS #91025	SALE PENDING
4513 ERIE DR...Larry Hatfield 349-4788	MLS #94539	SALE PENDING
2908 DELANO AVE...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #94747	SALE PENDING
4424 ROOSEVELT DR...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94882	SALE PENDING
905 CANYON DR...Stephanie Rogers 978-9757	MLS #94751	$120,900
4701 A HARVARD AVE...Wendy Waddell 638-9955	MLS #94512	SALE PENDING
3305 W. LOUISIANA AVE...Jane Wolf 352-4808	MLS #93978	SALE PENDING
2104 HOLLOWAY AVE...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #93226	SALE PENDING
4823 STOREY AVE...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #94784	SALE PENDING
410 N. FORT WORTH...Gloria Valdez Farmer 563-2732	MLS #91785	SALE PENDING
304 E. ESTES AVE...Josie Alvarez 618-5013	MLS #94488	$97,000
1813 E. OAK...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #94686	SALE PENDING
1014 LORAINE...Jennifer Martin 349-2632	MLS #92714	SALE PENDING
4408 STOREY AVE...Cheryl Parrish 352-3053	MLS #94778	SOLD
3808 ROOSEVELT DR...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #92261	SALE PENDING
3239 DREXEL, BIG SPRING...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #91794	SALE PENDING

ONE/TWO BEDROOMS IN MIDLAND

4900 & 4902 ANDREWS HWY...Ruth Young 352-0996	MLS #94450/94453	$425,000
2100 W. WADLEY #68...Kay Bivens 934-5995	MLS #94465	$242,000
1700 HOLLOWAY AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94664	SALE PENDING
1410 LANHAM ST...Brian Sales 618-1813	MLS #94387	SALE PENDING
1307 GODFREY ST...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #93599	SALE PENDING
610 ESTES AVE...Elisia Flatt 557-7159	MLS #94504	SALE PENDING
4402 WILSHIRE...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #94777	SALE PENDING
801 N. D STREET...Laura Sales 618-1818	MLS #94836	$149,900
4707 KIOWA DR...Josie Alvarez 296-1385	MLS #94806	SALE PENDING
417 E. PINE AVE...Josie Rendon 889-8394	MLS #94776	$92,900
717 RUBY DR...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #92856	$79,900
1603 W. WASHINGTON AVE...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94729	$79,000
3208A W. KANSAS AVE...Leah Watkins 599-2187	mLS #94903	$57,000

HOMES IN MIDLAND COUNTY

1300 SOUTH CO. RD. 1130...Tracey Farrow 4134412	MLS #94884	5BD/$2,700,000
6814 W. CO. RD. 50...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94745	4BD/$1,250,000
12278 W. HIGHWAY 158...Caleb Matott 349-3330	MLS #94739	3BD/$1,100,000
6801 S. CO. RD. 1210...Sandy Hanson 638-3819	MLS #91271	4BD/$789,900
10310 CO. RD. 1210...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94176	4BD/$745,000
9300 S. CO. RD. 1210...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #93935	4BD/$695,000
2201 S. CO. RD. 1086...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94520	4BD/$375,000
6303 S. CO. RD. 1185...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94951	3BD/$350,000
10507 E. CO. RD. 105, GREENWOOD...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #93524	4BD/$349,000
3514 W. CO. RD. 145...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #93883	$299,000
2908 S. CO. RD. 1082...Michelle Lesikar 230-3633	MLS #94978	4BD/$289,900
1200 W. CO. RD. 150...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #91908	SALE PENDING
7305 N. CO. RD. 1297...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94789	3BD/$235,000
2700 CO. RD. 1050, GREENWOOD...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #93471	3BD/$220,000
3101 S. CO. RD. 1218...Mona Lopez 967-8602	MLS #93322	5BD/$220,000
14905 E. CO. RD. 104...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94961	3BD/$165,000
2648 FM 1212...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94064	SALE PENDING
12009 W. CO. RD. 129...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #94417	SALE PENDING
10301 S. CO. RD. 1138...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #93740	3BD/$159,900
11413 W. CO. RD. 39...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94834	SALE PENDING
2811 W. CO. RD. 116...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #93898	SALE PENDING
2906 S. CO. RD. 1220...Mona Lopez 967-8602	MLS #94391	SALE PENDING
3212 S. CO. RD. 1206...Maria Mallory 352-4021	MLS #93950	3BD/$120,000
6006 CO. RD. 85...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94760	3BD/$99,500
SUNRIDGE RANCH ESTATES...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819		3+ Acre Lots/Lots $95,000/EA.
5109 S. CO. RD. 1184...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #91960	2BD/$65,000

HOMES OUTSIDE OF MIDLAND COUNTY

10 WOODHAVEN DR., ODESSA...Donna Omar 349-1458	MLS #94737	5BD/$497,500
1651 DOVE DRIVE, ODESSA...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #91825	SALE PENDING
11802 W. CO. RD. 58, GARDENDALE...Deborah Boler 934-3881	MLS #89203	4BD/$457,900
345 CO. RD. 302 E., SEMINOLE...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94506	4BD/$450,000
9025 W. 60TH ST., ODESSA...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #93840	4BD/$344,900
3920 HADDEN DR., ODESSA...Maria Mallory 352-4021	MLS #94080	4BD/$325,000
6058 NECTARINE ST., ODESSA...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #94057	SALE PENDING
14281 LARIAT TRAIL, GARDENDALE...Susan Palmer 978-7816	MLS #93598	SALE PENDING
1101 ESSEX, ODESSA...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #88818	SALE PENDING
503 W. 3RD ST., STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94551	4BD/$240,000
2369 CO. RD. 2651, STANTON...Lavonne Johnson 770-3883	MLS #91080	3BD/$225,000
2875 SE CO. RD. 5501, ANDREWS...Cynthia Blocker 266-1448	MLS #89268	3BD/$210,000
3908 RICHARDSON DR., ODESSA...Darla Davis 260-8077	MLS #94667	SALE PENDING
302 9TH ST., IRAAN...Pam Messer 349-3075	MLS #92308	5BD/$179,000
41 FLAMINGO CIR., ODESSA...Caleb Matott 349-3330	MLS #93906	SALE PENDING
2648 E. FM 1212, STANTON...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94064	SALE PENDING
207 DAVIS RD, BIG SPRING...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #92879	3BD/$169,500
404 SANTA ROSA AVE., ODESSA...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94765	2BD/$160,000
109 GRAY ST., STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94344	4BD/$139,500
601 ST. FRANCIS, STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94142	SALE PENDING
906 10TH ST., ANDREWS...Cynthia Blocker 266-1448	MLS #93175	3BD/$139,500
1413 N. KELLY AVE., ODESSA...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #93665	2BD/$125,000
711 ST. FRANCIS, STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #93473	$125,000
4307 MCKNIGHT DR-Odessa...Darla Davis 260-8077	MLS #94815	3BD/$123,000
2715 CATALINA, ODESSA...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94822	3BD/$109,000
1103 S. VIRGINIA, CRANE...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #88682	3BD/$105,000
507 5TH ST., STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #93526	3BD/$105,000
3804 BOWIE AVE., ODESSA...Maria Mallory 352-4021	MLS #85736	SALE PENDING
1010 SW AVENUE G., ANDREWS...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #94431	SALE PENDING
409 DOUGLAS DR., ODESSA...Brian Sales 618-1818	MLS #89126	SALE PENDING
105 E. 21ST., CRANE...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #85747	SALE PENDING
1907 JOHNSON AVE., BIG SPRING...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #88348	SALE PENDING
1712 HACKBERRY ST., PECOS...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #88971	3BD/$97,800
2705 BAGLEY, ODESSA...Lydia Scudder 853-2200	MLS #86570	3BD/$80,000
3239 DREXEL, BIG SPRING...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #91794	SALE PENDING
807 MAIN ST., LAMESA...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #90679	SALE PENDING
1407 NW AVE. B., ANDREWS...Cynthia Blocker 266-1448	MLS #89176	2BD/$38,000

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL

2800 ILLINOIS AVE...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #93478	SALE PENDING
2501 S. CO. RD. 1180...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #90763 & 90762	138.7 Acres/$2,774,000
600 N. WEATHERFORD ST...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #93661	$1,500,000
I-20...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94526	22.87 Acres/$1,143,500
2806 N. CO. RD. 1148...Gina Reyes 553-6381	MLS #94559	$920,000
8200 W. CO. RD. 116...Caleb Matott 349-3330		6.7 Acres/$880,000
720 MULBERRY, ODESSA...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #93219	2 Acres/$699,000
909 GOODE...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94823	$599,900
2112 E. I-20 SERVICE RD...Clemmie Sorge 618-5019	MLS #92155	7.04 Acres/$550,000
4506 E. HWY. 158, GARDENDALE...Deborah Boler 934-3881	MLS #91610	$375,000
N. CO. RD. 1150...Caleb Matott 349-3300	MLS #94714	SALE PENDING
4610 S. HIGHWAY 349...Caleb Matott 349-3330	MLS #92898	4.2 Acres/$300,000
1101 W. ILLINOIS AVE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94848	$225,000
1800 N. CO. RD. W., ODESSA, TX...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #83958	$180,000
1105 N. MIDKIFF RD...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94456	$180,000
12009 W. CO. RD. 129...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #94501	SALE PENDING
310 ST. PETER, STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #89966	$110,000
608 E. BROADWAY, ANDREWS...Cynthia Blocker 266-1448	MLS#79313	$100,000
1103 N. MIDKIFF RD...Ruth Young 682-7884	MLS #94455	$90,000

LANDS AND LOTS

2501 S. CO. RD. 1180...Clemmie Sorge 553-9136	MLS #90763 & 90762	138.7 Acres/$2,774,000
E. CO. RD. 130...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #90439	80 Acres/$1,400,000
CO. RD. 60...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #88932	$950,000
CO. RD. 3100, STANTON...Michelle Kidd 894-1253	MLS #94070	185 Acres/$925,000
2005 S. CO. RD. 1110...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #91487	SALE PENDING
FM 1788...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #90083	$801,600
720 MULBERRY, ODESSA...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #93219	2 Acres/$699,000
2501 MOCKINGBIRD LANE...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #93576	8.971 Acres/$625,000
W. CO. RD. 180...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #93938	172 Acres/$602,000
2112 I-20 SERVICE RD...Clemmie Sorge 618-5019	MLS #92155	$550,000
SINCLAIR...Ruth Young 682-7884		5 Acres/$425,000
S. CO. RD. 1135...Caleb Matott 349-3330	MLS #94205	14 Acres/$350,000
S. FM 715...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94977	$337,200
CO. RD. 1130...Clemmie Sorge 618-5019	MLS #89518	29.1 Acres/$305,500
HIGHWAY 191...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #87988	$250,000
4300 W. I-20...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94338	SALE PENDING
W. CO. RD. 140...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94306	30 Acres/$210,000
807 N. FAIRGROUNDS RD...Virginia Elizondo 349-7782	MLS #94740	1.75 Acres/$200,000
CO. RD. 1150...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #92189	10 Acres/$195,000
3605 W. CO. RD. 145...Josie Alvarez 296-1395	MLS #94202	15 Acres/$187,500
4300 I-20...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #94788	SALE PENDING
SUNRIDGE RANCH ESTATES...Sandy Hanson 638-3819		3+ Acre Lots/$85,000-$135,000
W. CO. RD. 180...DeLaura Gammage 288-3880	MLS #94746	SALE PENDING
S. CO. RD. 1213...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #94418	SALE PENDING
13500 E. CO. RD. 110...Ashley St. John 352-6254	MLS #92978	SALE PENDING
S. FM 1788...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #82050	2 Acres/$70,000
FM 1212, STANTON...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819	MLS #94234	SALE PENDING
13216 E. CO. RD. 110E...Brooks Smith 528-2980	MLS #93114	$60,000
FREELAND ADDITION...Sandy J. Hanson 638-3819		1+ Acre Lots/$25,000/PER ACRE
CO. RD. 110...Mark Philliber 222-5071	MLS #93331	1 Acre Lots/$24,000
S. TYLER...Danny Norwood 618-5012	MLS #92810	SALE PENDING

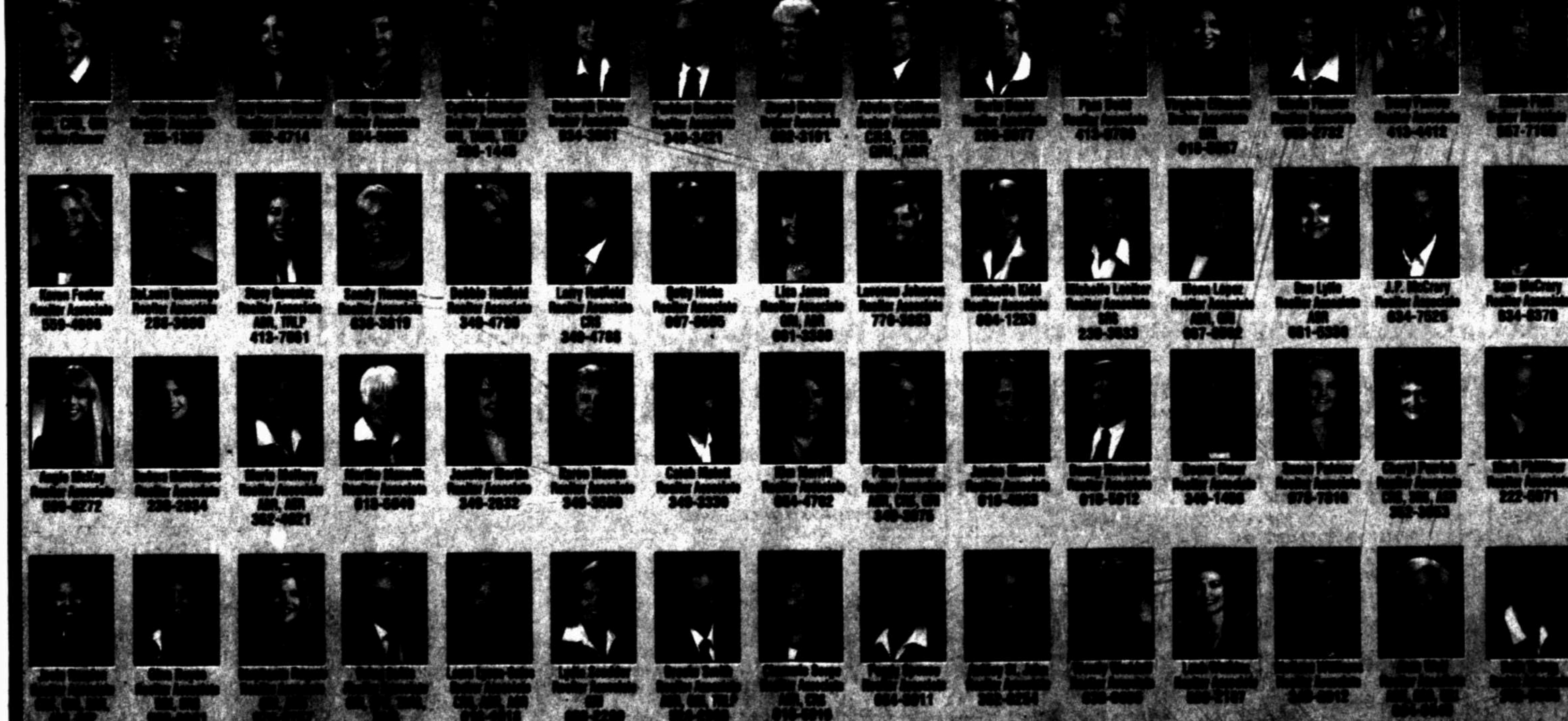
FARMS AND RANCHES

S. CO. RD. 1050...Caleb Matott 349-3330	96.85 Acres/$10,000 Per Acre
ANDREWS/ECTOR COUNTY...Caleb Matott 349-3330...Lucrative water business opportunity	16,511.9 Acres/$1,000/Acre
JEFF DAVIS COUNTY...Caleb Matott 349-3330...Big Cat Ranch/Finest Ranch in Texas	10,230 Acres/$590/Acre
JEFF DAVIS COUNTY...Caleb Matott 349-3330...Madera Canyon Ranch/The Best of Texas	9,451 Acres/$875/Acre
HOWARD COUNTY...Caleb Matott 349-3330...Best Game Ranch in West Texas!	SALE PENDING
REAGAN/UPTON COUNTY...Caleb Matott 349-3330	640 Acres/$850,000

If you are interested in any of the ranches, please call Caleb L. Matott (432) 349-3330 or please visit www.farmandranchoftexas.com

FOR LEASE

201 NORTH I STREET...Lisa Jansa 661-3389	MLS #94346	$3,000/MONTH
4000 BROOKDALE...Karen Foster 559-4086	MLS #94891	$2,500/MONTH



"Voted Midland's Favorite Real Estate Agency!" Midland Reporter-Telegram...

4400 N. Big Spring, Suite #101, Midland, Texas 79705

www.facebook.com/yourlegacyrealestate or twitter @LegacyRealEst8

WEST TEXAS *Living*

Midland Reporter-Telegram | mywesttexas.com | Sunday, June 23, 2013 | Section E

80 years of drive-ins: Big Sky fills niche

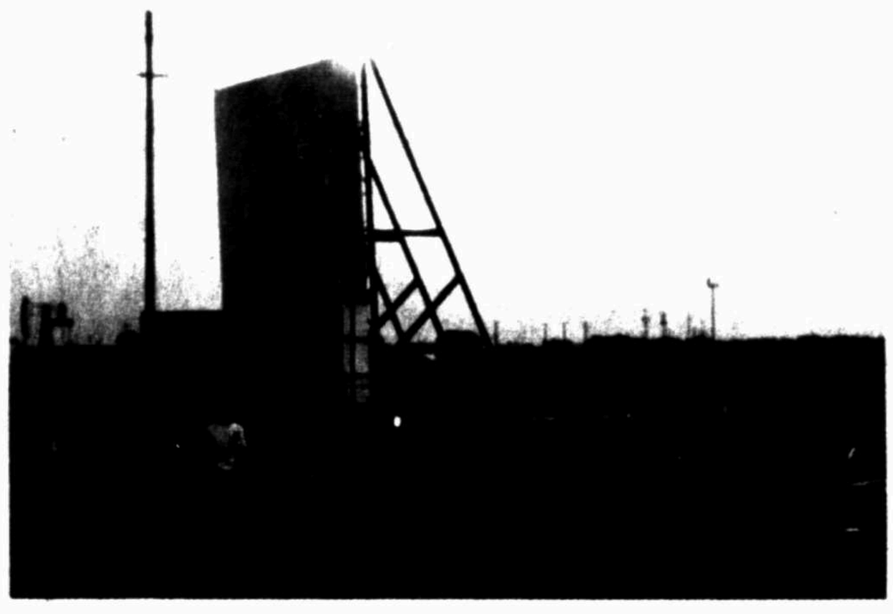
■ There are plans for a fourth screen at the local drive-in theater in the future

By William Malm
Reporter-Telegram

Big Sky continues the long tradition of drive-ins offering movies with an experience, and even with more traditional movie screens going up around Midland, don't expect a drive-in slowdown anytime soon.

It's been 80 years since cinemagoers were given a new opportunity to watch movies when the first drive-in theater was opened in Camden, N.J in 1933. At one point, there were 4,000 drive-ins in the United States. That number, according to Drive-ins.com, has now dropped to around 400.

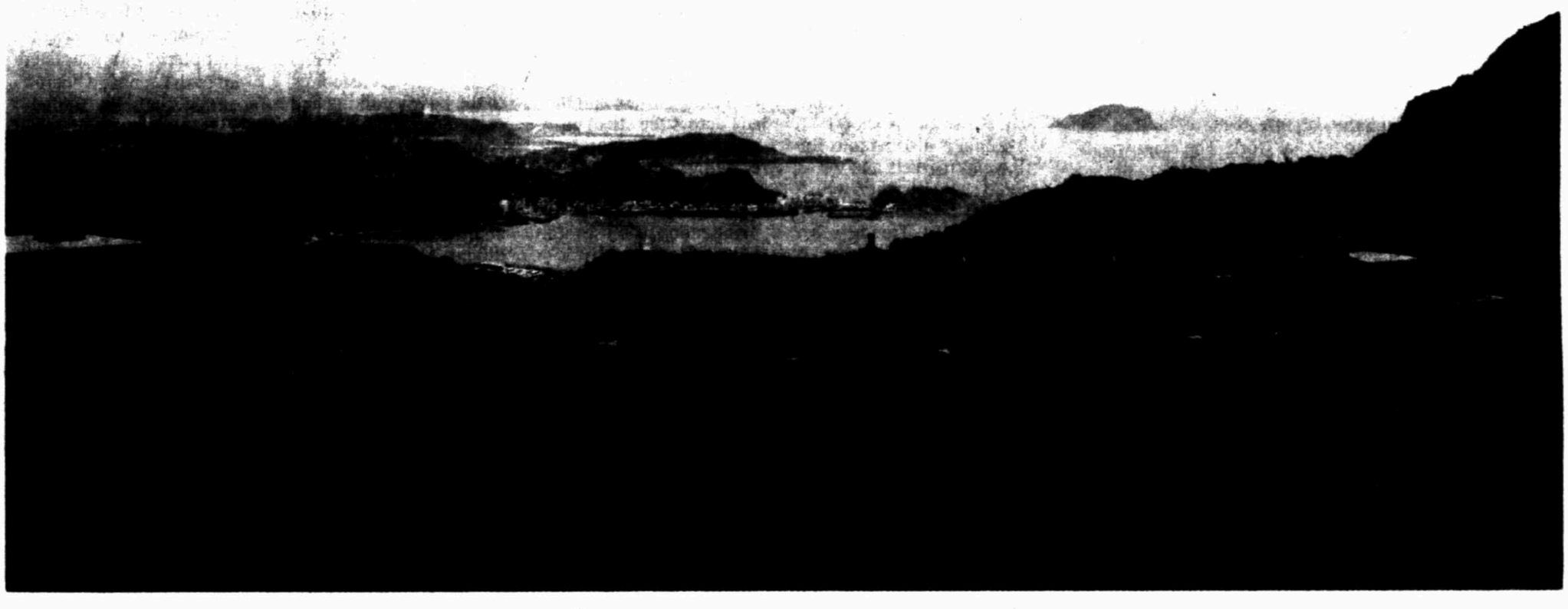
Please see **DRIVE-IN**/3E



Movie patrons enjoy the Big Sky Drive-in on Saturday.

James Durbin Reporter-Telegram

LIFE IN TAIPEI



LEFT
Katie Huff and the "pancake man."

ABOVE
View of Jiufen.

FAR LEFT
Traffic in Taipei.

Midlanders find friendly people, beautiful scenery in Taiwan

Taipei, Taiwan has an adventure on every corner. My family recently visited Taipei to see our daughter, Katie, who is living there.

Working for ORTV (Overseas Radio and Television), www.ortv.com, she is one of the teachers on the television program "Let's Talk in English." The company produces two TV shows: "Let's Talk in English" and "Studio Classroom." In addition to the shows, there are three accompanying magazines: "Let's Talk in English," "Studio Classroom" and "Advanced." Katie is also the managing editor of the "Advanced" magazine. Both the magazines and TV shows are broadcast and distributed throughout mainland China, Taiwan and various other places in Asia and North America.

Doris Brougham founded ORTV

Please see **TAIWAN**/2E

ABOVE LEFT
Skyline of Taipei, Taiwan with the third tallest building in the world.

LEFT
View of Wulai.

ABOVE
View from the subway.

STORY AND PHOTOS BY JOAN HUFF

TAIWAN

From 1E

more than 50 years ago. From her start as a missionary, she guided the company into what it is today — a nonprofit Christian organization sharing the Gospel with Chinese speakers by using media, music and education. We were able to enjoy lunch with Brougham and were mesmerized by her stories of adventure and how she escaped China as a 20-something during her early missionary days.

Life in Taipei

Sitting in the airplane, it soon became apparent how far away Taiwan is. We journeyed about 18 hours over three flights, the longest being 13 hours. Passing through security in foreign countries is a little different from the United States. Security officers abroad were overly apologetic about any questions they might have. Smiling faces and cheerful greetings were sent our way at each checkpoint, and once we landed in Taipei we were hurried out the door to find Katie in the swarm of people.

She had arranged a driver to take us to our hotel so we could sleep and be ready to explore Taipei the next morning. As we woke and looked out our window, we realized we had a view of Taipei 101, the third-tallest building in the world. Inside are upscale shops, dining and entertainment.

I expected a city of more than 2.5 million people to have traffic jams and congestion; however, transportation in Taipei is mainly done by the MRT (Mass Rapid Transit), cars, buses, taxis, walking or the popular scooter. Standing on any corner in the city, it was amazing to watch the scooters as they lined up in front of the cars at a red light. As soon as the lights turned green, it seemed like a race as the scooters moved across the street. Amazingly, we never saw a wreck or dented cars.

The first morning was exciting as we rode the subway and then walked through the streets on our way to a restaurant called The Diner, where we had a delicious breakfast of eggs, bacon and pancakes. Yes, it is very possible to eat American food in Taiwan with KFC, Chili's, Pizza Hut, Subway, barbecue and several other popular chain restaurants.

Entrepreneurship is alive and well in Taipei with shops and small restaurants lining the streets. Katie told us that eating out is the least expensive way to enjoy a meal because western food in the grocery stores can be pricey. You can eat most meals for less than $5 if you take advantage of the smaller establishments. When you wait outside some of the busier restaurants, servers give you a paper menu for you to mark you choice. Your food arrives quickly after you are seated at a table because it already has been ordered. Bakeries, snacks, food served on a stick, larger meals and carts of beautiful fresh fruit are available to taste and enjoy.

Some of the streets are old and dated with very narrow thoroughfares similar to our alleys; but modern skyscrapers are around the corner. The streets of Taipei are void of trash and I only saw graffiti once. The people are friendly and several stopped to say "Welcome to Taiwan!" as we passed. They dress stylishly and it was rare to see jeans and T-shirts. In the larger stores, the sales associates wore dresses and sometimes little hats.

Fun experiences

Because I enjoy food, I had arranged to go to a private cooking class with our other daughter, Elizabeth, while Katie was at work. The class was held in a home on the side of a mountain. Gorgeous views were out the window and we worked dough like professional bakers making dumplings, green onion pancakes (tsong you bing) and black sugar and sesame pancakes (zi ma tian bing). It was eye opening to see the labor that goes into making these dishes.

My husband, Chris, spent an afternoon at the National Palace Museum, an art museum that has one of the largest collections of Chinese artifacts (more than half a million pieces) dating back over 8,000 years of Chinese history.

One of our favorite things we all did was to go to Katie's office and watch her film her television show. We were able to meet her co-workers and learn about the company and see exactly what her job entailed. It was a reality check when we turned on our TV in the hotel and saw Katie on the show.

Taipei is also famous for its night markets and we could see why when we went to the Raohe Street night market. Trendy clothing, shoes, watches and almost anything you can imagine was available. Everything had a price, but it was all negotiable. In the nearly two years Katie has lived in Taipei, she has made friends with many of the local vendors. We were glad to meet the "pancake man" who owns a food cart and sells delicious green onion pancakes (thicker than a tortilla) filled with eggs and cheese. We also enjoyed a Taiwanese special: mango shaved ice, which is a platter of shaved ice with sweetened condensed milk and fresh fruit on top.

Night market in Taipei

Back at our hotel, I enjoyed opening our window and watching people on the street below. The newspaper was delivered by scooter, eggs were dropped off at various locations from an egg truck and the lady across the street patiently stacked papers for recycling.

Out of the city

Katie took us on several side trips — all easily accessible by subway or bus, especially because Katie knew the way. The first one was to Wulai, a famous mountain village where the residents are mostly aboriginal people. There is also a beautiful waterfall that is a tourist destination, but because it was rainy, we stayed on the main road tasting the local fare, visiting with shop owners and enjoying the scenery. Coming from a drought area, we were happy to discover an umbrella is absolutely necessary.

We took another short trip to the mountain village of Jiufen. This town faces the Pacific Ocean. The winding streets on the hillside in this quaint town provided charm and a new experience everywhere you looked. I loved listening to the people talking and was impressed with Katie's ability to communicate with them as she has been learning Chinese. Our attempts at "ni-hao" (hello) and "xie xie" (thank you) did not get us too far, but the Taiwanese seemed to appreciate our efforts.

The last trip to Danshui was on the ocean and had a park where people were relaxing, riding bikes and fishing. It also has a large boardwalk type area where people could play games. We enjoyed sitting on the balcony of a restaurant as we listened to live music from below and looked out to the ocean.

Final thoughts

Before I left for Taipei, I posted a saying on our refrigerator. It read, "Be ready to encounter change when you travel. If all you want is a copy of home, why travel in the first place?" Taiwan lived up to the "change" part of that sentiment and in a very positive way. Now I understand why Katie loves living in Taiwan. The friendliness of the people, opportunities for travel to beautiful locations and ease of transportation make it a great destination for work and play.

Crowds pouring in to NYC's Coney, Rockaway beaches post-Sandy

By Beth Harpaz
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Two of New York's best-known waterfront neighborhoods took a beating last fall from Superstorm Sandy: Coney Island in Brooklyn and the Rockaways in Queens. But crowds are back on both beaches and enjoying local attractions, from rides and hot dogs at Coney Island, to surfing and a funky taco stand in the Rockaways.

"They took a punch in the stomach, there's no question, but they're back strong," said Robert K. Steel, the city's deputy mayor for economic development. The city spent $270 million to reopen its beaches, Steel said, noting that they're "an important part of the New York experience" for locals and out-of-towners alike.

The city has eight public beaches along 14 miles of coastline, but Coney Island and the Rockaways, while very different, are two of the best-known, especially among tourists.

"At Coney, you've got the amusement park, the boardwalk, the historic attractions," said Steel, adding that "it's an organized experience" that leaves you "buzzing." In contrast, Rockaway is a great place to chill out, with a mix of beachgoers, surfers, longtime residents and trendy 20-somethings creating a laid-back scene that's been dubbed the "hipster Hamptons."

Here are some things to see and do at both beaches.

Coney Island

Coney Island has been undergoing a comeback for several years, and that redevelopment continues despite severe flooding last fall. The boardwalk looks spiffier than ever, with bright signage and several new venues, including the candy store It'Sugar, 1232 Surf Ave., and Nets by Adidas, 3015 Stillwell Ave., which sells T-shirts, hats and other Nets basketball team gear.

Also new this season: a carousel, though technically it's an old-timer. The antique merry-go-round closed a few years ago but was bought by the city, restored, and just reopened near the Parachute Jump and MCU Park, the stadium used by Brooklyn's minor league baseball team, the Cyclones.

The Cyclones team is named for Coney Island's famous Cyclone wooden roller coaster, built in 1927. Another landmark among Coney Island's dozens of rides is the Wonder Wheel, which opened in 1920. The Cyclone's shake, rattle and roll experience is not for the faint of heart, and even the Wonder Wheel offers a thrilling twist to the usual Ferris wheel: Some cars slide back and forth as you get your bird's-eye view. (Ask for a stationary car if that sounds scary.)

Near the underground entrance to the Wonder Wheel is a mechanical fortune-teller called Grandmother's Predictions. The booth has been there since 1923 but had to be sent off for restoration after Sandy. Grandma looks better than ever after her makeover, and offers cards predicting your fate for just 50 cents.

Unlike Disney or Six Flags amusement parks, there's no up-front admission at Coney Island. You can walk around for free, take photos, people-watch, and buy tickets for individual rides (Wonder Wheel, $7; Cyclone, $9, carousel, $3). Or buy cards or wristbands good for a number of rides; just remember that there are several different, independently run parks, so a card for Luna Park won't cover the Wonder Wheel, and vice-versa.

Eateries range from hot dogs, fries and seafood at Nathan's Famous, corner of Surf and Stillwell avenues, to a brand-new Mexican-style cantina, Place to Beach, 3070 Stillwell Ave., to Tom's Coney Island, 1229 Boardwalk West, which opened last year. For sublime pizza, walk a few blocks to Totonno, 1524 Neptune Ave., a legendary hole-in-the-wall that lives up to the hype. You can't buy pizza by the slice at Totonno, but one person can make a serious dent in a small pie.

The New York Aquarium, at West Eighth Street on the boardwalk, was closed for seven months due to storm damage. It's reopened about half of its exhibits, including sea lions, penguins, walruses and seals, with admission reduced from $14.95 to $9.95. On Fridays, 3 to 6 p.m., admission is by donation.

Events at Coney Island include the Mermaid Parade fireworks at 9:30 p.m. Fridays through the summer, and a movie series, Flicks on the Beach, kicking off July 1. More information is at http://www.coneyislandfunguide.com or NYC & Company's "Neighborhood X Neighborhood" guide for Coney Island at http://www.nycgo.com/neighborhoods.

Nancy Koziol, who lives in Ann Arbor, Mich., visits Coney Island every summer, most recently bringing along a visitor from Holland. "She was blown away that you can take the subway there, and she was in love with the idea that this kind of community has held its own," said Koziol. "You can lie on the beach, go ride a roller coaster." She added: "It's not Disney" — but that's part of its charm.

By subway, Coney Island is at least an hour from Manhattan. Take the D, F, N or Q downtown to the last stop in Brooklyn, Stillwell Avenue.

Rockaway

The Rockaway section of Queens was hard-hit by the storm. There were more than a half-dozen deaths; electricity and train service were disrupted for months; homes, businesses and 2.5 miles of the wooden boardwalk were destroyed.

But the area is coming back. On a recent sunny Saturday, the newly restored shuttle train to the beach was standing-room only. At Rockaway Taco, 95-19 Rockaway Beach Blvd., hipsters in cargo shorts and brimmed hats waited patiently in line for over an hour for fish tacos. And the beach was packed with sunbathers, even where swimming is off limits because of erosion that's left only a narrow strip of sand.

Several shops cater to Rockaway's famous surfing scene. At Boarders, 192 Beach 92nd St., which sells and rents surfboards ($35 for four hours, $50 for the day), the guest book has been signed by customers from as far away as Kazakhstan, Australia, Ecuador, Japan, Holland and South Africa. Storm damage forced Boarders' owner Steve Stathis to "gut the place" and discard more than $30,000 worth of inventory, but, he says, "we're back now." Stathis says the most popular spot for surfers is off Beach 90th Street, and it gets crowded.

Mary Altaffer/AP

The B & B Carousel is seen on Coney Island's boardwalk next to the Parachute Jump, Wednesday in New York. Eight months after Superstorm Sandy hit New York City, Coney Island's rides, eateries and beach are getting plenty of visitors, and there are even a few new attractions like a carousel and a store for fans of the Nets basketball team.

"I won't rent boards until 10 a.m. so it gives the locals four or five hours of surfing for themselves," he said.

Rockaway is located on a peninsula with the bay and the ocean sides several blocks apart. On the bay, Rockaway Jet Ski, 375 Beach 92nd St., rents jet skis ($85 a half-hour on weekends, $75 weekdays) and offers guided jet ski tours, including a four-hour trip from the Rockaways all the way around Manhattan island ($600, though sometimes there are deals online). If the buzz and speed of jet skis aren't your style, owner Robert Kaskel also rents kayaks ($25 an hour weekends, $20 weekdays).

The nearby marshlands are sure to please nature-lovers, he says: "Guaranteed you'll see a lot of beautiful things. We have nesting grounds for all kinds of birds and turtles."

Kaskel also owns a bar and restaurant with live music, Thai Rock. The venue suffered $1.5 million in storm damage, but Kaskel reopened with a smaller menu, and recommends red snapper in banana leaf among the homemade specialties (his wife is Thai).

Other places to check out include Blue Bungalow, a beach-themed home and gift shop, 165 Beach 116th St.; the Irish Circle restaurant, a local favorite since 1940 at 101-19 Rockaway Beach Blvd.; Sayra's, a new wine-and-tapas bar, 91-11 Rockaway Beach Blvd.; and the soon-to-open Playland complex with a boutique motel, bars, restaurants, and shopping, named for a long-defunct seaside amusement park, 97-20 Rockaway Beach Blvd.

Restoring the beach and boardwalk is a long-term project. Construction equipment abounds and red flags mark areas where swimming is not yet allowed. Areas open to swimmers are subject to change but as of mid-June included Beach 75th to 86th streets and 108th to 146th streets. (Rockaway is notorious for riptides, so don't swim without a lifeguard present.) Concrete boardwalk islands provide beach access at Beach 86th, 97th, 106th and 115th-117th streets. More information is at http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/rockawaybeach.

From Manhattan, allow 90 minutes by subway. Take the A train to Broad Channel and transfer to the S shuttle with stops between 90th and 116th streets. (The A train to Far Rockaway serves the other end of the peninsula.) For cars, a municipal parking lot is located at Beach 116th Street. Other options include a $2 ferry from Manhattan — http://www.seastreakusa.com/default.aspx — and Rockabus, a bus from Brooklyn and Manhattan's Lower East Side, http://www.rockabus.com ($15 round-trip).

James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

Movie patrons enjoy the Big Sky Drive-in on Saturday.

DRIVE-IN

From 1E

Between cable television, websites like Netflix and Amazon and indoor theaters, drive-in theaters are facing increasing competition that has caused the decline.

Still, some theaters are going strong as can be seen with Big Sky, which is located on Business 20 in Midland. One reason for its success is its location that allows for showing movies throughout the entire year instead of closing during the winter months. Another reason for Big Sky's success is Midland's growing economy that allows people to have spending money to go to the movies on a regular basis.

That is not to say Big Sky is without challenges. Midland already has an indoor theater — Regal Tall City Stadium 14 — and another owned by Cinergy Cinema opening soon.

To compete, Big Sky offers attractions its operators believe sets it apart, including low prices for both tickets and food, as well as a wider variety of choices at its concession stand. For the price of one ticket, moviegoers can watch two movies that usually include different genres. Also, the drive-in has a playground located next to the concessions where children can play during intermission.

Big Sky also offers the social aspect of drive-ins that isn't the same with indoor theaters. Friends and family can gather and be as loud and mobile as they want without having to worry about interrupting anyone else's experience. Alex Garcia, of Midland, frequents Big Sky for that exact reason. "Being able to laugh out loud and talk with my friends and family is a great part of coming here instead of the theater here in Midland or those in Odessa," he said. "Having that privacy as well as not being stuck in a chair for hours on end are what bring me back here."

Big Sky is also designed so that coming in big groups is an option with vehicles as large as buses being allowed in, as long as they are parked in a way that doesn't obstruct anyone's view. And while cooking or grilling on the lot is not allowed, food can be brought in, allowing moviegoers to save money.

Lamont Furlow, the general manager of Big Sky, who has worked with movie theaters and media for most of his life, explained how drive-ins do business.

"We don't sell (the) movie. For example, 'Man of Steel' sells itself. What we sell is the experience you get going to the drive-ins as opposed to an indoor theater," he said. "One reason we have done so well is that unique experience. Baby-boomers like myself who grew up with drive-ins bring their children and grandchildren here and make it part of their lives as well."

Big Sky Drive-In

Where: 6200 W. Highway 80

Hours: Box office opens at 7 p.m. daily

Tickets: Tickets are $7 for ages 12 and up, $6 for ages 6 to 11 and free for children age 5 and younger.

Double feature: Each showing is a double feature. One ticket is good for both movies.

Food: Big Sky Drive-in offers a full-service grill and concession stand with burgers, chicken wings, sandwiches, pizza and more in addition to standard movie theater fare. Moviegoers are allowed to bring in outside food but cooking or grilling on the property is prohibited.

Sound: Big Sky broadcasts through its own FM radio frequencies. Tune into 95.3 FM for Screen One and 97.3 FM for Screen Two.

For people who are considering going to the drive-in for the first time, here are some tips to improve your experience.

1. There are three different screens and they all show different films. Make sure you head into the correct parking lot before the movie starts.

2. Leaving your house 20 minutes before the movie starts is not a good idea as the line for getting into Big Sky can sometimes be stretched all the way back to Business 20.

3. The sound is played through your car's speakers on a specific frequency given to you with your ticket. Handheld radios and other devices that can pick up FM work just as well in case you want to sit out on the bed of your truck or on chairs.

There is a FAQ on Big Sky's website that answers many common questions.

Now Showing: Monsters University, World War Z, Now You See Me, The Purge, Man of Steel, This Is the End

Source: www.bigskytheatre.com

FAMILY MATTERS

Jim May, Ph.D., is director of the Family Wellness Center

Do research, consider psychological evaluation before bariatric surgery

DEAR FAMILY: Your letter from "Worried Mom" who was concerned about her daughter's weight started me really thinking about my weight problem again. When the nurse used the term "morbidly obese" at my doctor's office, I was shocked and truly offended. I changed doctors. I knew that my weight was the problem, but hearing her say it was more than I could bear. Later I did look it up on the Internet and she was right, even though I never would use that term to describe me.

I have a wonderful husband and was lucky enough to have a child before the doctor warned me about all the health risks to getting pregnant at my weight. I mourned that but we so rarely had sex I knew that the chances were pretty small anyway. I have hidden my body from my husband (and everyone else) for years. I am a college educated woman with a successful business; I just can't lose weight. I'm sick and tired of this. I was always a little overweight but now, ugh!

I've tried every diet out there and nothing works; I lose some weight but then I gain it back plus more. I am considering gastric bypass surgery but my husband doesn't think it's a good idea. But I'm already borderline diabetic and I must do something. Is it psychologically damaging to try this? — SICK OF SO MUCH OF ME

DEAR SICK: As a general statement, while there are no established rules or guidelines for psychological evaluation before bariatric surgery, many medical facilities do require them before surgery. While most people are not all that interested in ever doing a psychological evaluation (it does sound intimidating) before a surgery, the information discussed is: "... critical not only for assessing their appropriateness for surgery but also for enhancing their success during the post-surgery adjustment." In my experience most people do find such evaluation to actually be helpful to them in a variety of ways.

According to Oshsner Medical Center, the core parts of their clinical interview are:

1. reasons for seeking surgery,
2. weight and diet history,
3. current eating behaviors,
4. understanding of the surgery and its associated lifestyle changes,
5. social supports and history, and
6. psychiatric symptoms (current and past).

While I professionally have never done such evaluations, the research points to how important they are in long-term success for the patient.

This is a complex problem and potential solution. I would encourage you to Google: "gastric bypass psychological evaluation." I found the website: www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov to be most informative, effectively covering many aspects of this surgery.

In working with clients with weight issues, I have found that a change in lifestyle is almost as important as diet. One of the most important changes according to the research is a regular exercise program. It is also the area of largest reported non-compliance from patients receiving bariatric surgery. By history most obese people have not been able to engage in very much physical activity much less exercise because of "... pain, shortness of breath, and joint issues." It is also true that the research consistently finds that regular, daily exercise is critical for weight loss maintenance. Like you have found in your life, most obese people who lose weight soon gain it back (and more) if they do not exercise.

I would encourage you to gather information, talk to qualified bariatric surgeons, interview the ones you like, involve your husband and pursue this avenue if you like the results. The physical and psychological implications are so severe that action is necessary, not just optional.

Retired friends join forces to start new lives together

DEAR ABBY

Universal Press Syndicate

DEAR ABBY: I am in my late 60s. When I mentioned to a retired friend my desire to move to a Southern state known for economic friendliness toward retirees, I discovered she was thinking the same thing.

We decided it would be good to buy a house together as tenants in common with rights of survivorship, and to share living expenses. Because I have no family and my friend has very little, neither of us cares what the survivor does with the house.

Our main concern is whether we're too old to make new friends and start a new life. It sounds exciting, but I'm wondering whether you or your readers have had any experience moving 1,000 miles away at this stage of life. — CONTEMPLATING CHANGE IN RHODE ISLAND

DEAR CONTEMPLATING CHANGE: Change can be an exciting and stimulating experience, and many retirees have successfully relocated.

However, and I cannot stress this too strongly, before heading off for the great unknown, you and your friend should consider renting a place for a year. It will give you a chance to gauge your compatibility and learn about the community before locking yourselves in with a mortgage. And if you haven't already, each of you should review your plans with an attorney of your own.

DEAR ABBY: Is it proper for my husband and I to share a meal when dining out with friends? Restaurant portions are quite large and we eat out most nights.

We find sharing is better not only for our health but also for our waistlines. We usually order an appetizer, a salad, an entree, dessert, coffee and a nice bottle of wine. My husband tips 20 percent of the total of the check.

I don't want to offend my friends and I'd like your guidance in this matter. Thank you. — CAREFUL EATER IN CARMEL, IND.

DEAR CAREFUL EATER: There is nothing rude about suggesting to your dinner companions that you ask the server for separate checks for the reason you stated. And congratulations on managing your portion control, which many health- and diet-conscious people are doing these days. Bon appetit!

DEAR ABBY: I'm a single, successful professional woman who carries her weight in one place — my belly. Despite many diets and exercise programs, I am unable to lose my belly. Because of this, I'm often mistaken for being pregnant.

Strangers in shopping malls, at professional seminars and in hotels while traveling will ask me when I am due. My usual response is, "I'm not pregnant. I'm just chubby and need to hit the gym." (The other evening, though, I responded, "Not soon enough.")

The last straw was at a recent book signing where the author wrote, "Enjoy your growing life." Any thoughts? — NOT A BABY BUMP IN MILWAUKEE

DEAR NOT A BABY BUMP: I do have a few. Have you considered wearing a foundation garment? If you already wear one, then I have more suggestions. First, discuss this with your doctor, a nutritionist and a personal trainer. And if they can't help you, talk to a board-certified plastic surgeon about liposuction.

Walking Club once again plans for trip to see the birds

ALEX ROSE

AARP Community Service volunteer

It is beginning to be tradition that the Midland Walkabout Volkssport Club goes birding once a year. With fond memories of the Hummer House in Christoval, where the club has ventured several times, we will climb in our cars once again on July 13 and head 18 miles south of San Angelo to participate in bird watching, bird banding, good fun and delicious food.

Dan and Cathy Brown, formerly of Midland, own and operate the Hummer House. They are exceptionally wonderful hosts. The facility is located along the banks of the spring-fed South Concho River. It is unique in that it is the summer home to Texas' largest concentration of breeding and nesting black-chinned Hummingbirds.

There are roughly 48 million bird watchers in the United States.

Most bird watchers probably refer to this preoccupation as a hobby, although for some it is more of a beloved affliction. The goal for many birders is to see and hear members of all 227 bird families. April and May are usually the height of the birding season. It is a matter of great joy to see new birders understand and appreciate birding and being outdoors.

According to an article in the Nature Conservancy, birding is booming. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service says that in 2001 birding was 232 percent more popular than in 1983 and it has gained steadily since. One reason for the surge, ornithologists suggest, is ease of entry. Anybody can become a birder. It requires little exertion and equipment to start.

Even Hollywood has gone avian. Released in 2011, "The Big Year," staring Steve Martin, Owen Wilson and Jack Black is a birding comedy.

Although we make this a one-day trip, the Browns do have cabins that can be rented for overnight stays. Each cabin is furnished with luxury bed and bath linens. The kitchens are stocked with dishes and cooking utensils. Complimentary self-catered food includes a variety of breakfast items. Each cottage has central heat and air conditioning, satellite television, an outdoor gas grill and covered parking. You can access the information you might need online.

Our club wishes to open this trip to non-members as well as members. We do need an accurate head count to send to the Browns the week before we leave as they prepare a wonderful snack time when we arrive and lunch before we leave. The cost per person is $25.

In addition to the exciting time of birding, we will visit the Christoval Vineyards and Winery and see the charming chapel. If time permits, we also will visit the Mount Carmel Hermitage Monastery.

If any one would like to join us on this adventure, please give me a call at 687-2588 or email me at alexlrose@yahoo.com.

Faith Works
"Faith work Training Program"
TEAM LEADERS
We are looking for the right person to work as a team leader in a special work-training program getting new customers for the area's leading newspaper. You must enjoy working with young people, be responsible, and have a SUV or van, be a strong Recruiter, Trainer, Motivator and with a desire to earn $800 to $1,000 per week. If this is you, call 1-205-991-3030

WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS

Sissom - Iverson

Shanna Sissom and Sigfried J. Iverson III were joined in holy matrimony April 27, 2013 inside the little white church on the former LH-7 ranch in Barker, Texas. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Larry Long of Midland.

Matron of honor was Kelly Bonaventure of Baton Rouge, La. and bridesmaids were Claire Iverson of Dallas and Nancy Wood of Mississippi. Best man was Paul Owen of Norman, Okla. and groomsmen were David Cantrell of Dallas and Patrick Johnston of Spring.

A reception was held at Willow Fork Country Club in Katy, and the couple honeymooned in Maui.

Mr. and Mrs. Iverson will reside in Midland.

Kennedy-Tonissen

Erin Jenness Kennedy and Alan Michael Tonissen were united in marriage on Saturday, February 9, 2013, at First Presbyterian Church in Midland, Texas. Pastor Trey Corry of Grace Bible Church in College Station, Texas, officiated at the wedding.

Erin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kennedy of Midland. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Donness Shine of Temple, Texas, and the late Mr. Harold Joseph Shine; Mrs. Dorothy Kennedy of League City, Texas, and the late Mr. James H. Kennedy. Alan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Tonissen of Grass Valley, California. He is the grandson of Mrs. Virginia Morrish of Grass Valley, California, and the late Mr. Jack Morrish; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tonissen of Mulino, Oregon.

Erin wore her mother's wedding gown that was handmade by her grandmother, Donness Shine and her great-grandmother, Jenness Balch. The gown features a Queen Ann neckline, Alencon lace bodice accented with seed pearls and a chiffon watteau train. Continuing a family tradition, Erin carried an heirloom cameo pin from her grandmother, Dorothy Kennedy.

Erin's sister, Sarah Jane Pryor of Santa Monica, California, was her matron of honor. Kari Jernigan of Austin, Texas; Holly Nelson of Midland, Texas; Andrea Scott of Dallas, Texas; Holly Stanfield of College Station, Texas; and Erin Wellen of Dallas, Texas, served as bridesmaids.

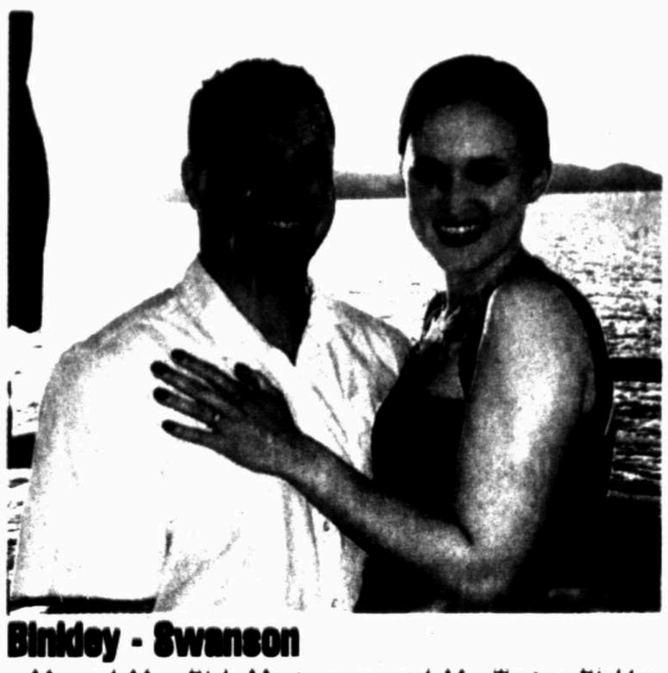
Alan's best man was Brandon Jernigan of Austin, Texas. Matt Esswein of Cypress, California; Jason Hunt of Grass Valley, California; Shane McDonald of Rancho Santa Margarita, California; Brian Morrish of San Luis Obispo, California; Nic Murray of El Paso, Texas, were the groom's attendants. Hunter Kennedy, brother of the bride, of Dallas Texas, Paul Pryor, brother-in-law of the bride, of Santa Monica, California, Charlie Cazin of Grass Valley, California and Chris Miller of Johnson City, Tennessee, brothers-in-law of the groom served as ushers. Alan's sisters, Melissa Cazin and Kristen Miller, accompanied by Charlie Cazin, sang during the ceremony.

Georgia Sledge served as flower girl and Jack Cazin, nephew of the groom, served as ring bearer.

Erin graduated from Texas A&M in 2006 with a degree in Recreation, Parks and Tourism Sciences. She currently is employed at Hancock International College in Irvine, California.

Alan graduated from California Polytechnic State University in 2009 with a degree in Architectural Engineering. He is currently employed at KPFF Consulting Engineers in Irvine, California.

The couple honeymooned in Cancun, Mexico. They now reside in Laguna Hills, California.



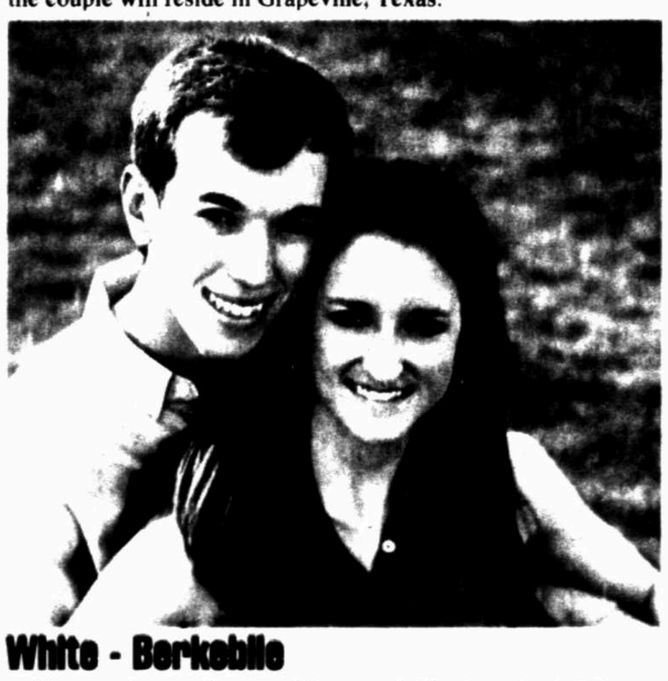
Binkley - Swanson

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Montgomery and Mr. Tucker Binkley are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lauren Binkley, to Jay Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Swanson of Lakeway, Texas. Miss Binkley is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kimbrell of Midland, Mr. Jack Salisbury of Perry, Kansas, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Binkley of Pasadena, California.

Lauren, is a 2004 graduate of the Webb Schools in Claremont, California, and graduated from Texas Tech University in 2008, with a Bachelors degree in Political Science. Lauren is currently employed with Strategic Point Marketing in McKinney, Texas.

Jay graduated from Thousand Oaks High School in Los Angeles, California in 2000, and graduated from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Prescott, Arizona, in 2005, with his Bachelor's degree in Aeronautical Science. Jay is currently employed with American Eagle Airlines.

After their wedding on July 13, 2013 in Del Mar, California, the couple will reside in Grapevine, Texas.



White - Berkebile

The families of Lauren White and Matthew Berkebile are pleased to announce their upcoming marriage. Lauren is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark White of The Woodlands, TX and the late Christin White. Matt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Berkebile of Midland.

Lauren is a graduate of Abilene Christian University with a degree in Human Resources. Matt is a graduate of Texas A&M University with a degree in Petroleum Engineering. Both are employed in the oil and gas industry in Midland.

A summer wedding in Houston is planned.

Sunglass choices largely colored by their lenses

By Samantha Critchell
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Is seeing life through rose-colored sunglasses right for you? It might be if you're a fan of early-morning bike rides, if you're a commuter at dusk or you happen to live in a largely overcast climate.

Choosing new summer shades is more than an issue of flattering frames. There are decisions to be made about the lenses, too, and there will only be more in the future.

Things to think about: Are your sunglasses more for performance or fashion? Are you concerned about glare or definition? Do you want a curved lens that provides maximum coverage or a flatter one that allows more peripheral vision?

"Lenses can affect — and can enhance — performance. Sports performance is the biggest category for shopping by lens color and treatments, and most fashion lenses are still browns and grays," says Dr. Justin Bazan, a Brooklyn optometrist and medical adviser for The Vision Council, a trade group for the optical industry. "I can imagine it happening, though, that the tint options that have exploded in sports will soon come to fashion purchases."

Roberto Vedovotto, CEO of Safilo Group, parent company to sunglass brands Carrera, Smith Optics and Polaroid, and the licensing partner for designer labels Gucci, Dior and Marc Jacobs, agrees that it's on the cusp.

Customers, he says, are becoming more educated about ultraviolet light — largely because of great strides in sunscreen use, and they are aware that the technology exists to improve sunglass lenses. People are very aware overall about protecting themselves from the sun.

Taylor's first wedding dress up for sale

LONDON (AP) — The gown Elizabeth Taylor wore at the first of her eight weddings is for sale. You'll need at least $47,000 to buy it and a tiny waist to wear it.

Christie's auction house is offering the seed pearl-encrusted satin dress — compete with waist-cinching built-in corset — designed by costume designer Helen Rose.

Taylor was 18 when she wore the gown to marry hotel heir Conrad "Nicky" Hilton Jr. in May 1950 — an event, studio MGM boasted, attended by "more stars than there are in heaven."

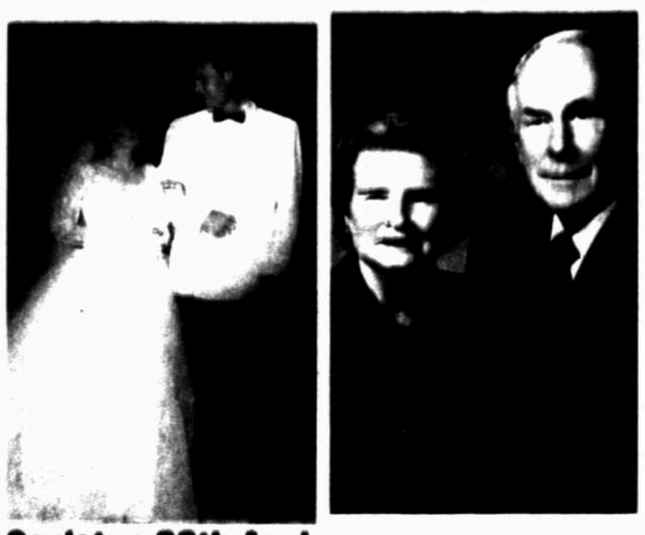
The couple divorced months later and Taylor went on to wed seven more times. She died in 2011 at 79.

The dress will be sold June 26, with an estimated price of $47,000 to $78,000.

Frank Augstein/AP

A Christie's employee adjusts Elizabeth Taylor's first wedding dress, designed by the legendary costume designer Helen Rose, at the auction house Christie's in London, Wednesday.

ANNIVERSARIES



Carleton 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Carleton, Jr., of Midland, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on June 20, 2013. The anniversary celebration for Toby and Corinne was held at the Midland Petroleum Club, where Toby is a past president. The couple were treated to a luncheon hosted by their children and spouses, Cathy Martin and David Martin of Kerrville, Texas; Phil Carleton and Kim Carleton of Midland; and Elaine Carleton and Dori DeJong of Denver, Colorado. They were joined by five of their six grandchildren, Michael Martin, Madison Carleton, Sam Carleton, Dustin Martin and Caden DeJong, with McKenzie Carleton studying abroad in Spain for the summer. Also in attendance was Corinne's sister, Diane Phillips of Estes Park, Colorado, and Toby's niece, Nancy Springen and husband Clyde from Austin. Toby's nephew, Ronney Reynolds and wife Mary, were also out of the country and unable to attend.

Toby and Corinne have ranching interests in Crockett and Val Verde Counties, Texas, own TOCOR Investments, and have majority ownership in Industry Maintenance and Supply LLC. Toby continues to be active in the oil and gas industry through TOCOR and also as an owner of Imperial Operating Company. Toby is an internationally recognized petroleum geologist, as well as past president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists and of the Society of Independent Professional Earth Scientists. Additionally, Toby serves on the University of Texas Geology Foundation Advisory Council and both he and Corinne are life members of the Texas Exes.

Graham 50th Anniversary

Roy and Sharon Graham of Greenwood celebrated their Fiftieth Anniversary, Saturday, June 22, 2013.

After meeting and courting at Hardin Simmons University, the couple was wed in 1963 at Klondike Baptist Church in Dawson County. Throughout their first three years of marriage, Roy served in the United States Army. During this time, the couple lived in San Antonio, Texas, and Germany. Upon discharge, Roy and Sharon came to Roy's home place in Greenwood, to help with the farm's harvest. The couple has since seen the planting and harvesting of more than forty-five years. Throughout the years, Sharon has been a homemaker, while giving strong support to the family's farm and ranch, as well as encouraging their three children through many activities in the Greenwood school system. They have also been faithful members of Greenwood Baptist Church and the Greenwood community.

Celebrating with the couple are children: Andrea Chapman (Monty) of Paradise, Mark (Marian) of Tuscola, and Darla Morrow (Layne) of Greenwood. The family is made complete with five granddaughters and two grandsons

Rhodes 60th Anniversary

Having been high school sweethearts, Truman L. Rhodes and Martha McCormick were married on June 6, 1953, at the home of the bride's parents in Blooming Grove, Texas. "Trim" and Martha recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary.

They moved to Midland in 1957, after Trim graduated from Texas Tech, and he was in business at Andy's Lumber Co. for some 45 years. Martha is the "domestic engineer" who has been involved in charity work with her church and organizations such as AMOS and Meals on Wheels. She loves nature and everything in God's Green Earth. They have been faithful members of St. Marks United Methodist Church since 1960, and they very much enjoy spending time with their friends, their two children and four grandchildren.

Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Rhodes!

Christopher 50th Anniversary

Roger and Lilta Christopher celebrated their Fiftieth Anniversary at First Assembly of God Fellowship Hall on Saturday, June 22, 2013. Roger and the former Lilta O'Hanlon were married in Andrews, Texas on June 20, 1963. They have resided in Midland for the past 23 years. They are planning a trip to Mount Rushmore and Yellowstone National Park in July.

Bubba's Bunch barbecued baby back ribs are shown June 3 in Concord, N.H.

Matthew Mead/ AP

GO-TO RIBS

Secret to great barbecued baby back ribs at home

By Elizabeth Karmel
Associated Press

It has been years since I learned to make competition-worthy barbecued baby back ribs. And I still consider myself lucky to have learned from some of the best in the business.

My first year at the barbecue competition Memphis in May, the head cook from a team called Bubba's Bunch befriended me and taught me to make ribs the same way barbecue great John Willingham did. Willingham was the creator of the amazing all-purpose barbecue rub known as W'ham Seasoning. And it is amazing stuff.

Following my rib tutorial, I made those ribs more times than I can count, and have taught them many times in my barbecue classes. I named the recipe after the team who taught me, and they are perfect for a first-timer. Or if you are like me, it may become your go-to recipe for ribs.

All you need are a love of great barbecue and three ingredients — meaty baby back ribs, lemons and my W'ham-inspired rib rub. You can make these on a gas or charcoal grill or a smoker.

If you have never made ribs before, you need to know a few things. Buy a meaty rack with no "bone-shine." This means that you should inspect your ribs to see how close the butcher got to the bone when they were cutting the ribs. If you can see a bit of the top of the bone on the rack when it is raw, there isn't enough meat on the ribs. When the ribs are cooked and the meat recedes from the bone, you will have a very bony rack. Make sure you buy racks of ribs that weigh 2 to 3 pounds each.

Most recipes will tell you to remove the membrane from the ribs (and I used to do it, too). But the more I cooked ribs, the more I liked leaving the membrane on the back. One reason is that it holds the ribs together — especially important if there is any bone-shine — and it also is a good indicator of when the ribs are done. When the membrane pulls away from the back of the rack and looks like translucent parchment paper, you know the ribs are done. If you want, you can remove the membrane before you cut and serve the ribs.

When you prep your ribs for the grill, squeeze a lemon over both sides of the ribs to "refresh" them. That little bit of acid creates a brightness, a "clean canvas" for your seasoning and helps the rub adhere to the meat.

Next, season liberally by holding your hand about a foot above the racks and sprinkling the dry rub over the ribs evenly, like you are "raining" rib rub over the racks. Do it no more than 15 minutes before cooking. I like to use a rib grilling rack because it positions the ribs so that the hot air and smoke from the closed grill rotate equally around all of the racks of ribs and you can cook twice as many than if they lay flat on the grates.

As for the actual cooking, true barbecue demands indirect heat. This is what allows the meat to cook slowly, melting the fat and connective tissue. Barbecue also calls for smoke, so be sure to soak wood chips in advance. You can look for two visual clues when making ribs at home: the meat should pull away from the ends of the bones, which should be dry and dark; and the ribs should bend easily without breaking if you gently fold them over.

That covers what you should do. Here's what not to do.

First, don't parboil your ribs. It isn't necessary, and it will rob your ribs of flavor. Ribs should only take 2 to 3 hours to cook and they should be cooked from start to finish on your outdoor grill. Second, if you are a barbecue sauce lover, only put the sauce on the ribs during the final 10 to 15 minutes of cooking. Otherwise the sugar in the sauce will burn while the ribs are still undercooked.

If you follow these tips and the recipe below, you will be amazed at how easy it is to make ribs in your own backyard. All it takes is a little patience and a little love of the game.

BUBB'S BUNCH BARBECUED BABY BACK RIBS

Start to finish: 3 1/2 hours
Servings: 8

Wood chips, for smoking
For the rub:
2 tablespoons smoked paprika
2 tablespoons kosher salt
2 tablespoons packed brown sugar
2 tablespoons McCormick's Worcestershire Ground Black Pepper Blend (or other black pepper)
1 tablespoon onion powder
1 tablespoon garlic powder
1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper
For the ribs:
4 racks baby back ribs, at least 2 pounds each
2 lemons, halved
1 cup prepared barbecue sauce (optional)

Soak the wood chips in a bowl of water according to package directions.

Meanwhile, to make the rub, in a medium bowl, combine all ingredients and mix well. If you prefer your dry rube to have a finer texture, the ingredients can be combined in a spice grinder and ground until fine. Set aside. Any extra rub can be stored in an airtight container at room temperature for up to 6 months.

Prepare the grill for indirect heat at medium-low. You are aiming to maintain a temperature of 300 F to 325 F. If using a charcoal grill, place the soaked wood chips directly on the hot charcoals. If using a gas grill, place the wood chips in a smoking box and set into the grill according to product directions.

Squeeze and rub 1 lemon half over each rack of ribs. Sprinkle the ribs liberally with the spice rub, then let them sit at room temperature for 15 minutes.

Place the ribs, bone-side down, in the center of the cooking grate, or in a rib holder or rack. Grill, covered, for 2 to 3 hours, or until the meat is tender and has pulled back from the ends of the rib bones. Begin checking the ribs after 1 1/2 hours in case your grill is running hot.

Leave the ribs unattended and without opening the grill cover for the first 30 minutes. If the ribs start to burn at the edges, stack them on top of one another in the very center of the grill and lower the heat slightly. Ten minutes before serving, brush the ribs with barbecue sauce, if using.

Remove the ribs from the grill and place them on a clean platter. Let them rest for 10 minutes before cutting into individual portions.

Nutrition information per serving: 1,060 calories; 720 calories from fat (67 percent of total calories); 80 g fat (29 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 380 mg cholesterol; 6 g carbohydrate; 2 g fiber; 5 g sugar; 77 g protein; 1,880 mg sodium.

HINTS FROM HELOISE

King Features Syndicate

Store marshmallows in freezer for easy use

Dear Heloise: I bought a bag of miniature marshmallows, which I stored in the pantry. I opened them three weeks later to use, and they were all stuck together in one big blob. It was a sticky mess getting them separated to use in my dessert recipe. How can I avoid this problem? — Ruth F. in Ohio

Just place them in a container with a tightfitting lid, or in a freezer-safe plastic bag, and store in the freezer. Remove from the freezer and let the marshmallows warm to room temperature before using.

If the marshmallows are stuck, pour a little confectioners' (powdered) sugar or cornstarch in the bag and shake to coat. The marshmallows should just break apart. — Heloise

FLAVORED WATER

Dear Heloise: I love the different flavored waters, but they can be expensive. My hint is to make them yourself. I use bottled water and add sliced fruit (strawberries, raspberries, grapes, pineapple, lemon and lime), cucumbers, etc. You even can add mint leaves. Place the pitcher or container in the refrigerator for at least six hours to let the additive infuse into the water. — Linda B. in California

COOKING ODORS

Dear Heloise: I have a hint for when cooking broccoli, cabbage, Brussels sprouts and even poaching salmon. I rinse and trim a stalk of celery, cut it into thirds and add it to my liquids. It eliminates the cooking odors and does not impart a celery flavor to what I am cooking. I don't know how, but it really does work! — M.D., via email

Many readers add different things to the water to avoid the odor, like lemon slices, but this is the first I've heard of celery. I tested this when cooking some fresh broccoli, and it did seem to help. And then there is my classic hint of setting a bowl of vinegar on the counter and turning the exhaust fan on while cooking odorous vegetables.

Have you ever wondered what causes the odor? It's the gas that is released as the vegetables are cooked. The longer the vegetables are cooked, the stronger the odor becomes, so, if you can, try less cooking time and see if there is less odor. — Heloise

FORK DESIGNS

Dear Heloise: I love to bake. One of the easiest hints I have is to use a fork to make designs on cookies, cakes and lemon bars. Just by scraping the tines of the fork across the frosting or powdered sugar, you can create simple or intricate designs on many baked goods. — Kelly D., via email

LOOKING FRESH

Dear Heloise: I have a hint so that you can go ahead and slice up those apples and pears the day before you need them without them turning brown. Just refrigerate them in lemon-lime soda. There's no need to keep fresh lemons on hand or put up with the mess of squeezing them. — Kathi P. in Arkansas

Send a hint to Heloise at P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio, 78279-5000, fax 210-HELOISE or email heloise@Heloise.com.

Matthew Mead/AP

In this image taken on June 3, three-pepper barbecue potato salad is shown served in a bowl in Concord, N.H.

Peppers add pop to potato salad

By Allson Ladman
Associated Press

One variety of pepper just isn't enough to get this potato salad ready for your July Fourth celebration. So we upped it to three — black pepper, cayenne pepper and roasted red peppers — each adding their own distinct flavor. And don't worry, the bite of black and cayenne peppers are tamed by the sweet roasted red peppers and the sour cream dressing.

Want to add fourth and fifth varieties? Mix in some diced mild Peppadew peppers (tangy, but not much heat) and banana peppers (sweet and crunchy). For a crunchy contrast, you even could add a sixth with a diced fresh green bell pepper.

THREE-PEPPER BARBECUE POTATO SALAD

Start to finish: 1 hour (15 minutes active)
Servings: 8

2 pounds red potatoes, cubed
1 tablespoon cider vinegar
1/2 cup sour cream
1/2 cup barbecue sauce
1 teaspoon chili powder
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper, or to taste
12-ounce jar roasted red peppers, drained, patted dry and chopped
4 scallions, chopped
1 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese
Salt, to taste

Place the potatoes in a large pot and add enough water to cover them by 1 inch. Bring to a boil and cook until the potatoes are just tender, about 15 to 20 minutes. Drain the potatoes, then spread them on a rimmed baking sheet to cool. Sprinkle the cooling potatoes with the vinegar, then refrigerate for 30 minutes.

Meanwhile, in a large bowl combine the sour cream, barbecue sauce, chili powder, garlic powder, black pepper and cayenne pepper. Stir in the roasted red peppers, scallions and cheese.

When the potatoes are cool, gently stir them into the sour cream mixture until well coated. Season with salt. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

Nutrition information per serving: 210 calories; 70 calories from fat (33 percent of total calories); 8 g fat (4 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 25 mg cholesterol; 29 g carbohydrate; 3 g fiber; 7 g sugar; 7 g protein; 470 mg sodium.

Medicare cost-saving changes coming for diabetics

By Lauran Neergaard
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Medicare begins a major change next month that could save older diabetics money and time when they buy crucial supplies to test their blood sugar — but it also may cause some confusion as patients figure out the new system.

On July 1, Medicare opens a national mail-order program that will dramatically drop the prices the government pays for those products but patients will have to use designated suppliers. The goal is to save taxpayers money but seniors should see their copays drop, too.

Don't care about the convenience of mail delivery? Just over half of the 4.2 million diabetics with traditional Medicare coverage used mail-order last year, but starting July 1 beneficiaries also can get the new lower price at drugstores enrolled in the Medicare program.

"Those who like the face-to-face interaction with the pharmacist have that choice," stressed Jonathan Blum, Medicare deputy administrator. "We want to preserve both options."

It's the biggest expansion yet of a larger, and somewhat controversial, initiative that's predicted to save taxpayers nearly $26 billion over the next decade by cracking down on waste and fraud in the medical equipment industry. Diabetics aren't the only Medicare patients affected. Depending on where they live, patients who rent home oxygen gear and hospital beds, or who need power wheelchairs, walkers and certain other equipment also could see changes in their suppliers and lower prices as a pilot test of this so-called competitive bidding program expands from nine metro areas to a total of 100 on July 1. Medicare is supposed to apply the lower pricing nationally by 2016.

The diabetes initiative is the first to go nationwide — and Blum said it should put an end to unscrupulous practices such as shipping cartons of supplies to diabetics who haven't run out yet and billing Medicare for the cost.

The concern: Potentially hundreds of thousands of older patients may have to switch mail-order suppliers. The American Diabetes Association worries they won't get the word before their supplies run short — or might be pressured to switch to a cheaper brand of blood-sugar monitor and the matching supplies even though that's against the rules.

"We're sort of torn, truthfully," said Krista Maier, the association's associate director of public policy. "It will save the Medicare program money, which is good for its sustainability. The challenge is ensuring that beneficiaries' testing of their blood glucose isn't disrupted."

Here are some questions and answers about the program:

Q: What's the big change?

A: Until now, hundreds of mail-order companies could bill Medicare for the test strips, lancets and other supplies that diabetics use to measure and track their blood sugar. Under the new national program, Medicare patients can order from only 18 mail-order companies that won government contracts and will be subject to more oversight. (The change doesn't apply to Medicare Advantage patients.)

Check the list at www.medicare.gov/supplier or by calling 1-800-MEDICARE. Some companies operate under multiple names.

Q: What's the price difference?

A: Medicare has paid about $78 for 100 test strips and lancets, just over a month's supply for someone who tests his or her blood sugar three times a day. Remarkably, that rate was higher than other insurers typically pay. Starting July 1, that reimbursement will drop to about $22. The patient copay is 20 percent, so it will drop from about $15 to less than $5.

Q: What if I want to buy at my local drugstore instead?

A: Ask if it accepts "Medicare assignment," meaning it has to honor the July 1 prices. Some large chains are reassuring customers that they're participating. But pharmacies that aren't enrolled in Medicare are allowed to charge patients more.

Q: How did the program work in the nine test cities?

A: Medicare says patients had plenty of supplies. But surprisingly, mail-order claims dropped the first year. The Department of Health and Human Services' inspector general discovered that some suppliers were billing Medicare for drugstore-sold supplies — which at the time were reimbursed at a higher rate — even though they actually shipped cheaper mail-order supplies. Congress later closed that loophole, mandating the same reimbursement for drugstores and mail-order starting July 1.

Crohn's and Colitis Foundation takes runner to Hawaii for third time

Robin Kingham is a former Reporter-Telegram employee. Last year she raised more than $8,000 for the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America through the Team Challenge program. This year she has signed up for two more races and is serving as a mentor for both. For more information, visit www.robinkingham.com. All donations are 100 percent tax deductible.

ROBIN KINGHAM
Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America volunteer

I am in Hawaii today for the third time to complete the next event in what has turned out to be a three-year journey with Team Challenge and the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America. I am here in large part because of my West Texas family. You've been with me the entire time. I'd like to thank you Midland, thank you for your support, encouragement, emails, Facebook posts and donations.

I was asked to give the inspirational speech at this year's pre-race pasta dinner. The dinner, which was Saturday, was the first time all of the Team Challenge race participants were together. We meet for carbo loading, top fundraising awards and to hear about what's new and exciting from the foundation. The coaches give a talk, the teams from across the country are announced, a representative from the race talks about the course and what to expect, and finally a participant — OMG it's me— shares their story. I have heard many stories over the past three years. I am so honored to be asked to share, but I'm nervous. Wish me luck, say a prayer, send me good vibes. Seriously, whatever method you choose, send happiness and joy my way.

A few weeks ago I let everyone know I was doing a 50/50 raffle as a fundraiser. The winner was chosen on June 15. I posted a video of the winner being chosen on Facebook. The winner has been notified and I tried to send everyone who made a donation for a chance to win an email or message. If you bought a raffle ticket and haven't heard from me, I'm sorry to say you didn't win. I sold 235 raffle tickets and the winner was from West Texas!

As you read this, I am getting ready to run or I am already somewhere out on the course, maybe I've already finished the race and I am at this little Italian place right across the street from the ocean enjoying pizza and pasta. Have I mentioned before how much I love pizza after a race? Email me and let me know what your favorite after-athletic-activity meal is. Send it to robin@robinkingham.com. I enjoy hearing from you, I hope you enjoy hearing from me.

FITNESS BRIEFS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Race calendar

- Red Shoe Run, Aug. 24 @ Midland College
- Noggin Roundup 5K, Sept. 7 @ Midland College
- Superhero Run, Oct. 19 @ Midland College

Source: pbrunningclub.com

Yoga class meets at park

Vertex Complete Yoga Sanctuary is sponsoring Yoga @ Grafa Park 9 a.m. Saturday. There is no cost to participate, but $10 donations are appreciated.

To have your event included on this list, email Megan Buck at mbuck@mrt.com.

OFFICIAL BALLOT

2013 Readers' Choice Awards

Midland Reporter-Telegram

Vote for your favorites for a chance to WIN!

PRIZES!

Grand Prize - $250 Cash Second Place - $100 Cash Third Place - $50 Cash

(Minimum of 3 votes per category for ballot to be counted.)

Automotive
ATV Dealer
Audio Installation
Auto Accessories
Auto Body Repair
Auto Parts
Boat Dealer
Brake Repair Shop
Car Wash
Custom Paint
Dealer Service Center
Detail Shop
Gas Station
Independent Mechanic Shop
Motorcycle Dealer
New Auto Dealer
Oil Change/Lube Shop
Pre-Owned Auto Dealer
Roadside Assistance
RV Dealer
Security Systems
Tire Shop
Upholstery
Window Tinting
Windshield Repair/Replacement

Community
Charitable Event
Civic Leader/Politician
Coach
College/University
Musician/Band
Non-Profit Group
Preschool
Private School

Entertainment
Annual Event
Banquet Facilities
Bowling Alley
Children's Party Event Venue
Children's Party Services
DJ Services
Event Venue
Family Entertainment
Golf Course
Local Sports Team
Movie Theater
Museum
Night Club
Park
Sports Bar
Tourist Attraction

Healthcare
Assisted Living/Retirement Home
Chiropractor
Cosmetic Medical Clinic
Dentist
Dermatologist
Ear/Nose/Throat
Eye Care
Family Practitioner
Health Food Store
Hearing Care
Home Health Care
Internist
Medical Equipment
Neurologist
OB/GYN
Orthodontist
Pediatric Dentist
Pediatrician
Pharmacy
Physical Therapy
Psychiatrist
Podiatrist
Urgent Care
Urologist
Weight Loss Program

House & Home
Apartment Complex
Carpet Cleaning
Cleaning Service
Electrical Repair Service
Exterminator
Fencing Company
Heating & A/C
Home Builder
Home Improvement Center
Home Mortgage Company
Insulation Company
Interior Designer
Landscape Design
Lawn Care
Masonry
Nursery/Garden Center
Painting Company
Plumbing
Pool/Spa
Remodeling Contractor
Roofing Company
Security Systems
Water Softener/RO Company

Media
Cable Company
Internet Company
Local Website
Newspaper Columnist
Radio Personality
Radio Station
TV Personality
TV Station

Restaurants
Asian Cuisine
Bakery
BBQ
Buffet
Burrito
Chicken
Chicken Fried Steak
Coffee House
Deli
Dessert
Donuts
Fajitas
Fast Food
French Fries
Frozen Yogurt
Full Service
Hamburger
Hot Dog
Ice Cream
Italian Food
Mexican Food
Milkshake
Mixed Drink
Nachos
Pizza
Queso
Salsa
Sandwich
Seafood
Snow Cone
Steak
Sweet Tea

Services
Accounting Firm
Alarm Systems
Bank
Barber Shop
Caterer
Cellular Service
Computer Services
Counseling Services
Credit Union
Dance School
Day Spa
Daycare
Electric Provider
Employment Agency
Equipment Rental
Finance Company
Financial Planner
Fitness Center
Florist
Firing Range
Funeral Home
Hair Salon
Hotel
Insurance Agency
Law Firm
Local Airline
Locksmith
Martial Arts
Massage Parlor
Nail Salon
Pet Boarding
Pet Grooming
Photography Studio
Place of Worship
Real Estate Agency
Real Estate Agent
Rental Center
Storage Facility
Tanning Salon
Tax Service
Travel Agency
Veterinarian
WiFi Hot Spot

Shopping
Antiques
Appliances
Art Gallery
Best Meat
Best Produce
Bridal Shop
Convenience Store
Discount
Electronics
Flooring
Furniture
Gifts/Accessories
Health Food
Home Décor
Hunting Supplies
Jewelry
Liquor
Men's Clothes
Office Supplies
Pets
Shoes
Sporting Goods - General
Sporting Goods - Specialty
Supermarket
Thrift Store
Western Wear
Women's Clothes

Deadline is Monday, July 1, 2013

Employees of the Midland Reporter-Telegram and their families are not eligible for prizes. Must be 18 or older to vote. All ballots must be filled out on an original entry form or completed online. No copies accepted. Duplicate entries will not be counted. One entry per person and one prize per household.

Name
Address
City State Zip
Phone
E-Mail
☐ I DO ☐ I DO NOT Subscribe to the Midland Reporter-Telegram

COMPLETED BALLOTS MAY BE SUBMITTED TO:
Midland Reporter-Telegram
READERS' CHOICE 2013
201 E. Illinois Avenue
Midland, Texas 79701
or online at:
www.mywesttexas.com/readerschoice

Crafts like gelatin prints can blast summer blahs

By Jennifer Forker
Associated Press

For a lot of kids, summertime beckons with temptations — to sleep in late, watch too much TV, swim, roam.

And that's just the first day.

Boredom sets in soon after.

So provide kids with crafts that inspire awe, not blahs. Two reliable sources are "Martha Stewart Living" and "Family Fun" magazines, which post kids' crafts online. "Martha Stewart Living" editors have also just released "Martha Stewart's Favorite Crafts for Kids" (Potter Craft); many of the projects in this heavy tome are retooled from the magazine's pages, which means they can also be found online.

Creativebug, meanwhile, offers online craft classes for kids throughout the summer, including a no-sew tepee, Shrinky Dink jewelry and Kool Aid-dyed yarn. There's a cost for most projects here.

Or roam Pinterest, the online board to which photos and do-it-yourself projects are "pinned," to find science and nature as well as arts and crafts fare. Media and crafting sites that originate projects often post their ideas to Pinterest.

Teen-age tinkerers can attend a free virtual camp by following Make magazine on Google Plus. Teen campers have access to do-it-yourself electronic, robotic — even crafting — projects. "Camp," now in its second summer, runs July 8 through Aug. 16, and includes virtual field trips and an online "hangout" site for posting project images and sharing ideas.

One crafting idea that may amaze kids of all ages for its novelty and simplicity is gelatin printing. This low-tech craft uses the following: a pan of gelatin such as the Knox brand, ink, paper, maybe an ink brayer and a collection of leaves. That's it.

Kristen Sutcliffe, of Oberlin, Ohio, writes about gelatin printing at her blog, New House Project.

"I love that kind of project, where it's easy, you can do it with your kids, but it's beautiful," says Sutcliffe.

Author of the new book "Fabric, Paper, Thread" (C&T Publishing), Sutcliffe, 30, says the gelatin provides a flexible medium for inking, and both positive and negative prints can be made.

"The surface is just the right amount of sticky to hold the leaves and things in place and keep the paper in place while you are pressing/rubbing it," Sutcliffe says on her blog.

It works best with smaller leaves and those that are textured. Ferns and geraniums work well. Use any paper or try a fabric. Sutcliffe has used canvas but recommends a smoother fabric such as muslin or cotton for a cleaner print.

She recommends using a screen-printing ink, such as Speedball, which works on paper or fabric. And she also suggests investing in a brayer, which will spread the ink uniformly without nicking the delicate gelatin surface.

If you're careful, you can make a dozen or more prints with a single batch of gelatin, Sutcliffe says.

GELATIN PRINTING

Ingredients:

Gelatin, such as Knox brand,
8 1/4-ounce packets
Water, 5 cups
9-by-13-inch baking sheet with edges
Printmaking brayer
Printing ink, such as Speedball Screen Printing Ink (available at craft stores and online)
Assorted leaves
Paper or fabric
Paper plate

Directions:

1. The gelatin needs a few hours to set. It can be made the night before you want to print. In a large pot, bring 5 cups of water to boil, then whisk in gelatin, one packet at a time, avoiding clumps. Pour mixture onto baking sheet and allow to cool and set.

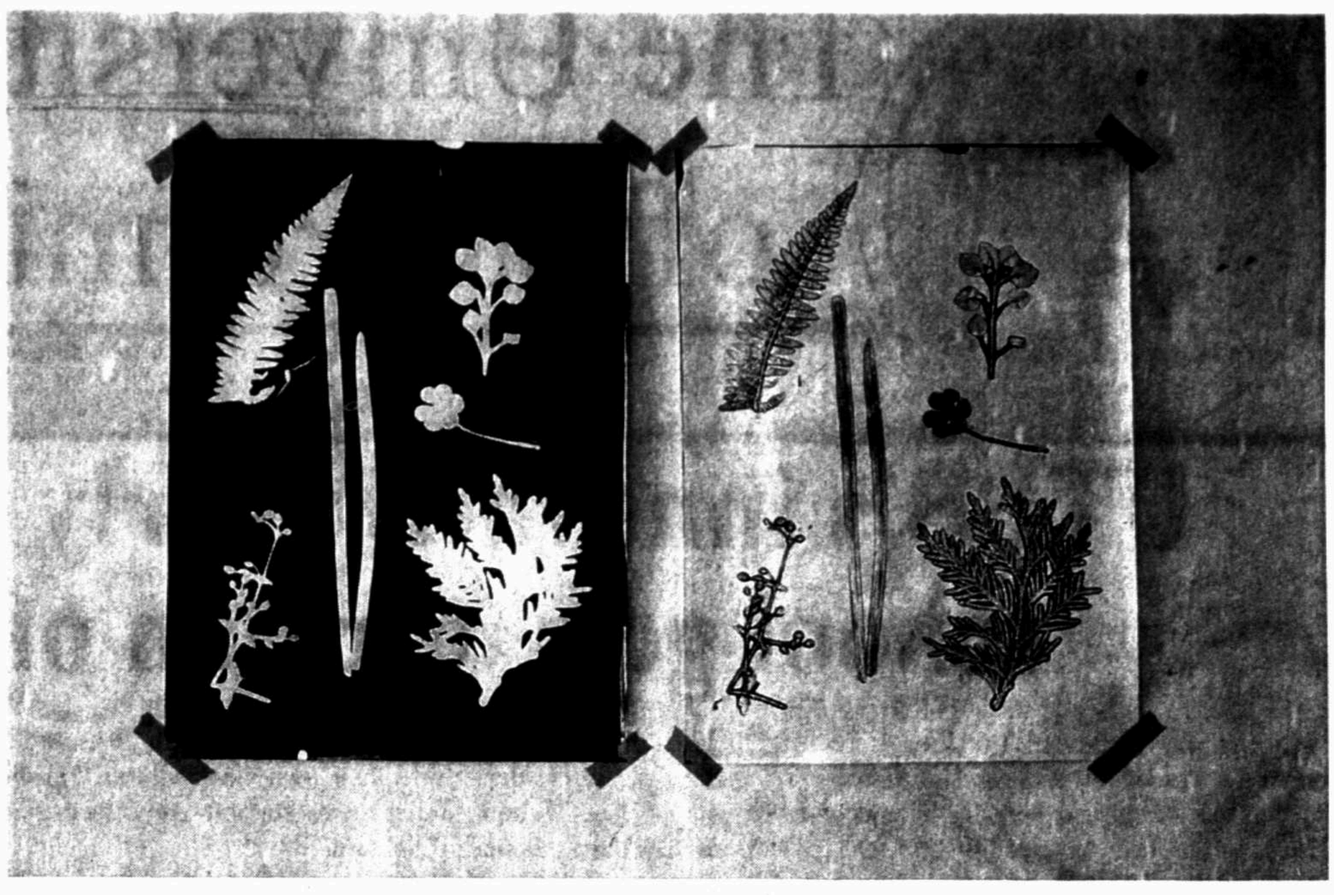
2. To print, pour small amount of ink onto the plate; use the brayer to fully cover the gelatin with ink (a thin layer for working with paper; a heavy amount for printing on fabric). Place leaves on the ink-covered gelatin. Place your paper or fabric on top; rub.

3. Remove the paper or fabric: This is your first print (the negative).

4. Carefully remove leaves from the baking sheet (save them for reuse, if desired) and place a new piece of paper or fabric over the ink and rub; remove. This provides the positive print (the leaves' imprints remain in the gelatin until it's re-inked).

5. Re-ink the gelatin to make additional positive and negative prints.

Online:
www.creativebug.com
http://makezine.com/maker-camp
http://www.marthastewart.com
www.newhouseproject.com
www.parents.com/familyfun-magazine



ABOVE
In this undated photo provided by New House Project, a negative image, left, and a positive, printed one after the other with a pan of gelatin and printmaker's ink is shown. This simple process works on paper or fabric as shared by Kristen Sutcliffe, of Oberlin, Ohio, at her blog, New House Project.

RIGHT
Leaves are positioned on ink-covered gelatin by Kristen Sutcliffe as shown here.

Kristen Sutcliffe/AP

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Big Spring storyteller

San Angelo art center attracts visitors from around the world

"I bought an old, dilapidated chicken farm on the wrong side of town and everybody thought I was crazy. Forty years later I figured out they were right."

Roger Allen has been a potter since becoming fascinated with clay in high school. "I just loved it," said Roger. "I went to Texas Tech, thinking I was going to be an electrical engineer, but after taking some drawing and architecture classes, I found myself in art education. I came to San Angelo in 1967 to teach art in school."

Roger didn't teach very long. He became an art entrepreneur. He bought three acres of land and established the Chicken Farm Art Center in 1971. It's a place for artists to live and work and has become a destination for art lovers. The facility is quite a complex now.

"We have a bed and breakfast, gourmet restaurant, 16 artist studios and my pottery shop that started the whole thing. It's all about art, which means total enrichment of your life. Think what it would be without color and design. Everything man-made starts with a design. Look at the hubcaps on your car or the dashboard knobs. Among other things, art makes you think."

The place gets jumping the first Saturday of every month. "We have vendors come in and set up. It's like a mini fair. We have a great picking circle of musicians who come and play blues, country and just good music, most of it original."

He likes San Angelo. "We travel around a lot and tell people it's the largest city in America not on an Interstate. Our population is approaching 100,000. We get visitors from all over, including some foreign countries, yet we have people up the street who have no idea what we do. But our name is out there. I'm proud of the art center. I get a lot of calls from consultants in New York and other places wanting to know how to create the atmosphere we have here.

"I tell them No. 1, work your tail off for 37 years; No. 2, invite a bunch of good friends over and sit back and watch them have fun. That doesn't seem to satisfy some of those folks who call. They want the six-month formula. I don't know the six-month formula. I encourage artists to follow their bliss, live their dreams. I've done that and am very happy. If I had stuck with electrical engineering maybe I'd be retired from Dell now with a big bank account, but I'm not taking anything with me but memories of good friends and what I've done. I'm not taking any money with me."

A lot of people drive by the place and are not sure what it is. "But I guarantee you if you just stop in, you'll meet some of the finest and friendliest and most talented people you'll ever meet."

The address is 2505 Martin Luther King Blvd. in San Angelo. Call 325-653-4936 or visit chickenfarmartcenter.com.

Roger calls his pottery shop Starkeeper Gallery. He has created a series of dinner plates that reflect a strong appreciation of Southwest Indian and Shaman culture. He has composed a story about Starkeepers that begins with these words: "Hiding the stars among the rocks and cactus at dawn then hanging them back in the sky at dusk ... that's the Starkeeper's job."

Tumbleweed lives in Big Spring and produces "The Sound of Texas" syndicated radio series. His website is tumbleweed-smith.com.

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin

www.utpb.edu

UTPB's innovative early college high school gets infusion of funding

Texas' first entirely virtual early college high school – a partnership between University of Texas of the Permian Basin and Presidio Independent School District – has been awarded a $215,000 grant from The Meadows Foundation.

Early college high school programs give students the opportunity to earn up to 60 hours of college credit while earning a high school diploma at the same time. College courses are free to students.

Presidio High School's William Soza Early College High School is not the state's first early college high school, but it is the first 100 percent online program, UT Permian Basin President W. David Watts said.

The Texas Education Agency requires early college high schools to be located on or near an institution of higher education, but Pesidio High School is in a remote area along the west Texas border, roughly 270 miles from UT Permian Basin, Watts said.

"It's impossible to bus students to a UTPB campus or community college," Watts said. "And it's not possible for faculty to commute every day."

That's why leaders from both Presidio ISD and UT Permian Basin pursued the creation of the first online early high school program in fall 2012, Watts said. Students have their own classroom at Presidio High School, and receive support and supervision from school staff, he said.

About 45 freshmen enrolled last fall, and 100 percent of them passed their college courses, he said.

"We're delighted with the relationship with Presidio ISD," Watts said. "We hope to turn this into a model that would serve all of rural Texas. This is an enormous opportunity for young people in Texas."

The leadership of Presidio ISD Superintendent Dennis McEntire and School Board President Carlos Nieto as well as Educate Texas Executive Director John Fitzpatrick has been critical to the success of the program, Watts said.

The grant money from The Meadows Foundation, a private philanthropic institution based in Dallas, will be used to defray travel costs for Presidio students and teachers who will attend a summer "bridge" program on the UT Permian Basin campus.

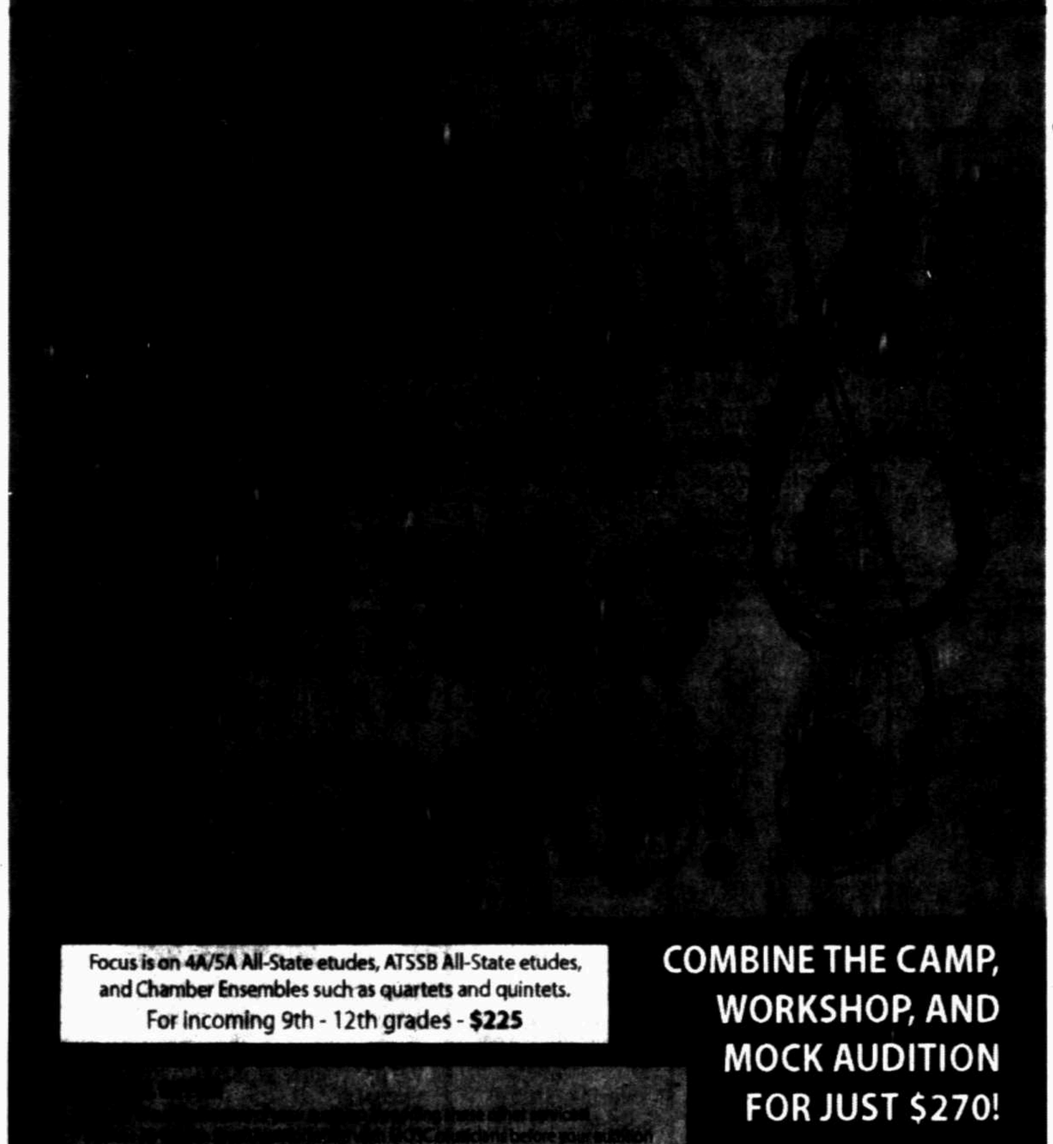
"We are grateful and appreciative to The Meadows Foundation for their financial support, and it will have a direct impact on student success," Watts said.

Linda Perryman Evans, president and CEO of The Meadows Foundation, said she was impressed by unique partnership between UT Permian Basin and Presidio ISD.

"A K-12 school district and an institution of higher education that are a four-hour drive away from each other joined together to think outside the box for the good of students," she said. "We think it's an important effort worth supporting."

Gene Powell, chairman of the UT System Board of Regents, said reducing the cost of a college education and increasing access, particularly for underserved students, is one of the top missions of the UT System.

"I applaud UT Permian Basin's willingness to embrace innovative solutions to benefit students who would not otherwise have the opportunity to earn college credit simply because of where they live," Powell said. "We hope this program serves as a model to expand higher education and improve the high school experience in rural Texas."



UTPB Calendar

BS in Nursing Degree Admission Deadline
July 1
Independence Day - Campus Closed
July 4

IS A NURSING DEGREE IN YOUR FUTURE?

UTPB is NOW ACCEPTING applications.

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin opens its doors this Fall for the very first time to a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (BSN). The degree is a four-year program, with the first two years consisting of general education courses followed by two years of nursing major courses. Students who have already completed the required courses of the first two years are also eligible to apply for admission to the Nursing Program this Fall.

Want to find out more? **DON'T DELAY – Applications are due July 1st.** Seats are limited to a maximum of 40 students. Apply today and watch your future take flight.

For a complete listing of the requirements and the application procedure go to the UTPB website: **www.utpb.edu.**

UTPB
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS OF THE PERMIAN BASIN

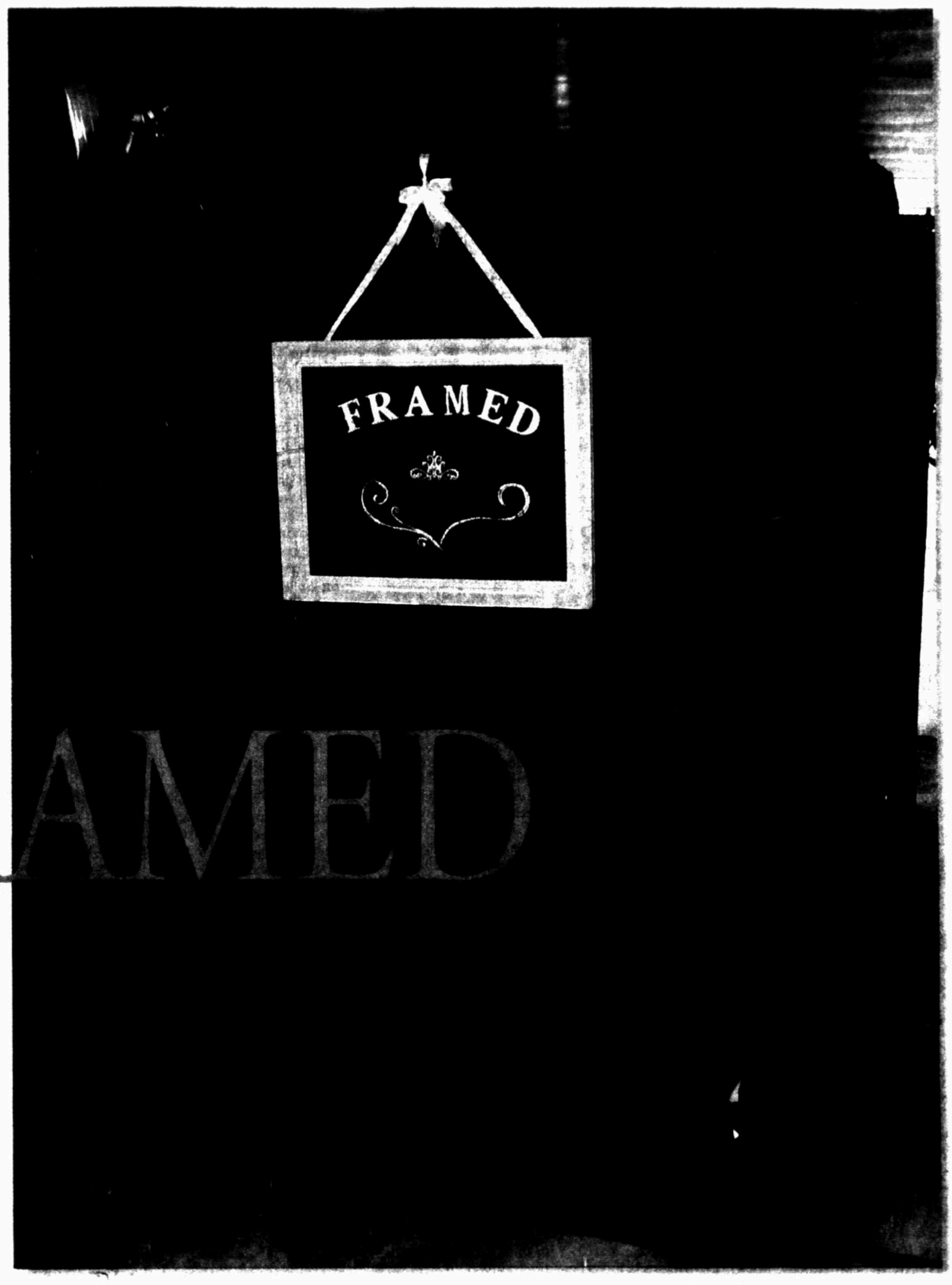
4901 E. University - Odessa, TX. 79762
432-552-2605

CARING • SCHOLARSHIP • IMAGINATION

NURSING at UTPB

New for Fall 2013! Call TODAY for more information! utpb.edu • 1-866-552-UTPB

This page is a paid advertisement produced by The University of Texas of the Permian Basin.



Jane McGill and sister Pam Schmidt started Framed Photo Booth in August. The company provides social interaction and fun at weddings, parties and events across the Permian Basin.

Tim Fischer\Reporter-Telegram

getting FRAMED

NAMES IN THE NEWS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

UT names new PETEX director

AUSTIN — Zahid Yoosufani has been named director and unit leader for the Petroleum Extension Service (PETEX™) at The University of Texas at Austin.

Since its inception in 1944, PETEX has become a leading educator and a "trainer of choice" for workers at all levels of the oil and gas industry in both Texas and around the world. As director, Yoosufani provides leadership to all components of PETEX including instructor-led training, publications and e-learning tools. PETEX is a department of the university's Division of Continuing and Innovative Education.

Yoosufani's appointment comes from Jeff Treichel, executive director, ad interim, of CIE. In addition to PETEX, CIE is comprised of the K-16 Education Center, Professional Development Center, Thompson Conference Center, University Extension and University of Texas-University Charter School.

As interim director, Yoosufani has achieved significant market growth for PETEX by introducing new training products and publications, enhancing customer service and growing the PETEX customer base worldwide. He came to CIE in 2009 after serving 30 years at IBM, where he held a variety of technology and management positions.

New taxpayer seminar scheduled

A new taxpayer seminar is being offered to businesses new to collecting state sales taxes on Tuesday, July 9.

Jessica Ford and Julie Glisson will discuss requirements for collecting and reporting state sales taxes and maintaining the required records.

The seminar will be at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin's Center for Energy and Economic Development building at Farm-to-Market 1788 and Highway 191 from 6 to 8 p.m. There is no charge to attend.

Photo booth looks to add happiness, fun to events

By Audrie Palmer
MRT Correspondent

Their mother always said that happiness is a choice and one should choose to be happy.

"What better way to do that for another family than provide happiness at events with this?" said Jane McGill.

Last August, McGill and sister Pam Schmidt took their mother's advice to heart and started Framed Photo Booth, providing social interaction and fun at weddings, parties and events across the Permian Basin.

The idea for the start-up business came the year prior when McGill's daughter Haley was getting married in Louisiana and looked into having a photo booth at the reception as a fun way for guests to interact with each other and create a lasting memory.

When McGill and Schmidt started looking into the photo booth, they realized this was something they could provide to others around the area as a fun wedding favor for guests and entertainment at birthday and company parties.

In October 2011, the sisters bought the business start-up kit with software, computer and props in from a company in New Jersey and set to work. Since then, they've tweaked the kit to make it their own by adding new computers, a high-quality camera and an $800 printer for faster and better quality prints.

With a business slogan of "the fun doesn't start until you get framed," the sisters are trying to spread a little fun and cheer to events across West Texas.

Both women work full-time jobs and use the photo booth as a second job and hobby. By having a photo booth, McGill said, it provides something neat and fun for guests and is a more lasting memory than a favor.

For weddings, McGill and Schmidt personalize scrapbooks for each of the brides based on their wedding colors and incorporate the wedding monogram as the template on each sheet the photos print out on.

For birthday parties and company picnics,

Please see **PHOTOS**/3F

DEFINE fitness studio opening in July

MELLA MCEWEN
Reporter-Telegram oil editor

Coming to Midland in July is DEFINE, a new fitness studio opening in the Plaza Oaks Shopping Center, 2101 W. Wadley Ave. The new studio will open for business July 22.

Native Midlander Megan Hayes Hohenberger will open the 2,800-square-foot location, bringing DEFINE outside of Houston for the first time and marking the company's seventh location. To celebrate, she will be offering free pre-opening classes the weekend of July 20.

An avid fitness enthusiast and DEFINE instructor, this will be her second time to open a DEFINE studio. This location will be the first to offer child care during morning classes. It will also carry athletic and workout apparel from bobi, Hard Tail, Splits59 and DEFINE-branded items and accessories for both women and men.

Classes will include DEFINE body, a 60-minute class of strength, flexibility and fun combining Pilates, yoga, ballet and core strengthening to target all the major muscle groups in the body. DEFINE mind, a 60-minute class focused on gaining flexibility, refreshing the body and calming the mind. DEFINE mind has elements of yoga, ballet barre stretching and Yamuna Body Rolling all in one class. DEFINE body & mind is a gentler version of the DEFINE body class that incorporates DEFINE mind elements. This 60-minute class focuses on improving strength, flexibility and balance. DEFINE xpress is a 30-minute, condensed version of the DEFINE body class. DEFINE revolution incorporates the ultra-effectiveness of the DEFINE body class into a 45-minute full body workout on a stationary bike. And the 30-minute DEFINE baby class is especially designed for moms with babies who love to be in a baby carrier!

DEFINE body & mind was developed by founder and Houston native Henry Richardson in 2009.

Those interested in more information or wanting to register for classes can go online at www.definebody.com or call the studio at 413-1954.

A-1 Office Furniture, 401 W. Industrial Ave., is celebrating its grand reopening under the management of Bob Westbrook, brought in by owners Harry and Lola Crawford to oversee the store.

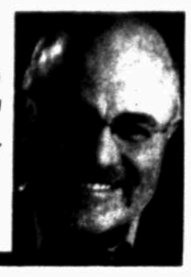
In business for 20 years, A-1 Office Furniture was recently purchased by the Crawfords. Westbrook plans to incorporate new technology into the business and is already at work involving the store with social media, creating a Facebook page and building a website to let the new companies moving to the area know what the store offers.

The owners plan to donate a percentage of each sale to the charity of the customer's choice.

More information is available by calling 683-8181.

Combine mortgage, equity loans into one with as short a term as possible

DAVE RAMSEY



Dear Dave,

My son has a $115,000 mortgage at 5.8 percent. He also has a home equity line of credit of $40,000 at 9 percent. Currently, he can get a 30-year loan at 3.5 percent, or a 15-year note at 2.75 percent. His take-home pay is between $70,000 and $80,000 a year, and these are his only debts. Should he combine the mortgages into one loan?

Daniel

Dear Daniel,

First, I only recommend mortgages of 15 years or less. Now we're looking at a 2.75 percent loan versus a 5.8 percent loan versus a 9 percent loan. I advise people to put home equity loans under Baby Step 2 of my plan, which is pay off all debt except for the house, provided that the loan is less than half of your annual income. Based on the income figures you gave, this situation is kind of on the bubble.

If I were in your son's shoes, I'd probably combine the two loans and refinance. I'd go for a new $155,000 fixed-rate mortgage at 2.75 percent, with no balloons and no calls. This kid can live a good life and get the mortgage paid off pretty quickly with the kind of money he's making.

But if it's me, I'm getting as short a term as possible on a refinance—maybe even a 10-year note instead of 15 years. Just imagine him getting all this knocked out and still having the majority of his life ahead of him. That's financial peace!

—Dave

Dear Dave,

My husband and I are debt-free. Recently I learned that I have a blended fund for retirement. Do you think I should switch to self-chosen funds? I have $26,000 invested at the moment.

Marina

Dear Marina,

My advice is to move your money into self-chosen funds. The problem with blended funds is not that they are blended, but that they'll move it around based on your age and where they perceive you to be in life. You won't even realize it's happening. I want you to be a lot more intentional with your money and know what's happening every step of the way.

With self-chosen funds you can look at them and say, "Those are my funds." Then, if down the road you decide one isn't doing as well as you like, you can move the money to a different fund. With blended funds it's almost like having a babysitter for your money. You're not the one watching the kids, and to me that's a big mistake.

There shouldn't be a lot of fees inside your 401(k) when it comes to trading funds. There's a good chance there won't be any fees at all, especially if you stay within the same company. Check into it, Marina, and talk to your human resources people. They can give you all the details.

—Dave

Decide if a student loan makes economic sense before incurring debt

RAY PERRYMAN

Headlines are full of dire stories about a looming student debt crisis. The number of households with outstanding student loans is at a record high, and the total amount outstanding has now topped $1 trillion. (Yes, trillion.) Horror stories of the extreme financial difficulties many people are dealing with as they struggle to repay loans paint a bleak picture. While there is certainly a very real human cost and affordability in general is a problem, I don't think there is reason to panic.

Rising college costs are an issue. At a time when we need to be improving rates of educational attainment (particularly in Texas), higher education is becoming increasingly expensive. Undergraduate tuition and fees and room and board costs have gone up an average of more than 30 percent over the past 10 years. For many families, the price is simply too high, and financial assistance is essential. Scholarships and grants answer part of this need; loans fulfill the rest.

Student loans fall into two major categories: federal and "private." Private loans are made by financial institutions, nonprofit lenders, or others. While the federal government used to guarantee and subsidize loans through private institutions, it stopped doing so in 2010, and the market for private college loans is much smaller than it once was. The federal government is thus now the key source of grant and loan funds for students.

According to data from the US Department of Education, the percentage of full-time, first-time degree/certificate-seeking undergraduate students receiving federal grants jumped from almost 32 percent to more than 46 percent from 2001 to 2010. The percentage of students receiving student loans went from 40 percent to 51 percent over the period.

Part of the reason for the growing total debt is, obviously, that larger numbers of students are utilizing loans. While on an individual basis debt may be burdensome, growth in the amounts borrowed and outstanding is not (in and of itself) a terrible thing for either individuals or the economy. In fact, both loan volumes and default rates are smaller than they have been in the past.

The bottom line is that student loans, like any debt, must be carefully weighed in black and white economic terms. On the one hand are the costs. This information is easily obtained: repayment schedules, interest rates and other terms. On the other hand are the benefits in terms of increased future earnings and the capacity to repay. If the economics don't work, the debt should not be incurred. It's as simple as that.

Data is very clear that higher education is linked both to higher income and a lesser chance for unemployment. However, it's important for students to get specific with this analysis. What degree or certificate is planned? What do people with that degree typically earn (especially shortly after graduation, when loan payments will begin to be due)? There are many sources for this data, both private and public. A small loan weighed against a large increase in earnings makes perfect sense. It's a wise investment. On the other hand, a large loan for a degree or certificate which is not linked to a commensurately bigger income may be a very bad investment (and a heavy burden down the road).

Looking at the loans students are unable to repay illustrates some important differences. Loan default rates are much higher for people who don't finish the programs they start. Students who foresee difficulties with completing their course of study should be very careful about incurring debt. Also, the typical default rates vary across the type of institution, with public, four-year universities coming in at the low end of the spectrum. Students in skills-oriented programs should always assure that they are attending reputable programs with reasonable completion rates and placement records.

Clearly, there are ways to improve student loan programs. Better information for potential borrowers is essential. Students should take on debt with a full realization of what they are in for — the future loan costs, their likely future earnings, and consequences of default. For many borrowers, college debt is among the first major financial transactions, and a clear understanding is essential.

It also makes sense for recent graduates to have at least a little time before they start accruing interest or moving toward default. Since most employers don't pay until you've been on the job a few weeks or a month, it makes some sense for there to be a reasonable grace period at the beginning. Also, for those who get loans for graduate/professional school, the clock shouldn't start ticking until after graduation. Interest rate subsidies also have a place. However, it does not help matters to start just writing off loans; there are implications for future viability and just plain fairness that should be considered.

For the vast majority of students, loans are manageable. The standard repayment terms are 10 years with fixed payments, and other options (such as income-based repayment plans and lengthier terms) are available. Monthly costs are outweighed by higher earnings streams, and individuals are better off financially than they would have been otherwise. In addition, most balances are ultimately repaid. As long as student loan decisions are made with a careful eye toward the costs and benefits, there is no cause to fear them.

Dr. M. Ray Perryman is president and chief executive officer of The Perryman Group (www.perrymangroup.com). He also serves as Institute Distinguished Professor of Economic Theory and Method at the International Institute for Advanced Studies.

TYLER PATTON

How to cut summer energy costs without heating up your employees

Texas summer isn't just hot. It can be expensive. Every time I look at my electric bill I wonder if there wasn't something I could've done to cut down on expenses. That's especially true for businesses that have people working and customers coming in and out.

Luckily, there are things businesses can do to keep those bills from getting out of hand. A lot of them apply to consumers as well.

Sometimes simple maintenance can make a big difference. Better Business Bureau has a few tips to save energy and cut costs, without getting your employees hot under the collar.

- Unplug electrical devices that are not being used. Many devices, such as chargers for cell phones, use power even when they aren't turned on.
- Replace traditional bulbs. Switching from incandescent light bulbs to EnergyStar-qualified bulbs can save about $6 a year in electricity per bulb and $40 over the lifetime of each bulb.
- Turn off lights before you leave. That's especially important for incandescent lights. You may also consider installing dimmers, sensors and timers to make sure lights are off when you don't need them.
- Keep air vents open. Blocking air vents with papers, desks, panels or office supplies reduces the efficiency of your HVAC system. According to EnergyStar, it takes as much as 25 percent more energy to pump air into a work space if vents are blocked.
- Change the filter. Change (or clean if reusable) your HVAC filters monthly during peak cooling or heating season. Dirty filters will run up your energy bill. They can also wear out the equipment and give you dirtier indoor air.
- Install a programmable thermostat. Automate your HVAC system to take occupancy into account. According to the EPA, a programmable thermostat could cut your HVAC costs about 30 percent.
- Control direct sunlight through windows. In the summer, you can reduce heat by blocking or screening windows, especially through east- and west-facing windows. You can use solar screens, solar film, awnings and vines. Over time, trees can provide this service.
- Use fans. Moving air with fans can make higher temperatures and humidity feel more comfortable. According to the EPA, a temperature setting of only 3 to 5 degrees higher can feel as comfortable with fans. Each degree of higher temperature can save about 3 percent on cooling costs.
- Plug the leaks. Weather stripping and caulking is a do-it-yourself job that will let you manage ventilation. Uncontrolled "leaking" or exchange of inside air through cracks around windows, doors and other holes can make cooling a building very expensive.
- Create an office team to promote energy efficiency. The EPA suggests creating a "Green Team" with your coworkers to help get the rest of the workplace to support energy efficiency in the workplace. Identify opportunities to save energy and hold an official launch or kickoff event. Consider having a pilot project to showcase at the kickoff. Small steps such as encouraging employees to replace at least one incandescent light bulb at their desks with an EnergyStar-qualified light bulb help motivate employees.

MARKET WATCH

Small business optimism is key to economic recovery

Bhupen Agrawal is Managing Director - Branch Manager of Wells Fargo Advisors' Midland office.

Amit Agrawal is an Associate Vice President - Investment Officer with offices in Midland and Austin.

Recently, the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) released its "Index of Small Business Optimism." The index rose modestly to its second-highest reading since the onset of the "Great Recession." While this is certainly positive news, the current reading is below what is considered typical in a "good" economy. And some parts of the survey are cause for concern.

Small business owners are considered by most analysts to be the main job creators in the American economy, so we pay close attention to what they have to say. This makes sense. Cautious business owners are less likely to add new workers or make investments in new equipment to expand their operations. And they have been cautious for quite some time. Job growth in this recovery has been slow to take hold, largely due to uncertainties over the sustainability of economic momentum, taxes, regulations, and the health care benefit costs of hiring additional employees.

These concerns were once again highlighted in the survey results. Our main focus is on job creation because the bulk of economic activity in the U.S. is based on the spending habits of American consumers. If jobs are hard to find and the unemployment rate is high, discretionary spending will suffer. As we have often said in the past, business optimism is the foundation on which consumer confidence is built. We need small businesses to be building inventory, buying new equipment, and hiring workers.

The economy continues to slowly recover but businesses are still hesitant to hire. The NFIB survey showed that only a modest number of those surveyed planned to increase employment. Temporary workers continue to make up a meaningful portion of many businesses' work forces. This is not a surprise when other segments of the survey showed that only a small percentage of businesses expect the economy or their sales to improve. One positive we can pass along is that at least pessimism on the economy and sales volumes was less than in the previous surveys.

But we need to see an increase in optimism on the part of small businesses. How will this happen? Clarity will go a long way; clarity on some of the main concerns these businesses face: the economic outlook; taxes, regulations; and health care costs. Business owners have little control over most of these issues. The economy, at least in our opinion, will continue to move ahead but not at a pace that will dramatically increase the comfort level of business decision-makers.

And, for better or worse, issues like taxes and regulations are debated and controlled by our elected officials in Washington. It does not seem that Congress is going to make it easy for businesses to plan for the future based on its recent behavior. But small business owners are a savvy group. They do what they need to do to survive. Lean and mean has been the operating mantra of businesses, both large and small, during this economic recovery. They have figured out how to make money in a modest growth economy.

We believe business confidence will rise further as we move through the balance of this year and into 2014. Small business optimism is the key to a better economy, more hiring, and higher stock prices.

Past Performance is no guarantee of future results. This article was produced on June 11, 2013 by Scott Wren, Wells Fargo Advisors senior equity strategist, and provided courtesy of Bhupen Agrawal.

Please see **MARKET**/3F

BANANAGRAMS!

LEVEL

Each of the following eight-letter sets can be rearranged to spell out a common word that starts with D E L or E X T and/or ends with L E D or I T E.

D E I I L M R U

A D E E E L M N

A E E L N T R X

E F I I I N N T

Yesterday's Answer: MEMBRANE, OCCUPANT 6.23

© 2013 Bananagrams, dist. by King Features Syndicate • www.worthman.com/bananagrams

ossible

n realize it's hap-
a lot more inten-
nd know what's
he way.
s you can look
are my funds."
ou decide one
like, you can
erent fund. With
like having a
y. You're not the
d to me that's a

t of fees inside
es to trading
ance there won't
lly if you stay
. Check into it,
human resources
u all the details.
—Dave

ner en-
t heat-
loyees

xpensive. Every
there wasn't
n expenses.
have people
t.
n do to keep
t of them apply

ake a big dif-
v tips to save
r employees hot

t being used.
hones, use

from incandes-
ulbs can save
l $40 over the

t's especially
ay also consider
make sure lights

nts with papers,
ne efficiency of
Star, it takes as
air into a work

(reusable) your
g or heating
gy bill. They
you dirtier

Automate your
ount. According
ould cut your

ows. In the sum-
creening win-
acing windows.
ings and vines.

ake higher tem-
able. According
3 to 5 degrees
Each degree of
ent on cooling

caulking is a
e ventilation.
side air through
holes can make

gy efficiency.
n" with your co-
ace to support
fy opportuni-
nch or kickoff
howcase at the
employees to
b at their desks
lp motivate

be
at
nds

N

T

T 6.23

PHOTOS

From 1F

they do the same thing but use either the company's logo or any other photo as a design on the sheets.

Recently, Framed was featured at Project Graduation events for both Odessa and Permian High Schools. While they don't advertise, all of their client base and bookings have been from word-of-mouth with a few bookings already scheduled for Christmas and a quinceanera planned for this fall.

The business has only one photo booth, which both sisters monitor at a reception or party and personalize to make sure that every guest has a fun experience and gets the most out of it.

McGill's son-in-law built the booth so the sisters can either provide a closed-in space or leave it as an open-air booth, which they prefer, saying that they have more interactions with the guests and that they get to see each other in the booth getting their pictures taken.

McGill believes what sets them apart from other photo booths in the area is their wide selection of props. With everything from a Statue of Liberty crown to bunny ears, she said they hope they provide more props than any other booth around and that she and Schmidt are always on the lookout for fun new things to add to their collection for guests.

The two now have more than 150 props to choose from, including more than 50 pairs of glasses both large, small and decorative with guitars or margarita glasses.

Some of their favorite props include the pirate hat and sword for the men and a wide variety of feather boas. More men get into those than the women, the sisters agreed with a laugh.

For the Beach Ball Blast fundraiser at Hillcrest School in Midland this month, the two brought more beach attire items to personalize the booth for the event. They did the same thing when they brought the booth for a prom that was Great Gatsby-themed and supplied Roaring 20s props and items for guests.

"We do our best to get the most for that particular setting," McGill said.

Their mustaches and lips on sticks are also popular props, but both sisters agreed that prop popularity changes from each venue.

"At an event one thing can be worn to pieces but not be touched at another party or wedding. You just never know what everyone is going to want," McGill said.

Schmidt said that she enjoys the interaction with the guests the most when bringing Framed to an event. It helps those at the party let loose.

"It's fun to see people really get out. If they're shy, we tell them that if they put on enough no one will know who they are," she said.

The booth, she added, is a great way for guests to interact with each other and provides a memory for a party or reception you wouldn't get otherwise.

"Our main goal really in just interacting with people," Schmidt said. "Our enjoyment is being sure everybody has a good time."

For more information about Framed Photo Booth call Jane McGill at 230-4371 or visit the business's website at www.framedphotobooth.com. Both McGill and Schmidt try to post pictures from all events within a few day also on the company's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/framedphotobooth.

MARKET

From 2F

managing director - branch manager of Wells Fargo Advisors' Midland office, at 684-7335. Additional information is available upon request. The material contained herein has been prepared from sources and data we believe to be reliable, but we make no guarantee as to its accuracy or completeness. The material is published solely for informational purposes and is not an offer to buy or sell or solicitation of an offer to buy or sell any security or investment product. Opinions and estimates are as of a certain date and subject to change without notice. You should be aware that investments can fluctuate in price, value and/or income, and you may get back less than you invested. Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC, member SIPC, is a registered broker-dealer and a separate non-bank affiliate of Wells Fargo & Company.

Investments and insurance products: NOT FDIC-Insured NO Bank Guarantee MAY Lose Value

Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC, member SIPC, is a registered broker-dealer and a separate non-bank affiliate of Wells Fargo & Company.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building Permits June 10-14

4605 Wilshire Drive	Residence-Detached	$4,048
726 Boyd Avenue	Residential Addition	$14,000
1301 N. Loop 250 W	Sign	$50,000
1301 N. Loop 250 W	Sign	$50,000
1301 N. Loop 250 W	Sign	$50,000
2900 W. Loop 250 N	Sign	$4,500
1905 W. Wall Street	Residential Addition	$200
301 Wolcott Avenue	Residence-Detached	$2,000
4511 N. Midkiff Road	Commercial Alteration	$75,000
5512 Los Patios Drive	Swimming Pool	$45,500
1405 E. Oak Avenue	Residence-Detached	$800
4712 W. Cuthbert Ave	Residence-Detached	$400
11812 Onyx Drive	New Commercial	$1,500,000
1709 N. Fort Worth St	Residence-Detached	$800
4411 Cardinal Lane	Residence-Detached	49,000
6112 N. Highway 349	Commercial Alteration	$34,000
406 S. Jefferson	New Residence	$139,680
3209 Courtyard Drive	Sign	$4,000
3228 Fairfield Lane	New Residence	$222,300
1407 E. Pecan Avenue	New Residence	$123,000
1409 E. Pecan Avenue	New Residence	$123,000
2810 Chelsea Place	New Residence	$242,000
2808 Parton Way	New Residence	$213,000
9700 Airways Drive	New Commercial	$500,000
9700 Airways Drive	New Commercial	$400,000
5315 Bella Place	New Residence	$118,446
3001 Baybridge Court	Residential Addition	$15,000
5804 Pedernales Drive	Residence-Detached	$2,000
1007 Rangers Court	New Residence	$158,000
1005 Rangers Court	New Residence	$159,000
1003 Rangers Court	New Residence	$161,000
1001 Rangers Court	New Residence	$171,000
1000 Rangers Court	New Residence	$213,000
1014 Rangers Court	New Residence	$187,000
1002 Rangers Court	New Residence	$162,000
1004 Rangers Court	New Residence	$158,000
1008 Rangers Court	New Residence	$145,000
1006 Rangers Court	New Residence	$145,000
1010 Rangers Court	New Residence	$148,000
1012 Rangers Court	New Residence	$171,000
303 Veterans Airpark	Commercial Alteration	$200,000
6307 Driftwood Drive	Residence-Detached	$15,000
3207 W. Shandon Ave	Residential Addition	$25,000
1123 Milltown Road	New Residence	$167,580
1119 Milltown Road	New Residence	$167,580
2108 Blackwood Drive	Swimming Pool	$61,700
1121 Milltown Road	New Residence	$108,480
5007 Teakwood Trace	Residential Addition	$12,000
4324 Princeton Avenue	Residential Addition	$5,700
508 E.Kintucky AVenue	New Residence	$75,000
411 S. Dallas	New Residence	$75,000
1706 CountryClub Drive	Swimming Pool	$12,000
3008 Goddard Place	Fence	$800
6509 Mosswood Drive	Swimming Pool	$28,000
5400 Thomason Drive	Commercial Addition	$10,000

Source: City of Midland

Roofs by Nicholas
432-520-7348 • 1-800-266-7348
Call today to schedule your free no obligation inspection and estimate to repair or replace your roof.
Also, ask about our attic insulation and ventilation products including the latest in solar powered vents!
Hail or Wind Damage? Call for FREE Inspection!
PLATINUM PREFERRED CONTRACTOR

SUNDAY MORNING — JUNE 23, 2013

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION PLEASE CHECK MOVIE LISTINGS

	G	S	R	C	W	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
BROADCAST																	
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	In Touch Ministries		GMA/Sunday		The Truth	House	Paid	This Week (N)		Church	Sports	Paid
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	Paid	Paid	Rain	M. Lyon	CBS Sunday Morning			FaceNat.	First Baptist Church		First Baptist Odessa	
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Kingdom	In Search	Tomorr.	In Touch Ministries		Key David	Paid	Paid	Animal	Stanton	Live Life	Hollywd.
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Consumer	Consumer	Consumer	Consumer	Fox News Sunday		Odessa	FaithAve	F.Hardin	Rain	Consumer	Consumer
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	(5:00) Light of south		Dr. Will	LifeBynd	In Touch Ministries		Zion	Sal.	Heart of the City		Shepherd's Heart	
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Paid	Secrets	Mercury	W.America	Sunday Today (N)		Meet the Press		First Baptist Church		Mercury	Mercury
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	C.George	Cat/ Hat	SuperW!	DinoTrain	D.Tiger	Sid	Speaks	Arthur	Wild K.	WordGirl	Cyberch.	Company
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Mercury	Mercury	Mercury	Mercury	Para volver a amar		Al punto		Fabrica de Risas		Republica deportiva	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		JTV	JTV Direct	Bob Vila	Homeown.	Faith	Hazelton	O.House	HomeT.	1 United	Game	Paid	Paid
PREMIUM																	
FLIX	340	65		165		★★ Camp ('03, Mus) Daniel Letterle.				★★★ Billy Elliot ('00, Dra) Jamie Bell.				★★ The Perfect Score			Movie
HBO	300	68	14	14		(5:30) Big Miracle		(:15) ★★★ Thunderstruck				Puss in Boots			2 Days	(:45) Love, Marilyn	
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(5:35) ★★ First Daughter			(:25) Don Juan De Marco			(:05) ★★ Dark Shadows Johnny Depp.				Family	Movie
HBOS	304	70	16	102		Movie	(:50) ★★ The Out of Towners Steve Martin.			(:25) Six Degrees of Separa...				(:20) Veep	(:50) The Three Stooges		
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(5:50) Mr. Popper's Penguins			★★ Spanglish Adam Sandler.				(:40) ★★ Meet the Fockers				Movie
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(5:00) The Rockete...		Major League: Back to the ...		(:45) ★★ Sideways ('04, Com/Dra) Paul Giamatti.						Cowboys & Alie...	
PLEX			96			(:20) ★★ Kids in America Julie Bowen.				★★ Tumbleweeds			(:45) ★ 20,000 Leagues Under...			(:20) Silver Wolf	
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	(5:30) Boxing Showtime Championship						Jim Rome		Dexter "Are You ...?"		Dexter	
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	(:15) ★★★★ The Ninth Gate ('99, Susp) Johnny Depp.					★★ Valkyrie ('08, War) Tom Cruise.				(:35) The Three Musketeers		
CABLE																	
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		The Glades		Longmire "Carcasses"		Longmire		Longmire	
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	Mad Men		Killing "Head Shots"		(:05) ★★ The Glass House Leelee Sobieski.				★★ Broken Arrow John Travolta.			
BET	58	26		40		(5:00) BET Inspiration				Bobby Jones Gospel		Lift Voice	Suddenly Single ('12, Dra) Isaiah Washington.				
BRAVO	65	63		41		Newlywed	Newlyweds First Year		Newlywed "Be Mine"		Newlyweds		Newlyweds		Newlyweds		Newlywed
CNBC	46	45		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	(5:00) New Day				State of the Union		Fareed Zakaria GPS		Reliable Sources		State of the Union	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	MythBusters		Deadliest Catch		NorthA. "Revealed"		N.America "Top 10"	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	M.Mouse	McStuffins	Jake	Sofia 1st	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	Dog Blog	Austin	Shake Up	Austin	Austin
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		OLines	Report	SportsCenter					
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	30 for 30 "The Two Escobars"				SportsCenter		OLines	Report (N)	E:60		Baseball Tonight (L)	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	★★★ The Goonies ('85, Adv) Sean Astin.					★★★ Big ('88, Com) Tom Hanks				★★ Wild Hogs John Travolta.		
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	(5:00) FOX & Friends Sunday						News HQ	Housecall	America's News HQ		America's News HQ	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Rachel Ray's Week in		Giada	Southern	Pioneer	Paula	Dinner (N)	Big Bite	King (N)	BBQ (N)	Chef Wanted	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Outdoors	Paid	LHSAA Ch "Baseball"		Paid	Paid	LHSAA Ch	Words	Game	Courtside	Stunt.	Polaris
FX	31	31	59	64	69	Smarter	Smarter	★★★ Madagascar: Escape 2 Africa				★★★ Kung Fu Panda ('08, Com) Jack Black.					Movie
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	Lucy	I Love Lucy	Lucy	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	★★★ Straight From The Heart Teri Polo.				Movie
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Hawaii	Property Brothers		Love It or List It	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Only in America		America	America	Only in America		Only in America		Only in America		Only in America	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	In Touch Ministries		Paid	David Jer.	J.Osteen	Paid	★ Liz & Dick ('12, Dra) Lindsay Lohan.				Ring of Fire Jewel.	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Hardball	Business	Up With Steve Kornacki				Melissa Harris-Perry				Weekends-Alex Witt	
NBCSN	38	39				FishBook	H.Outdoors	Bill Dance	Outdoor	Alaska	Fishing	Fishing	Babe W.	FLW Outdoors		Bill Dance	Fishing
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Parents	Parents	Mega	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	SanjayCr	Ninja	Monsters	Sponge	Sponge
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	Paid Program		Paid Program		Search	Horsep.	Trucks!	Muscle..	Tattoo	Bar Rescue		BarRes.
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	★ Pulse ('06, Hor) Zach Grenier.				30 Days of Night: Dark Days			
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Sullivan	★★ The Spy Next Door Jackie Chan.				★★ Sahara		
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	(5:00) Calamity Jane		★★★ Adventures of Huckleberry Finn				★★ My Gal Sal ('42, Mus) Victor Mature.				My Favorite Wife	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Pagado	Pagado	Raggs	Raggs	Noodle	LazyTown	Pagado	Pagado	Pagado	Op. Repo	Enfoque	Deportivo
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Four Weddings		Four Weddings		Four Weddings		Four Weddings	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	Law & Order "Acid"		The Hero "Trust"		Franklin & Bash		Franklin & Bash		FallSky "Badlands"		★★ Disturbia	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	(:10) Cosby	(:50) Cosby	(:25) The Cosby Show		Cosby	Cosby	SoulMan	The Exes	Hot In	Hot In	Roseanne	Roseanne
USA	26	30	42	27	49	Paid Program		Paid Program		NecRough	NecRough	Graceland "Heat Run"		★★ The Back-Up Plan Jennifer Lopez.			
WGN	19	18				Paid	Facts	Key David	Beyond	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	★★ The Negotiator Samuel L. Jackson.			

SUNDAY AFTERNOON — JUNE 23, 2013

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION PLEASE CHECK MOVIE LISTINGS

	G	S	R	C	W	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
BROADCAST																	
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	Paid	Wipeout		IndyCar Auto Racing Site: Iowa Speedway (L)					Paid	Paid	News	Paid
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	Best Greatest Sports		Sports Gone Wild		PGA Golf Travelers Championship (L)						FaceNat.	News
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	Made in Hollywood		★ Honeydripper ('07, Dra) Danny Glover.				★★★ Diggstown ('92, Act) James Woods.				ThereYet	ThereYet
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Heroes at Home				Gospel Superfest		FeelHome	Horse	HomeT.	Consumer	Consumer	Consumer
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Biblical	Mani Erfan	T.Scrivner	Dr. R.B.	Light of the Southwest Best of Week				J.McGee	Dollars	House Call	Alewine
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	Racing Super Series		Dew Tour (L)				Track & Field U.S. Championship (L)				Inside Ed.	News
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	W.Week	NeedKnow	Religion	Contrary	O.House	House	Perform White H		Great Performances		Nature	
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Republica deportiva		Fútbol	(:50) FIFA Fútbol Copa Confederaciones Spain vs Nigeria (L)					Como dice el dicho		Humor es	Noticiero
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Business	Homes	CARS.TV	AmAthlete	Thinks	OMG	Access Hollywood		Ent. Tonight		Private Practice	
PREMIUM																	
FLIX	340	65		165		(11:35) ★★ Deceived			★★ Phantoms Peter O'Toole.		(:10) ★★ Agent Cody Banks					★★ Camp	
HBO	300	68	14	14		Movie	(:45) Bill Maher		(:45) ★★★ The Dark Knight Rises ('12, Act) Anne Hathaway.						Chronicle Dane Dehaan.		
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	(11:30) ★★★ Die Hard			(:45) True Blood		(:45) Boxing					Fight	Boxing
HBOS	304	70	16	102		Movie	Love Wrecked Amanda Bynes.			★★★ Imaginary Heroes				(:55) J. Edgar ('11, Cri) Leonardo DiCaprio.			
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(11:40) The Five-Year Engage...			(:45) ★★★ The Bone Collector				(:45) ★★ The Hangover Part II				Movie
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(11:00) Cowboys ...		(:15) ★★ Devil Chris Messina.			(:40) ★★★ Romeo and Juliet				(:45) The Matrix Reloaded		
PLEX			96			(11:20) Silver Wolf		★★ The Toy Richard Pryor.			(:45) ★★ Tumbleweeds Janet McTeer.				Racing With the Moon		
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	Dexter		Dexter "Run"		Dexter "Swim Deep"		Dexter		Dexter "Chemistry"		Dexter "Argentina"	
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	Movie	The Bang Bang Club Malin Akerman.				Chicago "Inside the Windy City"				How to Lose Friends & Ali...		
CABLE																	
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Hoggers	Hoggers	Hoggers	Hoggers	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War	Ship War
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	Movie	★★ Hannibal ('01, Thril) Sir Anthony Hopkins, Julianne Moore.						★★ The Messengers Dylan McDermott.				Movie
BET	58	26		40		★★ Kingdom Come Whoopi Goldberg.				★ Lottery Ticket ('10, Com) Ice Cube, Bow Wow.					★ For Colored Girls		
BRAVO	65	63		41		Newlywed	Tardy...	Tardy...	Tardy...	Princesses: LI		Real Housewives		Housewives NJ		Housewives NJ	
CNBC	46	45		39	72	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	Fareed Zakaria GPS		CNN Newsroom		Your Money		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	Alaska "Family Ties"		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		Fast N' Loud		MythBusters		Skywire (N)	
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	Austin	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	A.N.T.	Dog Blog	Jessie	Shake Up	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	Austin	GoodLuck
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	(9:00) SportsCenter			FIFA Soccer Confederations Cup Spain vs. Nigeria (L)					MLS Soccer New York vs Philadelphia (L)			
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	FIFA Soccer Confederation Cup Tahiti vs. Uruguay (L)					SportsCenter		SportsCenter	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	Movie	★★ Shallow Hal ('01, Com) Gwyneth Paltrow.					★★ Happy Gilmore Adam Sandler.				Paul Blart: Mall...	
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	(11:00) News HQ		Fox News		Journal E.	Fox News	America's News HQ				Fox News	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Restaurant		Rest. "Sapori D'Italia"		Restaurant Stakeout		Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Chopped	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Boxing		H.S. Baseball UIL Championship					Football	Insider	BoysHall	West Coast Customs	
FX	31	31	59	64	69	(11:30) ★★ Knight and Day ('10, Act)				★★ Forgetting Sarah Marshall Jason Segel.					★★★ The Proposal		
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	(11:30) Always and Forever			★★★ Ever After: A Cinderella Story					Elevator Girl ('10, Fam) Lacey Chabert.			
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		Property Brothers		HouseH	House
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Only in America		Only in America		Only in America		Only in America		Only in America		Only in America	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	(11:00) Ring of Fire		★★★ A Walk to Remember				★★★ Something's Gotta Give ('03, Com) Jack Nicholson.					
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	(11:00) Alex Witt		Meet the Press		MSNBC News Live		Disrupt		The Ed Show		Caught on Camera	
NBCSN	38	39				Babe W.	Babe W.	FLW Outdoors		Track & Field		Mountain Games		Fishing	F. Drift	Motorsport Hour	
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Rugrats in Paris: The Movie			Fairly Odd Parents		Parents	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	Sponge	SanjayCr	SanjayCr
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	BarRes.	(:40) Bar Rescue		(:45) Bar Rescue		(:50) Bar Rescue		(:55) Fight "Fight to Choose"			Indiana Jones ...	
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	Stake Land ('10, Hor) Connor Paolo.				Children of the Corn David Anders.				My Soul to Take ('10, Hor) John Magaro.			
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	(10:30) ★★ Sahara		MLB Baseball Tampa Bay Rays vs. New York Yankees (L)						Queens	Queens	Wild, Wild West	
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	Movie	(:45) ★★★ Carousel ('56, Mus) Gordon MacRae.					★★ Palm Springs Weekend				Kisses for My P...	
TELE	20	8	10	20		Videos	A Perfect Getaway ('09, Act) Milla Jovovich.				★★ El poder del talismán Jackie Chan.				Op. Repo	La era de hielo 3	
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	(11:00) Disturbia		Countdown (L)		NASCAR Auto Racing Toyota/ Save Mart 350 Site: Sonoma Raceway (L)							TNTPre.
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
USA	26	30	42	27	49	★★ The Dilemma ('10, Com/Dra) Vince Vaugn.					★★ I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry					Couples Retreat	
WGN	19	18				Movie	Warmup	MLB Baseball Chicago White Sox vs. Kansas City Royals (L)						30 Rock	Home Videos		Bloopers

SUNDAY PRIME TIME — JUNE 23, 2013

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION PLEASE CHECK MOVIE LISTINGS

	G	S	R	C	W	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST																	
KMID ABC	3	3	4	3	2	America's Funniest Home Videos		Celebrity Wife Swap (N)		Whodunnit? "High Voltage" (P) (N)		Castle "After Hours"		KMID News	(:35) Crook and Chase		(:35) Paid Program
KOSA CBS	7	7	7	7	7	60 Minutes		Elementary "Snow Angels"		The Good Wife "Death of a Client"		The Mentalist "Black Cherry"		CBS 7 News	(:35) The Wire	(:05) The Closer	
KWWT CW	5	14		5	14	King of Queens	The King of Queens	★★ 88 Minutes (2008, Crime Story) Alicia Witt, Leelee Sobieski, Al Pacino.				Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Rules of Engage.	Rules of Engage.	'Til Death	'Til Death
KPEJ FOX	8	5	5	8	3	Cleveland Show	American Dad	The Simpsons	Bob's Burgers	Family Guy	American Dad	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Consumer Corner	Tx.Roadhouse	Jack Van Impe	Consumer Corner
KMLM IND	11	11	12	11	11	Doorways to Wisdom		Walking	Dr. Rik Wadge	Light of the Southwest				Jean-Claude	Update News	For the Heart of the City	
KWES NBC	9	9	9	9	9	America's Got Talent				Crossing Lines "Pilot" The team must find a cross-border serial killer. (P) (N)				News-West 9	Country Reporter	Paid Program	Whacked Out
KPBT PBS	13	13		13	8	Nova "Extreme Cave Diving"		Royal Memories		Masterpiece Mystery! "Inspector Lewis: Ramblin' Boy" (N)			Call the Midwife		Austin City Limits		Royal Memories
KUPB UNI	4	4		4	16	Aquí y Ahora		Parodiando 2				Sal y pimienta		Perspectiva	Noticiero Univision	Mexico suena "Recoditos"	
KOSA MNT	16	16		16		Burn Notice		Cold Case		The Closer		Law & Order		30 Rock	Sunny	Office	Game
PREMIUM																	
FLIX	340	65		165		(5:00) ★★ Camp		★★★ Citizen Ruth ('96, Com) Laura Dern.				★★ The Baby Dance			(:35) ★ Dirty Love		
HBO	300	68	14	14		★★★★ Pitch Perfect Anna Kendrick.				True Blood (N)		Veep (N)	Family (N)	True Blood "The Sun"		Veep	Family
HBO2	302	69	15	101	23	Bill Maher		True Blood		★★ Dark Shadows Johnny Depp.				★★★ Die Hard ('88, Act) Bruce Willis.			
HBOS	304	70	16	102		(:15) Seeking a Friend for the End of the...				★★ Magic Mike Channing Tatum.				Love Wrecked Amanda Bynes.			Movie
MAX	380	71	17	120	24	(5:30) [illegible]		(:15) ★★ Reality Bites Winona Ryder.				★★ Savages ('12, Cri) Aaron Johnson.				JumpOff	JumpOff
MAX2	382	72	18	122		(4:45) The Matrix ...		Banshee		★★ Deep Impact ('98, Act) Elijah Wood.				Skin Max	Guide	★★★ Sanctum	
PLEX			96			(:20) ★★ Kids in America Julie Bowen.				★★ The Toy Richard Pryor.			(:45) ★ 20,000 Leagues Under...			(:20) Racing Wit...	
SHOW	320	66	19	140	25	Dexter "Helter Skelter"		Dexter		Dexter		Dexter		Nurse J.	Borgias "The Prince"		Gigolos
TMC	336	67	22	155	26	Movie	★★ Our Idiot Brother			2 Days in New York			(:40) Another Happy Day Ellen Barkin.				Movie
CABLE																	
A&E	27	32	28	35	47	Duck Dy	Duck Dy	Duck Dy	Duck Dy	Duck Dy	Duck Dy	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Duck Dy	Duck Dy
AMC	40	21	23	42	51	(5:30) ★★★ Black Swan Natalie Portman.				The Killing (N)		Mad Men (N)		(:05) The Killing		(:05) Mad Men	
BET	58	26		40		(4:30) ★ For Colored Girls			★★ The Best Man ('99, Rom) Nia Long, Taye Diggs.					Game	Game	BET Inspiration	
BRAVO	65	63		41		New Jersey Social (N)		Housewives NJ (N)		Princesses: LI (N)		Wives NJ "Gym Rats"		Watch (N)	Wives NJ "Gym Rats"		Wives NJ
CNBC	46	45		39	72	Princess	On/Money	60 Minutes		Behind Closed Doors		American Greed		60 Minutes		Porn: Business	
CNN	43	24	51	30	56	CNN Newsroom		Anthony Bourdain		Anthony Bourdain		Inside Man		Anthony Bourdain		Anthony Bourdain	
DISC	50	20	31	24	42	(5:00) Skywire (N)		Skywire Live With Nik Wallenda (N)				(:20) Naked (N)		(:20) Skywire Live With Nik Wallenda			
DISNEY	56	27	36	25	36	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	Dog Blog	Austin (N)	Shake (N)	Jessie	GoodLuck	GoodLuck	Austin	Austin	GoodLuck	GoodLuck
ESPN	32	29	48	31	30	Baseball Tonight (L)		MLB Baseball Texas Rangers vs. St. Louis Cardinals (L)						SportsCenter			SportsC.
ESPN2	34	28	49	32	31	NHRA Drag Racing New England Nationals Site: New England Dragway						FIFA Soccer Confederation Cup Esp./Nig.				Poker '12 World Series	
FAMILY	53	54	34	42	33	(5:00) Paul Blart: ...		★★ Zookeeper ('11, Com) Kevin James.				★★ Zookeeper ('11, Com) Kevin James.				J.Osteen	K. Shook
FNC	45	58	53	23	55	FOX Report Sunday		Huckabee		To Be Announced		Stossel		Huckabee		To Be Announced	
FOOD	64	59	27	68	54	Food Network Star		Cupcake Wars (N)		Food Star (N)		Restaurant (N)		Iron Chef America		Food Network Star	
FSSW	37	43	50	45	29	Bull Riding		WPT Poker LA Classic		WPT Poker LA Classic		UFC Unleashed		Game365	Spotlight	Poker	
FX	31	31	59	64	69	(4:30) The Proposal		★★★ Just Go With It ('11, Com) Adam Sandler.					★★★ Just Go With It ('11, Com) Adam Sandler.				
HALLMARK	54	49	58		34	[illegible]				★★★ Straight From The Heart Teri Polo.				Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier
HGTV	63	50	26	48	44	HouseH	House (N)	Dec. Star (N)		Love It/ List It (N)		HouseH	House	HouseH	House	Love It or List It, Too	
HISTORY	71	62	29	50	43	Pwn Star	Pawn Star	Mountain Men		Mountain Men		Ice Road Truckers (N)		Swamp People		Mountain Men	
LIFETIME	28	25	25	28	48	★★ Sweet Home Alabama				Drop Dead Diva		Devious Maids (N)		Devious Maids		Drop Dead Diva	
MSNBC	47	51		49	73	Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Caught on Camera		Lockup		Lockup "Miami-Dade"		Lockup	
NBCSN	38	39				MLS Soccer Colorado Rapids vs. Portland Timbers (L)					MLS 36	P.World	Tour de France		Dew Tour		
NICK	55	34	39	34	37	Sam, Cat	Sam & Cat	See Dad	WendVinn	[illegible]					Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	30	22	55	53	58	[illegible]											
SYFY	66	64	41	57	67	[illegible]											
TBS	25	11	44	66	41	[illegible]											
TCM	41	61	24	63	66	[illegible]											
TELE	20	8	10	20		[illegible]		La Voz Kids				Acceso "La Voz Kids"		Titulares	Op. Repo	[illegible]	
TLC	51	33	32	38	52	Breaking Amish		L.Island	L.Island	Medium	Medium	Breaking Amish (N)		Medium	Medium	Breaking Amish	
TNT	24	23	40	26	50	[illegible]	[illegible]					FallSky "At All Cost"		FallSky "At All Cost"		[illegible]	
TVLAND	49	48	35	54	35	(:05) Hot In	(:45) G. Girls	(:20) Golden Girls		G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	Hot In	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls
USA	26	30	42	27	49	(5:00) ★★ Couples Retreat			★★ No Strings Attached ('11, Com) Natalie Portman.					Burn "Down Range"		[illegible]	
WGN	19	18				Bloopers	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	Mother	News	(:40) Replay	★★★ Man on Fire Denzel Washington.			

Look, you can OWN THE WORK.

Or let it own you.

CASH BACK*

THE 2013 SUPER DUTY

BUILT Ford TOUGH

Rogers Ford Midland 432 694 8801	Sewell Ford Odessa 432 498 0421	Stockton Ford Ft. Stockton 432 336 3351	Bob Brock Ford Big Spring 432 267 7424

Kermit Motor Co Kermit 432 586 2551	Stanley Ford Andrews 432 524 3673	B.F. White Motor Co Stanton 432 756 3321

#1 Ford

BEST IN TEXAS
TEXASFORD.COM

OIL REPORT

Midland Reporter-Telegram | mywesttexas.com | Sunday, June 23, 2013 | Section G

shifting FOCUS

Bold Energy learns to adapt to changing worlds

■ Over eight years, focus has shifted from natural gas to oil to horizontal drilling

By Mella McEwen
mmcewen@mrt.com

"The challenge, when the world changes, is making the correct decision," says Joe Castillo, president of Bold Energy II LLC. "You may not know for months afterward if the decision was correct or not."

Castillo and those who helped him found Bold Energy have found themselves facing a changed world more than once since the first Bold Energy was formed in 2005.

When Bold Energy I was formed in 2005, Castillo noted, it was focused on the Morrow and Atoka natural gas-producing formations in Southeast New Mexico, "principally in Lea County and secondarily in Eddy County."

Before pitching the concept to equity firms, he said, he and his fellow founders, David Cox and Peggy Worthington, conducted extensive geological studies of the formations.

"When we went to the equity guys, that was our selling point, that we understood the Morrow," Castillo said. EnCap Investments was willing to take a chance on the fledging company, and within two years Bold Energy I had grown natural gas production from zero to 16 million cubic feet per day.

EnCap continues to partner with Bold to this day.

Cox, who serves as president of Storm Peak Energy and remains a director at Bold, said he is proud of the team the company has assembled.

Bold Energy, Castillo said, is not in the business of producing oil and natural gas. Its business, he explained, is to build and then sell reserves.

"We can produce or we can sell the future value," he said. "By selling, you're removing future risk."

He continued, "guys like us, we find oil and gas and sell it to companies that produce oil and gas. It's a nice interrelationship between private equity businesses and public companies."

First time world changes

Bold Energy I was sold to Occidental Petroleum in 2008, marking the first time the world changed for Castillo and his partners.

"When we went to market, it was February 2008 and the sales process takes about 60 days," Castillo explained. "In that 60 days, oil and natural gas prices rose dramatically so our timing was perfect. When we closed the sale to Oxy in May 2008, we were able to capture a premium price."

Second time world changes

With the proceeds from the sale of Bold Energy I in hand, plans were being formulated for Bold Energy II. At the time, Castillo noted, the 2008 presidential elections were underway and then-New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson had sought the Democratic nomination for president.

"We saw what we perceived was the beginnings of a more onerous regulatory environment," he observed. "In particular, what we saw was a change in how drilling was being done in New Mexico, particularly on Bureau of Land Management and state lands."

He pointed to changes in how drilling cuttings and muds were to be disposed. So, he said, "we decided to take a sabbatical from Southeast New Mexico and let the big guys figure it out." While he stressed the company would be happy to resume activity in New Mexico, "we came back to Texas and the world changed in a matter of months."

That change was the beginnings of the Great Recession, he said.

"By the time we figured out what we wanted to do, oil prices had peaked at $147 a barrel and natural gas prices had peaked at $15 an Mcf. The industry was on fire," he recalled.

Within a couple of weeks of opening its doors, Bold Energy II had assembled 18,000 acres in Irion County and scheduled a well planning to focus on Canyon gas production. Castillo noted that it had taken from June to November to get a drilling rig.

"Within months, oil prices had plummeted from $137 to $52 and natural gas followed a similar trajectory, falling from $12 per Mcf to $4 per Mcf," he said. By early in the first quarter of 2009, oil prices were $35 and natural gas was below $4 per Mcf.

"We found ourselves with acreage in Irion County we couldn't drill," Castillo said. "So we shifted gears."

They decided, he said, that natural gas prices were not going to recover "any time soon" but that oil prices had been oversold.

Please see **BOLD**/3G

"We decided that, if we're going to make a meaningful venture in Bold Energy III, we needed an opportunity to drill horizontally."

JOE CASTILLO, president of Bold Energy II LLC

TCEQ helicopter to fly over Permian Basin looking for air emissions

By Mella McEwen
mmcewen@mrt.com

At some point between now and mid-August, Midlanders may notice a red helicopter, Tail Number N342LS hovering over or near pipelines, oil and natural gas production or other industrial facilities.

The helicopter belongs to the Texas Commission On Environmental Quality and comes equipped with a specialized infrared camera called the HAWK that can image volatile organic compounds and other hydrocarbons invisible to the eye. VOCs are a class of compounds present in common things like gasoline and used as solvents or industrial chemicals. They can combine with nitrogen oxides in the presence of sunlight to form ground-level ozone.

When the camera detects possible hydrocarbon emissions, the technician on the helicopter will note the time and location and other information about the emissions source.

The project targets West and South Texas counties and will be conducted over oil and gas production areas in Midland and Ector counties along with Andrews, Atascosa, Bee, Crockett, De Witt, Dimmit, Gaines, Howard, Irion, Karnes, La Salle, Live Oak, Martin, McMullen, Reagan, Reeves, Upton, Ward, Webb and Winkler counties. The helicopter flights will conclude by Aug. 16.

It is a follow up to similar projects conducted by the TCEQ to identify hydrocarbon sources that may potentially be underrepresented.

"We want to make sure hydrocarbon sources are not underrepresented and it is all aimed at understanding and preventing ozone," said Terry Clawson, TCEQ spokesman.

"We have known the TCEQ was planning to do some in-depth analysis with respect to emissions off oil equipment and we appreciate them letting us know about the fly-overs," said Ben Shepperd, president of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association. "We wish they planned to do this in the spring, fall or winter. Given the heat of West Texas summers, it's likely they may see more emissions so the data may be skewed."

TCEQ representatives have offered to come talk to PBPA members about what the agency plans to do with the data it gathers. Shepperd said he intends to take them up on the offer.

Given the heightened scrutiny over emissions from the Environmental Protection Agency, Shepperd said, "operators are taking ever-greater steps to check their equipment and minimize leaks," like installing vapor recovery units and flare equipment. "People are more conscious of emissions than ever before."

SIMPLEX ENERGY SOLUTIONS
(432) 683-3791
www.simplexenergy.com

Perkins-Prothro
Operated Oil & Gas Properties & Contiguous Leasehold
Coke County, Texas
67 BOPD & 644 MCFPD (Avg. Jan, 2013 - Mar, 2013)
9,543 Acres Leasehold (HBP - All Rights, All Depths)
Jameson (Strawn) and Blanks Units
Upside Potential: Infill Drilling, Strawn Waterflood,
and the emerging Cline Shale Play

Midland College

PETROLEUM PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER

To register and for more information, go to the Midland College PPDC Website: www.midland.edu/ppdc

Courses

On-Line Land Management Certificate Program - Module 2 of 6 Modules: Title: Chaining, Interpreting, and Curing Title
Instructor: Alyce Hoge
Start Date: July 2, 2013; End Date: July 31, 2013 - Registration Deadline: Noon, July 2nd
$599; (purchased book for previous modules)
$649; New Registrants, includes $50 manual (AAPL Land Reference Guide) If you plan to register for additional modules, the $50 materials fee is a one-time charge

Basics of Mudlogging
Instructor: Sandra Elliott
July 8, Mon, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
$325; Out of State, $350
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Fundamentals of Directional Drilling
Instructor: Mark Bland
July 9-11, Tue-Thu, 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
$1,295; Out of State, $1,320
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Petroleum Geology for Non-Geologists
Instructor: Paul H. Pausé
July 15-18, Mon-Thu, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
$1,295; Out of State, $1,320
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Drilling Fluids I: A Quick Start for Beginning Mud Technologists
Instructor: Gary Gay
July 15-August 9, Mon-Fri, 6-10 p.m.
$2,650; Out of State, $2,675
Abell-Hanger Science Faculty Building, Midland College Main Campus, 3600 N. Garfield Street,

Property Evaluation
Instructor: J. T. (Tommy) Lent, Jr.
July 16-17, Tue-Wed, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
$430; Out of State, $455
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

SQL: Application to Oil/Gas Relational Databases
Instructor: Celia Payne
July 16-17, Tue-Wed, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
$245; Out of State, $270
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Natural Fractures in Hydrocarbon Reservoirs
Instructor: Dr. John Lorenz and Scott Cooper
July 22-23, Mon-Tue, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
$765; Out of State, $790
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

The Oilfield from Planning to Plugging
Instructor: T.E. Gill
July 30-31, Tue-Wed, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
$430; Out of State, $455
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

On-Line Land Management Certificate Program - Module 3 of 6 Modules: Negotiating and Calculating Interests in the Oil and Gas Lease
Instructor: Alyce Hoge
Start Date: August 5, 2013; End Date: August 30, 2013 - Registration Deadline: Noon, August 5th
$599; (purchased book for previous modules)
$649; New Registrants, includes $50 manual (AAPL Land Reference Guide) If you plan to register for additional modules, the $50 materials fee is a one-time charge

Well Control Drilling/Workover (WellCAP)
Instructor: Larry Chapman
August 5-8, Mon-Wed, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Thu, 8 a.m. - Noon
$800; Out of State, $825
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Oilfield Terminology
Instructor: J. T. (Tommy) Lent, Jr.
August 6-7, Tue-Wed, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
$430; Out of State, $455
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

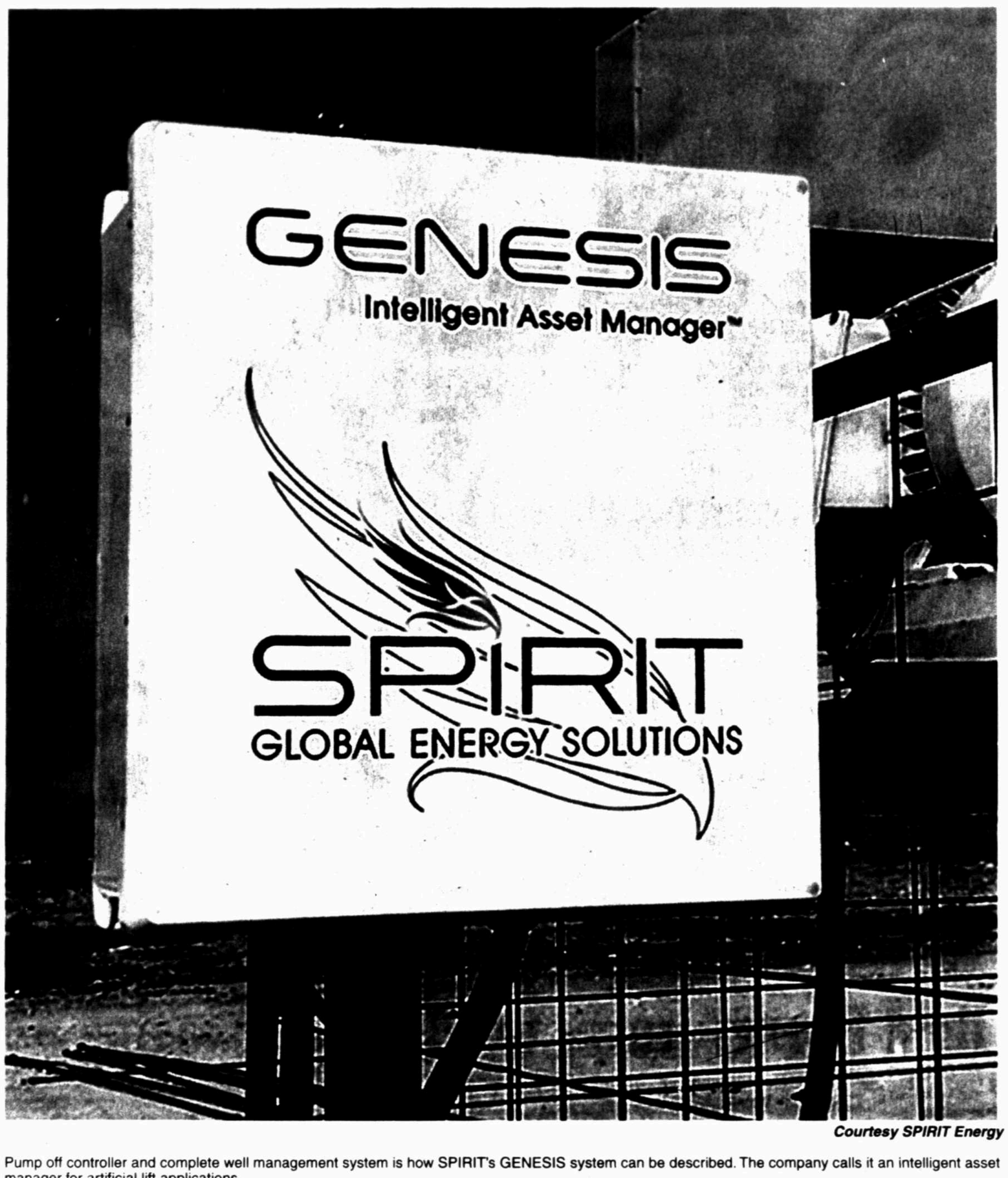
Basic Well Log Analysis
Instructor: Dr. George Asquith
August 12-14, Mon-Wed, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
$775; Out of State, $800
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

PETRA
Instructor: Greg Hinterlong
August 12-13 Mon-Tue, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Registration closed - Call to be put on the waiting list
$625; Out of State, $650
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Land and Leasing - Oil and Gas
Instructor: Ernie Gilkerson
August 15, Thu, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Lunch 1-1/2 hours)
$280; Out of State, $305
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Basic Oilfield Operations Training
Instructor: Mike Brock
August 20-21, Tue-Wed, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
$475; Out of State, $500
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois

Oilfield Manager (OFM) - Introduction
Instructor: Celia Payne
August 20-21, Tue-Wed, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
$870; Out of State, $895
Midland College PPDC Building, 105 W. Illinois



Courtesy SPIRIT Energy

Pump off controller and complete well management system is how SPIRIT's GENESIS system can be described. The company calls it an intelligent asset manager for artificial lift applications.

Midland firm releases cutting-edge well management system

By Paul Wiseman
Special to the Oil Report

After four years of design and testing, SPIRIT Energy Solutions recently introduced its GENESIS intelligent asset manager for artificial lift applications. The 5-year-old company combined the expertise of its own people, including company President Matt Raglin, with input from friends around the industry to design its product.

Rather than upgrade any existing package, the company started GENESIS from scratch. "The rod-pumping world is really a small world," Raglin related. "The expertise in the rod-pumping world is also very contained." The tight-knittedness of that community allowed SPIRIT to readily collect input from end users as to what features they would like to see in a rod pump management system. Then company engineers set to work interfacing hardware and software geared to making that happen.

Raglin explained that the system grew out of the fact that the company considers its job, as well weighers, to be optimizing rod pumped wells and to giving wells a long span between equipment failures.

Among the features Raglin listed as new to the industry are advanced control algorithms and diagnostics. The system's hardware, which includes a pump off controller, basically saves an infinite number of dynamometer cards and other data. This data is monitored at very small increments, down to the individual pump stroke, looking for anomalies such as fluid pound, load and more.

The algorithm then makes adjustments to the pump, including its speed (for variable-speed pumps), to optimize the pump's efficiency. The goal is also to extend the life of the equipment by eliminating fluid pound.

Raglin noted that earlier times saw wells adjusted weekly or even monthly, but that downhole conditions change much more often than that, especially in EOR fields, where the flow of water or CO2 can vary throughout the day. By doing the evaluations at short intervals the GENESIS system can make small or large adjustments much faster and more efficiently than humans could. "What you're looking for is the optimum sweet spot" for that pumping unit, Raglin explained.

Continual monitoring and adjusting allows the well to match the production capacity to the reservoir capacity.

Referring to the system's algorithms as artificial intelligence, Raglin said the system should "learn" as it goes, making better and better adjustments as it goes along.

With telemetry, such as MODBUS, offices can monitor data and adjustments and only send pumpers or other personnel to the well when a problem requiring human intervention is detected. The system can even incorporate video cameras to give further data to company field personnel.

The system also takes advantage of Wi Fi and Bluetooth at the well site. This way, when pumpers are still required to make daily visits, they can take reading without leaving the truck, making them safer from unwanted critters and streamlining the data collection process.

In addition to declaring firsts at Wi Fi and Bluetooth, Raglin said his company's system is the first to incorporate iPhone and iPad compatibility. "That's part of it — it's just taking advantage of what Bill Gates and Steve Jobs gave us," Raglin said.

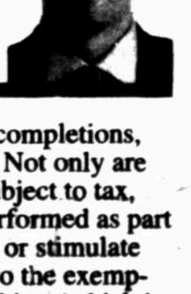
One of the goals of the GENESIS team was to make the best use of the latest software and hardware — a goal that required them to make updates as they went, over the course of the four years of development.

They also wanted to develop a system that would allow upgrades and additions as it went along, keeping it useful for the entire 15- to 20-year expected life span of a pump off controller.

In all of the modernization of technology, the fact that the basic design of the pump jack has not changed in 2,000 years is not lost on Raglin. In teaching rod pumping schools, he starts with a lesson on that history. "The first slide that I always put up is a first-century Roman water well and…it is so similar to this system that we use." Plunger, pump, lever and counterbalance in a positive displace-

Please see **SYSTEM**/7G

Sales tax exemptions: How Permian Basin energy companies can benefit



CHRIS WALLACE
CPA

The state of Texas offers numerous sales tax exemptions to the energy industry. These exemptions apply to a wide array of operational purchases, such as downhole services, production equipment, roustabout services, chemicals and utilities.

However, the exemptions can be complicated, subject to change over time, and difficult to track considering how many vendor invoices an energy company processes. What makes taking advantage of these savings opportunities even more difficult is that vendors often unilaterally decide when sales tax is applied to purchases.

In fact, the biggest mistake energy companies often make is assuming that vendors are aware of all the potential exemptions and are correctly applying those exemptions to purchases. Energy companies must proactively communicate with their vendors to make sure that they are not charged sales tax in error.

A variety of operational exemptions are available to Permian Basin energy companies within the upstream sector.

Downhole services that start or stimulate production are exempt from sales tax. Qualifying services include completions, frac jobs and recompletions. Not only are these specific services not subject to tax, but all downhole services performed as part of a project designed to start or stimulate production are also entitled to the exemption. For example, pulling tubing (which is normally taxable) becomes a non-taxable service if performed as part of a recompletion.

Production equipment that causes a chemical or physical change to the product qualifies as non-taxable. Equipment such as separators, heater treaters and dehydrators, which are used to refine the oil and gas stream, are not subject to tax. Further, normally taxable repair parts and repair labor for such equipment are also exempt.

Roustabout services are too numerous to discuss in detail, but common non-taxable services performed by these companies include building a location, cleaning up oil spills, repair and maintenance on exempt production equipment and digging pits.

Chemicals are not subject to sales tax if they are either oil soluble or cause a change to the product. Glycol, for example, is used to remove water from natural gas. It causes a change to the natural gas, and is therefore tax exempt.

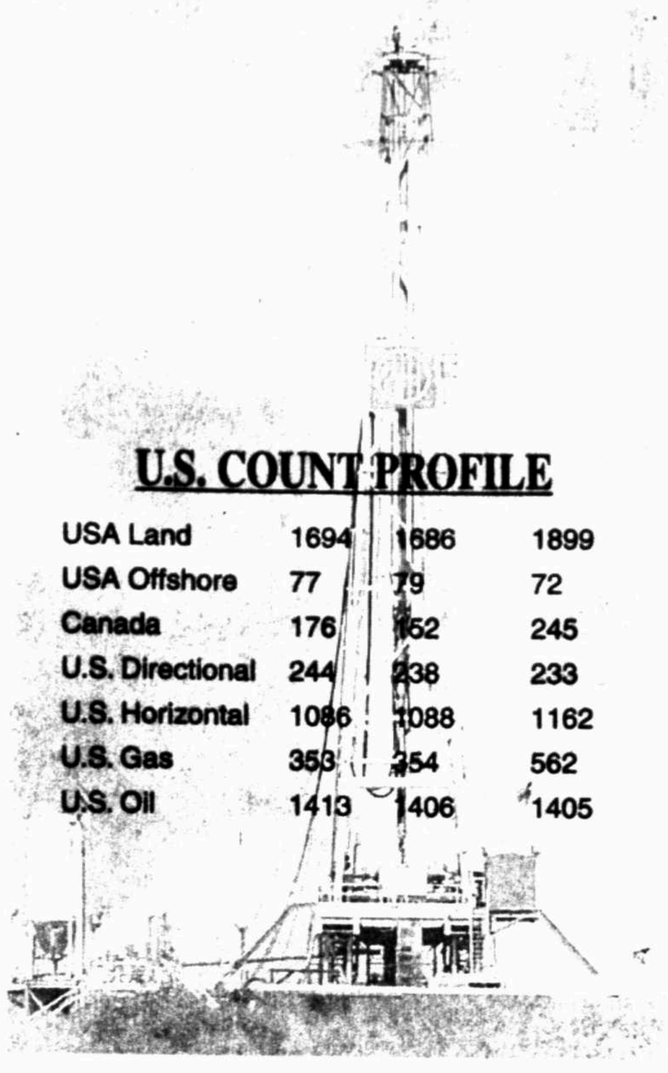
Electricity used to produce or transport a material extracted from the earth is exempt from sales tax. Practically speaking, electricity purchased for a well site or compressor station qualifies for the exemption.

In summary, taking advantage of sales tax exemptions offered to the energy industry is a three-step process:

First, energy companies need to understand the exemptions which are available to them.

Secondly, companies need to identify

Please see **WALLACE**/7G



U.S. COUNT PROFILE

USA Land	1694	1686	1899
USA Offshore	77	79	72
Canada	176	152	245
U.S. Directional	244	238	233
U.S. Horizontal	1086	1088	1162
U.S. Gas	353	354	562
U.S. Oil	1413	1406	1405

MID-WEEK WTI POSTED PRICES

SPOT NATURAL GAS PRICE PROFILE

Current Natural Gas Prices Price per MMBtu	First of the Month Price	Closing Prices 6/19/13	Same Period One Year Ago
New York Mercantile Exchange (NYMEX) future price:....	$4.148	$3.963	$2.545
Composite Field Prices For Waha Hub:.....	$4.130	$3.770	$2.395
Composite Field Prices For Rocky Mountains:.....	$3.910	$3.658	$2.254
Composite Field Prices For Permian Basin:	$3.980	$3.720	$2.393
Composite Field Prices For San Juan Basin:.....	$3.950	$3.715	$2.365
Composite Field Prices For Midcontinent:	$3.983	$3.703	$2.361
Composite Field Prices For Gulf Coast:.....	$4.106	$3.861	$2.414

PERMIAN BASIN

TEXAS

DIST. #7C

Coke	2
Concho	0
Crockett	11
Irion	15
Kimble	0
McCulloch	0
Menard	0
Reagan	22
Runnels	0
Schleicher	1
Sutton	0
Terrell	0
Tom Green	0
Upton	29

DIST. #8

Andrews	25
Brewster	0
Crane	9
Culberson	7
Ector	28
Glasscock	42
Howard	15
Hudspeth	0
Jeff Davis	0
Loving	14
Martin	38
Midland	26
Mitchell	4
Pecos	6
Presidio	0
Reeves	35
Sterling	5
Ward	20
Winkler	4

DIST. #8A

Bailey	0
Borden	2
Cochran	0
Cottle	0
Crosby	2
Dawson	4
Dickens	1
Floyd	0
Gaines	2
Garza	2
Hale	0
Hockley	2
Kent	3
King	2
Lamb	0
Lubbock	0
Lynn	1
Motley	0
Scurry	6
Terry	1
Yoakum	7
TEXAS TOTAL	393

NEW MEXICO

Chaves	1
Eddy	42
Lea	25
Roosevelt	0
N.M. TOTAL	68

BOLD

From 1G

"We decided to shift from natural gas to oil so we began looking for partners and we found one in EOG Resources, "which bought 80 percent of Bold's Irion County position and put together a horizontal Wolfcamp drilling program, which he said took him and his partners by surprise.

They took the proceeds from EOG's purchase and began looking for "inexpensive vertical drilling for oil reserve" opportunities in the Central Basin Platform. They also pursued opportunities in the Avalon and Bone Spring formations in the Delaware Basin, acquiring 4,000 acres in Loving and Reeves counties.

The acreage in Loving and Reeves counties were sold to Petrohawk and in December of 2012, Bold Energy II sold its Central Basin Platform assets to Lime Rock Resources.

Third time world changes

In keeping with its practice of adapting to changing worlds, Castillo said Bold Energy III's objectives will be different from Bold Energy II, which were different from Bold Energy I.

Impressed with EOG's results from its horizontal drilling program in Irion County, he said Bold Energy III, which opened its doors April 1, will focus on horizontal drilling.

"We decided that, if we're going to make a meaningful venture in Bold Energy III, we needed an opportunity to drill horizontally," he explained. "If you go back three years ago, the percentage of rigs drilling horizontal wells in the Permian Basin was 15 to 18 percent. Today, more than 45 percent of the rigs are drilling horizontal wells. Within three years, the percentage of horizontal rigs has more than doubled."

He said the belief is horizontal drilling will come to dominate Permian Basin drilling activity.

"All the $25 oil has been found, but there's a ton of $90 or $100 or $150 oil waiting to be produced. Horizontal drilling has unlocked the key to economically producing those reserves."

The company's challenge, Castillo continued, will be to develop horizontal expertise and compete with big companies who are already developing the expertise.

"One of the great things about this industry and the people in the industry is you can always find people who want to be entrepreneurs," he said. "It takes stepping away from a steady paycheck to work for a company you have no idea will be around next week. It's a leap of faith, but it's a leap of faith in your own capabilities."

In developing its horizontal strategy, Castillo said Bold III went after people with horizontal expertise in geologic, drilling and operations and reservoir engineering aspects. The company has added Robert Soza as drilling-completion manager, Barney Thompson as drilling superintendent, Teri McGuigan as land manager, Lenny Wood as exploration manager and Tom McCray as reservoir engineering manager. McGuigan has experience with ConocoPhillips and Endeavor Energy Resources while Soza, Thompson, Wood and McCray were heavily involved in EOG's horizontal Wolfcamp play on the Eastern Shelf.

"We offered them not ridiculous salaries but the opportunity to be entrepreneurs," Castillo said. "Surprisingly that attracted them."

He called the new addition a tremendous complement to the team already in place.

The company is seeking acreage already containing proven reserves. While it has no definitive plans, "we have a lot of irons in the fire."

In the Permian Basin, Castillo said, "existing properties have become very valuable, particularly if you believe the advent of new technology will unlock reserves that haven't been contemplated yet."

The plan is to partner with the existing owners of properties, he said, who wonder how to attract horizontal drilling to their acreage. They offer the acreage while Bold will bring its expertise and willingness to risk capital. It's a win-win situation, he said, with both parties seeing increases in value.

With work beginning to build Bold Energy III, Castillo is facing the future with some confidence.

"For the most part, we've had stable oil prices for the last two years at $80 to $100 a barrel. With that kind of stability, people feel good about the risks going forward. We can see that in the rig count, which has been stable the last two years. That stability is what the industry craves."

He expects Bold Energy III to follow the standard timeline of three to five years, probably closer to five years given the time it takes for horizontal drilling to yield results.

"The main thing for us is we enjoy the game," he said. "There's nothing better than getting people together and solving problems, from geologic challenges to operational situations. There's tremendous satisfaction when you team up and bring your individual expertise to solve problems. You can't be afraid to fail and you have to accept failure. What separate winners from losers is winners don't quit. You solve the problem and use that experience to help avoid problems in the future."

FOR SALE IN MIDLAND, TX.
2801 MARIANNA
3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH HOME, LARGE GARAGE, COMPLETELY FURNISHED W/EVERYTHING YOU NEED FOR IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY. $145,000.
COME SEE IT. JAMES RUSSELL
850.529.8733

Anderson's Drilling Reports
P.O. Box 1287 - Granbury, TX 76048 - Phone 817-579-8340
Since 1960, Anderson's Drilling Reports subscribers have discovered they save time and increase profits with our informative reports of drilling activity in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Louisiana
• Daily Permits
• Weekly Rig Status
• Weekly Rig Completions
• Daily Posting Prices
• Weekly Summary
• Individual Reports
• Weekly Rig Count
*Reports Available 24 Hours A Day
• Customized Reports
• 30 Year Database
Wellreports.com

LIVE WATER NEW MEXICO
RIO PENASCO RANCH
Best of the best! Southeastern New Mexico River Ranch. A cold water trout fishery, traversing three miles of private rangeland 50 miles west of Artesia within the foothills of the Sacramento Mountains near Cloudcroft. 9,000 total acres with 5,000 deeded. Scenic riverside fishing camp; cabins, RV hookups, water, and electric. Mule deer, turkey, lion, coyote hunting and livestock grazing. $4,300,000.00
Schrimsher Ranch Real Estate, LLC.
Keith L. Schrimsher
575.622.2343(o) srre@dfn.com 575.520.1989 (c)
www.nm-ranches.com

around the oil patch

PAID CONTENT

To appear in *Around the Oil Patch* call Paul Wiseman at 697-7468 or your Oil Report account executive at 687-9004.

Resist scale and paraffin buildup with NUPI Oiltech pipe from Milford

When buildup of paraffin and scale in pipelines is causing costly hot oiling or chemical treatments on a regular basis, it's time to look for something other than traditional poly pipe for those flow-lines and pipelines.

With NUPI Oiltech Y100 multi-layer pipe, Milford Pipe and Supply has the solution. This pipe's polyamid-(PA) liner is impermeable to hydrocarbons, and it need not be de-rated for pressure when delivering hydrocarbons. Seamless NUPI pipe coils connect together with smooth-bore electrofusion couplings, virtually eliminating scale and paraffin buildup, assuring full flow without costly hot oiling or chemical treatments.

The slick inner surface resists abrasions, allowing faster and more efficient transfer of fluids. That polyamid liner also protects NUPI pipe from the swelling sometimes seen with traditional pipe due to absorption of hydrocarbons.

Y100 pipe has an HDPE outer layer that provides mechanical strength. The tie layer firmly connects the HDPE to the inner lining so they remain bonded in the most extreme conditions. The inner, modified PA layer, is what provides the chemical resistance and the barrier to permeation.

With NUPI Y100 there is no transmission or generation of antistatic current.

Some composite piping systems require expensive connectors, but NUPI Y100 saves money by using standard electrofusion couplings. Electrofusion combines heat, generated pressure and a short amount of time to create a joint that is smooth enough to resist paraffin and scale buildup while strong enough to resist leaks and separation. Because the installation involves no dangerous machinery or chemicals, its safety is unparalleled.

Installation of NUPI Oiltech Y100 requires no adhesives, no stringent temperature or humidity conditions and no curing time.

The pipe is light weight and flexible enough to be easily uncoiled, and, unlike other composites on the market, easily recoiled if necessary. It can be installed above ground or underground.

When adding together the total costs: pipe itself, installation, repair, inspections, maintenance and safety—Y100 pipe is less expensive than fiberglass, steel, and other composite piping systems. That makes NUPI pipe well worth investigating.

Milford Pipe and Supply has been offering this pipe since 2008, with great success. They can fully explain all of its benefits. They can also provide any training needed for deployment and coupling. Nupi Oiltech will save time and money—which, in the Oil Patch, are often the same thing.

For more information on NUPI Oiltech Y100 mulitlayer pipe, call Milford Pipe and Supply at 888-563-POLY (7659) or visit their website at www.milfordpipesupply.com.

NUPI Oiltech Y100 multi-layer pipe is impermeable to hydrocarbons, resists scale and paraffin buildup and is easy to install. Call Milford Pipe and Supply at 888-563-PIPE (7659) to learn more.

Nanotechnology fits the oilfield

Tim Berendzen, national account sales for DuraSeal Coatings Company, recently answered some questions about his company. Berendzen understands the needs of West Texas oilmen extremely well. His company provides a new generation of metal coatings using advanced nanotechnology, designed to retard damaging corrosion and abrasive wear on tubing, rods and equipment in oil and gas operations.

Berendzen notes that DuraSeal currently has operations across all the major basins in the United States. Berendzen shared his insights on the evolution of nano-coatings, how they differ from other technologies, their benefits, and the importance in the oilfield and other industries both today and in the future.

Q. What is nanotechnology, and how does it apply to pipe coatings?

A. The term, nanotechnology, refers to the science of working with nano- or molecular-sized particles. The technology is not new, per se, but has just found its way into coating applications within the past 10 years.

In simple terms, microscopic particles in our proprietary products are suspended in a silicone-based liquid. They penetrate even the smallest crevices of steel pipe, for instance, and after curing form a glass-like surface that will not crack, separate from the pipe or allow metal loss from corrosion.

Nanotechnology is different than traditional coatings in that it is not just a surface coating, but rather forms a chemical bond with the pipe's substrate. Its final applied thickness is so thin that, despite its ruggedness, does not affect the internal or external pipe tolerances.

Q. What are some of the major nano-coating benefits?

A. First of all, nano-coated pipe's exceptional corrosion resistance has led to life extension of tubular goods as much as 20 times that experienced with chemical additives, uncoated pipe or even traditionally coated pipe.

Added to that, our nano-coatings provide about 95 percent more abrasion resistance than uncoated carbon steel and also have a 40 percent less dynamic coefficient of friction. When combined these features alone help to reduce rod on tubing wear and erosion in high sand content wells.

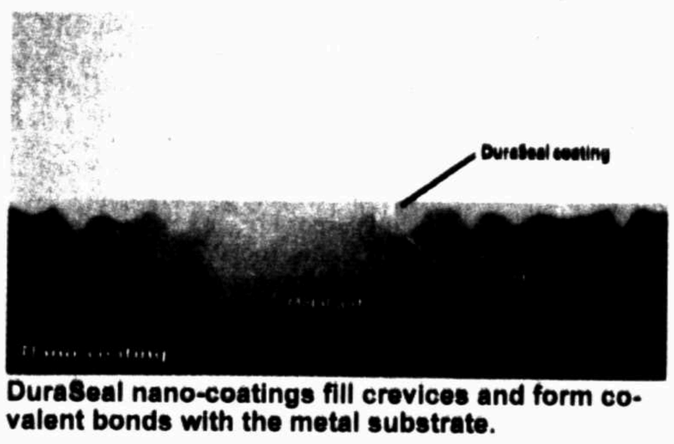
Still another significant benefit is its lifecycle cost. While any coating adds to the per-foot cost of the pipe, DuraSeal coated pipe is on a par with other traditionally coated pipe and is much less costly than stainless or exotic metals. DuraSeal's extended life and other benefits have provided significant OPEX savings to our clients.

Q. What do you see as the future for these coatings?

A. We are seeing a growing enthusiasm for nano-coatings. Increasingly, oil and gas production operators are seeking alternatives to traditional coatings to reduce corrosion, extend asset life and improve their bottom line. Our growing list of case studies has proven that this technology can dramatically reduce pipe and downhole equipment failure.

While the oilfield is the most successful application to date, we are now conducting research for its use in the automotive and aerospace industries. If successful there, their growth potential is virtually unlimited.

For more information, contact timb@duraseal-coatings.com



DuraSeal nano-coatings fill crevices and form covalent bonds with the metal substrate.

Want to know about the hottest waterfront deals on Lake LBJ???
Call 512-784-4343
Or email gregmcdonnell46@yahoo.com
Find out what *successful Permian Basin people* are enjoying this summer!

ULTRAQUIP, LLC ENERGY EQUIPMENT
Generators • Light Towers • Pumps • Sales • Rentals • Parts • Service
(432) 332-2200 Odessa, TX • Midland, TX • Oklahoma City, Ok

Permian Basin Metallurgical Laboratories
Can you afford another failure?
Fully independent lab offering metallurgical services
• Failure analysis for Oil Field and non-Oil Field industries, including "Root Cause" analysis.
• Load Certification of chain assemblies, load cells, lifting caps, sheaves and hook up to 70,000 lbs.
• Drilling corrosion ring analysis, evaluation and reporting
2674 West Cty Rd South • 432-580-8576 • www.pbmetlab.com

ACS ELECTRIC
• Industrial • Controls
• Commercial • Troubleshooting
"Your Power Solution"
Licensed and Insured TECL #27844
1625 W. Florida 682-7070

MILFORD FAST FRAC
Lay-Flat Hose
Complete water transfer system with hydraulic deployment/retrieval trailer
• Leak-Free
• Durable
• Efficient
• Piggable
MPS
7607 W. Industrial Ave.
Midland, TX 79706
432-563-3332

DIGGERS OILFIELD SERVICES LLC
We are heavily staffed with over 10 years oilfield and commercial dirt work experience.
• Commercial Pad Sites
• Oil Field Sites • Frac Pits
• R.O.W. Clearing • Receiving Pits
• Roads
P.O. Box 5980, Midland, TX 79704
(432) 664-8030
sanderson@diggersoilfieldservices.com

Richards Horticulture
Weed & Dust Control
(432) 288-3923
www.RichardsIndustrial.com
richardshorticulture@yahoo.com
Dust Control • Soil Stabilization • Weed Control • Right-of-way Management

Wolfberry
Production Logging
CARDINAL
432-580-8061
www.cardinalsurveys.com

Big D COMPANIES
Making A Big Difference
In the Oil & Gas Industry Since 1977
Rig Site Construction
Lease Road Construction
Tank Battery Pad Construction
2", 3", 4" Poly Pipe
6 mil to 100 mil Pit Lining
8" Lay Flat Water Transfer Hose
5, 7.5, 10, 15 Submersible Pump Rentals
20 kw to 300 kw Generators
Trash Trailer Rentals
Fence Installations

ROLLTEX
Pump Jack Specialists Since 1974
Bearings • Seals • Belts • Sheaves
(432) 570-7576

WIRELINE SERVICES, INC.
• Paraffin Cutting • Slickline Services
• Pressure & Temperature Surveys
• Tubing Stops • Blanking Plugs
• Broaching • Plunger Fishing
Prompt Quality Service
432-699-1200
800-594-3887

around the oil patch

PAID CONTENT

To appear in *Around the Oil Patch* call Paul Wiseman at 697-7468 or your Oil Report account executive at 687-9004.

Victaulic helps design system construction or expansion

Right now, for anyone operating in the Permian Basin, growth is not just inevitable, it is mandatory. Processing plants, production facilities—anything that involves transfer or processing of oil, NGLs or natural gas—they are all strained to the max, just waiting for the next expansion.

For many companies, there is so much to be done on a daily basis, it is virtually impossible to dedicate the time needed for stepping back and planning the details of the next expansion. This is why more and more companies are turning to Victaulic's Integrated Project Delivery system for help.

The advantages of the Victaulic system itself are many. The grooved-end pipe joining system speeds installation and boosts safety for production flow lines and headers, tank batteries and secondary recovery, drilling, collection tanks and refinery plant piping, among other applications. Victaulic systems are available for all common pipe sizes. They work well with both coated and uncoated pipe.

Victaulic systems improve safety by virtually eliminating leaks and, because there is no welding involved, there are no open flames in the vicinity of hazardous chemicals.

So, once your company has decided to use the Victaulic system, the Integrated Product Delivery System developed by Victaulic can help optimize the time required for planning and installation. Their 90-person global CPS team is really just like an extension of your in-house design team. With their array of design software, including AutoPlant 3D, Aviva PDMS, Intergraph PDS and CADWorx, Bently AutoPlant, Bentley Plant Space and CEA Systems-Plant 4-D, they can match virtually any program you have in the design phase. The team can provide you with P&E layouts, ISOs, plan and section, spool fab sheets, bills-of-material—in short, a fully coordinated package for your construction and fabrication teams.

The process starts when you discuss your plans with Victaulic—you tell them what you want to accomplish in your new facility or your addition, you look together at how that will tie in with what you already have, and Victaulic will work with you to coordinate material shipments tied to the drawings and plans developed early in the process.

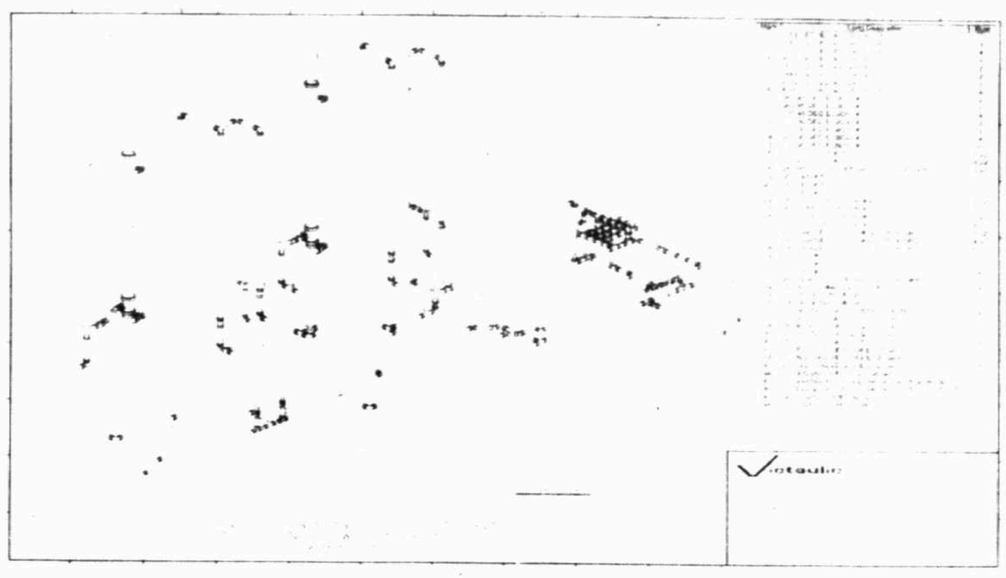
This way all your planning comes from one source—Victaulic's Upstream Support Services.

Once the plan is in place and the construction under way, the Victaulic team will provide training on Victaulic tools, field assembly, grooving, and will offer certification to your employees on Victaulic joint procedures.

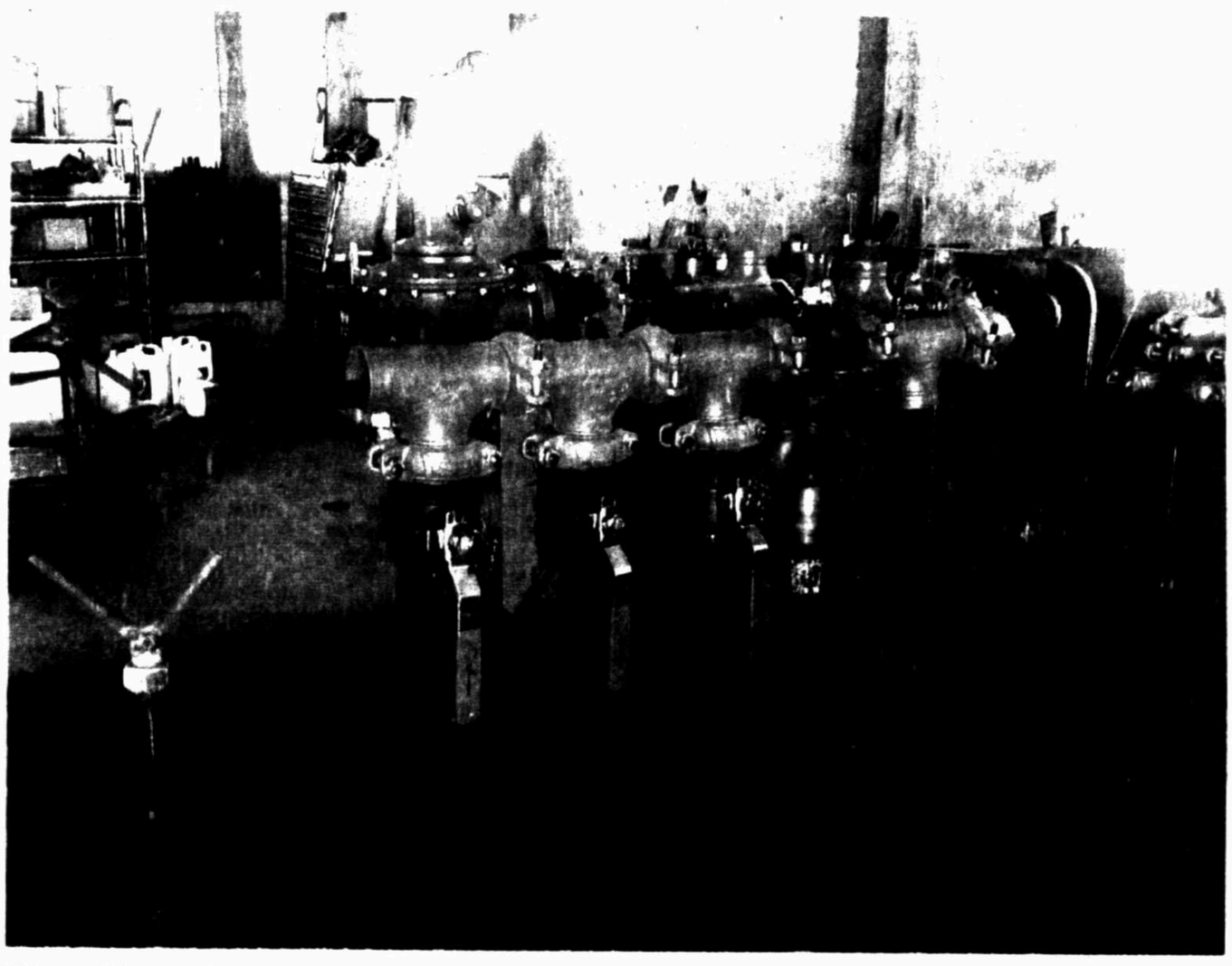
When everything is in place and your employees have their training and certification on the Victaulic system, you're ready for long-term operation. Any needed changes or additions to the pipe systems can be done safely and efficiently by your own personnel. Of course, Victaulic is always there to answer questions, but your trained personnel can accomplish most tasks.

When planning your next stage of new construction, expansion or re-engineering, be sure to take advantage of the Victaulic Integrated Project Delivery System.

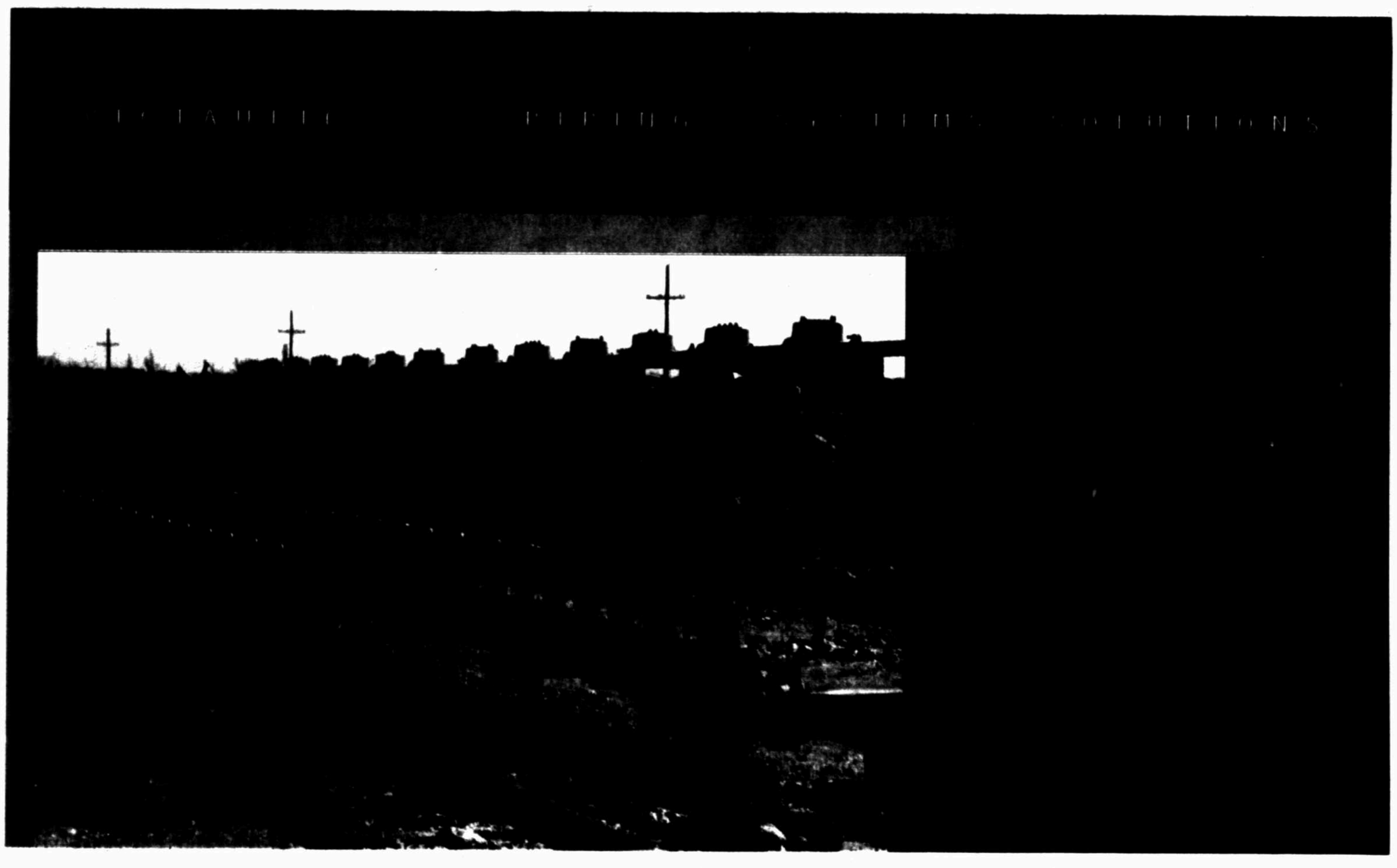
Call Victaulic at 432-332-1489 to learn more.



GRAPHIC AT RIGHT: When planning tank batteries, processing plants or any other facilities that involve pipes and connections, call on Victaulic's Integrated Project Delivery System for help. Call Victaulic at 432-332-1489.



This prefabricated grooved heater treater is ready to be installed with just two field joints. Call Victaulic at 432-332-1489.



Grooved piping is the fastest, most economical and reliable method for joining upstream oil systems.

Designed for pressures up to 2500 psi the Victaulic line of couplings, valves, fittings and accessories is a complete single source system.

Call today to find out how Victaulic can help you on your next piping project.

Victaulic

DEVELOPMENT WELLS

Texas RRCD 7C

Coke County

LP OPERATING, LLC MEADOW CRK (CNYN) (O/G) DRILL Well# 3 WALKER, 1249 FNL 467 FWL, SEC 308 BLK 1A, H&TC/J ATKINS SUR., A-2067 7000', 11 NW ROBERT LEE

Crockett County

APPROACH OPER., LLC HOLT RANCH (CONS) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 934HB CINCO TERRY M, 330 FNL 330 FEL, SEC 9 BLK CD, EC WOODRUFF SUR., A-3565 7800', 11 NE OZONA

Irion County

BLACK MOUNTAIN SWD LP LAVAN (WOLFCAMP) DRILL (37) Well# 3 BARNHART 687 SWD, 100 FNL 400 FEL, SEC 47, WC SUR., A-687 3000', WITHIN BARNHART

BLACK MOUNTAIN SWD LP LAVAN (WOLFCAMP) DRILL (INJ) Well# 4 BARNHART 687 SWD, 100 FNL 375 FEL, SEC 47, WC SUR., A-687 3000', 6 NE BARNHART

EXCO RESOURCES, INC. SUGG RANCH (CANYON) (O/G) DRILL Well# 10 SUGG 6, 467 FNL 2193 FWL, SEC 6 BLK H, TC/KB SHEEN SUR., A-1015 8000', 21 NW MERTZON

FIML NATURAL RESOURCES, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) DRILL (37) Well# 164WD ROCKER B B, 467 FSL 516 FWL, SEC 164 BLK 1, T&P/WT REESE SUR., A-993 5500', 25 W MERTZON

Reagan County

FIML NATURAL RESOURCES, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 1D MUSTANG DRAW, 847 FNL 536 FWL, SEC 1 BLK 1, T&P SUR., A-473 9500', 20 NE BIG LAKE

FIML NATURAL RESOURCES, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 1A MUSTANG DRAW, 315 FNL 552 FEL, SEC 1 BLK 1, T&P SUR., A-473 9500', 20 NE BIG LAKE

LAREDO PETROLEUM - DALLAS, INC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1713HL SUGG A SL, 200 FSL 872 FWL, SEC 171 BLK 2, T&P SUR., A-591 10000', 27 N BIG LAKE

Runnels County

TEXAS OPER. & CONSULT., LLC N WINTERS(GARDNER SD) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1 ENGLAND, 973 FSL 467 FWL, SEC 87 BLK 84, H&TC SUR., A-318 5000', 3 N WINTERS

Schleicher County

DAESUNG ENERGY RES. INC. CODY BELL (CANYON) (O/G) (RE-ENTER) Well# 1 SPROUL, 467 FSL 467 FWL, SEC 7 BLK LL, TC SUR., A-585 6000', 9 NW ELDORADO

Upton County

COG OPERATING, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 15 NEAL RANCH '77' A, 660 FSL 660 FWL, SEC 77, BLK D, CCSD&RGNG SUR., A-49 12000', 20 NW RANKIN

COG OPERATING, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 3806 MORGAN, 1980 FNL 2080 FWL, SEC 38 BLK C, CCSD&RGNG/SR PRESTON/B WALTER SUR., A-1490 12000', 11 NW RANKIN

MIDENERGY OPERATING, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 4604 NEAL, 1980 FSL 660 FEL, SEC 46 BLK 40 T5S, T&P/OH SCHAWE SUR., A-1280 12000', 21 SE RANKIN

OPAL RESOURCES OPER. CO., LLC BLOCK 4 (DEVONIAN) (O/G) DRILL Well# 4303 EMERALD, 895 FWL 2202 FSL, SEC 43, D&SE RR CO SUR., A-131 13000', 6 NW RANKIN

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC LOWE (ATOKA) (O/G) DRILL Well# 5 MORGAN A, 1464 FWL 2186 FSL, SEC 25 BLK B, CCSD&RGNG SUR., A-23 13000', 14 N RANKIN

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC LOWE (ATOKA) (O/G) DRILL Well# 5 MORGAN C, 500 FEL 990 FNL, SEC 25 BLK B, CCSD&RGNG SUR., A-23 13000', 14 N RANKIN

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC DAVIS (PENN) (O/G) DRILL Well# 2 XB COX 20A, 2045 FNL 1707 FEL, SEC 20 BLK B, CCSD&RGNG/ HB THORNTON SUR., A-610 13000', 14 N RANKIN

Texas RRCD 8

Andrews County

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. EMBAR (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 246 UNIVERSITY ANDREWS, 330 FSL 1230 FEL, SEC 36 BLK 11, UL SUR. 9000', 18 SW ANDREWS

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. EMBAR (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 247 UNIVERSITY ANDREWS, 330 FSL 50 FWL, SEC 31 BLK 10, UL SUR. 8900', 18 SW ANDREWS

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. EMBAR (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 238 UNIVERSITY ANDREWS, 2025 FSL 700 FWL, SEC 30 BLK 10, UL SUR. 8500', 17 SW ANDREWS

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. EMBAR (PERMIAN) (O/G) DRILL Well# 82 EMBAR B, 330 FNL 2377 FWL, SEC 102, WF COWDEN SUR., A-1393 7700', 18 SW ANDREWS

ENERVEST OPERATING, LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 5 MABEE X, 660 FWL 1980 FNL, SEC 16 BLK 39 T3N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-1740 14000', 23 W LENORAH

OXY USA WTP LP DOLLARHIDE (CLR FRK) (O) DRILL (DIREC) Well# 133 NORTH DOLLARHIDE UNIT, 200 FSL 510 FWL, SEC 14 BLK A52, PSL/RW COWDEN SUR., A-1881 8500', 32 SW ANDREWS

OXY USA WTP LP DOLLARHIDE (CLR FRK) (O) DRILL (DIREC) Well# 209 NORTH DOLLARHIDE UNIT, 200 FSL 2084 FEL, SEC 14 BLK A52, PSL/RW COWDEN SUR., A-1881 8500', 31 SW ANDREWS

OXY USA WTP LP DOLLARHIDE (CLR FRK) (O) DRILL (DIREC) Well# 361 NORTH DOLLARHIDE UNIT, 200 FSL 2001 FEL, SEC 15 BLK A52, PSL/RW COWDEN SUR., A-1882 8500', 32 SW ANDREWS

OXY USA, INC. LOWE (ATOKA) (O) DRILL Well# 4609 MABEE 139, 2440 FNL 430 FWL, SEC 46 BLK 40 T1N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-101 12500', 15 NW MIDLAND

PARALLEL PETROLEUM LLC HARRIS (SAN ANDRES) (O) DRILL Well# 7 IVERSON, 2320 FNL 450 FEL, SEC 21 BLK A23, PSL/JL LANCASTER SUR., A-509 6000', 14 SW SEMINOLE

RELIANCE ENERGY, INC. LOWE (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 4312 MABEE 240A, 1980 FSL 660 FWL, SEC 43 BLK 40 T2N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-89 13600', 18 SE ANDREWS

RELIANCE ENERGY, INC. LOWE (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 4303 MABEE 240A, 660 FNL 660 FWL, SEC 43 BLK 40 T2N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-89 13600', 18 SE ANDREWS

RELIANCE ENERGY, INC. LOWE (ELLENBURGER) (O) DRILL Well# 4215 MABEE 240A, 2030 FNL 1980 FWL, SEC 42 BLK 40 T2N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-88 13600', 17 SE ANDREWS

Crane County

HENRY RESOURCES LLC UNIV 31 W (U DEV) (O) DRILL Well# 1809 UNIV HOPE, 660 FEL 467 FNL, SEC 18 BLK 31, UNIV LANDS SUR. 12500', 11 NW CRANE

OXY USA WTP LP BLOCK 31 (CLEAR FORK) (O) (RECOMP) Well# T 4NL BLOCK 31 UNIT, 660 FSL 660 FEL, SEC 23, BLK 31, UL SUR. 4600', 8 NW CRANE

OXY USA WTP LP BLOCK 31 (CLEAR FORK) (O) (RECOMP) Well# Q 19 BLOCK 31 UNIT, 71 FSL 1249 FEL, SEC 22, BLK 31, UL SUR. 4600', 8 NW CRANE

OXY USA WTP LP BLOCK 31 (CLEAR FORK) (O) (RECOMP) Well# L 5 BLOCK 31 UNIT, 1890 FNEL 1490 FSEL, SEC 28, BLK 31, UL SUR. 4600', 8 NW CRANE

OXY USA, INC. BLOCK 31 (CLEAR FORK) (O) (RECOMP) Well# H 9 BLOCK 31 UNIT, 1980 FNL 1880 FWL, SEC 38 BLK 31, UL SUR. 4600', 6 NW CRANE

PPC OPER. CO. LLC LEA (SAN ANDRES) (O) DRILL Well# 2D COWDEN 60, 660 FEL 660 FSL, SEC 60 BLK X, CCSD&RGNG/ MC GEE, J D SUR., A-603 7500', 7 W CRANE

PPC OPER. CO. LLC LEA (SAN ANDRES) (O) DRILL Well# 3D COWDEN 60, 660 FEL 660 FNL, SEC 61 BLK X, CCSD&RGNG/ MC GEE, J D SUR., A-44 7500', 7 W CRANE

PPC OPER. CO. LLC LEA (SAN ANDRES) (O) DRILL Well# 14 COWDEN 60, 1980 FEL 660 FNL, SEC 60 BLK X, CCSD&RGNG/ MC GEE, J D SUR., A-603 3700', 7 W CRANE

Culberson County

CIMAREX ENERGY CO. SANDBAR (BONE SPRNG) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 2H SPEND A BUCK 41 UNIT, 325 FNL 700 FWL, SEC 41 BLK 59 T1S, T&P SUR., A-2706 7477', 25 NE ORLA

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. FORD, WEST (WOLFCAMP) (G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H HARRIER WC 10, 250 FNL 775 FEL, SEC 10 BLK 58 T2S, T&P/JT ALLEN SUR., A-17 11200', 9 NW ORLA

Ector County

BC OPERATING, INC. GOLDSMITH (CLEAR FORK) (O/G) DRILL Well# 17 RICHARD, 1501 FSL 256 FEL, SEC 31 BLK 43 T1N, T&P SUR., A-174 7250', 3 NE GOLDSMITH

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. GOLDSMITH (CLR FRK) (O/G) DRILL Well# Z 25 GOLDSMITH ANDECTOR UNIT, 2310 FSL 330 FWL, SEC 11 BLK 45 T2N, T&P SUR., A-821 7300', 27 NW ODESSA

CONOCOPHILLIPS CO. GOLDSMITH (CLR FRK) (O/G) DRILL Well# H 25 GOLDSMITH ANDECTOR UNIT, 2370 FNL 2200 FEL, SEC 12 BLK 45 T2N, T&P/ WH RHODES SUR., A-875 7100', 27 NW ODESSA

DEVON ENERGY PROD. CO., LP SALLIE ANN (MISS LO) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 18H AVERITT (ALLOC), 2442 FSL 1892 FEL, SEC 22 BLK 42 T3S, T&P/ TJ MARTIN SUR., A-760 12200', 7 SE ODESSA

DEVON ENERGY PROD. CO., LP SALLIE ANN (SPRAWC) (O) DRILL Well# 12 RFD, 1852 FNL 554 FEL, SEC 37 BLK 43 T3S, T&P SUR., A-243 10250', 11 S ODESSA

DEVON ENERGY PROD. CO., LP SALLIE ANN (SPRAWC) (O) DRILL Well# 6 ERNEST T BASS, 1946 FNL 550 FEL, SEC 21 BLK 42 T3S, T&P SUR., A-142 10100', 8 S ODESSA

XTO ENERGY INC. GOLDSMITH (RE-ENTER) (INJ) Well# 1168RW GOLDSMITH SAN ANDRES UNIT, 2218 FNL 415 FWL, SEC 20 BLK 44 T1S, T&P/JC BEATY SUR., A-686 4317', 4 SW GOLDSMITH

Glasscock County

APACHE CORPORATION SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 14 DORADO 18, 1980 FNL 1980 FEL, SEC 18 BLK 34 T4S, T&P/WE CHANEY SUR., A-1136 11000', 5 W GARDEN CITY

APACHE CORPORATION SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 5 SPENCER NORTH 7, 467 FNL 467 FWL, SEC 7 BLK 34 T4S, T&P SUR., A-244 11200', 5 W GARDEN CITY

BURLESON PETRO., INC. DEWEY LAKE (STRAWN) (O) DRILL Well# 2 PAGE FOWLER 12, 1787 FSL 853 FEL, SEC 12 BLK 35 T2S, T&P/ AL HOUSTON SUR., A-818 11500', 10 SE GREENWOOD

COG OPERATING, LLC S GARDEN CITY(WLFCMP) (O/G) DRILL Well# 4008 CURRIE A NORTH, 467 FSL 467 FEL, SEC 40 BLK 32 T4S, T&P/H CURRIE SUR., A-794 9400', 10 SE GARDEN CITY

CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC NW GARDEN CITY(STRWN) (O) DRILL Well# 2 HILGER HIGH, 2050 FWL 1450 FNL, SEC 1 BLK 35 T3S, T&P SUR., A-312 12000', 11 NW GARDEN CITY

CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC NW GARDEN CITY(STRWN) (O) DRILL Well# 5 SMITH 7, 520 FWL 1850 FNL, SEC 7 BLK 35 T2S, T&P SUR., A-296 12000', 7 SE STANTON

DYAD PETR. CO. COBRA (WOLFCAMP) (O/G) DRILL Well# 5 POWELL, 1369 FSL 860 FEL, SEC 11 BLK 35 T3S, T&P SUR., A-317 8200', 10 NW GARDEN CITY

LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC. S GARDEN CITY(WLFCMP) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1 NEUMANN 2B, 660 FNL 1166 FEL, SEC 2 BLK 33 T4S, T&P/JF PIKE SUR., A-899 12000', 5 NE GARDEN CITY

ROYALTY LAND & DEV. CO., INC. DEWEY LAKE (STRAWN) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 1 LOIS BLALOCK, 602 FEL 2062 FNL, SEC 7 BLK 35 T3S, T&P SUR., A-315 10979', 13 NW GARDEN CITY

Howard County

APACHE CORPORATION SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 76 FRANCES GUNN A, 1601 FNL 710 FEL, SEC 20 BLK 27, H&TC/WV RUTLEDGE SUR., A-1351 7600', 14 W COAHOMA

CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC CEDAR FLATS (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 2 CORNING 29, 1880 FSL 1915 FWL, SEC 29 BLK 33 T2N, T&P SUR., A-332 12000', 2 SE KNOTT

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP. IATAN (SAN ANDRES) (O) (RECOMP) Well# 57 AM BELL, 962 FNL 1115 FWL, SEC 12 BLK 30 T1S, T&P/AM BELL SUR., A-1618 3500', 7 E COAHOMA

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP. IATAN, E HOWARD (O) (RECOMP) Well# 72 AM BELL, 1915 FNL 715 FWL, SEC 12 BLK 30 T1S, T&P SUR., A-1618 4000', 7 E COAHOMA

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP. IATAN, E HOWARD (O) (RECOMP) Well# 10 MURRAY B, 713 FSL 1864 FWL, SEC 2 BLK 30 T1S, T&P/ME DAVIS SUR., A-1641 4000', 6 E COAHOMA

HANNATHON PETROLEUM, LLC MOORE (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 2 REAGAN 7, 660 FNL 660 FWL, SEC 7 BLK 31 T1S, T&P SUR., A-107 10000', 6 E BIG SPRING

LINN OPERATING, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 6M SACKETT FARMS 6, 467 FWL 417 FSL, SEC 6 BLK 34 T1N, T&P/ WC ROBERTSON SUR., A-1338 11000', 12 NW BIG SPRING

THREE RIVERS OPER. CO. II LLC MOORE (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 1822 BARNES DEEP, 1685 FWL 1941 FNL, SEC 18 BLK 33 T1S, T&P/ FL CAUBLE SUR., A-1585 10600', 4 NW ELBOW

THREE RIVERS OPER. CO. II LLC HILL RANCH (MISS) (O/G) DRILL Well# 3924 MCKENZIE, 760 FEL 1890 FNL, SEC 39 BLK 33 T2N, T&P SUR., A-337 10680', 5 SE KNOTT

THREE RIVERS OPER. CO. II LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 3621 ARTHUR STALLINGS, 660 FWL 1950 FNL, SEC 36 BLK 35 T1S, T&P/ AJ STALLINGS SUR., A-1690 11000', 8 E STANTON

Loving County

ANADARKO E&P CO., LP SANDBAR (BONE SRNG) (G) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H SEVENGILLS 54-1-29, 330 FNL 1212 FWL, SEC 29 BLK 54 T1, T&P SUR., A-58 14000', 17 NE MENTONE

KERR-MCGEE O&G ONSHORE LP PHANTOM (WOLFCAMP) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 1H RAYMORE 1-46 UNIT 2, 2773 NE 2501 NW, SEC 47 BLK 1, W&NW SUR., A-178 14000', 6 SE MENTONE

Martin County

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) (O/G) DRILL Well# 2 FRAZIER '33', 330 FEL 2192 FSL, SEC 33 BLK 35 T3S, T&P SUR., A-100 12000', 6 SE FLOWER GROVE

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP. HILL RANCH (MISS) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1 TENNISON 46A, 467 FSL 2172 FEL, SEC 46 BLK A, BAUER & COCKRELL SUR., A-325 12000', 16 NE STANTON

ENERGEN RESOURCES CORP. BIZCO (MISSISSIPPIAN) (O) DRILL Well# 2 SLAUGHTER 8, 2173 FSL 2142 FWL, SEC 8 BLK 36 T3N, T&P/ MISS L WARE SURE., A-847 12500', 12 NE TARZAN

J. CLEO THOMPSON SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 19 GW GLASS B, 2182 FSL 650 FEL, SEC 12 BLK 39, T&P SUR. 11250', 20 NW STANTON

J. CLEO THOMPSON SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 27 GW GLASS B NORTH, 660 FNL 660 FWL, SEC 9 BLK 38, T&P SUR., A-273 11250', 20 NW STANTON

LEGACY RESERVES OPERATING LP SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL (37) ell# 2 DR ORSON, 467 FNL 660 FEL, SEC 2 BLK 38 T2N, T&P/GW TOM SUR., A-902 12300', 10 SW LENORAH

LEGACY RESERVES OPERATING LP SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 2 DR ORSON A, 900 FSL 467 FWL, SEC 2 BLK 38 T2N, T&P/GW TOM SUR., A-902 12300', 11 SW LENORAH

PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4 JIM TOM 20, 2140 FSL 660 FWL, SEC 20 BLK 35 T1S, T&P/FA KING SUR., A-1059 11500', 3 E STANTON

PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4 RAGLAND 2, 1859 FNL 637 FWL, SEC 2 BLK 35 T1S, T&P/HM DAVIS SUR., A-719 11050', 6 NE STANTON

PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC. N.Y.Y. (STRAWN LIME) (O) DRILL Well# 2 HILL '58', 2173 FNL 467 FEL, SEC 58 BLK A, BAUER & COCKRELL SUR., A-334 11350', 18 N STANTON

PIONEER NATURAL RES. USA, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1 WALKER 2, 467 FSL 2173 FEL, SEC 2 BLK 36 T3N, T&P/J SMYTH SUR., A-824 12100', 27 NW STANTON

RELIANCE ENERGY, INC. LOWE (ATOKA) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1502 MABEE 239, 1980 FNL 1320 FEL, SEC 15 BLK 39 T2N, G&MMB&A SUR., A-390 13000', 13 SW TARZAN

THREE RIVERS OPER. CO. II LLC NUGGET (LO MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 1533 THOMAS A, 1920 FEL 2015 FSL, SEC 15 BLK 36 T3N, T&P SUR., A-182 12300', 7 SW FLOWER GROVE

Midland County

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4511 ST, 2012 FSL 1316 FWL, SEC 45 BLK 40 T1S, T&P SUR., A-262 12000', 4 W MIDLAND

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4010 ST, 1950 FSL 2300 FEL, SEC 40 BLK 40 T1S, T&P/ W LARGENT SUR., A-801 12000', 4 W MIDLAND

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4014 ST, 480 FSL 1400 FWL, SEC 40 BLK 40 T1S, T&P/ W LARGENT SUR., A-801 12000', 5 W MIDLAND

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4503 ST, 660 FNL 1400 FWL, SEC 45 BLK 40 T1S, T&P SUR., A-262 12000', 4 W MIDLAND

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 4502 ST, 570 FNL 2300 FEL, SEC 45 BLK 40 T1S, T&P SUR., A-262 12000', 4 W MIDLAND

DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL (HORZ) Well# 4302H ST W, 198 FSL 1525 FWL, SEC 42 BLK 40 T1S, T&P/ W LARGENT SUR., A-802 10500', 4 W MIDLAND

DISCOVERY OPERATING, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) (O/G) DRILL Well# 8 JW 8, 2140 FNL 2012 FEL, SEC 8 BLK 39 T3S, T&P/AL WOLCOT SUR., A-761 10500', 10 S MIDLAND

E.G.L. RESOURCES, INC. SPRABERRY (TREND) (O/G) DRILL Well# 1114 STO SEC 11, 468 FWL 1215 FNL, SEC 11 BLK 40 T2S, T&P SUR., A-52 12000', 7 SW MIDLAND

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RES. LP E MID-MAR (STRAWN) (O/G) (RECOMP) Well# 2 LAWYER, 567 FWL 2082 FNL, SEC 28 BLK 37 T1S, T&P/JC SMOAT SUR., A-1092 11415', 4 N GREENWOOD

LEGACY RESERVES OPERATING LP SPRABERRY (TREND) (O) DRILL Well# 8 GN DONOVAN, 2167 FSL 2168 FWL, SEC 1, BLK 38 T-3-S, T&P SUR., A-167 10800', 12 SE MIDLAND

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC CEDAR FLATS (MISS) (O) DRILL Well# 3 SATTERFIELD, 467 FWL 871 FSL, SEC 12 BLK 39 T2S, JE GARDNER SUR., A-662 13000', 3 SE MIDLAND

around the oil patch

PAID CONTENT

To appear in *Around the Oil Patch* call Paul Wiseman at 697-7468 or your Oil Report account executive at 682-5311

TITLE EXAMINATION

Foster & Harvey, P.C.
Title Attorneys

Practice limited to title examination for oil & gas development in the States of Texas and New Mexico

New clients always welcome

Two offices to serve our clients:

South & East Texas
3586 Hwy. 181 N.
Floresville, TX 78114
830.393.6496
Managing Attorney:
Robby Harvey
Robby@fosterandharvey.com

West Texas & New Mexico
4000 N. Big Spring, Suite 200
Midland, TX 79705
432.687.0870
Managing Attorney:
Richard Foster
Richard@fosterandharvey.com

www.fosterandharvey.com

Constant Costly Failures of H-Pumps?
NO MORE!
Increases Injection Volume
Decreases Well Pressures
Extends H-Pump Life
Have Questions? Want Proof?
Call John May at Super Scrubber Systems, Inc.
432-580-4806

Double tubing life in corrosive wells

Revolutionary nano-coatings from DuraSeal deliver step-change performance versus conventional coatings and chemical treatment programs. Our rod-wear and tubing customers are getting 100-300% longer life.

Call Tim Berendzen at 816-809-6326 for the full story.

DURASEAL
The future of metal coatings
www.durasealcoatings.com

Mexico could get big boost from shale play

By Matt Mackowiak and Kevin Burnette
San Antonio Express-News

Commentary

Mexico has a tremendous opportunity available to grow the average income, create hundreds of thousands of jobs and accelerate the building of a middle class — and all that is required is removing the current barrier to capital investment.

The Eagle Ford shale formation in Texas produces approximately 2 billion cubic feet of natural gas and more than 500,000 barrels of oil per day. Geologically, the shale formation starts from south and west of Dallas stretching to Laredo in South Texas, fanning out into a wider footprint the closer it gets to the U.S.-Mexico border. The Eagle Ford shale in Mexico and other similar formations are even more promising.

Of course, It will take significant investment and expertise to develop shale formations in Mexico. Where will that capital and technical expertise come from? That will depend on the incentives provided to investors by the Mexican government.

We believe Mexico could receive — at the least — $1 trillion in incremental government revenue from operators who develop its shale resources.

The U.S. Energy Information Agency, or EIA, estimates that total shale gas (proven reserves) in Mexico is 32 times what is in the Texas portion of the Eagle Ford shale. At only 90 percent of this estimate, Mexico's proven natural gas reserves would be worth $2.4 trillion. PEMEX, the state oil company of Mexico, said only half the EIA estimate is recoverable, but it has been talking down Mexico's shale prospects for years in favor of shallow-water offshore oil fields.

For our calculations, we assume shale formations in Mexico have at least as much shale oil as does the Eagle Ford in Texas: 3.4 billion barrels. That would be worth $272 billion. Throwing into our calculation just 1.25 billion barrels of natural gas liquids, our conservative estimate for total economic value of Mexico's shale formations comes to $2.72 trillion.

By adopting the same severance tax and royalty interest structures that exist in Texas, Mexico would have oil and gas operators pay a 25 percent royalty fee to the government, which owns all mineral rights in the country, plus a 7.5 percent severance tax on natural gas, a similar 4.6 percent tax on oil and natural gas liquids, and an overall 4 percent ad valorem tax to local governments, most of which would go to school and local road construction.

By applying these severance taxes and royalty interest payments exclusively to the extraction of hydrocarbons from its shale formations, Mexico would receive $1 trillion in new revenue on the production of $2.72 trillion worth of resources. Such a cash infusion would be a boon to Mexico's schools, infrastructure and public universities. Today, Mexico's federal annual budget is a little more than $300 billion, about 40 percent of which comes from PEMEX.

This would raise average income ($16,000 in Mexico) today, help grow the middle class and create hundreds of thousands of jobs for decades.

Capital investment and increased energy production in Mexico would open up a tremendous market for U.S. and Texas-based energy producers, many of whom are already operating on the U.S. portion of the Eagle Ford shale. Downstream refining opportunities in Texas would also increase.

The trillion dollars in added tax revenue will take years, but the upside warrants a longer time horizon. Plus, the growth associated with the development of shale resources will give Mexico significantly more revenue.

Mexico will need an unprecedented amount of investment capital to develop its shale resources. To do nothing, Mexico runs the risk of leaving a trillion dollars in tax revenue — and an even larger amount of personal income for its citizens — on the table.

Kevin Burnette and Matt Mackowiak are public affairs consultants based in Austin.

COMPLETIONS

Texas RRCD 7C

Irion County

EXCO/HGI JV Assetts LLC
Sheen "8B" #6
Sugg Ranch (Canyon); 729 fsl, 443 fwl, Sec 8, Blk 6, Abst. 1007, H&TC RR, 15 nw Mertzon; TD 7100; Comp 5/20/2013; producing from 6791-6925; pump 41 BO, 39 MCF, 39 BW, 41.72 Oil Gravity; API #42-235-35385

Devon Energy Production Company LP
Akator #1H
Lin (Wolfcamp)-Horizontal; 250 fsl, 275 fel, Sec 4, Abst. 860, J.C. Koonco, 27.92 se Mertzon; TD 7143 TVD, 14717 MD; Comp 5/21/2013; producing from 7948-14610, fracture stimulated; flow 589 BO, 216 MCF, 534 BW on 20/64 inch choke, FTP 700 psi, 41 Oil Gravity; API #42-235-35189

Upton County

Chevron USA Inc.
Four Corners TXL Fee #3306U
Spraberry (Trend Area); 1980 fnl, 1980 fwl, Sec 33, Blk 42, T-4-S, Abst. 512, T&P RR, 16 se Odessa; TD 10842; Comp 5/24/2013; producing from 7832-10710, fracture stimulated; pump 102.3 BO, 8 MCF, 274 BW, 44.8 Oil Gravity; API #42-461-38364

Diamondback Exploration & Production LLC
Jacee "A" Unit #1H
Spraberry (Trend Area)-Horizontal; 80 fnl, 220 fwl, Sec 8, Blk 2, Abst. 1424, MK&T RR, 4.7 n Rankin; TD 8810 TVD, 16755 MD; Comp 5/23/2013; producing from 9103-16644, fracture stimulated; flow 653 BO, 497 MCF, 1745 BW on 23/64 inch choke, 43 Oil Gravity; API #42-461-38629

Texas RRCD 8

Andrews County

SandRidge Exploration and Production LLC
C. C. Cities Service "AA" #12
Fuhrman-Mascho; 440 fwl;, 115 fnl, Sec 11, Blk A-41, Abst. 860, PSL, 13 sw Andrews; TD 4815; Comp 5/20/2013; producing from 402-4612, fracture stimulated; pump 111 BO, 46 MCF, 62 BW, 32 Oil Gravity; API #42-003-45252

Ector County

BC Operating Inc.
Pate #5
Goldsmith (Clearfork); 1806 fnl, 1073 fel, Sec 24, Blk 44, T-1-N, Abst. 653, T&P RR, 2.7 ne Goldsmith; TD 7226; Comp 6/5/2013; producing from 6140-6976, fracture stimulated; pump 15 BO, 13 MCF, 550 BW, 41 Oil Gravity; API #42-135-41798

BC Operating Inc.
Gideon #7
Goldsmith (Clearfork); 1017 fnl, 1022 fel, Sec 25, Blk 44, T-1-N, Abst. 264, T&P RR, 2.3 ne Goldsmith; TD 7247; Comp 6/6/2013; producing from 6148-7037, fracture stimulated; pump 4 BO,1 MCF, 475 BW, 40 Oil Gravity; API #42-135-42270

Citation Oil & Gas Corp.
Jordan University Unit #227
Jordan; 1320 fwl, 3299 fnl, Sec 4, Blk 35, Abst. 4U, ULS, 17 sw Odessa; TD 3895; Comp 6/6/2013; producing from 3624-3677; flow 220 BO, 934 BW, FTP 150 psi, 34.3 Oil Gravity; API #42-135-42375

Howard County

Athlon FE Operating INc.
Denton "45" #1
Spraberry (Trend Area); 467 fsl, 390 fwl, Sec 45, Blk 32, T-2-N, Abst. 285, T&P RR, 7.9 n Big Spring; TD 9790; Comp 6/7/2013; producing from 7232-9634; pump 91 BO, 614 BW 40 Oil Gravity; API #42-227-37054

Martin County

Energen Resources Corporation
Ackerly Langham "24" #1
Spraberry (Trend Area); 467 fsl, 468 fwl, Sec 24, Blk 35, T-3-N, Abst. 812, T&P RR, 5.5 sw Ackerly; TD 11300; Comp 5/27/2013; producing from 8112-10798, treated with acid and fracture stimulated; pump 103 BO, 17 MCF, 150 BW, 41 Oil Gravity; API #42-317-38293

Winkler County

Occidental Permian Ltd.
Sealy Smith Foundation #1019
Monahans Wolfbcamp-Ellenburger Consolidated)-Horizontal; 14619 fnl, 7334 fel, Sec 36, Blk A, Abst. 32, G&MMB&A, 5 n Monahans; TD 8523 TVD, 10327 MD; Comp 5/21/2013; producing from 8613-10240, treated with acid and fracture stimulated; pump 25 BO, 36 MCF, 234 BW, 45 Oil Gravity; API #42-495-33469

Texas RRCD 8A

Yoakum County

Apache Corporation
Roberts Unit #3255
Wasson; 6920 fwl, 4344 fnel, Sec 793, Blk D, Abst. 12, J.H. Gibson, 9.5 nw Denver City; TD 5420; Comp 5/20/2013; producing from 4984-5199, treated with acid and fracture stimulated; pump 21 BO, 1 MCF, 563 BW, 28.1 Oil Gravity; API #42-501-36022

New Mexico

Eddy County

LRE Operating LLC
Staley State #26
NE Red Lake; Sec 30 T17S R28E; 1655/S & 990/W; EL 3598 GL, TD 4930, PBTD 4876; Spud 2-6-13, Comp 2-26-13; production is through treated perfs: 3154-3450, 3490-3780, 3886-4210, 4265-4560. Treat: 12,640 gals 15% HCL, Frac w/272,389# 16/30 & 144,475# 16/30 siber prop sd in xlinked gel. IP: 3-10-13 Pump 24 hrs 93 BO, 584 BW, 151 MCF. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 425 w/330 sx, 5 1/2 @ 4922 w/955 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4679; API #30-015-40988

Apache Corp.
Washington 33 State #36
Artesia; Sec 33 T17S R28E; 2310/N & 1650/E; EL 3669 GL, TD 5000, PBTD 4965; Spud 3-8-12, Comp 4-25-12; production is through treated perfs: 3456-3988, 4180-4875. Treat: 12,204 gals acid, 334,196 gals 20#, 754,489# sd, 3330 gals gel. IP: 6-24-12 Pump 24 hrs 0 BO, 441 BW, 0 MCF, Gty 36.1. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 500 w/400 sx, 5 1/2 @ 5000 w/780 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4859; API #30-015-39886

Apache Corp.
Washington 33 State #45
Artesia; Sec 33 T17S R28E; 330/S & 990/E; EL 3667 GL, TD 5004, PBTD 4950; Spud 4-13-12, Comp 5-24-12; production is through treated perfs: 3762-4278, 4385-4636. Treat: 87000 gals acid, 311,787 gals 20#, 370,000# sd, 7728 gals gel. IP: 8-21-12 Pump 24 hrs 88 BO, 467 BW, 112 MCF, GOR 1273, Gty 36.2. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 519 w/400 sx, 5 1/2 @ 5000 w/984 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4744; API #30-015-40022

Apache Corp.
Washington 33 State #46
Artesia; Sec 33 T17S R28E; 1080/S & 1650/E; EL 3672 GL, TD 5185, PBTD 5127; Spud 9-12-12, Comp 11-06-12; production is through treated perfs: 3702-4420. Treat: 4662 gals acid, 240,052 gals 20#, 297,596# sd, 3612 gals gel. IP: 12-03-12 Pump 24 hrs 55 BO, 488 BW, 35 MCF, GOR 636, Gty 38.7. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 508 w/370 sx, 5 1/2 @ 5158 w/740 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4575; API #30-015-40023

Apache Corp.
Washington 33 State #47
Artesia; Sec 33 T17S R28E; 190/N & 895/E; EL 3684 GL, TD 5167, PBTD 5130; Spud 10-24-12, Comp 12-19-12; production is through treated perfs: 3478-3961, 4115-4618. Treat: 7708 gals acid, 316,722 gals Pad, 396,068# sd, 7266 gals gel. IP: 1-16-12 Pump 24 hrs 79 BO, 674 BW, 99 MCF, GOR 1253, Gty 39.6. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 502 w/360 sx, 5 1/2 @ 5167 w/770 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4777.5; API #30-015-40087

COG Operating LLC
Dodd Federal Unit #552
Dodd; Sec 10 T17S R29E; 1650/S & 1650/W; EL 3581 GL, TD 4426, PBTD 4374; Spud 8-11-12, Comp 9-13-12; production is through treated perfs: 3990-4240. Treat: Acdz w/2000 gals 15% acid, Frac w/104,447 gals gel, 122,583# 16/30 brown sd, 17,070# SLC. IP: 9-21-12 Pump 24 hrs 97 BO, 294 BW, 182 MCF. Gty 36.8. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 263 w/400 sx, 8 5/8 @ 926 w/500 sx, 5 1/2 @ 4416 w/900 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4320; API #30-015-40342

COG Operating LLC
Dodd Federal Unit #554
Dodd; Sec 10 T17S R29E; 1569/S & 2158/W; EL 3585 GL, TD 4416, PBTD 4371; Spud 8-19-12, Comp 10-2-12; production is through treated perfs: 3990-4240. Treat; Acdz w/2000 gals 15%, Frac w/100,380 gals gel carrying 106,664@ 16/30 brown + 15,523# CRC. IP: 10-6-12 Pump 24 hrs 90 BO, 152 BW, 156 MCF, GOR 1733, Gty 39.7. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 217 w/1000 sx, 8 5/8 @ 903 w/500 sx, 5 1/2 @ 4416 w/900 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4312; API #30-015-40350

COG Operating LLC
Burch Keely Unit #943
Burch Keely; Sec 18 T17S R30E; 1650/S & 330/W. BHL: 1725/S & 359/E; EL 3633 GL, TD 9130 MD, 4861 TVD, PBTD 9130 MD, 4861 TVD; Spud 12-21-11, Comp 2-16-12; production is through treated perfs: 5050-5450, 5650-6050, 6250-6650, 6850-7250. Treat: 2100 gals 15% acid, 66,094 gals TW, 99,402 gals WF, 1,738,915 gal gel, 25,625# 100 mesh, 1,995,986# 16/30 brown sd, 326,629# 16/30 CRC. IP: 3-13-12 Flow 24 hrs 124 BO, 165 BW, 718 MCF, 24/64" Ch, CP 70, GOR 5790, Gty 37.6. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 357 w/550 sx, 9 5/8 @ 1152 w/500 sx, 5 1/2 @ 9130 w/1700 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4256; API #30-015-39575

Burnett Oil Co. Inc.
Gissler B #73
Mar Loco; Sec 11 T17S R30E; 640/N & 710/W. BHL: 990/N & 990/W; EL 3734 GL, TD 6128, PBTD 6080; Spud 9-14-11, Comp 11-4-11; productin is through perfs: 5207-5647. IP: 12-30-11 Pump 24 hrs 96 BO, 605 BW, 127 MCF. Csg: 10 1/2 @ 356 w/550 sx, 7 @ 6128 w/1750 sx, 2 7/8 @ 5362; API #30-015-39362

Fair Oil Ltd.
Fair 18 Federal #1
Cedar Lake; Sec 18 T17S R31E; 2310/N & 840/E; EL 3699 GL, TD 6303, PBTD 6214; Spud 8-15-11, Comp 3-2-12; production is through treated perfs: 4653-4900, 5163-5210, 5393-5600, 5783-5837. Treat: Acdz w/9964 gals 1% HCL, Frac w/757,185 gals slurry, 584,984# sd. IP: 3-20-12 Flow 24hrs 264 BO, 540 BW, 924 MCF, 29/64" Ch, TP 500, CP 950, GOR 3500, Gty 37.6. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 383 w/950 sx, 8 5/8 @ 3616 w/2830 sx, 5 1/2 @ 6302 w/390 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4393; API #30-015-39189

Lime Rock Resources II-A LP
Stirling 7 D #9
Red Lake; Sec 7 T18S R27E; 1080/S & 940/W. BHL 971/N & 994/W; EL 3292 GL, TD 4250 MD, PBTD 4203 MD; Spud 2-10-13, Comp 3-2-13; production is through treated perfs: 2410-3740, 2802-3097, 3160-3500, 3565-3905. Treat: 8940 gals 7.5% HCL, Frac w/325,721# 16/30 & 59,280# 16/30 Siber prop sd in x-linked gel. IP: 3-24-13 Pump 24 hrs 66 BO, 490 BW, 73 MCF. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 348 w/300 sx, 5 1/2 @ 4250 w/750 sx, 2 7/8 @ 4028; API #30-015-40875

Devon Energy Production Company LP
Turquoise PWU 27 #6
Parkway; Sec 27 T19S R29E; 1930/N & 50/E. BHL: 1713/N & 331/W; EL 3332 GL, TD 11895 MD, 7050 TVD, PBTD 11,860; Spud 11-27-12, Comp 2-26-12; production is through treated perfs: 8050-11832. Treat: Acdz w/24000 gals HCL acid, 1,289,430 gals 28# borate gel, 585,785# 30/50 sd, 1,137,615# 20/40 sd, 288,924# 16/30 sd. IP: 2-26-13 Pump 24 hrs 765 BO, 876 BW, 2398 MCF, GOR 3,134,641. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 339 w/450 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3441 w/1930 sx, 5 1/2 @ 11881 w/2080 sx, 2 7/8 @ 6925; API #30-015-40507

Marshall & Winston Inc.
Holiday #1
North Seven Rivers; Sec 1 T20S R25E; 330/N & 380/W. BHL: 331.7 /S & 381/W; EL 3431 GL, TD 7214 MD, 2870 TVD, PBTD 7160; Spud 4-17-12, Comp 6-18-12; production is through treated perfs: 7150-3320. Treat: Acdz w/3843 gals 7.5% HCL, Frac w/20,042 gals 15% HCL acid + 563,881# 20/40 white sd, + 92,505 gal linear gel + 611,374 gals xlinked gel. IP: 7-16-12 Pump 24 hrs 84 BO, 510 BW, TSTM MCF. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 1028 w/670 sx, 7 @ 2451 w/812 sx, 5 1/2 @ 2451-7214, 2 7/8 @ 2350; API #30-015-39769

Chevron USA Inc.
Softail AV 26 #2
South Culebra Bluff; Sec 26 T23S R28E; 330/S & 1980/W.

Please see **COMPLETIONS/8G**

WILDCATS

New Mexico

Lea County

Mack Energy Corp.
Leo State #7
Wildcat; Sec 18 T18S R35E; 1650/N & 990/E; 3 mi S Buckeye; Rot 9650 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41033

Mack EnergyCorp.
Leo State #8
Wildcat; Sec 18 T18S R35E; 1650/N & 2310/E; 3 mi S Buckeye; Rot 9650 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41034

COG Operating LLC
Boone 16 State Com #2
Wildcat; Sec 16 T21S R33E; 190/S & 1980/E; 10.5 mi SW Halfway; Rot 16274 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41049

Devon Energy Productin Company LP
Ironhouse 19 State Com #3
Wildcat; Sec 19 T18S R35E; 175/S & 1810/E; 4 1/2 mi S Buckeye; Rot 14352 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41050

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
Hallertau 4 Fed #5
Wildcat; Sec 4 T26S R32E; 330/N & 710/W; 16 mi SW Ochoa; Rot 15136 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41062

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
Hallertau 5 Fed #7
Wildcat; Sec 5 T26S R32E; 330/S & 1830/W; 17 mi SW Ochoa; Rot 8923 Bone Spring; API #30-025-41063

SYSTEM

From 2G

ment pump are all parts of the Roman assembly. The main difference is that, in the Roman version, the prime mover is a human, probably a slave.

Raglin noted that, over the years, companies have attempted to improve on this design, but nothing has taken hold at this time.

The company itself has come a long way in its own short history. In five years the company has grown to 80 employees in Midland, Carlsbad, NM, the Eagle Ford Shale and the Bakken Shale, along with six locations in Canada. Fifty of the employees work in Midland, where the company's equipment is manufactured. The company sells directly to clients, using no resellers.

Paul Wiseman can be reached at fittoprint@sbcglobal.net.

WALLACE

From 2G

vendors from whom they make exempt purchases. Vendors may have erroneously charged sales tax in the past on those exempt purchases.

Lastly, managers must inform vendors of those tax exemptions and provide any required documentation, such as an exemption certificate. Future purchases then need to be monitored to ensure that tax overpayments are minimized or eliminated.

Permian Basin energy companies cannot just assume that vendors are charging tax correctly. Reviewing all vendors who make a material amount of sales is the best way to improve sales tax compliance and reduce both overpayments and underpayments.

Chris Wallace, CPA is a senior manager in the state and local tax services at Weaver, the largest independent accounting firm in the Southwest with offices throughout Texas. He can be reached at 972.448.9294 and Chris.Wallace@WeaverLLP.com.

INTEGRA PLASTICS INC.

PIT LINER PLASTIC FILMS

■ FRAC PITS ■ RESERVE PITS
■ SECONDARY CONTAINMENT
■ TANK LINERS ■ LAGOON LINERS.

Full service Manufacture of String Reinforced Films, Smooth Poly, Textured, Woven Coated, PVC, LLDPE, HDPE and Geotextile.

Pick up or delivery available.

855-PIT-FILM (855-748-3456)
11401 West CR 30 Midland, TX. 79707
www.integraplastics.com

COMPLETIONS

From 7G

BHL: 660/N & 1567/W; EL 3018 GL, TD 11,060, PBTD 10,971; Spud 7-14-12, Comp 8-12-12; production is through treated perfs: 7181-10951. Treat: Acdz w/31,500 gals 7.5% NEFE. IP: 11-28-12 Pump 24 hrs 58 BO, 356 BW, 170 MCF, GOR 10862. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 542 w/530 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3002 w/1250 sx, 5 1/2 @ 11054 w/2025 sx, 2 7/8 @ 6012; API #30-015-40245

BOPCO LP
Poker Lake Unit #401
Poker Lake; Sec 21 T24S R31E; 335/S & 570/E. BHL: 359/N & 544/W; EL 3502 GL, TD 14,050 MD, 8133 TVD; Spud 9-15-12, Comp 12-13-12; production is through treated perfs: 8309-13,993. Treat: 160,644 gals 25# linear gel, 1,697,781 gals 25# silverstim R21, 95,000# 100 mesh, 2,531,930# 16/30 brady, 349,659# 16/30 garnet. IP: 12-27-12 Pump 24 hrs 422 BO, 1986 BW, 680 MCF, GOR 1611, Gty 39.4. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 971 w/830 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4400 w/1625 sx, 7 @ 8274 w/595 sx, 4 1/2 @ 8217-14020, 2 7/8 @ 7846; API #30-015-39918

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
Davinci 7 Federal Com #3
Hay Hollow; Sec 7 T25S R27E; 10/S & 1650/E. BHL: 333/N & 1721/E; EL 3211 GL, TD 11916 MD, 7297 TVD, PBTD 11835 MD; Spud 9-21-12, Comp 12-2-12; production is through treated perfs: 7481-11834. Treat: Frac w/1740083 gals fluid, 2678537# sd. IP: 1-1-13 Pump 24 hrs 550 BO, 437 BW, 2445 MCF, Gty 43.9. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 452 w/540 sx, 9 5/8 @ 1895 w/750 sx, 5 1/2 @ 11866 w/2835 sx, 2 7/8 @ 6753; API #30-015-40203

RKI Exploration & Production LLC
RDX 9 #2
Brushy Draw; Sec 9 T26S R30E; 2310/S & 990/E; EL 3104 GL, TD 7550, PBTD 7501; Spud 10-21-12, Comp 12-5-12; production is through treated perfs: 5714-5878, 5994-6200, 6380-6926, 7031-7253, 7067-7253. Treat: 9000 gals 15% HCL, 620,162 gals gel, 497,000# 16/30 white sd, 196,000# 16/30 SLC sd. IP: 12-30-12 Pump 24 hrs 83 BO, 664 BW, 38 MCF, Gty 41. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 799 w/770 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3582 w/1300 sx, 5 1/2 @ 7540 w/825 sx, 2 7/8 @ 5656; API #30-015-40178

Lea County

COG Operating LLC
Condor State #1
Wildcat; Sec 20 T18S R35E; 60/N & 330/W. BHL: 338/S & 462/W; EL 3950 GL, TD 14220, PBTD 14167; Spud 10-30-12, Comp 2-8-13; production is through treated perfs: 9599-14032. Treat: Acdz w/32832 gals 7.5%, Frac w/3026565# sd & 2934980 gal fluid. IP: 2-16-12 Flow 24 hrs 339 BO, 644 BW, 40 MCF, TP 50, CP 480. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1804 w/1325 sx, 9 5/8 @ 3355 w/925 sx, 5 1/2 @ 14220 w/2200 sx, 2 7/8 @ 8815; API #30-025-40814

Morexco Inc.
OSO Negro #1
East Bishop Canyon; Sec 13 T18S R38E; 660/N & 1980/W; EL 3629 GL, TD 5100, PBTD 5028; Spud 12-13-12, Comp 2-14-13; production is through perfs: 4832-35, 4841-45. IP: 2-20-13 Pump 24 hrs 55 BO, 124 BW, 55 MCF. Csg: 8 5/8 @ 1995 w/720 sx, 5 1/2 @ 5100 w/900 sx; API #30-025-40686

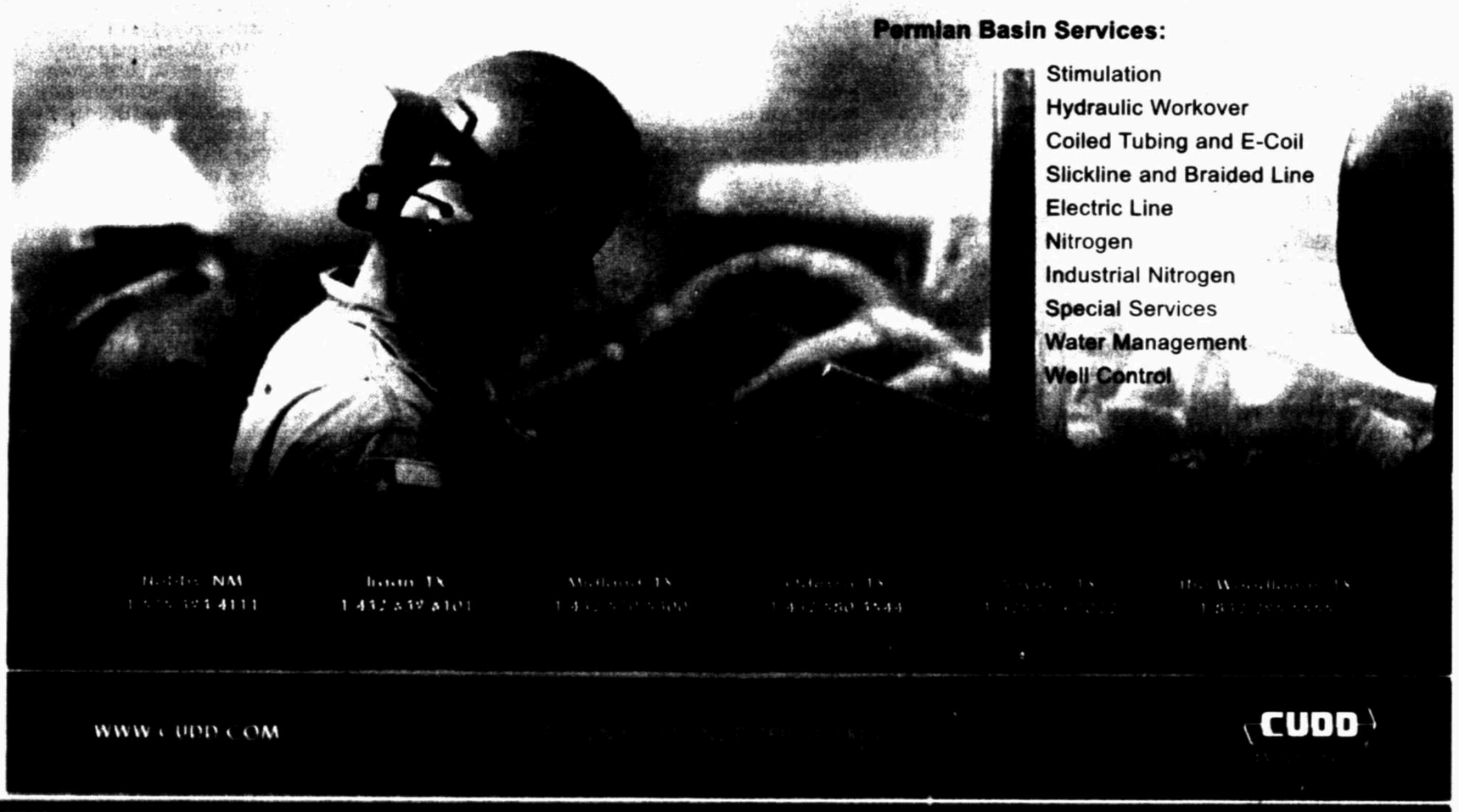
COG Operating LLC
Outlaw 22 Federal Com #1
Teas; Sec 22 T20S R33E; 660/N & 1980/E. BHL: 4028/N & 1926/E; EL 3588 GL, TD 14930, PBTD 14882; Spud 8-30-12, Comp 12-15-12; production is through perfs: 11103-14866. IP: 1-24-13 Flow 24 hrs 304 BO, 729 BW, 302 MCF, Open Ch, TP 95. Csg: 16 @ 1386 w/1400 sx, 11 ? @ 3516 w/1450 sx, 8 5/8 @ 5002 w/985 sx, 5 1/2 @ 14930 w/2050 sx, 2 7/8 @ 10642; API #30-025-40725

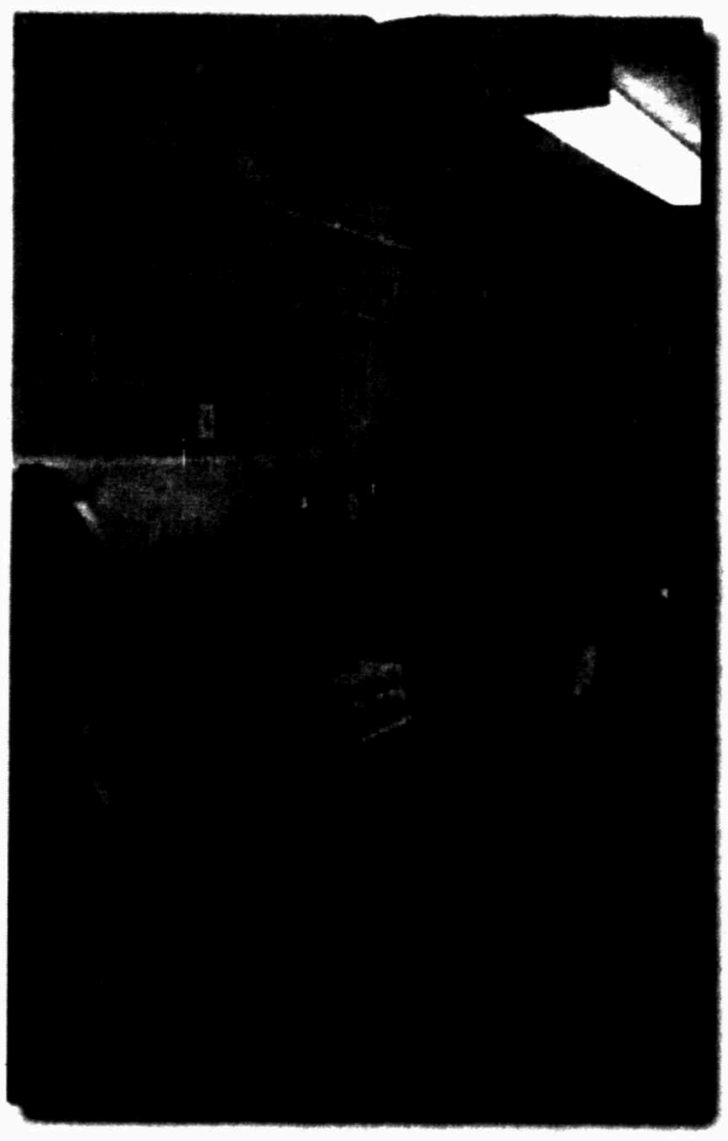
Cimarex Energy Co.
Triste Draw 36 State #6
Triste Draw; Sec 36 T23S R32E; 695/N & 375/W. BHL: 342/S & 690/W; EL 3692 GL, TD 15,038 MD, 11,012 TVD, PBTD 14,564; Spud 6-26-12, Comp 8-22-12; production is through treated perfs: 11,000-14,952. Treat: Frac w/2,682,046# sd & 1,811,183 gals total fluid. IP: 9-30-12 Flow 24 hrs 518 BO, 470 bW, 1614 MCF, 48 Ch, TP 160, CP 820, GOR 3116, Gty 43.2. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1238 w/860 sx, 9 5/8 @ 4900 w/1510 sx, 5 1/2 @ 15,034 w/2198 sx, 2 7/8 @ 10,458; API #30-025-40578

Yates Petroleum Corp.
Trucker BRK State #1
Bell Lake-Re-Entry of Mesa Pet CO; P&A, Old TD 15,557; Sec 2 T24S R33E; 1980/S & 660/W. BHL: 2023/S & 4927/W; EL 3615 GL, TD 15,075, PBTD 14,970; Re-Entered 2-19-12, Comp 1-28-13; production is through treated perfs: 13,010-14,965. Treat: Acdz w/32,770 gals 15% HCL acid, Frac w/1,816,234# 30/50 CRC. IP: 2-8-13 Flow 24 hrs 128 BO, 108 BW, 227 MCF. Csg: 16 @ 798 w/750 sx, 10 1/2 @ 5250 w/4550 sx, 7 5/8 @ 12,514 w/2250 sx, 4 1/2 @ 15,060 w/350 sx; API #30-025-26309

ConocoPhillips Company
Wilder 29 Federal #1
Jennings; Sec 29 T26S R32E; 524/N & 849/E. BHL: 338/S & 772/E; EL 3139 GL, TD 13,322, PBTD 13,322; Spud 10-17-12, Comp 1-8-13; production is through perfs: 9619-13,123. IP: 1-16-13 Pump 24 hrs 336 BO, 1824 BW, 900 MCF. Csg: 13 3/8 @ 1004 w/1445 sx, 7 @ 9546 w/525 sx, 4 1/2 @ 13,310, 2 7/8 @ 9115; API #30-025-40790

REA RIVIERA-ENSLEY ENERGY ADVISORS
YOUR FULL SERVICE TRANSACTION ADVISORS FOR THE OIL & GAS INDUSTRY
LET US SHOW YOU HOW OUR AFFILIATION WITH
NuTech ENERGY ALLIANCE
CAN ENHANCE YOUR NEXT DIVESTITURE.
CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION
432.686.9100 www.RivieraEnsley.com

EXPERIENCE MATTERS.
TRUST YOUR INVESTMENT TO A PROVEN LEADER.
Cudd Energy Services (CES) has a proven reputation for reliability, professionalism, and experience. Our crews are knowledgeable, certified professionals who solve your challenges, safely and efficiently. With crews strategically located throughout the Permian Basin region, CES stands ready to deliver on time, every time.
Permian Basin Services:
Stimulation
Hydraulic Workover
Coiled Tubing and E-Coil
Slickline and Braided Line
Electric Line
Nitrogen
Industrial Nitrogen
Special Services
Water Management
Well Control

WWW.CUDDCO.COM
CUDD

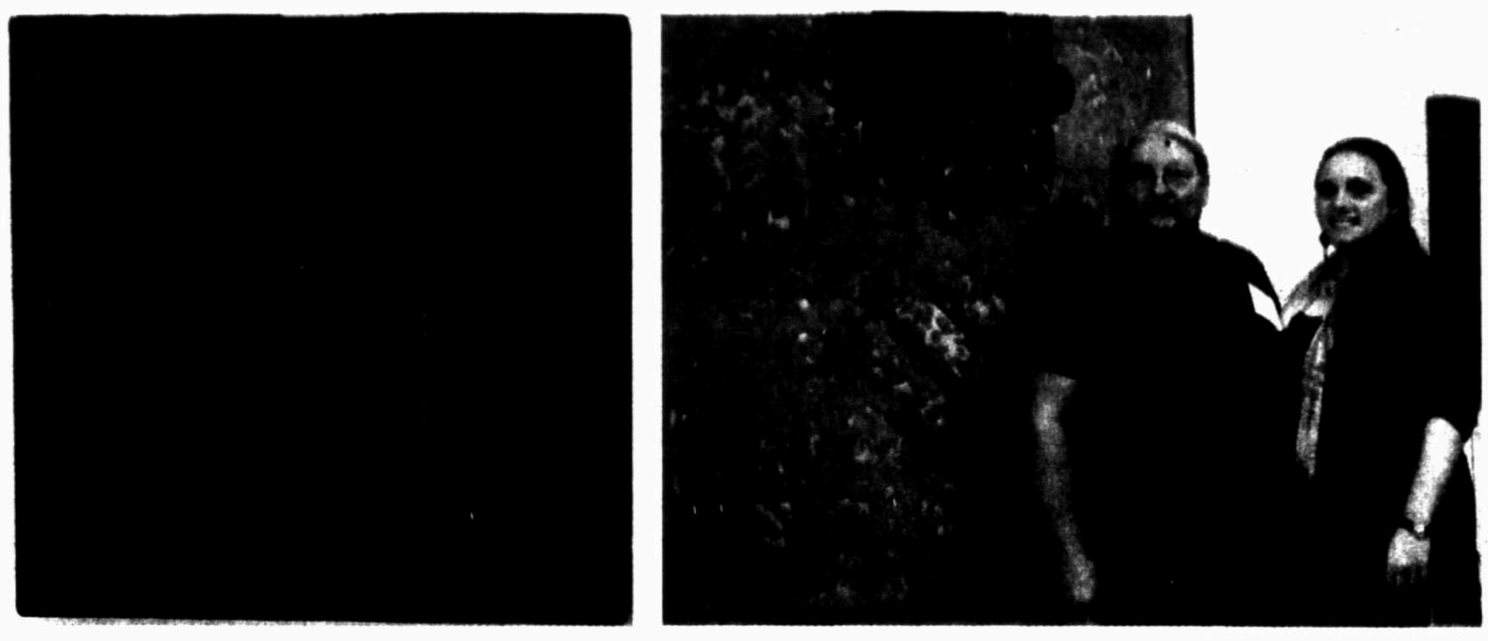
MOBILE QUARTERS
LEASING
Your Housing Solution for temporary living quarters
(281) 300-7426


• Built following IBC and UBC building codes
• Bathrooms include shower/commode/lavatory
• Kitchen includes oven/refrigerator
• Bedroom includes 1-4 twin beds
• Units are 8ft wide and 40ft long
• Units can be placed in an area as small as 400 sqft
• Office Configurations Available
• Easy to deliver and move from site to site;
NO permits required
Ernie Williamson
TEL (281) 300-7426
FAX (281) 457-1102
Email: ernie@mqleasing.com

3/8 @ 1004
@ 9546 w/525
3,310, 2 7/8 @
0-025-40790
NSLEY
VISORS
ADVISORS
STRY
OUR
MATION
sley.com
are
ted
sqft

THE ARTS

Midland Reporter-Telegram | mywesttexas.com | Sunday, June 23, 2013 | Section H



grand view of the

WORLD

'Art is a broad world' for artist Chadbourne

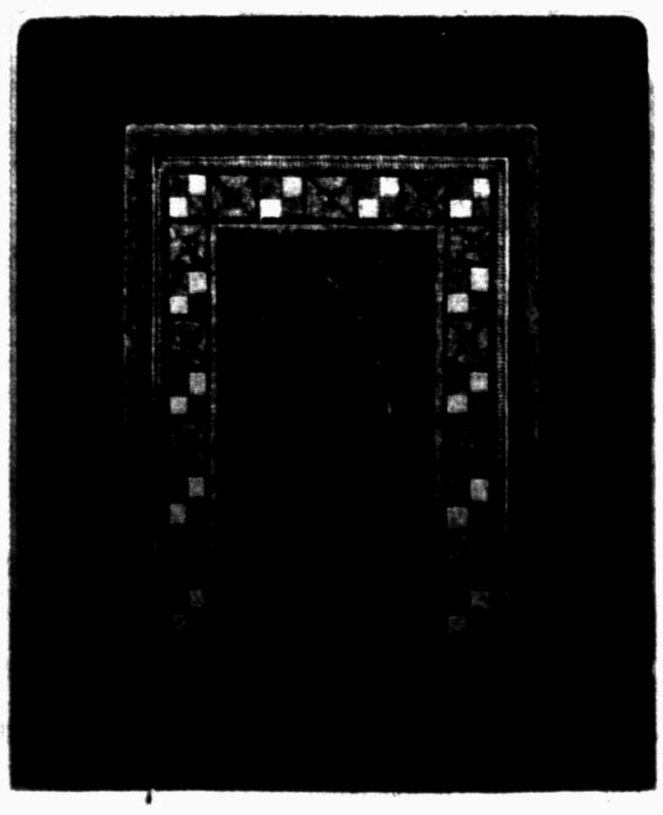
By Georgia Temple
Entertainment Editor

San Antonio artist Danville Chadbourne finds "Art is this grand view of the world. It's the big subject. Everything is a component of that."

His work was selected for the West Texas Triangle, a collaboration of five art museums that display the work of a single artist during the summer months. Those museums are the Museum of the Southwest, the Ellen Noel Art Museum in Odessa, the Grace Museum in Abilene, The Old Jail Art Center in Albany and the San Angelo Museum of Fine Art.

The idea began with the late Marilyn Bassinger, longtime director of the Ellen Noel Art Museum, who called the directors of the other museums together in 2006 to explore possible collaborations. Every year since then the museums have endeavored to exhibit the work of a single sculptor with a Texas connection. Those whose works have received this broad treatment include Joe Barrington, James Surls, Sherry Owens, George Tobolowsky and Catherine Lee.

Please see **EXHIBIT**/3H



LEFT
"The Skin of Contemplation," by Danville Chadbourne.

FAR LEFT
"The Irreconilable Dilemna," by Danville Chadbourne.

ABOVE
"The Predestination of Random Accidents," by Danville Chadbourne

TOP LEFT
"The Assertion of Uncertain Ideals," by Danville Chadbourne.

TOP RIGHT
Danville Chadbourne and his wife, Diana Roberts.

Photos by Tim Fischer

ALL THE DETAILS

WEST TEXAS TRIANGLE: WORKS BY DANVILLE CHADBOURNE
When: Now through Aug. 25
Where: Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. and the Ellen Noel Art Museum in Odessa
Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday.
Info: His work is also on display as part of the Texas Triangle at the Old Jail Art Center in Albany through Sept. 1, the Grace Museum in Abilene through Aug. 15 and the San Angelo Museum of Fine Art July 5 through Sept. 8.

THE ARTS CALENDAR OF EVENTS
A project of Arts Council of Midland
P.O. Box 3494, Midland, Texas 79702
432-687-1149
FAX: 432-687-1600
info@acmidland.org

Arts Council of Midland: Midland's nonprofit arts council and umbrella organization for performing and visual arts organizations, 401 W. Texas Ave., Suite 508, 687-1149. The Arts Council of Midland's mission is enriching lives with the arts through community-wide advocacy, education, outreach and promotion.

SUNDAY

Ellen Noel Art Museum: Ellen Noel Art Museum: "Chicanitas: Small Paintings from the Cheech Marin Collection through Aug. 18. Exhibits: Danville Chadbourne, sculptor, through Aug. 31. "Of Birds and Texas: The Art of Scott and Stuart Gentling" through Aug. 18. Bryant Holsenbeck: environmental artist through Sept. 8. Hours 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 2-5 p.m. Sunday. For more information call 550-9696 or visit www.noelartmuseum.

George Bush Childhood Home: HISTORIC HOME: Tour unique landmark home to two presidents, two governors and a first lady. Listed on the National Register of Historic Sites and restored to the 1950s period when the Bush family lived in the home. Gift shop features 1950s toys, books, clothing and patriotic items. 1412 W. Ohio Ave., 685-1112 Tours and gift shop hours are 2-5 p.m. Sundays and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturdays. Admission charged.

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EXHIBIT: "Musical Instruments" through Aug. 25. Permanent exhibits include "My Town," "Beach Babies" and "Touch of Sound." Regular museum hours are Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., 683-2882. Admission charged.

Museum of the Southwest: Sunday Lawn Series featuring Weatherstone 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. front lawn. EXHIBIT: Myths and Legends presents Andrew Hancock, photography "Chasing Greatness" through Aug. 25. EXHIBIT: Danville Chadbourne, sculptor, ceramics and paintings through Aug. 25. EXHIBIT: Taos Master: Taos Society of Artists collection on view all year. EXHIBIT: The Sculpture Park has 14 sculptures on display. Pick up a walking guide with descriptions of all sculptures. 1705 W. Missouri Ave., 683-2882 Gallery hours are Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m. Admission charged.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Library and Hall of Fame: Museum hours 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday, 1500 Interstate 20 West, 683-4403.

MONDAY

Haley Library and History Center: 1805 W. Indiana Ave. 682-5785. Regular hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Free.

Midland Arts Association: The MAA is featuring the artwork of Dee Kemp at the Community National Bank through the month of June. Downtown CNB located at 401 W. Texas Ave.

Midland Centennial Library: "A World of Golf Hall of Fame Traveling Exhibit Bob Hope - An American Treasure" through July 31. Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Friday-Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. For more information contact Heidi Dorey at libadm06@co.midland.tx.us

Midland College Gallelry: EXHIBIT: David Michael Brady, "Landscapes" through July 26 at the Allison Fine Arts Building. Gallery hours: Monday-Thursday 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Midland Community Symphonic Band: Weekly meeting. New members always welcome. 7-9 p.m. at Midland College Fine Arts Building Band Hall. For more information call Walter McClure at 260-7136.

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Theatre School: "Funny Pages" June 17-27 at 9 a.m. to noon at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Judith Giebler at 682-2544 x 121. For students K-ninth grade.

Midland County Historical Museum: EXHIBIT: Exhibit honoring World War II veterans in cooperation with the Texas Historical Commission's three-year program. Permanent exhibits: Native American artifacts; early Midland photos and relics; replica of Midland Man discovery; early obituary files available for research, 301 W. Missouri Ave. Open 2-5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Call 682-2931or 688-8947. Free.

Midland County Historical Society: EXHIBIT: HISTORIC HOME: Z. Taylor Brown-Sara Dorsey Medallion Home, oldest restored home in Midland, 213 N. Weatherford St., 682-5447. Open by appointment.

Odessa College LRC: 201 W. University Blvd. Call 432-335-6640 for Options Gallery schedule. Free.

The Palette Club: The Palette Club is featuring the artwork of Judy Tartt on display in the lobby of the downtown location of Chase Bank, 2301 W. Wall St., through June. Call Susan May to exhibit your work, 634-1795.

Scarborough-Lineberry House: HISTORIC HOME: 802 S. Main St., 685-7368. Open by appointment and available for rental for weddings and other special occasions.

Tall City Cloggers: Dances every Monday at M-Squarena. Information about clogging can be obtained by contacting Lynn Myers, 697-6416 or danznfool@grandecom.net

TUESDAY

Blakemore Planetarium: Permanent exhibits are open 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Closed Sunday and Monday. Sky shows 4:15 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, 7:15 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Friday and 1:15 p.m. and 3:45 p.m. Saturday. Admission charged. 1705 W. Missouri Ave.

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Theatre School: "Funny Pages" June 17-27 at 9 a.m. to noon at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Judith Giebler at 682-2544 x 121. For students K-ninth grade.

The Palette Club: "Summer Paint Time" 9 a.m. to noon through Aug. 28 at 907 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Dee Kemp at 599-0566.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Library and Hall of Fame: Brown Bag Lunch and Lecture featuring Hoxie Smith, Petroleum Professional Development Center Director. 11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. Cookies and drinks provided. Located at 1500 Interstate 20 West, Call for information 683-4403. Fee charged. Pre registration required.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum, Library and Hall of Fame: Summer Camp Movie "Monsters, Inc" $5 per child. 9:30 a.m. to noon or 1 to 3:30 p.m. Located at 1500 Interstate 20 West. Call for information 683-4403.

Sibley Nature Center: Located at 1307 E. Wadley Ave. or call 684-6827 for more information.

White-Pool House Museum: National Register of Historical Places. Texas Historical Landmark Texas Archaeological Landmark. Museum hours 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 112 East Murphy St., Odessa, 432-333-4072. Free.

WEDNESDAY

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Theatre School: "Funny Pages" June 17-27 at 9 a.m. to noon at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Judith Giebler at 682-2544 x 121. For students K-ninth grade.

Parker House Ranching Museum: Permanent collection of Tom Lea and his work, also featuring area local history exhibits. Museum hours are 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 1118 Maple St., Odessa, 432-335-9918. Free.

The Palette Club: "Summer Paint Time" 9 a.m. to noon through Aug. 28 at 907 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Dee Kemp at 599-0566.

THURSDAY

Midland Community Theatre: "Forever Plaid" benefit for Education Endowment. Mabee Theatre II at the Cole Theatre at 8 p.m. For tickets call 697-0155. 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Theatre School: "Funny Pages" June 17-27 at 9 a.m. to noon at Midland Community Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave. For more information contact Judith Giebler at 682-2544 x 121. For students K-ninth grade.

FRIDAY

Aphasia Center of West Texas: Rolling Stones tribute band, Satisfaction will rock Centennial Plaza at the fourth annual Aphasia Awareness Concert. Gates open at 6:30 p.m., Friday. Free. 699-1261 for more information.

Midland Community Theatre: "Forever Plaid" benefit for Education Endowment. Mabee Theatre II at the Cole Theatre at 8 p.m. For tickets call 697-0155. 2000 W. Wadley

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Mummers: "Magical Malevolence in Midland." Friday and Saturday through Aug. 30. 8 p.m. at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave. Tickets at 570-4111 Recommended for adult audiences only.

Museum of the Southwest: Family Friday Family Activities at Francis and Jack Brown Science Center at the Blakemore Planetarium every Friday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Through Aug. 23. Program free for members. 1705 W. Missouri Ave., for more information call 683-2882 or info@MuseumSW.org.

SATURDAY

Midland Community Theatre: "Forever Plaid" benefit for Education Endowment. Mabee Theatre II at the Cole Theatre at 8 p.m. For tickets call 697-0155. 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

Midland Community Theatre/Summer Mummers: "Magical Malevolence in Midland" Friday and Saturday through Aug. 31. 8 p.m. at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado Ave. Tickets at 570-4111 Recommended for adult audiences only.

The Permian Basin Chapter Poetry Society of Texas: "Writers Round Table" at Ground Floor Coffee Shop, 201 W. Wall St., Midland at 2 p.m. No charge. For more information contact MARC 349-5042.

Arts Council of Midland maintains a calendar of all known arts-related activities. To avoid conflicts with other organizations, please call 687-1149, P.O. Box 3494, Midland, TX 79702; or email info@acmidland.org.

Today's Crossword Puzzle brought to you by Quiroz Custom Home Builders

Quiroz CUSTOM HOME BUILDERS
(432) 683-5504
(432) 631-6734

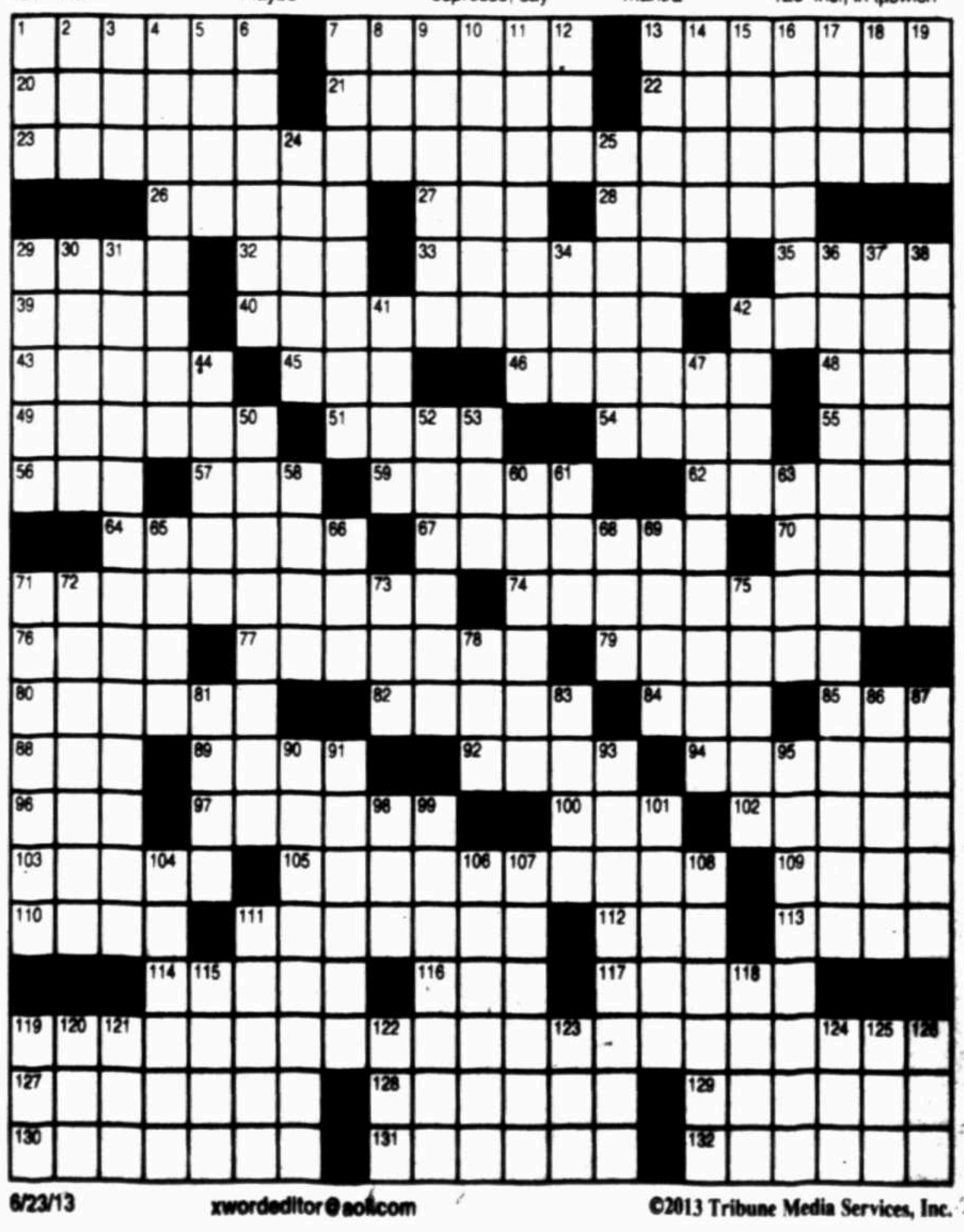
Los Angeles Times Sunday Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Rich Norris and Joyce Nichols Lewis

"NOW SHOWING AT THE COLOSSEUM" By PAWEL FLUDZINSKI

ACROSS
1 Pianist Argerich
7 Counterbalance
13 Burdensome
20 "... there's __!": Hamlet
21 Trounces
22 Forwards, say
23 1993 drama for which Stockard Channing got an Oscar nomination
26 Now, in Nicaragua
27 Fish with bobbing bait
28 Golden number
29 D-Day transports
32 Columnist Coulter
33 Soothsayers
35 Let go
39 Nicole Kidman's birthplace
40 2009 sci-fi Best Picture nominee
42 Trattoria starters
43 Onetime "SNL" regular Cheri
45 Thermal opening
46 Can plan
48 AOL backs-and-forths
49 Points of view?
51 Islamic leader
54 Islamic leader
55 Yiddish laments
56 Word with fair or opposite
57 Andean stew veggie
59 In need of wiping up
62 Coterie
64 Kane's estate
67 Effort before the effort
70 North Carolina university
71 Kurosawa period film remade into a Western in 1960
74 1988 baseball scandal movie
76 "Devil Inside" band
77 Nobility
79 Like the West Coast's U.S. Route 101
80 Guinea pig
82 Prepared to propose
84 Cabinet dept. created in 1965
85 Spy org. until 1991
88 Subway line to Columbia Univ.
89 Muffin choice
92 Engels collaborator
94 More upscale
96 Bore, as a cost
97 Inclined
100 Time-saving phone no.
102 Madrid monarch
103 Two sheets to the wind?
105 1995 Tom Hanks docudrama
109 Farming prefix
110 Alleviate
111 Held lovingly
112 Rental car feature, briefly
113 First word of the Declaration of Independence
114 "Spider-Man" director
116 "__ Crazy": Paul Davis hit
117 Riveting icon
119 Grant/MacDowell romantic comedy
127 Stinkers
128 Rear
129 First in line, perhaps
130 Deep down
131 High-hats
132 Gave lip to

DOWN
1 "Ladies and gentlemen, rock and roll" launch of 1981
2 Yellowfin tuna
3 Common color in national flags
4 Cherish
5 Actor Laurie
6 Using a passport
7 1960 Rat Pack film
8 TV sites, in realty ads
9 Russian basso Chaliapin
10 Honeymoon adventure
11 Typographic measure
12 J.A. Prufrock's creator
13 Degree requirement, maybe
14 Dorks
15 Actor Morales
16 Injure again, as a ligament
17 Covert maritime org.
18 Side for 2-Down
19 ID in MDs' records
24 Banks on a diamond
25 Enforcement group
29 Froot __
30 Composer of gnossiennes
31 Hitchcock thriller remade three times
34 Pennies: Abbr.
36 Academy Award-nominated 1949 war film
37 Country singer Harris
38 Minority opinion
41 Some cats
42 Prefix with scope
44 Actress Massey
47 Double espresso, say
50 Darts
52 Rome's __ Way
53 Salyut successor
58 In unison, in music
60 Parking garage section
61 Light opening?
63 Baroque painter Guido
65 Part of ADA: Abbr.
66 Portrait finish?
68 Grafton's "__ for Outlaw"
69 Sumptuous
71 Spoil
72 Subject of Newton's first law
73 Ararat arrival
75 Ewok's planet
78 Masterpiece
81 Auction site
83 Cretaceous giant
86 Class
87 Jellyfish's lack
90 Chicken Little, notably
91 Half a workout mantra
93 2003 Penn/Watts drama with "The weight of a hummingbird" in one of its taglines
95 Common coastal arrivals
98 Okra unit
99 "Invisible Man" author
101 "It's on the __ my tongue"
104 Composed
106 Smooth, musically
107 Tooth: Pref.
108 Promulgates
111 Drink from a press
115 1998 Sarah McLachlan hit
118 At Staples Center, briefly
119 "__ little teapot ..."
120 Lab inspector?
121 Crib cry
122 Literary monogram
123 Period, for one
124 Hi-__ monitor
125 "Peer Gynt" widow
126 Inc., in Ipswich



6/23/13 xwordeditor@aol.com ©2013 Tribune Media Services, Inc.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Two for the price of one

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ 7 6 4
♡ A 8 5
♢ A J 10 3
♣ K J 3

WEST
♠ K J 9 3 2
♡ Q 10 4
♢ 7 5 2
♣ Q 7

EAST
♠ Q 10 8
♡ J 9 6 3
♢ K 8 6
♣ 6 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A 5
♡ K 7 2
♢ Q 9 4
♣ A 10 9 8 5

The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♣	Pass	1♢	Pass
1NT	Pass	3NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Three of ♠

You only get one crack at landing your contract, so make the most of the chances that are available.

The auction was simplicity itself. North-South each showed a long suit and, after South described a balanced minimum opener, North knew where the hand should be played.

West led a fourth-best spade to East's queen and declarer made a futile holdup of the ace, winning the second round of the suit instead as West followed with the deuce. A successful finesse in either minor would produce at least nine tricks and, to complicate matters a little, the club finesse could be taken against either opponent. But declarer could not afford to take a losing finesse because the defenders would then be able to cash enough spade tricks to defeat the contract. What should South do?

Rather than guess or hope for divine inspiration, declarer should simply adopt a line, which offers play in both minors. First, the ace and king of clubs should be played off to see whether the queen drops singleton or doubleton. If that happens, declarer scampers home with nine tricks.

If her majesty does not appear, declarer falls back on the diamond finesse. Since odds of felling a singleton or doubleton queen when missing five cards in the suit are over 30 percent, this approach is a clear improvement over relying on the finesse alone.

JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, June 23, 2013:
This year you often will have to deal with two opposing concerns or situations. Instead of viewing them as opposites, look at what they represent. CAPRICORN is efficient.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ You might note an increase in intensity as the day goes on. You suddenly will notice how others seem to have to tap into your energy. Tonight: Prioritize.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Enjoy a loved one in the morning. In the afternoon, calls could come in. You might be planning a vacation when this occurs. Tonight: Follow your imagination.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ Others want your company, no matter what you choose to do. You might feel as if you need to clone yourself! Tonight: Be careful when handling money.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ Others seem very challenging. You might wonder why you are putting up with this behavior. Tonight: Resist getting into a power play.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ Your childlike personality emerges. You simply cannot get enough of those around you. The afternoon presents you with responsibilities. Tonight: Make it an early night.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ You must check in on a parent in the morning. The Full Moon in the afternoon will be a relief, because it encourages you to Tonight: Be naughty.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ Make calls to people you rarely have time to speak with. You will love catching up, and you also can count on hearing some surprising news. Tonight: Make a point of avoiding a disagreement.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ Take a close look at your budget, then balance your checkbook. Make sure that you have more than enough funds. Tonight: Tackle errands.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ Use the morning for your pleasure. Go off and play tennis if you want, or meet loved ones for a late brunch. Tonight: Your treat.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Pressure builds in the morning. You might choose to say little, but later in the day you could feel as if you have no choice but to speak your mind. Tonight: Make peace.

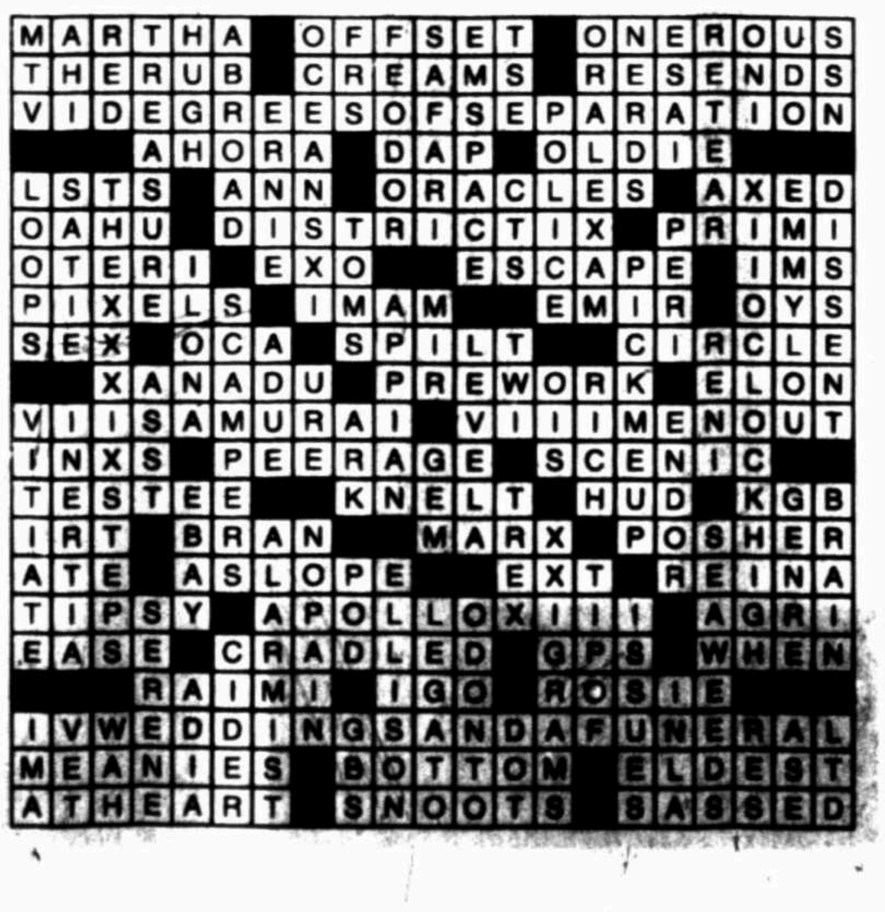
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ Use the morning for anything you feel you must do. Considering how much you have on your plate, you might veg a little. Tonight: Check your email.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Catch up on a friend's news in the morning. Perhaps a get-together with this person is in order. Tonight: Detach from difficult situations.

***

BORN TODAY
American Idol judge Randy Jackson (1956), choreographer Bob Fosse (1927), actress Selma Blair (1972)

ANSWER TO TODAY'S PUZZLE



Graham Dixon

IN THE LIMELIGHT

FOUR FUNNY FEMALES

GRAHAM DIXON
www.inthelimelightonline.com

The Four Funny Females faced a number of challenges at the Wagner Noël last weekend. First, the auditorium was largely empty, with only a few hundred seats filled. Second, a large space — whether filled or not — is not the best setting for standup comedy. It lacks the intimacy and proximity that the artform demands. Third, adult beverages could not be taken into the auditorium, thus taking away from the boozy interchange that is often the driving force behind standup.

But by the end of the evening, the four comics had faced and mostly overcome these obstacles, sending the audience smiling into the night.

Founded by Laura Bartlett— daughter of a well-known local family of doctors — the Four Funny Females bring contrasting, challenging and often very funny routines to the stage. Jodi Hadsell's standup takes on a world-weary, sardonic tone as she explores subjects ranging from how she is supposedly so desperate that she looks for a date on To Catch a Predator to the eternal waiting for an e-harmony match and on to political digs at conservatives such as Limbaugh and Beck. Her comedy is clever and courageous — not pandering to the prejudices of her audience, but challenging them.

If some of Hadsell's jokes were met with an uncomfortable silence — punctuated by nervous giggles — it was because they were so good.

Sherry Belle's routine is more expansive, physical and, initially at least, less provocative. She came on stage with a glass of wine, placed it on her stool and proceeded to tell jokes about her children and marriage. Belle has a way of staring directly into the eyes of her audience that is at once unsettling and yet entertaining. In a more intimate setting, I feel she might have indulged in one of those back-and-forth insult sessions with an uninhibited member of the audience that makes for some of the best standup.

Next up came the group's founder and producer, Laura Bartlett. This comedienne was known to many in the audience as she grew up in Odessa, and she connected with them. She presented an interesting character that was by turns vulnerable and then outlandish. She made fun of the fact that she is not a doctor, claiming that she had not inherited the gene that makes you "want to be around sick people." She lambasted her brother for being so nice, and slyly moved this joke into a satire of English-speaking people who feel the necessity to attempt to speak Spanish to Hispanics who can converse perfectly well in English. Bartlett also commented on men — yes men — who wear the wrong bra size — think about that for a moment — and explored the various machinations that surround a Hooters restaurant.

The last act was Linda Stogner. She gave some priceless facial expressions — resembling a Bassett hound with a remarkably malleable face at one point and then a deer-in-the-headlights panic when her mic went out. Her impression of a squirrel and a monstrously buzzing — and uncoordinated — June bug were perhaps the funniest moments of the night. Stogner has the skill to interweave high points from previous jokes in her routine into the present one. The bug made an appearance in several other jokes — completely irrelevantly, but hilariously.

Obviously the potential audience for the Four Funny Females was massively overestimated, but those who did come enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Comedy, and particularly standup comedy, is dominated to a ludicrous degree by men, and it was a pleasure to see four women buck this trend. It might be interesting to see the Four Funny Females introduce segments that feature more than one of them. I imagine they could create some great physical and verbal improvisation.

EXHIBIT

From 1H

Chadbourne, whose work will remain at the Museum of the Southwest through Aug. 25, was born in Bryan in 1949.

"I really grew up with no art background and no art environment," Chadbourne said in a telephone interview. "My parents knew nothing about art.

"My son, for example, grew up with me in the studio so he assumes that art is part of the way you see the world. I didn't have that when I was growing up. I was primarily interested in science, biology, botany and in mathematics.

"In the '50s and '60s the space program was relatively new, and I got interested in that, and I got interested in literature. I got really interested in literature in elementary school and high school. Literature became my entry point into the arts."

In college Chadbourne "really kind of started pursuing art. In college I really began to understand what art was about."

He received a Bachelor of Fine Arts in 1971 from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville and an Master of Fine Arts in 1973 from Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

After teaching studio art and art history at the college level for 17 years at various institutions, Chadbourne quit teaching in 1989 to devote himself full time to his art.

"I really liked teaching," Chadbourne said. "I loved the students. I loved that kind of relationship. I had some great and exciting times during that teaching period, but ultimately got really frustrated with the system. The academic world is really changing a lot, and it's getting more problematic.

"I wanted more time to do my work. I work on things simultaneously. I love to read and travel and cook. The school schedule was basically interfering with what I wanted to do with my time.

"I was by myself and then I met Diana, goddess of the moon," Chadbourne said of his companion. "She's an amazing character. We've been together since 1989. She's the most collaborative partner I've ever had in anything. She's an art historian and art writer and is very involved in the art world."

Several years ago the two spent a month in Paris, where they could often be found at the Louvre.

"I spend an enormous amount of time studying art history and histories of all types. We are the kind of people you never want to go to a museum with because we get there when it opens at 9 o'clock and at 5 o'clock they are always telling us we have to leave.

"Diana is finishing her master's in art history, and she had never been to Paris." He laughed and added, "It was an excuse for us to go to Paris. We rented an apartment for a month. At the Louvre we got a professional membership so we could go as much as we wanted for the next month. We spent almost two weeks in the Louvre, and we saw almost the entire museum.

"We are interested in art history and all archaeology. We live in a giant library here — thousands of books on everything. We have a massive film collection and music collection."

Chadbourne has exhibited extensively at both state and national levels, including more than 75 one-person exhibitions. His work is included in numerous private and public collections, and was featured in the November 2010 issue of Sculpture Magazine, and in the February 2010 and January 2006 issues of Ceramics Monthly.

"All of the other arts and also science and all these other philosophical ideas — psychology and anthropology and all the studies of history become part of my art. To me being an artist is the way I can be the most generalist I can be taking everything I encounter in the world and turning it into some objectified form. I can make something objective out of all those nebulous ideas and experiences and observations. Art is a broad world."

WEEK AHEAD

Arts & Entertainment opportunities for June 23-29

TODAY

Lawn concert series

Beginning today, folks will bring their lawn chairs and coolers to gather on the grounds of the Museum of the Southwest for free live music and fun. Now in its 26th year, this Summer Sunday Lawn Concert season features evening concerts from 7:30 to 9 p.m. every Sunday from today through Aug. 11, excluding July 7.

The concerts are held on the front lawn of the Museum of the Southwest, 1705 W. Missouri Ave. Performing today will be Weatherstone playing classic rock. The evening is being billed as fan night and those attending are encouraged to wear their favorite team's jersey. The performance is sponsored by Midland Pediatrics Associates and hosted by Classic Rock 102.

Jimmy's Italian Ice will be present at each concert, but guests are also welcome to bring their own snacks and beverages. As always, the Summer Sunday Lawn Concerts are kid and pet-friendly.

The schedule is subject to change, and concerts will be canceled in the event of rain. Information is available online at MuseumSW.org/lawn-concerts; receive concert updates by joining the Summer Sunday Lawn Concert event page on Facebook.

Summer Sunday Lawn Concerts are made possible through the generosity of local sponsors, media hosts and, of course, the many talented bands that support the series year after year. The series is underwritten by CBS7 and Midland Reporter-Telegram. For more information, or if you are a business or band interested in participating in the 2014 concert series, contact Chelsea Dey, marketing director: 683-2882 x 304 or cdey@MuseumSW.org.

THURSDAY

Musical

"Forever Plaid" is on stage today through Saturday in Mabee Theatre II at Cole Theatre, 2000 W. Wadley Ave.

An off-Broadway musical revue written by Stuart Ross in New York in 1990 and now performed internationally, "Forever Plaid" tells the story of how high school chums' dreams of recording an album ended in death in a collision with a bus filled with Catholic schoolgirls on their way to see the Beatles' American debut on The Ed Sullivan Show.

Curtain is at 8 p.m. Tickets are $15. For reservations, call Jane Moore, 697-0115. This is the correct telephone number. The telephone number on the postcards is incorrect.

"Forever Plaid" is being produced by Susie and Drew Anderson, who also produced "Godspell" in 2012 at First Presbyterian Church. That show was revived at the Yucca Theatre in January. This show is a fundraiser for Midland Community Theatre's Education Endowment.

FRIDAY

Outdoor music

ODESSA — The fourth performance of the Hot Summer Nights with Cool Music Series is set for 8 to 10 p.m. Friday at Noel Heritage Park, 320 W. 5th St.

The weekly performances are free. Those attending are asked to bring lawn chairs or blankets. Performing this week will be Eddie Irving and the Classic Swing Band. In the case of rain or extreme heat, the performance will take place at Ector Theatre, 500 N. Texas Ave.

The performance is free.

Outdoor concert

Elton John tribute band Bennie & The Jets will take the stage at downtown Midland's Centennial Plaza Friday. The free concert features classics such as "Candle in the Wind," "Crocodile Rock," "I'm Still Standing," "Someone Saved My Life Tonight," "Tiny Dancer" and more.

Sponsor tables with reserved seating, a catered dinner and private bar are available, but selling quickly at www.AphasiaWTx.org.

Food vendors include Johnny's Barbecue, South Forty Catering, A Taste of Chicago, AJ Concessions, Brianna's Pizza, tea from Steak Express and Papa's Italian Ice.

Raffle prizes include an Electra Cruiser Bicycle courtesy of Peyton's Bikes, a Spa Package courtesy of La Debo Na Salon and Day Spa, and a $500 Best Buy gift card. Raffle tickets will be available that night at the Aphasia Center booth and ahead of time at Peyton's Bikes or online at www.AphasiaWTx.org.

Gates open at 6:30 p.m. Tony Barker plays at 6:45 p.m. and Bennie and the Jets will perform at 8 p.m. No outside food or drink allowed.

SATURDAY

Outdoor festival

CHILDRESS — Childress's first Red Dirt concert, co-produced by Childress Theatre Company and Jon Herring of Upward Productions, will be presented lakeside in the town's fair park from 4 p.m. to midnight Saturday.

Performers include Charla Corn, Zach Edwards, Thrift Store Cowboys and Trent Willmon.

Tickets are $25 in advance and $30 at the gate. They may be purchased online at www.myeasytix.com, and by telephone at 1-877-840-0457.

UPCOMING

Special event

The Star Spangled Salute is set for July 4 in Centennial Plaza, downtown.

Admission is free.

Morning activities include a children's parade. Registration begins at 9 a.m. with the parade beginning at 10 a.m.

Kids' Zone activities open at 6 p.m. The concert will begin shortly after the Kids' Zone opens and fireworks are set to go off at approximately 9:45 p.m.

For more information, go to midlandtxchamber.com.

Event

ODESSA — Firecracker Fandango is set for 6 to 11 p.m. July 4 downtown at Fourth and Lee St.

The featured band is Kyle Park.

Tickets are $12 in advance at Endless Horizons in Odessa and Vision Audio, 5021 West Loop 250 North, and $15 at the gate.

The event is presented by Mainstreet Odessa. Contact: mainstreetodessa.com, call 432-335-4682 or check Facebook and Twitter.

'Aladdin' opens

Disney's "Aladdin" Dual Language Edition opens July 4 at the Globe Theatre, 2308 Shakespeare Road.

The production will run July 4, 7 and 14 at 2:30 p.m. and July 5, 12 and 13 at 7 p.m.

Disney's "Aladdin" Dual Language Edition, with book by Jim Luigs and Jose Cruz Gonzalez, music by Alan Menken and lyrics by Howard Ashman and Tim Rice, is based on the 1992 Disney film and lyric translations by Walterio Pezqueira. The music has been adapted, arranged and orchestrated by Bryan Louiselle. The story is told in one act.

Tickets are $15 adults, $13 students/seniors, $10 groups of 15 and $7 for ages 12 and younger, $20 for a couple and $40 for a family pack of 4. Buy tickets online at www.GlobeSW.org or call 580-3177.

Concert

TallTownes Entertainment is hosting a Backyard BBQ featuring Ray Wylie Hubbard, Sons of Fathers, Uncle Lucius and Graham Wilkinson July 13 at KD's Bar-B-Que, 3901 Garden City Highway. Presenting sponsor is Wise H20.

Doors open at 3 p.m. and music starts at 4 p.m. Tickets are $35 and are available at talltownes.com. Children 12 and younger are free.

Music camps

The Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale is offering music camps for students entering grades three through seven.

The classes will cover basic music reading and theory in a hands-on way as students learn to play various instruments (including recorders, xylophones, metalophones and various percussion instruments), sight-sing and even folk dance.

These Orff-based camps will be taught by Emily Baker, a former ECISD music teacher and the Voices of the Permian Basin (formerly Kids' Choir) director.

Session 2 will be July 8-18, Monday through Thursday 9 a.m. to noon.

Cost is $80 per student and includes a recorder. Call 563-0921.

Event

Midland Opera Theater is hosting a free DVD Party at the Blakemore Planetarium on July 25.

Refreshments will be served at 5:30 p.m. Puccini's "Girl of the Golden West" is the featured opera.

Then, on Susan Graham Day Sept. 5, Verdi's "Falstaff" featuring Graham will be shown.

Both DVD events are free and open to the public.

Tall City Blues Fest

Chris Duarte and Zac Harmon are this year's Tall City Blues Fest headliners. The festival will be held in downtown Midland's Centennial Plaza on July 26-27.

Other performers include: Justin Johnson of Durham, N.C., The Peterson Brothers from Bastrop, Frank Gomez of Austin, Terry Quiett of Wichita, Kansas, Brad Absher & Swamp Royale from Houston, Mike Milligan & the Altar Boyz from Austin, and Kirsten Thien of New York City with special guest, Eddie Turner from Denver.

On July 26, gates will open at 5 p.m., and the first performance will be at 5:30 p.m. On July 27 the gates will open at 1 p.m. with the first performer taking the Riley Geological Main Stage at 2 p.m.

To purchase tickets online, go to www.tallcitybluesfest.com. Friday day passes are $15; Saturday day passes are $25; weekend festival passes are $30.

In addition to its lineup across two main stages and outdoor community jam, Tall City Blues Fest hosts educational clinics, an art auction and memorabilia raffle, food vendors and a midnight spectator jam.

IN THE NEWS

Competitions

Fritzi Heron had her piece "Eye on the Prize" accepted into the American Women Artists first-ever online competition and show as did Jammey Huggins, who won third place with her piece "Keeper of the Night."

Palette Club members whose works were accepted into the Odessa Art Association Annual Juried Show include Joy Cowan, who received an honorable mention in oil/acrylics; Susan May; Steven Napper; Kay Smith, who received first place in watercolor and an honorable mention in graphics-3D; Jane Stevenson, who received an honorable mention in photography; Marvin Stevenson, who received second place and an honorable mention in watercolor; Judy Tartt; and Mary Tucci.

SOUNDBITES

Reviews of recent CDs

KANYE WEST
"Yeezus"

It's hard to digest all of Kanye West on his new album.

"Yeezus" is the rapper's darkest, eeriest and most erratic album of his six solo releases. He is in militant form on the 10-track set, rapping over beats that are artsy, electronic and gloomy. It's a far stretch from the contemporary rap and pop success he achieved with more than a dozen Top 10 hits, including "Gold Digger," "Stronger" and "Heartless." But that isn't necessarily a bad thing.

"Yeezus" continues on the dark and emotive path he set on 2010's "My Beautiful Dark Twisted Fantasy" and "808s & Heartbreak," which was released two years earlier. The production throughout "Yeezus" is exceptional, with Rick Rubin, Daft Punk, No ID, RZA and more helping out. The album flows nicely, with songs including layered vocals and transitions that elevate them to great heights.

Mesfin Fekadu/AP

THE LONELY ISLAND
"The Wack Album"

The Lonely Island pull another magic trick out of the fun box — and it's their third studio record, "The Wack Album." The Weird Al Yankoviches of the 21st century tackle sexual etiquette, double standards, general stupidity and wardrobe malfunctions with the help of Solange, Ed Norton, Pharrell, Too $hort, Kristen Wiig and Robyn, among many others.

Unburdened by the bland, nonsensical lyrics of the mainstream, their sexy hooks work for and against them. Sometimes the track sounds so authentically straight up that some might miss the genius of the words. "Yo, I drove past a rally saying 'honk for peace,' so I took out my gun and shot 'em all in the knees." That about sums it up.

Cristina Jaleru/AP

J. COLE
"Born Sinner"

J. Cole continues to live up to the hype he initially got from rap great Jay-Z, delivering an assortment of quality songs on his sophomore album, "Born Sinner."

Like his 2011 debut album, the 28-year-old primarily produces his new offering with some help from No I.D. and Elite. Cole shows improvement as a producer and lyricist, spitting rhymes with honesty and clarity throughout the 16 tracks, which include two entertaining skits and two interludes.

The North Carolina native raps about temptation and commitment struggles on several songs such as "Trouble," "Runaway" and "She Knows," which effectively co-stars Amber Coffman of the Dirty Projectors.

Overall, "Born Sinner" is a treasure: Cole paints pictures with his superb rhymes and sets the mood nicely with his solid production.

Jonathan Landrum Jr./AP

Black Sabbath emerges from the dark with new album

By Chris Talbott
Associated Press

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Ozzy Osbourne and the members of Black Sabbath worked hard to create a dark aura around their band in the late 1960s, laying down a proto-metal blueprint for a legion of groups to follow.

As the band's original lineup attempted to reform over the past 10 years to record a long-anticipated new album — the first with Osbourne singing since he was fired in 1979 — there was no need to manufacture that sense of doom. Time and again, events conspired to interfere. On its latest attempt, things went more awry than usual. Drummer Bill Ward left the band over a contract dispute. Guitarist Tony Iommi was diagnosed with lymphoma. And Osbourne began to drink again.

"Things always get messed up," Osbourne said. "Like Bill had the heart attack on one (in the late 1990s). When Tony got stricken by cancer, we went 'This is ... insane.' But he turned up every day. We all thought that if we don't get our march on with this thing, we're going to be ... dead, by the next time we could all be ... dead. So we had to really march on with our project. We couldn't wait."

Sabbath releases the Rick Rubin-produced "13" after more than two years of writing and recording. It's meant to be a return to the band's most powerful period — its defining first three albums "Black Sabbath," "Paranoid" and "Master of Reality" released in 1970-71 — and mostly succeeds with the help of Rage Against the Machine drummer Brad Wilk.

It was Rubin's idea to return to Sabbath's roots, and bassist and principal lyricist Geezer Butler said the producer served as a fifth member of the band, keeping it focused — something the band had been unable to do in a previous attempt. It took longer to record than any other album with the original lineup, but the time was necessary.

"It's like the old saying, you do what you know best," the 63-year-old Butler said. "You sort of forget all the keyboard bits and all the multi-instruments and just get back to the basics like on the first three or four albums, and just keep that live feel. We had the sort of philosophy that if it wasn't done in four takes, then forget it."

Sabbath's early period remains among the most influential series of recordings in rock 'n' roll history. Blending a darker shade of the blues with horror movie and post-apocalyptic imagery, Sabbath was unlike any other band. It belongs in a very small group of 1960s bands that serve as the wellspring for all that was to come in rock along with The Beatles, The Rolling Stones, Jimi Hendrix and The Doors.

The group's sound was heavier than anything rock has yet produced, reliant on the complex, muscular and surprisingly funky interplay of Ward and Butler with Osbourne and Iommi layering weird vibes over the top. They did not write songs about girls or cars. They wore dark clothes and made music that mirrored society's blacker aspects. They wrote anti-war songs disguised as dystopian nightmares, and songs about space travel, mental illness, creepy children and marijuana.

And they wrapped it in a bottom-heavy musical concoction that was relentlessly grinding yet as insidiously hummable as a sunny pop song.

"When they started, there was no such thing as heavy metal, and it feels like the whole genre of heavy metal really is based on Black Sabbath," Rubin said. "It may not have always sounded the same and it's gone through a lot of changes and there's a lot of really interesting metal that doesn't sound like Black Sabbath. But it feels like they were probably the first with the idea that this dark, heavy music could be the whole trip."

Their popularity would eventually do them in. The quality of their music declined due mostly to drug abuse, and the band fired Osbourne after eight albums and 11 years together. Osbourne went on to a popular solo career and reality TV fame. And the remaining members of the band continued to play together in some combination over the years with other lead singers, most notably the late Ronnie James Dio. And they've occasionally reformed to tour. But the long-talked-about reunion album had always eluded them, and it seemed this time would be no different.

Ward started writing with the band but soon left, a development Osbourne found sad. Then Iommi's diagnosis came in December 2011.

"You know the thing (that) is the easiest part of getting the reformation of Black Sabbath is just saying, 'Yeah, we'll do it,'" the 64-year-old Osbourne said. "The hard part is getting us in one place all on the same day playing our stuff. If Tony Iommi can be treated for ... cancer and turn up to rehearsal and come up with great riffs, it's not fair that any one of us don't come up to the bench, you know?"

Iommi, who's now in remission, traveled back and forth from Los Angeles to London for treatment. Both Osbourne and Butler expressed admiration for the guitarist.

"Tony, he's my hero because I don't know how he did it," Osbourne said.

Osbourne also had his struggles during the recording. He was fired from the band for substance abuse problems and has worked on changing his lifestyle after meeting and marrying his wife and manager Sharon Osbourne. She expressed anger earlier this year when Osbourne began drinking while making the album. He says it's been four months since he's had a drink and things are well with his family.

"It's just one of them things — I'm an alcoholic," Osbourne said. "And the most unnatural thing for an alcoholic is not to drink. So every now and again I'll just go and have a few drinks. But it catches up with you and bites you in the butt, you know? I mean, Sharon has been living with me for 33 years, and it just (messed) the family up again. My son has got 10 years of sobriety. So I'm trying one day at a time, you know?"

Rubin said he saw none of these outside struggles in the studio, beyond the strengthened resolve to finish. When the band finally plugged in, Rubin was delighted to find they still had that Sabbath groove. But Osbourne wasn't immediately taken with Rubin's plan to revisit the band's distant past.

"I kept saying to him, really and truly the first Black Sabbath album was a live album without the audience," Osbourne said. "And he kept going on about these bluesy undertones, and I'm like what the ... is he on about? Because when you're in a band you do things that you like. The first person I want to impress with my work is me. If I don't like it, I don't like it, you know? It took me a long time to get my head around where Rick was going. But he proved me wrong, I tell you, in the end."

Coming Tuesday

Mavis Staples 'One True Vine'

Skillet 'Rise'

India.Arie 'Songversation'

August Burns Red 'Rescue & Restore'

White 'The Silver'

LIVEWIRE

WANT YOUR GIG OR YOUR VENUE'S EVENT LISTED IN LIVE WIRE? EMAIL NADAMSON@MRT.COM WITH THE DETAILS. ALL LISTINGS ARE TENTATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

MIDLAND/ODESSA/ BIG SPRING/ANDREWS

JUNE

23 **Weatherstone** @ Museum of the Southwest
23 **Nandoughsa** @ Club Remy
23 **Tom Jean & Jerry Band, Tony Leonard, Samuel Zachary, Mary Mitchell** @ Music City Mall
25 **Earth, Wind and Fire** @ Ector County Coliseum
25 **Tex Railer's Doomtown** @ Blue Max
26 **The World Is a Beautiful Place, I Am No Longer Afraid, Pity Sex Dads, Girl Husky, Oakwood, Convenient** @ The Pine Box
26 **Dead Earth Politics, Broken Jaw Philosophy** @ Blue Max
26 **Biff & Dave, Brian Milson** @ Shack in the Back
27 **Moving Forward, Icarus the Owl, Discourse, Have Mercy, Ivy League, Turnover, Koji** @ Pine Box
27 **Curtis Grimes** @ Rockin Rodeo
27 **Hogg Maulies** @ Lone Star Bar
28 **Eddie Irving & The Classic Swing Band** @ Noel Heritage Park
28 **Bleu Edmondson, Chancy Bernson** @ Lone Star Bar
28 **Shane Rogers Band** @ Detour
28 **Dean Seltzer** @ Redneck's
28 **Jino Jordon, Jesse Thomas** @ Music City Mall
28 **Marisela** @ La Hacienda
28-29 **3 Lit Pigz** @ Your Place
28-29 **Electric Gypsies** @ The Bar
28-29 **Glovebox** @ Hot Shots
29 **Mad Mexicans** @ Blue Max
29 **Luke Wade & No Civilians** @ Lone Star Bar
29 **Larry Joe Taylor, Tommy Alverson, Greg Reichel & The Big Flats, Ben Shurr** @ Summer Jam Texas (Stanton)
29 **Arliso Strings, Tommt Tarango, Mike Leonard, Ty Miller, Mary Mitchell, Marissa Rushman, Martha Elliott** @ Music City Mall
30 **Coyote Crude** @ Museum of the Southwest
30 **Tom, Jean & Jerry, Allstars, Ernesto Calderon & Mike Williams** @ Music City Mall

JULY

1 **Murietta** @ Blue Max
3 **Dix Hat Band, Jeff Strahan** @ Shack in the Back
3 **Mothership, Communion** @ Blue Max
3 **Wade Bowen, Randy Rogers** @ Graham's
5 **Zack Walther Band, Benton Leachman** @ Lone Star Bar
5 **Loudfinger** @ Detour
5 **Pushwater** @ Redneck's
5-6 **The Blue Cats** @ The Bar
5-6 **Jim Dixon** @ Cigar Frog's
6 **Texas Renegade** @ Lone Star Bar
6 **Jake Cox, JB Beverley & The Waywa** @ Blue Max
6 **Branden Cook and the Foggy Posse** @ Redneck's
6 **Callahan Divide Band** @ Boomerz
9 **State Faults, Strive to Survive** @ Pine Box
10 **Daddy Mack Blues Band** @ Shack in the Back
10 **The Texas K.G.B.** @ Escapre Lounge
11 **Washington Revival** @ The Lone Star Bar
12 **Monsters Scare You, Speaking the King's, Set to Reflect** @ Pine Box
12 **Shane Rogers** @ Detour
12 **Corner Pocket** @ Noel Heritage Park
12 **Big Casino** @ Redneck's
12 **Folk Family Revival, Tanner Castle** @ Lone Star Bar
12 **Stateline** @ The Bar
12 **Chrome Molly** @ Your Place
12-13 **Lee Scheetz & Borderline** @ Escape Lounge
13 **Zach Edwards** @ The Bar
13 **The Unsweet T's** @ Your Place
13 **The Shane Rogers Band** @ Redneck's
13 **Ray Wylie Hubbard, Uncle Lucious, Graham Wilkinson, Sons of Fathers** @ KD's
13 **Dessi Amor, Juicy J, Blue Dream & Kean, Yunn YG Gunna, Antoine Banks, Jaunie Neptune** @ Cabana
13 **Bermuda, Beyond the Shore, Barrier, Illustrations** @ Pine Box
13 **Signal Rising** @ Blue Max
13 **Last Call Coalition** @ Lone Star Bar
14 **Brown Sneakers** @ Museum of the Southwest
17 **CPR Band** @ Shack in the Back

LUBBOCK

JULY

13 **Megadeth, Black Label Society, Device, Hellyeah, Newsted, Death Division** @ The Pavilion at Lone Star Event Center

OCTOBER

4 **Rascal Flatts, The Band Perry, Cassadee Pope** @ United Spirit Arena

DALLAS-FORT WORTH AREA

JUNE

23 **Bow Wow Wow, Gene Loves Jezebel** @ Boiler Room
23 **Ke$ha, Pitbull** @ Gexa Energy Pavilion
24 **Twin Shadow, Elliphant** @ Granada Theater
26 **Cyndi Lauper** @ House of Blues
28 **Barry Manilow** @ Verizon Theatre
28 **New Kids on the Block, 98 Degrees, Boys II Men** @ American Airlines Center
29 **Dennis DeYoung** @ Celebration Park (Allen)

JULY

1 **LL Cool J, Ice Cube, Public Enemy, De La Soul, Z-Trip** @ Verizon Theatre
3 **Justin Bieber** @ American Airline Center
5 **Beyonce** @ American Airlines Center