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MPD: Alcohol likely a factor in fatality

Number of deaths on roads in Midland County rises to 22

From staff reports

Midland police said Sunday that alcohol likely played a factor in two deaths in two days.

The city's public information officer reported Sunday that 21-year-old Roberto Vasquez, of Big Spring, died early Sunday morning after he lost control of his vehicle after driving the wrong way on the western edge of downtown. Vasquez is the 22nd person to die on roads inside Midland County this year, according to Reporter-Telegram reports.

The fatality was the second of the weekend. A car driven by Stefanie Kaye Moore, 22, of Midland, allegedly hit Natalie Hartman, 35, of Midland, late Friday near the intersection of Midkiff Road and Wadley Avenue. Moore was in custody Sunday at Midland County jail on a charge of intoxication manslaughter.

Of the 19 fatal accidents in 2013, according to Reporter-Telegram records, the two this past weekend are the first two that reportedly involved alcohol.

On average, there has been a fatality every 6.3 days. That puts this county on pace for 57 deaths in 2013, which would be 22 more than last year and would surpass the total of any county in the immediate area during the past three years.

Vasquez was found dead at the scene of the crash after Midland police and fire departments responded at 12:47 a.m. Sunday in the 500 block of West Illinois Avenue.

Vasquez was driving east on Illinois Avenue, the wrong way on a one-way street, at a high rate of speed, when the car began swerving side to side. He then lost control and drove the car onto the north sidewalk, striking a tree on the driver's side, said public information officer Sara Higgins.

One passenger was transported to Midland Memorial Hospital with minor injuries, while three other passengers were not injured, she said.

Higgins said speed also was a contributing factor in the crash.

SERVICE FOR HAILEY



Photos by Ryan Evon/Odessa American

ABOVE: Erica Morse, of Big Spring, and Melissa Gooch, of Brownwood, hug and hold candles Sunday during the memorial service for Hailey Dunn at Colorado Middle School in Colorado City. Both Morse and Gooch were involved in the search for Hailey soon after she went missing. **BELOW:** Clint Dunn puts his arm around his son David as Billie Jean Dunn is hugged by her mother Connie Ostrander. The group are the father, brother, mother and grandmother of Hailey, respectively.

Hundreds remember 13-year-old Colorado City cheerleader

By Betsy Blaney
Associated Press



COLORADO CITY — Hailey Darlene Dunn was a cheerleader, saxophonist, on the softball and basketball teams, a doer and a leader. But it all ended mysteriously in December 2010 when the 13-year-old West Texas girl disappeared.

Through prayers, songs, pictures and shared memories, Hailey's friends, family and schoolteachers gathered Sunday at Colorado Middle School — where she was a student — to remember a young girl whose remains were found in March.

"Hailey was a doer. She set an example for others to follow. She will always be one of us in spirit," Mark Merrell, the middle school principal said.

Even after she went missing, she had an influence, he noted, recalling how students came together to print banners and hold a "Hailey Week."

The mystery, though, remains unsolved.

Hailey's mother, Billie Dunn, reported the girl missing Dec. 28, 2010. Dunn's boyfriend at the time, Shawn Adkins, told police he had last seen Hailey a day earlier, when she said she was going to visit her father, Clint Dunn, and a friend. She did neither.

For a time, police called Adkins a person of interest in Hailey's disappearance, but he has not been charged. In March 2011, Billie Dunn was charged with lying to police about her boyfriend's whereabouts. She pleaded no contest and received a suspended 90-day jail term with probation.

In March, human remains were found

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MIDLAND 101

By Jimmy Patterson

Pioneer rancher credits horse with saving his life

Midland's love affair with horses didn't start in 1987 when Alysheba brought home trophies from two legs of thoroughbred racing's famed Triple Crown. It didn't start 28 years before that when Fred Turner's racehorse Tomy Lee brought home Midland's first Kentucky Derby trophy in 1959.

Some might guess it started two years before that, in 1957, when Midlander Ralph Lowe entered his thoroughbred, Gallant Man, in the Kentucky Derby and Belmont Stakes. The Lowe-owned horse nearly won the Derby and did win the Belmont, avenging his controversial loss at Churchill Downs. But it would be wrong to suggest that's where Midland's passion for horses began.

Go back to the 1920s and you'll find Midland's Floyd family building a strong interest locally in polo. It was early, but it wasn't where Midland's affection for horses began.

You'd have to go all the way back to the 1800s to come to a full appreciation of the bond between man and horse in West Texas. Stories abound of the bonds formed between horses and their riders in the earliest days of history and Midland was certainly no exception. There wasn't a race

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Michael Trost announces bid for City Council District 4 re-election

By Joseph Basco
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Michael Trost: The District 4 city councilman announced his plans to seek re-election. Trost has represented District 4 for 5 1/2 years. J. Ross Lacy, the president of the Midland County Young Republicans, has already announced his intention to run.

The run for the City Council District 4 seat now has two competitors as current District 4 Councilman Michael Trost announced his bid for re-election Sunday afternoon.

He announced his intent at a "meet your neighbor" event at the Grassland Estates clubhouse. Rather that make a formal announcement in front of an audience, Trost was meeting people face-to-face at the event, introducing himself, as well as stating his seek to re-election.

Trost said he wants to continue the work he started 5 1/2 years ago when he was first elected into the position. Noting the ups and downs of the economy since then — the recession in 2008 all the way though the oil boom of current times — Trost said now is not the time for a new District 4 representative midstream.

"This is the largest district in the city," Trost said. "It is also the one with the most activity. And I have had my hands on all of the activity of District 4, kept up with it, and I think I am in the best position as this time to help progress and keep us into the next few years."

If he is re-elected, Trost said he wants to continue looking at resolving traffic issues by using traffic calming devices and wants to continue adding infrastructure so developers can come to Midland to build houses.

Trost's announcement comes after Midland County Young Republican President J. Ross Lacy announced his intent to run for the District 4 position on Wednesday. When asked about his thoughts on Lacy, Trost said he is a firm believer that no one should run unopposed. In 2007, Trost defeated Jerry Knudsen to capture the District 4 seat. In 2010, he did not draw an

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Ramblin Cajun shrimp boat crew member Clerville Kief III prepares nets before heading offshore on in 2012 in Galveston.

GOT SHRIMP?

Seafood packers struggle with supply

By Brooke Crum
The Beaumont Enterprise

BEAUMONT — Seafood Lover owner Steve Edwards is determined not to raise his shrimp prices — at least for now — despite a lag in supply this season.

Edwards has been primarily buying shrimp from three boats in the area for the past 30 years. He knows the shrimpers' costs are up and their catches down, he said. Still, Edwards told The Beaumont Enterprise that he would not change prices on one of his best-selling items for at least the next month or two.

"I hope I can weather it," he said of the shrimp shortfall. "They could turn around and have a good season."

The commercial shrimp season will close 30 minutes after sunset May 23, which is about a week later than normal.

Both Texas and the National Marine Fisheries Service decided to delay the close to allow shrimp that have reached the Gulf to grow to a larger, more valuable size, according to the Coastal Fisheries Division of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Shrimp growth rates have been slower this spring because of cooler temperatures and higher salt quantities, according to the state agency.

The United States imports about 80 percent of its shrimp, so restaurants that stock imported, farm-raised shrimp will not be impacted by the local shrimp shortage. Local restaurants who use wild caught shrimp won't be so lucky.

The Schooner Restaurant in Nederland gets shrimp from JBS Shrimp Packing Co. in Port Arthur, said Steve Megas, one of the restaurant's owners.

The restaurant has dealt with limited shrimp availability in the past after hurricanes and the BP oil spill in 2010, he said.

"We're going to do our best not to increase any prices," Megas said. "But that's an unknown right now."

Shrimp is one of The Schooner's most popular items and is offered in a variety of dishes, he said. Customers who demand quality and want to eat locally caught seafood would be willing to pay a little more for their favorite shrimp dishes, Megas said.

Texans have gotten accustomed to shrimp shortages, said Terrie Looney, a coastal and marine resource agent with Texas Sea Grant College Program at Texas A&M University.

Baby shrimp grow up in fresh water bays and marshes, but their habitats have been hammered repeatedly in recent years by hurricanes, droughts, high temperatures and human destruction, she said.

If the babies cannot mature, then shrimpers cannot reel in catches that cover the costs of going out to drag their nets. And if the shrimpers can't go out, then there is no reason for them to purchase fuel or nets.

Program makes mentally ill defendants ready for trial

Associated Press

KERRVILLE — The judge ascended the bench. He looked down at cafeteria-style tables marked "Prosecuting Attorney" and "Defense Attorney." To his left, two men sat in a box marked "Jury." The witness stand was marked "Witness."

"Sustained," proclaimed the judge, who wore a striped polo shirt, a thick goatee and a shock of greasy hair. He gave the gavel a sharp bang and waved it around, bringing the court to something resembling order, at least by the standards of a mock trial involving people who have been deemed mentally incompetent to participate in a real one.

In mental hospitals across the country, psychiatrists prepare criminal defendants for trial using innovative therapies such as this make-believe hearing, where patients and clinicians played the key courtroom roles. The process, they believe, reduces recidivism and protects public safety.

"Good treatment is your best security," said Michael Jumes, director of psychology services at the Kerrville State Hospital, where all 202 beds are filled with patients committed by the courts. "Medication alone can't do it."

But lawmakers in a number of states are scrambling to cut the cost of preparing mentally ill criminal defendants for trial. Dozens have authorized outpatient programs. Several, including Texas, are considering plans to provide treatment in jail.

A jail-based program allows defendants "to quickly receive treatment in a county jail from a team of highly qualified mental health professionals without waiting several weeks to be transported," said state Sen. Robert Duncan, a Lubbock Republican whose proposal for a pilot program has cleared the state Senate.

Courts order mental competency evaluations for about 60,000 criminal defendants a year, according to statistics cited by the National Judicial College, a nonprofit education group housed at the University of Nevada, Reno. About 20 percent are found unfit to stand trial.

The rules for restoring competency, as prescribed by the U.S. Supreme Court in 1960, require defendants to be able to consult with their lawyers "with a reasonable degree of rational understanding" and to comprehend the proceedings against them.

Faced with long hospital waiting lists for such treatment, more than 30 states have authorized outpatient programs designed to expedite the process and save money, according to a report by Reena Kapoor, a psychiatry expert at Yale University of Medicine. In Texas, according to a government budget analysis, state hospitals achieve a 75 percent success rate, at a cost of $421 for an average stay of 120 days. Outpatient treatment, at a reduced cost of $106 per day, has produced a success rate of 55 percent Charges were dropped against another 11 percent.

Now some lawmakers are looking to San Bernardino County, Calif., where officials have been operating a 20-bed pilot program known as "jail-based competency restoration." While the program has reported only a 45 percent success rate, with 19 of 42 patients restored to competency, California state budget analysts noted $70,000 in cost savings per patient as a success.

In Texas, the state Legislature has advanced bills to create a similar program. In Colorado, the Department of Human Services has sought funding for its own jail-based treatment.

Advocates for the mentally ill have spoken out against the proposals.

Even patients who have been treated in hospitals often regress when they return to jail to await a court hearing, experts say.

FELONY ARRESTS

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Joshua C. Butler, 34, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of forgery of a financial instrument.

Jesus G. Cardoza Jr., 40, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on charges of aggravated assault against a public servant and obstruction or retaliation.

Anthony D. Hill, 38, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of theft between $1,500 and $20,000.

Joshua J. Lopez, 30, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a prohibited substance in a corrections facility.

Stefanie K. Moore, 22, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of intoxicated manslaughter with a vehicle.

Gonzalo Morquecho Jr., 38, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a third or more charge of driving while intoxicated with an open alcohol container.

Juan Porras Jr., 20, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of failure to appear or bail jumping.

Robert C. Prado, 51, of San Antonio, was arrested Saturday on a charge of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram.

Jose M. Rodriguez, 48, of Donna, was arrested Saturday on two charges of theft and a charge of unauthorized use of a vehicle.

Michael E. Rogers, 63, of Midland, was arrested Saturday on a charge of theft.

Freddie A. Villa, 45, of Stanton, was arrested Saturday on charges of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and tampering or fabricating physical evidence.

Sammy A. Villa, 53, of Stanton, was arrested Saturday on charges of possession of a controlled substance less than 1 gram and tampering or fabricating physical evidence.

Source: Midland County Sheriff's Office

Obituaries



Carol Lynette Brinlee

Carol Lynette Brinlee, 51, of Andrews, went to Heaven Friday, May 17, 2013 in Andrews.

Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at 11:00am at McNett Funeral Home Chapel in Andrews, TX with Benny Henderson officiating, interment will be at 2:00pm at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa, TX. Pallbearers will be Steve Southern, Benny Henderson, Curtis Richardson, E.J. Grillo, Alex Sanchez and Mark Neujar. Honorary Pallbearers will be Jeremy Lunceford and Pete Lashbrook.

Carol was born November 2, 1961 to Delbert and Mary Ramsey in Odessa, TX where she was raised. She married her "Best Friend" Billy Bob Brinlee on December 6, 2001. Carol was a very self motivated person. She worked in safety sales around the oil field for 15 years prior to her death. As she waited to go home, with her family by her side, she spoke softly, "I'm the lucky one," as she raised both arms up to the heavens, asking, "How did God get here?" We will honor and cherish her special memories forever in our hearts.

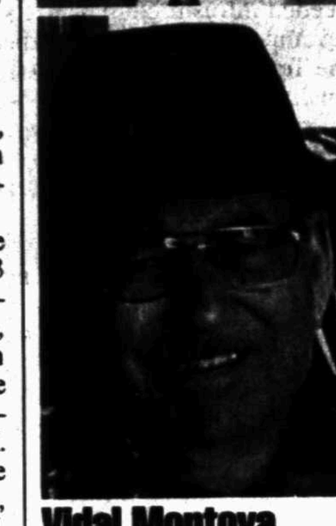
She was preceded in death by her father, Delbert Houston Ramsey and her sister, Linda Ruth Ramsey.

She is survived by her husband, Billy Bob Brinlee of Andrews, TX; mother Mary Briones of Brady, TX; son Jeremy Lunceford of Dallas, TX; daughter Ashlie Ramos of Midland, TX; daughter Jessica Lashbrook of Odessa, TX; son Pete Lashbrook of Andrews, TX; stepdaughters: Laurie Brinlee and Rachel Penny of Elk City, OK; numerous grandchildren; sister and "2nd Best Friend" Debra Henderson of Odessa, TX; brothers: Joel Curtis of Brady, TX and Bobby Briones of San Angelo, TX; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Our family can express enough in words, the appreciation of the caring staff of Dr. Gibbons at MD Anderson. We would like to say thank you for the great care of Kyle and Sonia of Hospice, for the support and all your time in keeping our loved one comfortable. As the phones continue to ring, friends & family coming by, all the sweet messages being sent, cards, flowers and food, we say Thank You to all of our compassionate friends. We love you all.

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Vidal Montoya

Vidal Montoya, 83, passed away on Friday, May 17, 2013.

Vidal was born on December 24, 1929 in Manuel Benavides, Chihuahua, Mexico to Eugenio Montoya and Librada Carrasco Montoya. He married Olympia Urias on May 29, 1959, in which he was blessed with 6 children, 15 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Vidal was in agriculture for most of his life, and later a construction worker. He then went on to retire and spent his time doing what he loved most: playing guitar, singing, gardening and enjoying time caring for his grandchildren.

Vidal is survived by his wife, Olympia; children, Enrique Montoya and wife Irma, Guadalupe Sanchez and husband Gustavo, Elizabeth Rubio and husband Job, Vidal Montoya Jr. and wife Rosa Emma, Jose Alfredo Montoya and wife Patricia, Leonel Montoya and wife April; and numerous grandchildren, great- grandchildren, family and friends.

Visitation will be from 1-9pm on Sunday, May 20 at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel. A rosary will be held at 7:00pm on Monday, May 21 at Ellis Funeral Home. The funeral service will be at 2:00pm on Tuesday, May 22 at San Miguel Archangel Catholic Church. Interment will follow to Serenity Memorial Gardens. Online condolences may be offered at w ww.ellisfunerals.com.

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Death Notices

Charles Ferd Wilson

Charles Ferd Wilson, 81, passed away on May 18, 2013. Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Joe C. Diaz Sr.

Joe C. Diaz Sr. passed away on Friday, May 17, 2013.

He is survived by his son Joe Diaz Jr. and daughter Carol Diaz both of Midland; two brothers: Polo Diaz and M.C. (Marceleno) Diaz both of Midland; two sisters: Angela Olguin and Maggie Olgin both of Midland.

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

Juvencio Ramirez Sr.

Juvencio Ramirez Sr passed away Friday May 17 2013. Funeral Mass will take place today at 10:00am at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Interment will follow to Fairview Cemetery.

He is survived by his five sons: Armando Ramirez, Reynaldo Ramirez, Elias Ramirez, Juvencio Ramirez Jr., and Rudy Ramirez all of Midland, TX; five daughters: Victorina Ramirez, Irene Rayos, Rosa Talavera, Elvira Barron, and Guadalupe Ramirez; three brothers and four sisters; forty-three grandchildren and numerous great and great great grandchildren.

Arrangements were made with Heavenly Gate Funeral Home. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to: heavenlygate@suddenlink mail.com.

Margaret Larkin Rhea

Margaret Larkin Rhea 103, passed away on May 18 2013. Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Marshall Yates

Marshall Yates, 88, of Lamesa, died Saturday, May 18, 2013, in a Denver City hospital. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 PM Wednesday, May 22, 2013 at the Second Baptist Church in Lamesa. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Tuesday, May 21, 2013, at Gilbreath Funeral Home in Stanton.

Survivors include one son Dan Yates of Seminole; one daughter, Trudy Harrison of Greenwood; one brother Sammy Yates of Tarzan; two sisters, Peggy Latty of Flomaton, Alabama and Hazel Martin of Peoria, Illinois; five grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren.

Arrangements directed by Gilbreath Funeral Home of Stanton.

Myrtle Louise Davenport

Myrtle Louise Davenport, 79, of Andrews, passed away Saturday, May 18, 2013. Services are pending with McNett Funeral Home in Andrews.

Oatus Kenneth "Ken" Green

Oatus Kenneth "Ken" Green, 74, passed away on Saturday, May 18.

A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, May 21 at 11am at First Baptist Church of Midland. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Buffalo Trail Council BSA, 1101 W. Texas Ave. 79701 or Girl Scouts of the Desert Southwest Midland, 901 W. Dengar, 79705.

Ray L. Dabney

Ray L. Dabney, 78, of Big Spring, died Saturday, May 18, 2013, in a Midland hospital. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM, Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Mark Lindsey and Rev. Floyd Green officiating.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM, Monday, May 20, 2013 at the funeral home.

Survivors include his wife Darlene Dabney of Big Spring; a daughter, Melody Lee Dabney of Austin; a nephew; two great-nieces.

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

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Suburb solar panel fight exposes problems

Associated Press

FLOWER MOUND, — A legal battle between a suburban Dallas neighborhood association and a homeowner seeking to install solar panels on his house exposed problems with a 2011 Texas law.

Jay Squyres and the Wellington of Flower Mound Residential Association have settled their lawsuit, The Dallas Morning News reported Saturday.

But the skirmish over whether Squyres' solar devices were generating too much power and marring the neighborhood's appearance made lawmakers consider changes to the law originally designed to protect renewable energy infrastructure.

That bill died in committee, but was praised by advocacy groups because it would have required a majority of residents a proposed project before it could be rejected by a neighborhood association.

The current law states a homeowner's association must approve an application for renewable energy infrastructure, such as solar panels, unless the devices "cause unreasonable discomfort or annoyance to persons of ordinary sensibilities."

That wording, said Kaiba White, a policy and outreach specialist for Washington-based advocacy group Public Citizen, allows a project to be halted by just one person.

In Squyres' case, he was given permission to install 45 panels on the rear roof of his home and 13 additional panels on the side of his house.

The lawsuit involved whether he had gone through the proper channels to install more panels in his backyard and front roof.

The homeowner's association said in a letter to Squyres that it supported environmentally friendly initiatives but needed to "consider and balance the use and enjoyment of land of all owners within our community."

It also said he was generating more electricity than he needed, creating a banned commercial use.

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Texas bill would drastically revamp water agency

Associated Press

AUSTIN — New revisions to a major water bill calls for ousting the six-member Texas Water Development Board and its top official before the state embarks on a new $2 billion fund to provide low-interest loans for projects.

A historic drought in 2011 spurred Gov. Rick Perry and lawmakers to propose the fund, which would provide communities the money to push ahead with long-needed infrastructure projects. The revamped bill is being returned to the Texas House and Senate for final approval with just one week remaining in the 140-day legislative session, in which the urgency of water funding has snagged budget talks and led Perry to threaten lawmakers he would extend their work into June should they not deliver on the fund.

The measure, obtained by The Associated Press, calls for a drastic overhaul of the water board, cutting the number of board members in half and requiring regions to prioritize projects, something lawmakers have blasted the current board for failing to do. None of the current board members would be eligible for reappointment — meaning the entire current six-member state water board, as well as executive administrator Melanie Callahan, would be replaced.

Billy Bradford, current chairman of the Texas Water Development Board, did not return a phone message Sunday seeking comment.

Agency spokeswoman Merry Klonower said the agency cannot comment on proposed legislation. As of Friday afternoon, she said they had not seen the proposed bill.

Republican House Speaker Joe Straus favorably greeted the revised bill, which is a compromise between House and Senate negotiators that was wrapped up this weekend.

"Speaker Straus has stressed the importance of meeting our growing state's water needs for well over a year and in building the agenda for this session, and is pleased that there is a way forward to fund the state water plan," spokeswoman Erin Daly said Sunday.

Environment groups applauded the revised bill that was wrapped up this weekend. Laura Huffman, state director of the Nature Conservancy, said the proposal would provide good oversight of the distribution of funds.

"If you look at the water plan right now, it's a completely unstructured capital improvement program," Huffman said Sunday.

The combination of the water board setting priorities based on a community's ability to repay a loan and regions considering a project's viability is key, she added.

The overhaul would only take effect if Texas voters in November approve the creation of the new water fund, which would be called the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas. It would be initially stocked with $2 billion to finance projects in the state water plan, and lawmakers say that money would multiply through interest earnings and revenue bonds.

Some lawmakers have criticized the state water board, which has overseen water planning in the state for decades, as inefficient. The proposed bill aims to address those issues.

Bradford, the board's current chairman, has defended the agency's performance and management. One major change calls for the three new board members — all of whom would be appointed by Perry — to serve full-time. Currently, board members are appointed by Perry but serve part-time.

Board members and the agency have rebuffed criticism that they don't prioritize projects, saying they don't have that authority.

In March, the AP obtained an $8 billion list of priority projects the agency had compiled after repeated prodding by lawmakers.

AROUNDTHENATION

FROM WIRE REPORTS

CALIFORNIA

Gas prices up 11 cents over past 2 weeks

The average U.S. price of a gallon of gasoline has jumped 11 cents over the past two weeks.

The Lundberg Survey of fuel prices released Sunday says the price of a gallon of regular is $3.66. Midgrade costs an average of $3.84 a gallon, and premium is $3.98.

Diesel held steady at $3.93 gallon. Of the cities surveyed in the lower 48 states, Tucson, Ariz., has the nation's lowest average price for gas at $3.18. Minneapolis has the highest at $4.27.

In California, the lowest average price was $3.94 in Fresno. The highest was in San Francisco at $4.07. The average statewide for a gallon of regular was $4.03, up 18 cents.

OKLAHOMA

Tornadoes hit Kan., Okla.; no injuries reported

EDMOND — A powerful storm system rumbled through the Plains and upper Midwest on Sunday, spawning tornadoes that damaged homes and buildings near Oklahoma City and put the Tulsa area on high-alert.

There were no immediate reports of injuries caused by any of the tornadoes that touched down in Oklahoma and Kansas, including one that hit the Oklahoma City suburb of Edmond before moving northeast toward Tulsa, 90 miles to the northeast.

For days, forecasters had been warning about the possibility of tornadoes from a weekend storm, and emergency responders as far north as Minnesota and as far south as Texas were keeping a close eye on the powerful system pushing eastward and northward through the nation's breadbasket.

"I knew it was coming," said Randy Grau, who huddled with his wife and two young boys in their Edmond's home's safe room when the tornado hit. He said he peered out his window as the weather worsened and believed he saw a flock of birds heading down the street.

"Then I realized it was swirling debris. That's when we shut the door of the safe room, said Grau, adding that they sheltered in the room for 10 minutes.

In Wichita, Kan., a tornado touched down near Mid-Content Airport on the city's southwest side shortly before 4 p.m., knocking out power to 7,500 homes and businesses but bypassing the most populated areas of Kansas' biggest city.

VIRGINIA

Official: Driver likely had medical condition

DAMASCUS — Authorities believe the driver who plowed into dozens of hikers marching in a Virginia mountain town parade suffered from a medical condition and did not cause the crash intentionally, an emergency official said Sunday.

Officials did not have a formal confirmation or any specifics on the condition, but based on the accounts of authorities and witnesses on the scene, they are confident the issue was medical, said Pokey Harris, Washington County's director of emergency management. "There is no reason to believe this was intentional," she said.

In what witnesses called a frantic scene at the parade, about 50 to 60 people suffered injuries ranging from critical to superficial Saturday. No fatalities were reported. Three of the worst injured were flown by helicopter to area hospitals.

Two people were kept at hospitals overnight, but their injuries were not critical as of Sunday, Harris said. Most were treated and released.

The crash happened around 2:10 p.m. Saturday during the Hikers Parade at the Trail Days festival, an annual celebration of the Appalachian Trail in Damascus, near the Tennessee state line about a half-hour drive east of Bristol.

CONNECTICUT

Weeklong traffic mess possible after derailment

HARTFORD — Traffic in southwest Connecticut could be a mess for as much as a week until service is restored to the commuter rail line affected by a derailment that injured scores of passengers, Gov. Dannel P. Malloy warned Sunday.

Malloy used dire language to describe traffic troubles for the work week ahead in an area that even in normal times is a pain for motorists. And the governor warned that the weather will not cooperate as rainy weather forecast will make driving a bit more treacherous. Malloy even urged commuters to stay out of the state if possible.

"Tomorrow's commute will be extremely challenging," he said at a brief news conference in Hartford. "Residents should plan for a week's worth of disruptions."

If all 30,000 affected commuters took to the highways to get to work, "we would literally have a parking lot," the governor said. If a substantial number of affected consumers hit the roads, traffic will be "greatly slowed," he said.

The state will dispatch more state troopers and tow trucks to respond to car accidents that could come with crowded roads and slipper conditions, he said.

Small Fla. city ponders winner of Powerball

Associated Press

ZEPHYRHILLS, Fla. — Some lucky person walked into a Publix supermarket in suburban Florida over the past few days and bought a ticket now worth an estimated $590.5 million — the highest Powerball jackpot in history.

But it wasn't Matthew Bogel. On Sunday, he loaded groceries into his car after shopping at the Publix. He shook his head when asked about the jackpot.

"It's crazy, isn't it?" he said. "That's so much money."

It's an amount too high for many to imagine. Compare it to the budget for the city of Zephyrhills: This year's figure is just more than $49 million. The winning Powerball jackpot is 12 times that.

Whoever has the ticket hadn't come forward as of Sunday afternoon.

"This would be the sixth Florida Powerball winner and right now, it's the sole winner of the largest ever Powerball jackpot," Florida Lottery executive Cindy O'Connell told The Associated Press. "We're delighted right now that we have the sole winner."

Publix spokeswoman Maria Brous said that there are a lot of rumors about who won, but the store doesn't know. "We're excited for the winner or winners," she said.

Florida Lottery spokesman David Bishop said Sunday afternoon that it was doubtful the winner would come forward that day. The ticket-holder can't claim the prize until today when the agency opens, he said.

"It never happens this quickly," Bishop said. "If they know they won, they're going to contact their attorney or an accountant first so they can get their affairs in order."

O'Connell said Florida has had more Powerball winners than any other state but did not give any indication whether anyone had stepped forward with the winning ticket in Saturday's drawing.

But plenty of people in Zephyrhills — population 13,337 — are wondering whether it's someone they know.

Joan Albertson drove to the Publix early Sunday morning with her camera in hand, in case the winner emerged. She said she had bought a ticket at a store across the street, and the idea of winning that much money was still something of a shock.

"Oh, there's so much good that you could do with that amount of money," Albertson said. "I don't even know where to begin."

Zephyrhills is a small city in Pasco County, about 30 miles northeast of downtown Tampa. Once a rural farming town, it's now known as a hotbed for skydiving activity, and the home to large retiree mobile home parks and Zephyrhills bottled water.

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TODAY IN MIDLAND

Today in Midland history

On May 20, 1977, Southwest Airlines started service in Midland-Odessa. At the time, Midland became the seventh city in the Southwest system. The airline offered four daily flights to Dallas.

Things to do

Concert, Celtic Woman, 7:30 p.m., Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center. Tickets: $39-$99 at Etix or by calling 800-514-3849.

Meetings today

Planning and Zoning Commission
3:30 p.m.
City Council Chambers, City Hall
300 N. Loraine

Midland-Odessa Transportation Organization (MOTOR)
5 p.m.
Wright Office Complex, Suite 1, 9601 Wright Drive

Pachanga to take place Tuesday

The city of Midland will sponsor three Pachangas in the coming months, the first of which will take place Tuesday.

Comunidad in Action, a nonprofit organization, is once again hosting these community block parties that offer live entertainment, free food and drinks, games and door prizes.

Tuesday's event is 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Tuesday at Dunagan Park. Pets can receive a rabies shot, tag and microchip for only $20. (Dogs must be on a leashes and cats in carriers.)

For more information, call 682-3565.

MC now offering iPad classes

Midland College is offering a new continuing education class designed to train individuals on how to get the most out of iPads — how to use it for more than surfing the Web and playing games.

The course, entitled "Apple iPad Introduction" meets 6-9 p.m. today, Tuesday and Thursday. Price is $154, and students should bring iPads to class. Registration is available at www.midland.edu/workforce or by calling 681-6330.

Talk show schedules

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

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

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

Other options
Contemporary Christian: KFRI (FM 88.7), KLVW (FM 90.5)
NPR: KOCV (FM 91.3)

Tornado donations

H-E-B has donated $50,000 to the American Red Cross and will begin accepting customer donations for the victims of the recent tornadoes that devastated areas of North Texas. H-E-B is also providing aid in response to the devastation with gift cards and meals to churches, first responders and affected families.

The campaign offers customers an opportunity to add donations in increments of $1, $3, or $5 to their total grocery bill. Customers may elect to donate multiple increments. It is not necessary to make a purchase in order to make a donation.

How to submit

- Births: Have information and a picture about a newborn son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter you want in the paper? Call Managing Editor Mary Dearen at 687-8852.
- Engagement, wedding anniversary or quinceanera announcements: email write-up and photo to weddings@mrt.com. For more information, call 682-6222.
- Education news: email information and photo to Mary Dearen at mdearen@mrt.com or Meredith Moriak at mmoriak@mrt.com. For more information, call 687-8852.
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Today in history

Today is Monday, May 20, the 140th day of 2013. There are 225 days left in the year.

Today's highlight:
On May 20, 1927, Charles Lindbergh took off from Roosevelt Field in Long Island, N.Y., aboard the Spirit of St. Louis on his historic solo flight to France.

GOOD SCOUT AWARD



MRT file photo

A panel discussion on legislation and regulatory threats to exploration and production in this March 2011 file photo include, from left, Grant Billingsley, Ben Sebree, moderator Doug Robison, Bob Landreth and Obie O'Brien at the 2011 Executive Oil Conference. Robison has been named as the recipient of the Good Scout Award by the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

Oilman to be first recipient of local Scout award

By Mella McEwen
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Leadership is one of the skills taught in scouting, and Doug Robison has parlayed those skills into a successful oil and gas career.

But the founder and president of ExL Petroleum is also using that success to support Scouting programs that meant a lot to him growing up in Big Spring. His support has earned him the first Good Scout Award, presented by the Chaparral District, part of the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America. He will be recognized along with 2012 Eagle Scouts.

The award, to be presented at a dinner tonight at Midland Center, is designed to promote awareness in the community about Scouting and its benefits to both boys and girls, said Gabriela Pilonieta of Chaparral District. The dinner, she said, will be the district's main fundraiser with a goal of raising $50,000 for its programs in Midland and Martin counties. The Buffalo Trail Council covers much of the Permian Basin into the Big Bend Region, she said. It offers programs for boys ages 7 to 21 and girls ages 14 to 21, as well as regular programs offered by the Boy Scouts.

Robison was chosen to receive the award, she said, because of his support, through the Exlcelsior Foundation, of the district's outreach programs.

"The idea is, through scouting programs and some counseling, we can help at-risk boys out of bad situations, or atone for their mistakes," she said.

Mike LaMonica, who helped found ExL with Robison and Dave Feavel, said, "I can't think of anyone more deserving."

He described Robison as "an upstanding man who, as my business partner, we hold one another accountable. His dedication to his wife and family is exemplary. He is very thoughtful, sober and articulate when speaking to small children. He's a good brother, good business partner — an outstanding young man."

He added that Robison "has gone out of his way to help people in need."

For his part, Robison said he is most appreciative of the award, but he proud to support the district's programs, which he called "an incredible opportunity to give back to the community in a way that's incredibly effective. These programs have been very successful."

He added, "I honestly believe if we could send every boy and girl through Scouting, we'd have a very different-looking nation."

He praised the leadership skills, the discipline, the integrity and the sense of accomplishment gained from scouting. "Plus it's just fun."

An Eagle Scout, Robison recalled that "there were five of us who got our Eagle Scout together and we grew up on the same block in Big Spring." While it may not be the focus of a resume, "once you recognize someone's an Eagle Scout, there's something special about it."

Eagle Scouts

Thirty-two Eagle Scouts from Midland and Stanton will be honored at the Good Scout Banquet tonight at Midland Center.

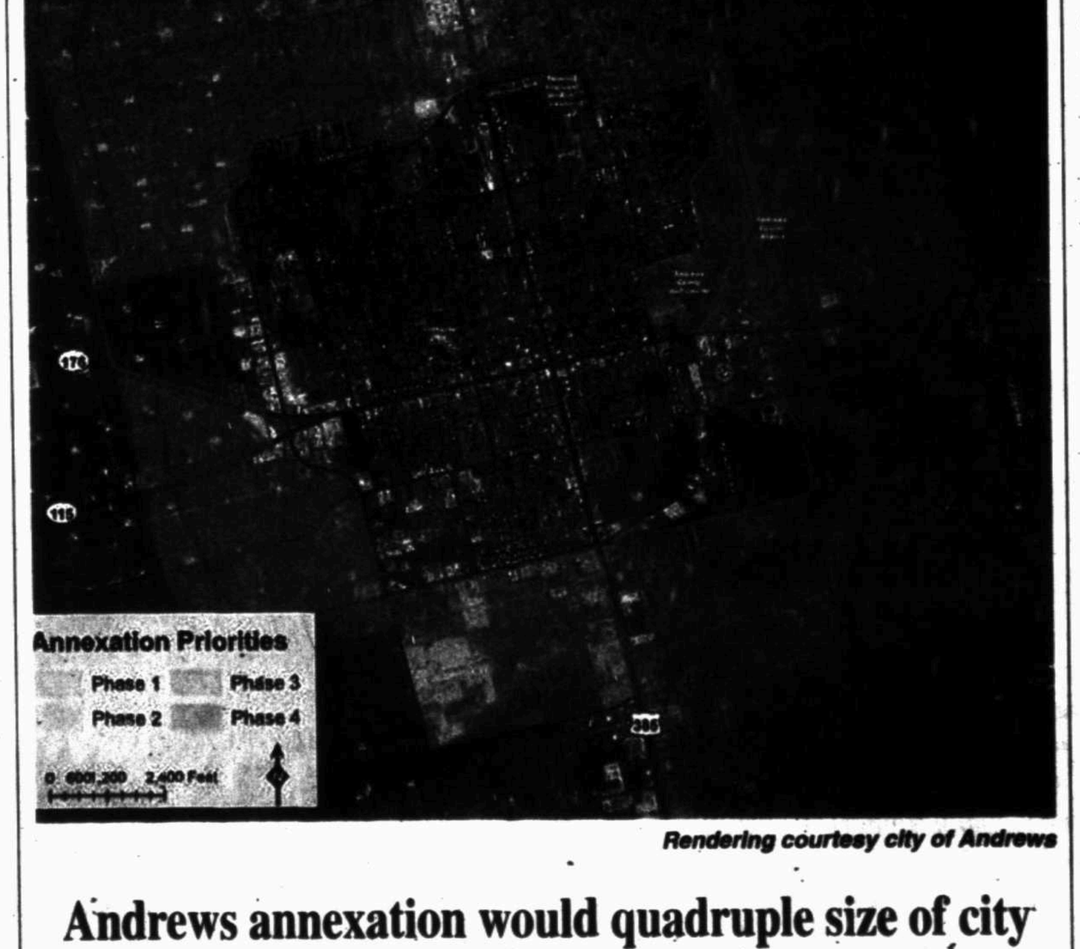
The Buffalo Trail Council is hosting the event and presenting the Good Scout Award to Doug Robison, president and founding partner of ExL Petroleum.

The Scouts who are being honored are:

Dallan Bushman, Spencer Rushton, Canyon Atwood, Jared Harland, Oscar Romo, Benjamin Hall, Joseph Hall, Jared Muncy, Jack Henry Kennady, David Rabenaldt, Devin Johnson, Timothy Dent, James Avampato, Joshua Conder, Eric Knighton and Mitchell McCrury.

Also, Jared Nelson, Morgan Roland, Daniel Snell, Benjamin Webb, Kade Wilkins, Colton Cline, Samuel Fields, Brandon Russell, Daniel Gomez, Travis Baur, Steven Hagist, John Paul Ortez, Brandon Lilly, Timothy McClaine, Hunter Muehlbrad and James Tate.

From staff reports



Rendering courtesy city of Andrews

Andrews annexation would quadruple size of city

From staff reports

The city of Andrews is hosting a town hall meeting today to introduce a comprehensive master plan for development and expansion of the city. The city hired Freese And Nichols, a Fort Worth-based firm, to create the plan. Annexation across 4 phases would almost quadruple the current size of the city while encouraging development along Loop 1910, which opens in October. A restored amphitheater community garden, linear park, downtown apartments and new shopping centers are a few of the features encouraged by the plan.

The plan also outlines the potential for population growth to more than 38,000 residents in the city. The plan can be viewed online at the city website, cityofandrews.org. City Council will vote on adopting the plan at their upcoming meeting on May 23rd.

Gov. Perry's veto power grows as session grows late

By Jim Vertuno
Associated Press

AUSTIN — As the Texas Legislature barrels toward its Memorial Day finish, Gov. Rick Perry gets more powerful by the hour.

That power is tied to Perry's veto pen and his demonstrated willingness to wield it like a sledge hammer over his 12 years as governor — whether warning lawmakers not to pass certain bills or simply crossing the legislation off after they leave town.

Lawmakers, who are in a scramble to pass their bills in the session's final days, almost universally say Perry is aggressive in using one of his strongest constitutional powers to shape legislation and state policy in what could be his final full session as governor. He has not yet declared if he will run for a fourth full term in 2014.

"It's his legacy (at stake)," said Sen. Judith Zaffirini, a Laredo Democrat and a veteran of 26 years in the Legislature who has had her share of bills wiped out by the stroke of a pen. "What he does now could be tied to him forever."

Perry kept a low profile during the first months of this session but has emerged as a force in the last few weeks, most notably in 11th-hour budget negotiations in which he has pushed for nearly $2 billion in tax cuts and made veiled threats of a budget veto if lawmakers tried to raise fees to pay for transportation.

Perry's actions through the years have taught legislators and lobbyists to listen when the v-word gets mentioned. Perry has vetoed more than 260 bills since taking office and used his line-item veto power over the state budget to slash billions in spending.

He made an early impression in June 2001, vetoing more than 80 bills in what became known at the Capitol as the "Father's Day Massacre." Through the years he has vetoed such measures as a $35 billion public education budget and a ban on executing mentally disabled inmates.

Perry's 2001 "massacre" laid down a marker that he would use his constitutional authority as he saw fit, said Tom Banning, a registered lobbyist and chief executive of the Teas Academy of Family Physicians.

"He's not bashful about using it," Banning said. "When he says he's going to veto something, he follows through. ... You can't overwhelm him with force and you can't overwhelm him with reason."

Lawmakers say Perry exercises his veto power not just by killing bills but by warning lawmakers they need his approval before passing them. And his threat of a veto can stop a bill in its tracks without even a vote. In 2011, Perry vetoed a bill to prohibit texting while driving. A similar bill passed the House this year, but Zaffirini said the threat of another veto has all but killed it in the Senate this year.

"He can lock down just like the rest of us," said Rep. Charlie Geren, R-Fort Worth.

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involved, nor was there a game of polo that strengthened the ties, but simply a story of survival and instinct — one wrong and one right.

It was 1888, and pioneer rancher O.B. Holt found himself in a brutal blizzard unable to judge distance or direction because of the wintry conditions.

In an interview with J. Evetts Haley in 1927, now in the Haley Memorial Library archives, Holt explained his dire, near death experience and how he showed gratitude to the horse that saved his life.

"I have been lost in snow storms to where I gave up," Holt told Haley. "I had one horse that saved my life."

Holt spoke of how, being unable to determine his whereabouts, he tried to guide his mount in a direction opposite from where shelter was. The snow was a foot deep and when night hit Holt guessed he was about 10 miles from his ranch.

"I tried to pull him in one direction, but he kept wanting to go in another," Holt said. "I finally gave him his head. I could hardly get off him when he reached camp. I had two little rooms and opened the door and let him in. The first thing I did was throw a suggan (covering) over him. I took him into the kitchen, pulled off the saddle and kept him there all night."

When he sold his ranch, he gave the buyers everything — except the horse. He would keep it another 25 years.

Patterson's book, "A History of Character: The Story of Midland, Texas," will be completed this year.

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near Lake J.B. Thomas in Scurry County, about 20 miles northwest of Hailey's hometown, Colorado City. In April, officials confirmed the remains were Hailey's. But they have not released a manner and cause of death. No arrests have been made, and the investigation remains open.

For one day, however, at the memorial service, a community focused on Hailey as she will be remembered. Large flower bouquets decorated the front of the auditorium along with a picture of Hailey in her cheerleader uniform. Purple flowers, Hailey's favorite color, were used to spell out her name. Attendants were handed purple candles and asked to light them. A montage of pictures flitted across a screen, country and western music playing in the background.

Hailey's teenage brother, David, sobbed, embraced by their parents.

Once, the family recalled, when Hailey was young, her father walked in to find her holding scissors and sporting a brand-new buzzcut, one she had just given to herself.

The day Hailey was born, her mother said, she and her ex-husband said thank you.

"Every day thereafter Hailey brought joy and laughter into our lives. Very early on she kept us entertained, so full of love and life and a little mischief," Billie Dunn said in a prerecorded message played at the service.

Quick takes

District 4: Generally east and some of northwest Midland
Candidates to announce: J. Ross Lacy, Michael Trost
Other council positions on the ballot in November: Mayor, District 3
Did you know: Two people have represented District 4 since the beginning of 1996. Berry Simpson (November 1995 through January 2008) and Trost (January 2008-present).

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opponent.

"(Lacy) is a young man, an eager young man," Trost said. "I think my age and experience is good, and I think that's what going to eventually win the race for me."

'Duck Dynasty' stars answer questions on family, faith

By Tyler White
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Tyler White/Reporter-Telegram

Willie and Alan Robertson answer questions from media outlets before the Dynasty of Faith event Saturday at the Horseshoe.

Stars of the hit A&E reality series "Duck Dynasty" dished on the what's next for the series, beards and strong coffee during a Q&A session before Saturday's Dynasty of Faith event at the Horseshoe.

Willie Robertson, CEO of Louisiana-based Duck Commander, turned the family business into a multi-million dollar industry. His clean-shaven brother, Alan, will appear on the show during the upcoming fourth season.

Here's what they had to say:

Q: So you work with the Lubbock Christian Association Dynasty of Faith. Can you tell us a little bit about it and why it's important to you?

Willie: We support the colleges, especially Christian colleges. I went to Harding University, and so I see the importance of that. And being able to bring the whole family over here is great. I haven't been to Midland. I think this is my first trip to Midland, actually ... other than my eyes burning out out there when I'm outside it's pretty nice.

Q: Who do we have here today? Who are you here with?

Willie: Alan, my oldest brother.

Alan: I'm the oldest brother. A beardless Robertson. It's kind of a rare sighting. There's not many of us around.

Willie: His wife, Lisa, is here. My wife Korie's here. Phil and Kay are here, as well ... the couples came over.

Alan: Yep, three couples.

Q: How are you liking Midland so far, other than the wind, obviously? I'm sure that's the big thing you've got a problem with, were you able to go around and see some of the town or just got here and came in?

Willie: Got here at the airport ... and we went to someone's house and had a little reception and came down here to where the event's at. (We) hadn't seen much of the town, but the folks are nice enough.

Alan: Well, you know we come from Louisiana. We thought, "Man, we know what heat is," but I felt like I got into a brick oven when I walked out of the airplane. But, no, the folks we've met so far have been great. Wonderful. So, we've enjoyed it.

Q: How are things going with the show in season 4 under way. Where do y'all stand with all of that?

Willie: Yeah, we're underway. Season four began a couple weeks ago, so we've been filming and back on track. It's going great. Just went to New York to do media and the press up there for the show. And, yeah, it's going great. No hiccups yet and looking forward to season four and what it's gonna turn out like.

Alan: It's my favorite show, too, so there you go.

Q: I would certainly hope so.

Alan: Yeah, all the beard wranglin,' you know. So that and "The Walking Dead.' (Those are) my two favorite shows. Top two shows on cable, so I have a lot of friends that agree.

Q: Are you going to be involved in season four, Alan?

Alan: Well, we hope so. You know we can't reveal too much about it, but look for some beardless surprises. You never know. You never know.

Willie: Yeah, he'll be on there.

Alan: Well, there you go. There's your scoop. That's exactly right.

Q: What would you say is the craziest thing that has happened to you since gaining your fame from the show? Do you have any crazy stories? I'm sure you have tons, but can we keep it a little PG-13?

Willie: Nah, I think nothing super crazy. I think it's a bit overwhelming. Just the folks that we've met and have interviewed us and are interested in us and how the show is. When a show is this successful and has ratings like this, people are trying to figure out why we think it's positive.

And we certainly hit a nerve with people of faith and just a positive TV message that seemed like it wasn't out there where you can sit down and watch a show with your children, grandparents and you're not too embarrassed other than, you know, Phil talking about the birds and the bees with my children.

For the most part, it's fun, it's comedy and so yeah, we've met some cool people. I was able to meet the president, the first lady. They're fans of the show. From Barbara Walters to Bill O'Reilly. So it's been all of them.

Alan: It's kind of surreal. You meet these celebrities or, people you grew up watching, and then they're like "Oh we love your show," and we're like, "We love your show. We love your show." So, you have this like mutual admiration and that's kind of weird to us.

Q: Now Willie, why do you find that the aspect of faith is such an important concept in (the show)? I mean, obviously, there's a lot of stuff that's on television. Why do you guys feel it's important to continue to incorporate that into each episode?

Willie: Well, our faith is part of our lives, so when we started doing this show, it was going to be impossible to separate that part of our lives from a show. However, we knew we weren't making "The 700 Club," so it wasn't going to be just a Bible class, and we just wanted to work that in but also make it where it wouldn't frighten you away or just talking about God all the time.

So, simple things like the family dinner scene with the prayer at the end. And that was very important to us. And the network was supportive of that. They're not against all that stuff. I seen some of the reports out that they are, but they're not. Hey, the show's rating like it is, I guarantee you they ain't gonna touch it with a 10 foot pole. They gonna go with what works.

Q: Where are you off to after this?

Willie: I'm going to Colorado Spring.

Alan: And I'm going back home. So, hey, we were in Tennessee and Florida ... usually every weekend all the family takes off in literally six or seven different directions, and we speak all over the country, do appearances; it's great.

And that's where we get to really kind of go more in-depth to our lives to what we like to talk about. Usually every weekend we're on the road somewhere in the country and all points in between.

Willie: I was in Orlando yesterday, in support of Bubba Watson Pro Golfers charity event, and so Jace and I were over there. We went over there to help him out doing his foundation stuff ... and we're up in Midland and then we're gonna actually go home and then we'll go back to Colorado Springs and Marla for another event.

Alan: See, I gotta get on the show because they get all the cool stuff like Bubba Watson golf tournament. I'm still not in that level yet, so I'm hoping to get there one of these days.

Willie: Bubba beat me and Jace. He beat us, and he only played with a six iron. He putted. He hit. Everything. Just with a six iron. ... He shot two over with a six iron. That's a true story. That's a news story, too.

Q: Now, you guys started out as a small business and have been able to develop this large multi-million dollar organization and company. A lot of small businesses would love to share the same success you guys have had. What is the key to (your success), and if you had any tips, what would those be for small businesses?

Willie: The number one tip would just be grow a big beard.

Alan: Let yourself go, quit bathing. That really has worked for our family.

Willie: Nah, I don't know, man. We obviously talk about faith, and we still believe that God is certainly blessed us in what we've done. Not that that always equivalates to being successful at business, so I think if you have something inside you, it's OK whether you're big and famous and wealthy. If you're not, that's OK as long as you have peace in of yourself then you can be totally satisfied with whatever business you run.

For us, there were a lot of things that just fell into place. We felt super prepared for a show like this because we had done outdoor TV because we had been filming ourselves doing duck hunts ever since the '80s. We were comfortable on camera, we (have) spoken a lot to groups of people and I think that helps in what we do.

By the time this happened, God had prepared us to do something really big; stuff happens for a reason. We just always plugged along, and I think overall the patience to let something develop.

We've been doing this 40 years dad's been in business. At any point in there, you could have looked at him and judged if he was successful or not. Luckily, he kept it together, and we all stayed together and it made for a really special show.

Alan: When Dad started this, it was just a waterfowl, but then when he turned it over to Willie, it went to another level. But you got to a have a trust to let go and dad did that.

It's a now a next-generation business, and Willie's already preparing it to be a generation business after him. That's how all the great corporations and companies were built in America was on that sort of trust and that sort of family-based business. That's exactly how it's worked for us.

Q: Now building off of that what's the key to having a good beard?

Willie: Strong coffee is what we do. We think that works. I don't know. If you can't grow one then you're in trouble around Duck Commander.

Alan: I'm Jacob in a family of Esaus, so I don't quite apply to that.

Willie: (Alan) can actually grow a beard. (But) he's hindering the operation. It's wanting to come out — he keeps stopping it.

Alan: Every family has a rebel in it, right? There's a black sheep in the family, and that's me. I just got used to shaving from my years in the ministry.

Willie: Most people can't. They can't because they have a job or wife or somebody who tells them to stop doing that. But with us it's encouraged. He'll live vicariously through us.

Alan: I'll reveal this secret to you, (Jep, one of the Robertson brothers) actually puts product on his beard, so just so you know.

Q: Is he a Pantene man?

Alan: Oh, it's something I don't know, but he's definitely sprucing his up.

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Media has its tea-party moment with Obama

■ The AP scandal has taught us the media cares about itself the most and when journalists turn their guns on you, it makes life tough



RICH LOWRY

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Rarely has the White House briefing room so resembled the main ballroom at a meeting of the Conservative Political Action Conference.

After news broke of a sweeping Justice Department subpoena of The Associated Press telephone records, White House press secretary Jay Carney didn't so much have to deal with querulous reporters pressing him on all fronts. He had to deal with citizens bristling with anger over perceived encroachments on their rights by an overweening government.

The AP subpoena is the media's Obamacare. Their Glenn Beck is AP President Gary Pruitt; their Tea Party Express is the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press; and their rallying cry is "Give me liberty or give me death!"

The reaction to the seizure of records on 20 office and personal lines of AP staff is another reminder, if we needed one, that what the press cares about most is itself.

The New York Times sniffed at the Internal Revenue Service scandal. It didn't even put the initial story on the front page. But the paper rebuked the Obama administration for the AP subpoena in an editorial titled "Spying on The Associated Press": The administration has "a chilling zeal for investigating leaks" and is trying "to frighten off whistleblowers."

It sounds like the Times should go back and read President Barack Obama's commencement address at Ohio State University the other day, where he lamented that the students have been hearing warnings that government is "nothing more than some separate, sinister entity" and "that tyranny is always lurking just around the corner."

Yes, why can't all the journalists hyped up about the AP subpoena simply put more trust in the good intentions of their own government?

The Justice Department subpoena was overbroad and appears to have violated guidelines that say all other alternatives should be exhausted before resorting to such an expansive search. The press is right to be upset, and it is notable that the Bush administration never went this far. Still, some perspective is in order: There is no right to traffic in illegally obtained classified information.

Yet few in the press are interested in nuance. Appealing for calm, Carney said the president believes in an "unfettered ability to pursue investigative journalism," but that there should be "balance." The implicit reaction of journalists was: "Balance? Don't give us any stinkin' balance. Give us our rights."

In this, the reporters exhibited a healthy impulse toward vigilance about liberty. The phrase "chilling effect" has been bandied about often. A chill comes not necessarily from what government is doing to you but from what it might do to you. Very few reporters will ever have their records subpoenaed, but it is intolerable to them that it could happen. On top of everything else, it is the principle of the thing — an infringement, or even a potential infringement, on the constitutional rights of even a handful of reporters is an affront to all.

There are lots of people who share this way of thinking about rights and government. Some of them gather every year at places like CPAC and the National Rifle Association annual convention.

Scorn was heaped on the NRA for opposing new gun rules out of the very same logic that compels reporters to react so strongly against the AP subpoena. The NRA will not abide an infringement of anyone's legitimate right to bear arms, and it fears what could come of enhanced state power. Like the reporters, it casts a jaundiced eye on the reassurances of government. What they are to the First Amendment, it is to the Second.

Journalists should learn from this moment. Maybe they should stop rolling their eyes when the likes of Texas Sen. Ted Cruz talk of the Constitution. Maybe they should credit the skepticism about government of the tea party, which was right in its early complaints about the IRS. Maybe, after nearly five years, they should invest the phrase "adversarial press" with true meaning.

OUR VIEWS

Pregnancy statistics show positive trend

Three year ago, we thought that Midland ISD was nearing a major crisis over pregnancies of teens who attend the school system. But it is nice to report this year that the number of students seeking pregnancy services from Midland ISD has decreased by 27 percent during the past two school years.

This is a major decline in the pregnancy rate, and it is cause to celebrate. Unfortunately, we can't stop here. There were still 123 pregnant females who worked with MISD Pregnancy Services this year and another 25 students who are not pregnant but have received Medicaid and gynecological services through that department.

These numbers are too high, so the work in this area is not finished. Still, we are encouraged that the MISD program instituted to deal with this problem is showing positive results.

"The decrease is positive, but we need to remain focused and keep working," said MISD Health Services Coordinator Tracey Dees. "This is still an issue."

We fully agree with this assessment and applaud the current results.

Craddick delivers again for Basin, UTPB

The Texas House of Representatives will hold a key vote in the coming days on a bill that will include $48 million in tuition revenue bonds for the construction of an engineering building at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin's Midland campus.

We expect this bill to pass because SB16 passed the Texas Senate on April 23 by unanimous vote. However, the Senate version allotted only $30 million for the construction of the engineering building.

State Rep. Tom Craddick lobbied for additional funding for UTPB and increased the amount to $48 million. This is another instance when Craddick has gone to bat for the Permian Basin in a big way.

The last major authorization of TRB bonds occurred in 2006 during the 79th legislative session when $1.8 billion was approved for 47 higher education institutions. UTPB received $99 million for the construction of the Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center on the Midland campus and the Science and Technology building on the Odessa campus.

Again, Craddick was largely responsible for making that dream possible.

Every little bit helps, especially in this time of austerity in Austin.

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Cruz delivers immigration surprise

■ We can see there is more to Cruz on immigration than "chumps" and "securing the border. He knows better



RUBEN NAVARRETTE

Washington Post Writers Group

A couple of weeks ago, in a partisan jab, former New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson (a Democrat) accused Texas Sen. Ted Cruz (a Republican) of being "anti-immigration."

This was an odd accusation to level at someone whose personal hero is his father, Rafael, who immigrated to the United States from Cuba in 1957.

Still, Cruz isn't doing himself any favors. He's a smart guy, but some of the things he has said about immigration reform have not sounded smart.

So I was glad that he redeemed himself by taking a stand against GOP-led efforts to limit legal immigration.

Yes, legal. You didn't really believe the talking points about how no one has a problem with those who follow the rules? That's just public relations. If the truth came out — namely that there is a segment of the American public, in both parties, that want to put up a "no vacancy" sign for *all* immigrants — folks might detect a whiff of xenophobia.

Cruz and I have been friends for more than 10 years. He isn't xenophobic. But he is predictable. He repeats the same bumper-sticker slogans you hear from other conservatives. Secure the border. (Check!) No amnesty. (Check!)

Cruz tends to react to what others say instead of charting his own course. With his family history, he must have strong views on what immigrants add to America. Let's hear them.

Up to now, what we've heard from Cruz on immigration hasn't been thoughtful or helpful. During a recent appearance on Sean Hannity's radio show, Cruz restated his opposition to giving illegal immigrants a path to U.S. citizenship. He is instead partial to the long-ago discredited approach of "enforcement only," where we simply deploy more Border Patrol agents and build higher fences and hope for the best.

Here's where Cruz went wrong: He told Hannity that legalizing the undocumented was "profoundly unfair" to legal immigrants who played by the rules.

"If we pass something that allows those here illegally to achieve citizenship, it means you're a chump for having stayed in your own country and followed the rules because you were not able to live here and raise your family and enjoy the tremendous blessings and liberty in the United States simply because you followed the rules," Cruz said.

A chump? Really? Cruz needs to get out more and meet some real-life illegal immigrants. He would find out that living in the United States without the proper documents isn't all mariachis and margaritas.

I could introduce Cruz to an undocumented immigrant who lives in Phoenix, where Maricopa County Sheriff and media hound Joe Arpaio gets airtime by arresting illegal immigrants. Three years ago, the immigrant, a father of two, was afraid to go out to dinner with his kids on Father's Day lest he get stopped by police and deported.

Elsewhere, illegal immigrants are frequently taken advantage of by everyone from shady employers to greedy lenders to unscrupulous immigration lawyers.

Is this the kind of peachy keen life that Cruz believes is envied by the "chumps" waiting to come to the United States legally? It's always better to play by the rules. The risks are fewer. The rewards are greater.

Cruz needed redemption, and he got some thanks to an amendment to the Senate bill proposed by Sen. Jeff Sessions of Alabama. Cruz is bad on immigration, but Sessions is worse.

The Alabamian isn't content to go after only illegal immigrants. He also wants to restrict the flow of low-skilled immigrants who come *legally*. Sessions says that he is concerned about depressed wages and lost jobs for U.S. workers. Yet, it's possible that what he's really worried about is changing demographics. So much for public relations.

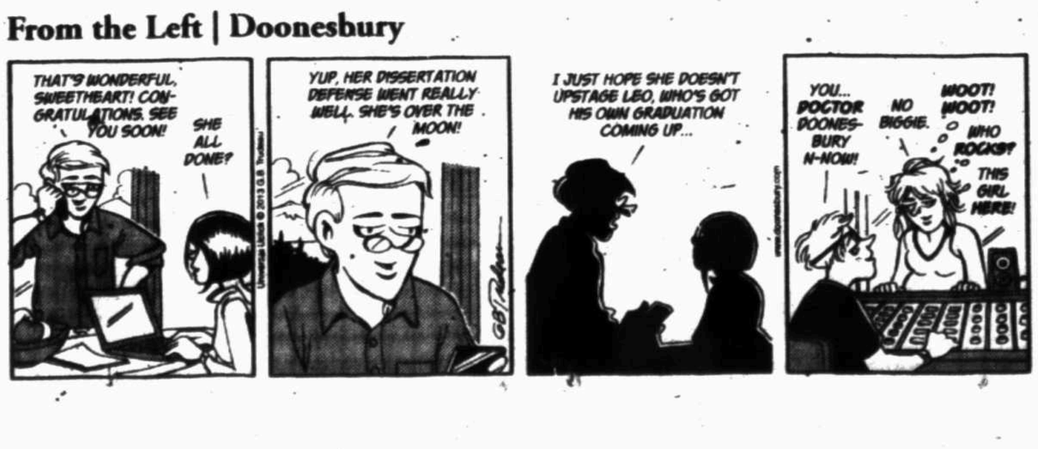
Cruz spoke up in opposition to the measure.

"I intend to vote no on this amendment," he told colleagues on the Senate Judiciary Committee during the markup process. "The reason is I think legal immigration is a fundamental pillar of our country. ... I am an advocate of legal immigration."

Cruz went on: "We need to remain a nation that celebrates legal immigrants around this table — so many of us are the children of those who risked everything for freedom. I respect my friend from Alabama's amendment, but it is not one that I can support."

Welcome home, Ted. Human beings are complicated, and there is more to the junior senator from Texas than meets the eye. Let's hope the surprises continue.

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AROUNDTHEWORLD

FROM WIRE REPORTS

BERUIT

Syrian troops push into strategic rebel-held town

Syrian troops pushed into a rebel-held town near the Lebanese border on Sunday, fighting house-to-house and bombing from the air as President Bashar Assad tried to strengthen his grip on a strategic strip of land running from the capital to the Mediterranean coast.

With the regime scoring gains on the battlefield, the U.S. and Russia could face an even tougher task persuading Assad and his opponents to attend talks on ending Syria's 26-month-old conflict. Washington and Moscow hope to start talks with an international conference as early as next month, though no date has been set.

Government forces launched the offensive on the town of Qusair just hours after Assad said in a newspaper interview that he'll stay in his job until elections — effectively rejecting an opposition demand that any talks on a political transition lead to his ouster.

Even though the regime and the main opposition group have not yet committed to attending the conference, U.N. Secretary General Ban Ki-moon said Sunday that he is hopeful it can take place "very soon," possibly in early June. In addition to the U.S. and Russia, he said he has spoken with Britain, France, China and other key parties.

MOSCOW

Mice return from a month in space

A Russian capsule carrying mice, lizards and other small animals returned to Earth on Sunday after spending a month in space for what scientists said was the longest experiment of its kind.

Fewer than half of the 53 mice and other rodents who blasted off on April 19 from the Baikonur Cosmodrome survived the flight, Russian news agencies reported, quoting Vladimir Sychov, deputy director of the Institute of Medical and Biological Problems and the lead researcher.

Sychov said this was to be expected and the surviving mice were sufficient to complete the study, which was designed to show the effects of weightlessness and other factors of space flight on cell structure. All 15 of the lizards survived, he said.

The capsule also carried small crayfish and fish. The capsule's orbit reached 345 miles above Earth, according to the news agencies, which said this was far higher than the orbit of the International Space Station.

Russian state television showed the round Bion-M capsule and some of the surviving mice after it landed slightly off course but safely in a planted field near Orenburg, about 750 miles southeast of Moscow.

"This is the first time that animals have flown in space for so long on their own," Sychov said in the television broadcast from the landing site. The last research craft to carry animals into space spent 12 days in orbit in 2007.

SOUTH KOREA

North Korea fires projectile into eastern waters

SEOUL — North Korea fired a projectile into waters off its eastern coast Sunday, a day after launching three short-range missiles in the same area, officials said.

North Korea routinely test-launches short-range missiles. But the latest launches came during a period of tentative diplomacy aimed at easing recent tension, including near-daily threats by North Korea to attack South Korea and the U.S. earlier this year. North Korea protested annual joint military drills by Seoul and Washington and U.N. sanctions imposed over its February nuclear test.

The fourth launch occurred Sunday afternoon, according to officials at Seoul's Defense Ministry and Joint Chiefs of Staff. The officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity citing department rules, refused to say whether it was a missile or artillery round.

JERUSALEM

Israeli seeks interim deal with Palestinians

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's senior coalition partner says that reaching a final peace agreement with the Palestinians is unrealistic at the current time and the sides should instead pursue an interim arrangement.

Finance Minister Yair Lapid's assessment, delivered in a published interview Sunday just days before the arrival of U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry, throws a contentious idea into the mix as the U.S. searches for ways to restart peace talks.

It remains unclear whether the idea of a temporary arrangement will be raised during Kerry's visit later this week. In March, American officials confirmed that an interim arrangement, while not their preference, was one of the ideas being explored.

With the gaps between Israel and the Palestinians on many key issues seemingly unbridgeable, pursuing a Palestinian state with temporary borders has emerged as an option in recent months, particularly among Israelis searching for a way out of the status quo.

The Palestinians have repeatedly rejected this option, fearing an interim deal that falls short of their hopes will become permanent.

In order to allay Palestinian concerns, Lapid told the Yediot Ahronot daily that President Barack Obama should set a three-year timeline for determining the final borders of a Palestinian state.

The issue of Jewish settlements has been at the heart of the current 4 ½-year impasse in peace talks.

Obama urged to make economy a bigger and bolder topic

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Five months into President Barack Obama's second term, allies and former top aides worry that his overarching goal of economic opportunity has been diminished, partly drowned out by controversies seized upon by Republicans in an effort to weaken him.

The former White House insiders, including longtime Obama adviser David Axelrod, say Obama needs to make his case anew for government's role in expanding education and innovation and to give, as Obama put it in one of his early seminal speeches, "every American a fighting chance in the 21st century."

Among their suggestions is that the president deliver a major address, perhaps at a commencement, that once again places his economic vision at the center of his agenda and speaks to what continues to be the overriding concern of the American public.

Instead, absent major legislative victories, Obama's second term has become a series of small actions overshadowed by a trio of recent troubles over the administration's response to the attack in Benghazi, Libya, that killed four Americans, the IRS's targeting of conservative groups and the Justice Department's seizure of Associated Press phone records as part of a leak investigation.

As these Democrats see it, there has been an arc of Obama addresses that have spelled out the challenge and the hope of attaining the American Dream, from a 2005 commencement address at tiny Knox College in Galesburg, Ill., to his speech in Osawatomie, Kan., in late 2011, and that the time for another one is now.

Over the last two weeks, Obama has been trying to draw attention to his job-creation ideas with small events in Austin and, on Friday, in Baltimore. The daytime visits have been coupled with modest executive initiatives that tend to garner local media attention but get lost in Washington's attention to the contentious issues of the moment.

Obama has called for more government spending on education, public works projects, and research and development and has proposed paying for it largely with higher taxes. But after letting one tax increase on the rich pass at the beginning of the year, Republicans have steadfastly refused any further tax hikes and have resisted Obama's spending plans. The result has been a fruitless search, at least so far, for a "grand bargain" to trim the nation's long-term debt.

In the face of Republican-led investigations in Congress and with some conservatives even suggesting impeachment proceedings against the president, some Obama advisers say that boldly elevating the economy would create a sharp contrast and emphasize their belief that Republicans are overplaying their hand. They note that as dissatisfaction with Washington has grown, Obama has continued to hold a substantial edge over the Republicans in Congress.

House Speaker John Boehner, R-Ohio, said that creating jobs is the top priority of Republicans, too, but "we're also focused on holding this administration accountable" about what happened in Libya and with the IRS.

If Obama has a single long-term governing priority, it is a deep-seated belief that advances in technology and globalization have translated into a significant consumer benefits but have also eroded middle-class gains. "The result has been the emergence of what some call a 'winner take all' economy, in which a rising tide doesn't necessarily lift all boats," he wrote in his 2006 book, "The Audacity of Hope."

The opportunity to make a broad shift toward the economy might have presented itself this week, when the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office predicted that the budget deficit for 2013 will be $642 billion — lower than estimated and half of the record $1.4 trillion hit during Obama's first year in office. Instead, that bit of news was overshadowed by the IRS, Benghazi and AP phone record controversies.

Armed with a lower deficit number, some of Obama's liberal critics say he should abandon efforts to reduce deficits and focus exclusively on jobs.

"They should declare victory," said Lawrence Mishel, president and CEO of the liberal Economic Policy Institute. "Making the big policy and political project the grand bargain has been digging us in a deeper and deeper hole."

White House officials say the time to pause and deliver the type of major address that connects Obama's policies to his core beliefs is when it has the possibility of making a major impact. For now, they say, their economic tour across the country is better suited to the moment.

Key figure

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AP CEO calls records seizure unconstitutional

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The president and chief executive officer of The Associated Press on Sunday called the government's secret seizure of two months of reporters' phone records "unconstitutional" and said the news cooperative had not ruled out legal action against the Justice Department.

Gary Pruitt, in his first television interviews since it was revealed the Justice Department subpoenaed phone records of AP reporters and editors, said the move already has had a chilling effect on journalism. Pruitt said the seizure has made sources less willing to talk to AP journalists and, in the long term, could limit Americans' information from all news outlets.

Pruitt told CBS' "Face the Nation" that the government has no business monitoring the AP's newsgathering activities.

"And if they restrict that apparatus ... the people of the United States will only know what the government wants them to know and that's not what the framers of the Constitution had in mind when they wrote the First Amendment," he said.

In a separate interview with the AP, Pruitt said the news cooperative had not decided its next move but had not ruled out legal action against the government. He said the Justice Department's investigation is out of control and President Barack Obama should rein it in.

"It's too early to know if we'll take legal action but I can tell you we are positively displeased and we do feel that our constitutional rights have been violated," Pruitt said.

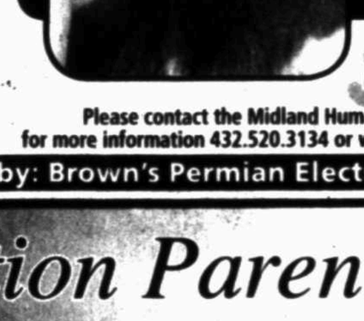
"They've been secretive, they've been overbroad and abusive — so much so that taken together, they are unconstitutional because they violate our First Amendment rights," he added.

Senate Republican Leader Mitch McConnell, of Kentucky, said the government needs to stop leaks by whatever means necessary.

"This is an investigation that needs to happen because national security leaks, of course, can get our agents overseas killed," he said.

Republican Sen. John Cornyn, a member of the Judiciary Committee, said the government should focus on those who leak sensitive national security matters and not on journalists who report on them. He said his committee should hold hearings on how the department obtained phone records from AP reporters and editors.

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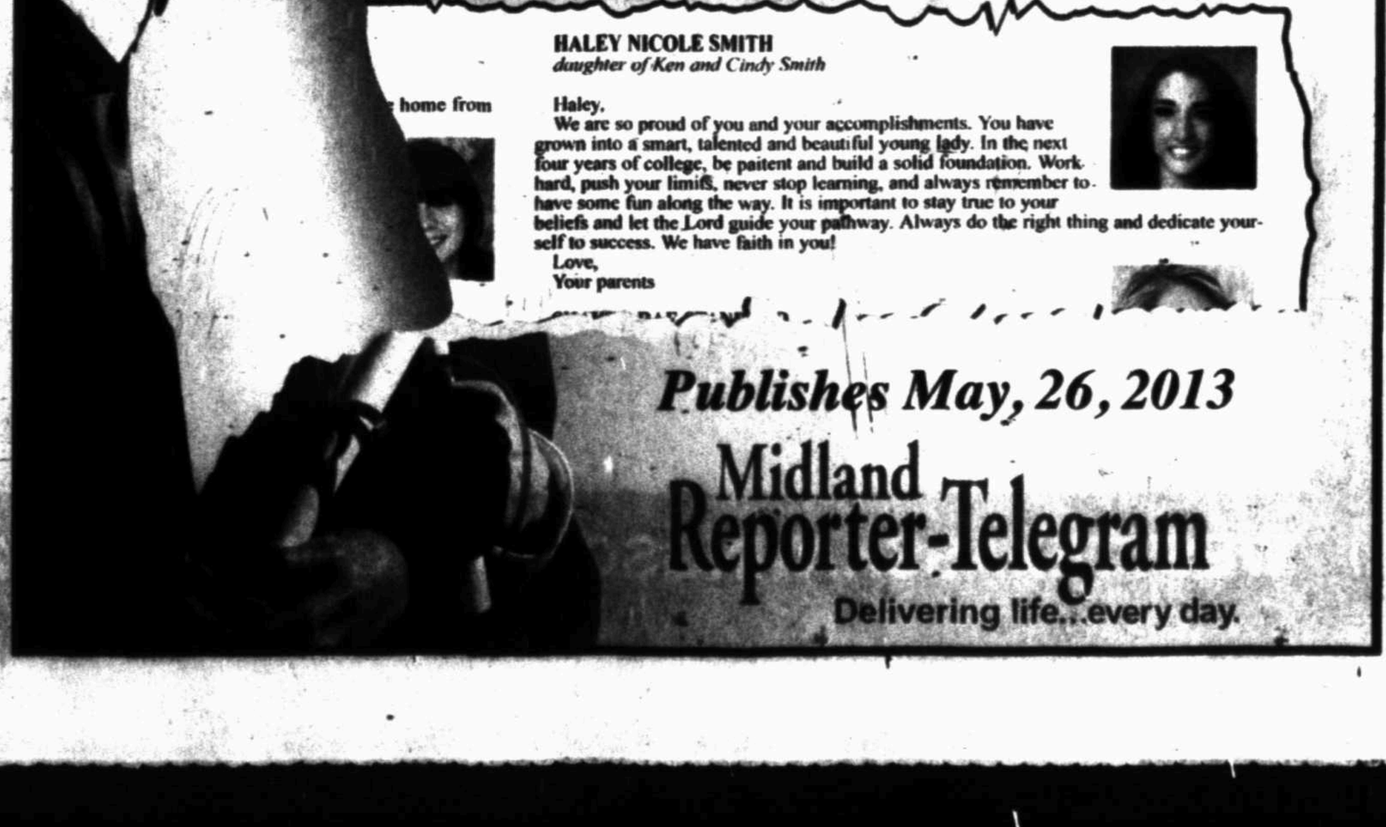
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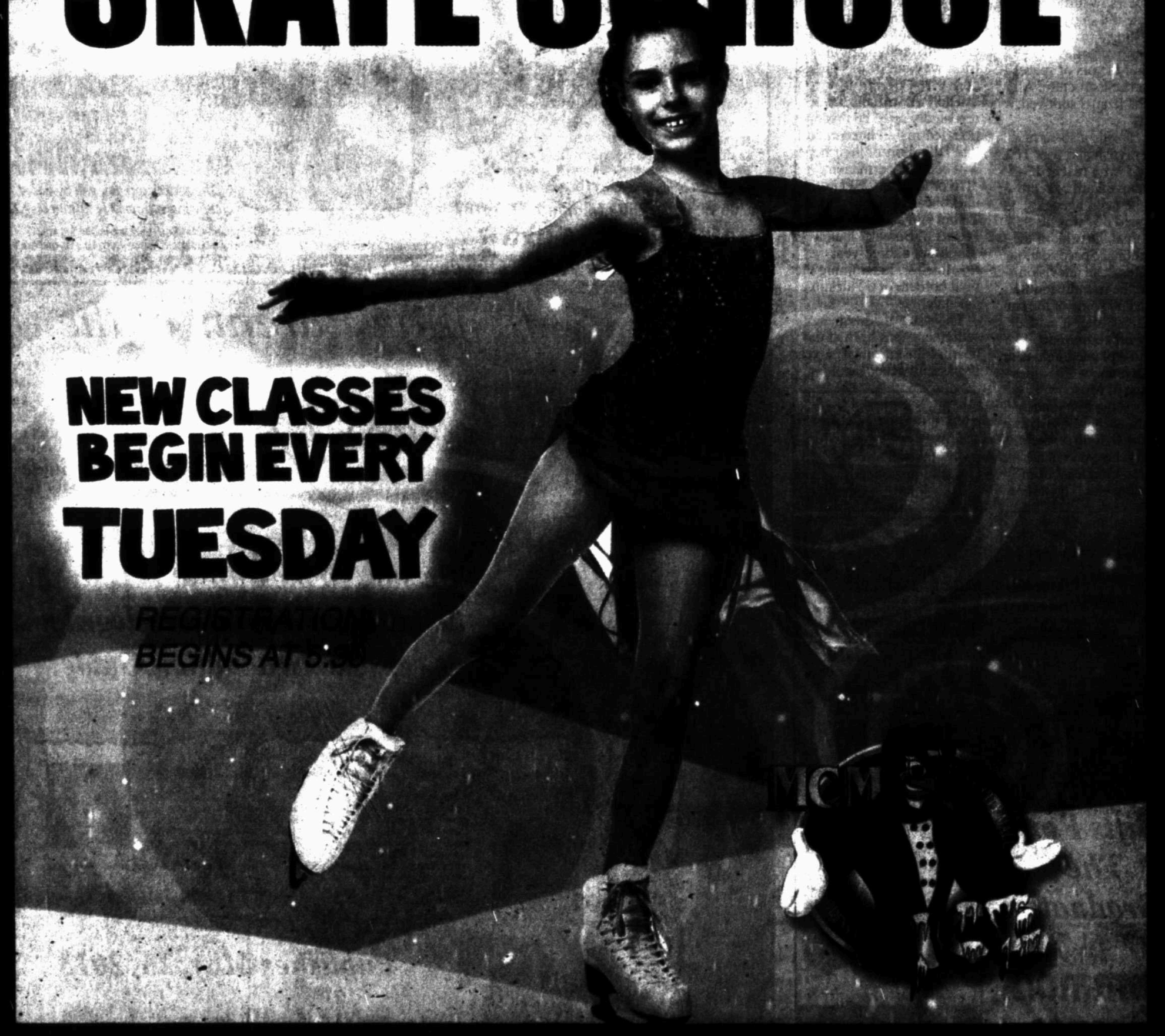
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BOB HOPE
An American Treasure

KELLY HOPE, from left, of Oakland, Calif., son of Bob Hope, looks at the Oscar his father won. The award is among items on display at the Bob Hope Exhibit at the Midland County Public Library Centennial branch. Hope and Midlander JUDY RANKIN, former LPGA golfer and a friend of Bob and Dolores Hope, attended a reception May 13 at the library. The 2,500-square-foot Bob Hope Exhibit, created by the World Golf Hall of Fame & Museum, will remain at the Centennial branch through July.



39TH CRYSTAL BALL

By Marilyn Harrison

More than 400 guests enjoyed the feeling of Asian-inspired paradise as they entered the Petroleum Club last month for the 39th annual Crystal Ball and auction benefiting High Sky Children's Ranch. The club was decorated with beautiful tangerine orchids and roses, with stunning bamboo and turquoise accents.

As in years past, there was an eclectic array of silent auction items, beckoning bidders to "one-up" each other. Unique art pieces, specialty wine gift packages, and a stay in Santa Fe were just a few of the items that were bid on throughout the evening. The silent auction also gave partygoers a unique opportunity to send High Sky children to camp or provide them with welcome packages asy arrive on campus.

The philanthropic spirit of the guests was evident as the live auction got under way. Along with the beautiful crystal pieces, there were several exciting trips, including a South African Plains Game Hunt, a trip to the 2014 Kentucky Derby, underwritten by the Ben and Roxane Strickling Foundation, and four seats, donated by Don and Betty Tomlin, to watch the Dallas Cowboys in a luxury executive suite.

During the event, Jackie Carter was honored with the Rainbow Award. Carter was the executive director of High Sky until 2011.

JaLynn Hogan, current executive director, explained that the Rainbow Award is presented each year by the board of directors for the recipient's unfailing generosity, dedication and commitment to the future of the children at High Sky, as well as abused and neglected children in the area.

Crystal Ball chairwoman was Amber Crumpler; sponsor chairman was David Wilson; silent auction co-chairs were Kelli Woodside and Tenee Pipkin; and live auction chairman was Brandon Black.

At the end the evening, Pardi-Gras provided music for dancing. Among those seen on the dance floor were Jody and Matt Saulsbury, Patty and Tevis Herd, Julie and Larry Edgerton and Gwyn and Don Sparks.







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TOP: David Wilson, from left, JaLynn Hogan, Amber Crumpler, Kellie Woodside and Brandon Black are this year's chairs for Crystal Ball. BOTTOM LEFT: Jackie Carter, left, wins the Rainbow Award. BOTTOM MIDDLE: Patty and Tevis Herd dance. BOTTOM RIGHT: Larry and Julie Edgerton dance.

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BY MARILYN MCKNIGHT HARRISON

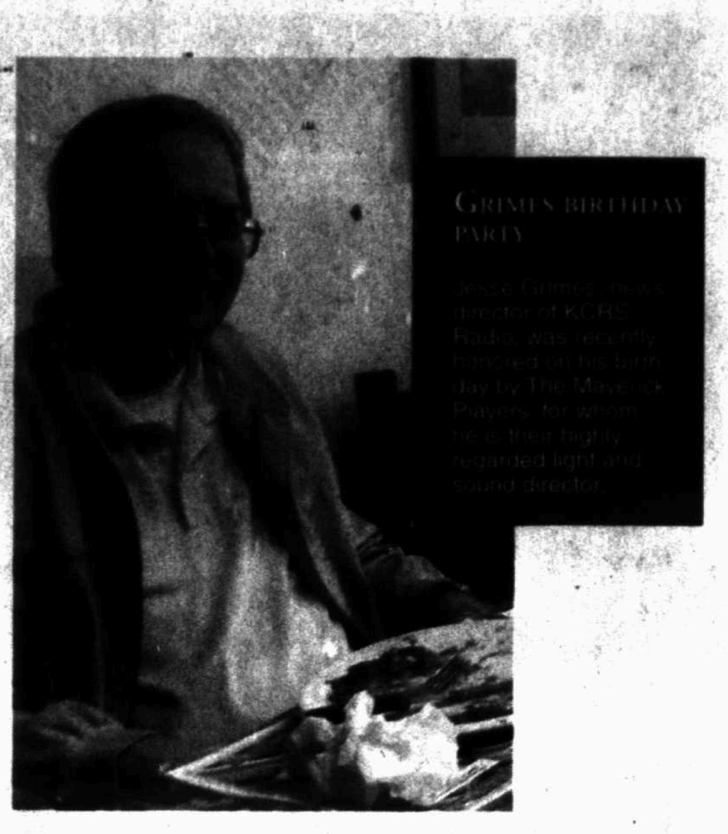




MUSEUM OF THE SOUTHWEST

ABOVE: Cathey Graham [illegible]

LEFT: Rodney Robinson, left, and Gene Eastham



GRIMES BIRTHDAY PARTY

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MEET MAE

Chris Newman, from left, Katherine Bell Ehlers and baby Mae Charlene Jeanette Durham and Linda Harrington



BPW STYLE SHOW

LEFT: Model Carla Bellow of Clayton Williams Energy

RIGHT: Model Krista Escamilla of CBS-7

BOTTOM: Table sponsor Cumpian Management



WELCOME BACK

Midlanders Teresa and Mark Alexander recently moved back to the area. Alexander is the new executive director of Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas.



BPW STYLE SHOW

The Uptown Business and Professional Women presented their 12th annual "BPW in Bloom Style Show" on May 8 at the DoubleTree by Hilton.

This year's theme was "Women Celebrating Women." Proceeds from the event provide scholarships for nontraditional students to continue their education or attend college for the first time. Many of the recipients are single mothers seeking to improve their lives and that of their families and to provide examples of what one can accomplish by determination. Most of the students are the first members of their families to achieve a college degree.

The event was an especially exciting one for the organization, as the members have worked for years to provide these scholarships. This year, they were able to present Midland College with an endowment of $35,000. The grant was presented by Donette Marble, the endowment chair, to Steven Thomas, president of Midland College. "It has been a labor of love, and today we saw it come to fruition," Marble said.

Marble said the endowment site will be available soon on the Midland College Foundation website to receive donations in memory or honor of individuals.

A style show by Dillard's followed the endowment presentation. Karl Rundgren of KMID-TV was the emcee and entertainer during the show.

Models included Horace Brown and Shelby Levins, also of KMID-TV; Krista Escamilla and Trevor Tankersley, of CBS-7; Thomas and Deanna Savage, of Midland College; and MISD Superintendent Ryder Warren.

Other models were MISD school board member Karen Nicholson; Joe James Camarillo and his wife, Cecelia, of Joe James Salon and Day Spa; Adam Chavira, also of the salon; City Councilman John James; Rooster McConaughy, of DGM Supply; Cash Pullen, of Clayton Williams Energy; Nancy Bolin-Rasnick, of The Bosworth Co.; Tonya Eckert, of Safe Place; Karissa Kienast, of CAF Marketing; Laura Edge, of Town Square Media; Tracy Renton, of March of Dimes; and Stephanie Rivas, of Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center.

Guests were seated for the luncheon at tables decorated with floral candle rings created by Rexanne Weir of Season's Floral and Décor. White table cloths with pink napkins completed a kaleidoscope of spring colors.

A silent auction was held to benefit M.D. Anderson Cancer Research. The BPW/Texas Foundation provides funding of seed money annually for a number of initial studies by research doctors at M.D. Anderson. According to the doctors and research professionals, their projects have received millions of dollars in subsequent grand monies directly related to the preliminary studies funded by the Texas BPW Foundation.

BABY SHOWER

"Meet Mae in May" began the invitations to a very special baby shower held earlier this month at the home of Chris Newman, with Jeanette Durham and Linda Harrington as co-hostesses. The honoree was Mae Charlene Ehlers, who was born Feb. 20 to Katherine and Todd Ehlers, of Lubbock.

Guests were asked to bring gifts to donate to the babies at Safe Place, in lieu of gifts for Mae. Suggested items were all of a practical nature and included diapers in all sizes, receiving blankets, Sippy cups, baby wipes, bath wash, lotion and shampoo.

The guests included women who knew the baby's mother, Katherine, who grew up in Midland.

Mae's grandparents are Sherry and Phillip Bell, of Midland, and Connie and Keith Ehlers, of Riesel.

ALEXANDERS RETURN

The welcome mat is out for former Midlanders Teresa and Mark Alexander, who recently moved back to the area. Mark Alexander, the new executive director of Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas, was an associate pastor at First United Methodist Church in the 1990s.

The family left Midland for Asbury Theological Seminary in Kentucky, where Alexander received his doctorate in church revitalization. He has served as pastor of churches in Lubbock, Sweetwater and El Paso since leaving Midland.

The couple are happy to be back in Midland/Odessa near their family and longtime friends. They have three children: Brad, a Midland police officer; Matthew, active duty military now serving as a Texas Army National Guard recruiter in Abilene; and Lauren, who was married March 9 to Cody Langston and also resides in Abilene. They also have three grandsons.

The Alexanders said they are delighted to be back with Teresa's mother and Mark's parents, who all reside in Odessa.

BLUE MAN HELPER

One of Midland's newest "rock stars" is Charlyne Dodge. By all reports, she performed superbly when randomly selected by the Blue Man Group to join them on stage at the Wagner Noel Performing Arts Center recently. Her role was to assist them in one of their routines.

With her unflappable personality and experience in performing on community theater stages, she was spared the stage fright that might affect others. She seemed so at ease that some of her friends suspected she was a "plant" in the audience.

GRIMES BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jesse Grimes, news director of KCRS Radio, was recently honored on his birthday by The Maverick Players, for whom he is their highly regarded light and sound director.

Mavericks president Mary Lou Cassidy hosted the dinner at La Bodega Restaurant following a Saturday afternoon board meeting. My husband, Harry, and I attended alomg with SueBob Smith and Dr. Jim Huddleston, Pat and Gene Houk, Betty Ann Prentice, Charlyne Dodge, Shirley Qualia and Marilyn and Harry Harrison.

Grimes, who has a bachelor's degree in radio, television and film from the University of Texas, began his radio career in East Texas. He moved to Midland in 1974 to continue in radio, but crossed over to the local TV market for six years before returning to radio in 1988.

He has been at KCRS ever since. Besides community theater, he likes sports, music and all other forms of the arts.

MUSEUM VOLUNTEER AWARDS

The Museum of the Southwest presented its annual volunteer appreciation awards last month.

Brian Lee Whisenhunt, executive director, announced that Karmen Hendrix Bryant was recipient of the Board of Trustees President Award. The 2012 Turner Award was presented posthumously to Melissa Eastham for the dedication and love she showed for the museum over her many years of volunteering for events, providing legal services and serving as a member of the board of trustees. Her mother, Cathy Eastham, was present to accept the award.

Whisenhunt announced the addition of a new award, the Melissa Eastham Award for Exemplary Board Service, to be presented when merited.

Annual appreciation awards were presented to Kay Bird for her help with the decorating for 2012 Christmas at the Mansion; Tiffany Blakely for her dedication to her position as volunteer chair; Cathey Graham for her leadership in serving the Christmas teas in 2012; Kristi Leeper for her contributions as decorations chairwoman for auction; Mark Roberts for years of work with SeptemberFest; and Anna and Gene Washam for their volunteerism over the years at the Summer Sunday Lawn Concerts. Van Stavern Interiors was awarded the Community Spirit Award for years of assistance in decorating for Christmas at the Mansion, auction and other events.

Jaime Alexander, president of the board, discussed the 2012 annual report.

Among those seen in the crowd were Sarah Lew and David Grimes, Summer Merritt, Duncan Kennedy, George McAlpine, Joe Cobb, Kenye Kay Butts, Mauri Scharbauer and Nancy Gibson.

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TEXAS POLICE MEMORIAL

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TOP LEFT: Members of different area honor guards present the flags Wednesday at the memorial for fallen Texas officers.

TOP RIGHT: Members of Midland Police Honor Guard stand at attention.

SECOND ROW, LEFT: Officers carry a memorial wreath to the ceremony Wednesday for honor Texas officers who died in the line of duty.

SECOND ROW, MIDDLE: A rose is placed in front of each officer's bio as his name is read.

SECOND ROW, RIGHT; THIRD ROW AND BOTTOM LEFT: Citizens and officers from around the Permian Basin attend the memorial.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Midland County Commissioner Randy Pruder speaks.







BRIDGE

PERMIAN BRIDGE CLUB

April 29
Aggie Anguish-Ann Servatius, Flo Curry-Marlene Blumentritt, Don Troy-Kay Sewell, Patti Witt-Brenda Leonard, Linda Aaron-Sarana Savage, Marty Massie-Marilyn Higgins

April 30
Janette Kuzmich-Jerry Burchell, Sewell-Troy, Bonnie Hubbard-Bitsy Loewenstein, Paulette Turner-Frances Levin, Brenda Brauner-Higgins

May 2
Leonard-Witt, Leilani Matthews-Savage, Kay Arrell-Nancy Ward, Dorothy Baird-Les Neal

May 3
Debbie Kemp-Sandy Thomas, Belle Harris-Levin, Servatius-Jean Pistole Ricki Perry-Curry, James Hawkins-Don Malone

May 5
Anguish-Perry, Blumentritt-Curry, Pistole-Servatius, Gregory Bartha-Levin, Roberta Bacon-Martha Poss

May 6
Curry-Blumentritt, Witt-Leonard, Higgins-Dorothy Brenneman, Helen South-Burchell, Troy-Sewell, Matthews-Savage

May 7
Pistole-Gloria Crites, Anguish-Thomas, Lena Nichols-Blumentritt, Bitsy Loewenstein-Betty Marlow, Poss-Kemp, Brauner-Higgins

May 8
Crites-Rebecca Kinsey, Charlie Grimes-Servatius, Anguish-Perry, Levin-Malone, Harris-Savage, South-Burchell, Linda Scarpelli-Scot Vaughn

May 9
Malone-Hawkins, Harris-Savage, Shirley Davenport-Amanda Shaw, Gloria Jackson-Davis, L. Matthews-Higgins

May 10
Malone-Hawkins, KC Evans-Bob Baker, Anguish-Perry, Sue Marshall-Kemp, Vangie Lindsey-Janet Stoltz

May 12
Blumentritt-Curry, Marilyn Matthews-Nichols, Deborah Brookins-Vaughn, Billie Rush-Dale Beck, South-Brenneman, Neal-Shaw

MORE NAMES

ABILENE — Midlander **Paige Wachsmann** received an academic honor at the recent McMurry University Academic Honors Reception. She received the award for Who's Who, according to a press release.

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Midland Teen Court operates with the help of teen and adult volunteers. The volunteers for 2013 include:

Serving as judges were Judges Elizabeth Leonard, Marvin L. Moore, Rodney Satterwhite, Dean Rucker, Robin Darr, Jody Gillis, Whitney Ellis, Carl Robinson, Laura Nodolf, Kelly Stapler, Trevor Freeman and Derek Cook. **Bailiff**: Rosie Martinez, Keith Morris, Jimmy Smith, Mike Stamper, Greg Traveland and Jake Wells. **Courtroom assistants**: Rachel Harris and Justin Stephenson. **Board members**: Joe Baker, Ashley Boren, Rick Darling, Judge Kyle Peeler, Jimmy Smith, Dana Welch and Patrick Whelan.

Teen attorneys: Sarai Avila, Anna Cain, Clark Wilson, Raul Corrales, Palvasha Dethe, Luis Gomez, Ben Hall, Joe Hall, Amit Heeraman, Sunita Heeraman, Michelle Hershbeger, Brandon Kam, Alex McKenzie, Pooja Patel, Ravi Patel, Kevin Sandoval and Imhotep White

An AmericanTreasure: Adrian Adame, Jordan Adams, Linda Alcantar, Courtney Allen, Judith Alvarez, Marco Armendariz, Rebeca Arzate, Karina Avila, Sarai Avila, Erick Baeza, Ehtan Baltier, Yaritza Baltier, William Barrett, Marissa Bernal, Kyle Blackburn, Amber Bowens, Jace Brandl, Ty Brewer, Taye Britt, Bre'a Brockington, Tori Browder, Brandon Buckingham, Madison Butcher, Nataleah Carbajal, Samantha Carrillo, Kayle Cartmell, Chandler Cavitt, Hailey Chavarria, Liliana Chavez, Rhea Cholia, Courtney Clouse, Drew Colburn, Lizbeth Chavez, Raul Corrales, Carson Cranford, Katelyn Cunningham, Sacred Curtis, Jordan Darling, Melody Davis, Semaj Davis, Logan Day, McKenzie Dean, Vanessa DeLaCruz, Breanna DeLaGarza and Jose L. DeLosSantos.

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Also, Klarisa Molina, Melissa Morales, Everado Murillo, Angel Nabarrette, Jennifer Natividad, Chelsea Nash, Caroline, Vince Ochoa, Brittany O'Dear, Biancha Olivas, Fernando Olivas, Ryan Ornelas, Aldo Ortega, Alannah Palmer, Andie Parnell, Ravi Patel, Shreya Patel, Phillip Pipkin, Brandon Powell, Rudjy Ponceja, Rionna Quarker, Dulce Quilimaco, Jordan Ramsource, Jade Rejon, Mackanzie Roberts, Jesse Robledo, Demari Rocha, Christine Rodriguez, Destany Rodriguez, Michael Rodriguez, Oscar Romo, Ben Rosen, Ashton Rowe, Aylin Sanchez, Matthew Sanchez, Nadia Sanchez, Kevin Sandoval, Madison Sharp, Madison Shepherd, Bethany Shroopshire and Malaney Shrum.

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Courtesy photo

RIGHT ON COURSE

Midland High graduate **Becky Jimenez**, a student in Sam Houston State University's PGA Golf Management Program, had the opportunity to meet golfer Chi Chi Rodriguez when she attended the Florida PGA Golf Expo in January. She also was featured in one of the SHSU program's newsletters. Jimenez, the daughter of Midlanders Abigail and Frank Jimenez, started a summer internship last week at Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club in Edmond, Okla.



Courtesy photo

MMH GOLF TOURNMENT

Midland Memorial Hospital hosted a golf tournament May 4 at Hogan Golf Course and raised $10,000 for Rays of Hope Grief Centre. On hand for the check presentation were the center's **Megan Lopez**, second from right, **Kelly White**, from right, MMH radiology director, **Stephen Bowerman** MMH CFO, and **James Lawrence**, of Lawrence Electric, co-sponsor and underwriter of the tournament.



Courtesy photo

NEW CASA VOLUNTEERS

Judge Sylvia Chavez, third from left, recently swore in new volunters for CASA of West Texas. They are **Simonei Vark**, from left, **Nancy Chappell, Dan Leonard, Ramona Green, Willie Ruth Adams** and **Debra Cummings**, of Andrews.





Courtesy photos

CHEVRON & CIA IN ACTION

Alan Kleier, vice president Chevron Exploration and Production Business Unit, far right above, presents a $10,000 check from Chevron employees to Christmas in Action. Each year, Chevron makes a donation for its employees based on the number of volunteer hours they do on CIA projects. **Bobby Trimble**, left, founder of CIA, accepts the check. With them are homeowners **Velma and Edward Mackey**. Chevron employees volunteered with Christmas in Action last month working on two homes on English Drive. One team installed new windows and siding and painted the exterior at the Mackeys' home. Another team worked at the home of **Lucy DeLao**. They installed new windows and siding, painted the exterior and put up a fence, which they donated.

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Big Brothers Big Sisters honors helpers

From staff reports

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Midland honored volunteers and community supporters during its annual Volunteer and Community Appreciation dinner last month at Abuelo's Restaurant.

The organization recognized volunteers who had been with the organization for one, two, three, four, seven and 11 years.

Celebrating anniversaries were Scott Panthaky, Elizabeth York and Savannah Porter, one year; Elva Ruiz, Kylie Whitaker, Mary Johnson and Jo Ann Dickinson, two years; Kim Cothren, Julia Hubbard, Amanda Becker and Bob Crites, three years; Robert Wood, four years; Bob Reimers, seven years, and Tommy Hale Jr., 11 years.

Special awards were presented to Bob Wood, Big Brother of the Year; Julia Hubbard, Big Sister of the Year; Jo Ann Dickinson, School-Based Big of the Year; Alex Mata, High School Big of the Year; Kylie Whitaker, Site-Based Big of the Year; Laura Abbott with Midland Community Theatre for Community Volunteer of the Year; Cliff Goyang, Individual Volunteer of the Year; FedEx Employees, Corporate Community Volunteer of the Year, and Apache Corp., Corporate Community Volunteer of the Year. A special Community Star Award was presented to Charles and Jane Koch for their years of support and service to Big Brothers Big Sisters.



Courtesy photo

Charles and Ann Koch received the Community Star Award for their years of support and service to Big Brothers Big Sisters.

Wood has been matched with his Little Brother Tristan for four years, helping Tristan develop his self-confidence and conversational skills.

Hubbard and her Little Sister Lanisha have been matched for three years, demonstrating the importance of education and self-esteem.

Dickinson and her Little Sister Aiyanna first met about 2 1/2 years ago. Since being matched, Aiyanna is doing better in school, has made new friends and is more outgoing, said Kay Crites, BBBS executive director.

Whitaker meets with her Little Sister Rosie in the after-school program. Rosie told BBBS staff that "Kylie taught me friendship."

BBBS staff also recognized a number of community volunteers who have supported the organization. Abbott was honored for her help in organizing trips to Midland Community Theatre for those in the Big Brothers Big Sisters program. Goyang was honored for his part in filming the Wednesday's Child episodes for KMID TV, featuring children in the Big Brothers Big Sisters program who are still waiting for the right volunteer.

The employees of FedEx were recognized for the support they have provided in raising money for Christmas gifts for BBBS program participants and for constructing a fence at the organization's new building. Apache Corp. was named for its active participation in Bowl For Kids' Sake and Golf Fore Kids' Sake fundraising events.

The Kochs have supported Big Brothers Big Sisters for many years, and Jane Koch serves with the organization's Ambassadors, a group of community supporters who provide feedback and a community perspective. Richard and Sigrid Coats were also named Community Stars for their many years of supporting BBBS.



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Once you're an adult, shopping for a swimsuit isn't *nearly* as much fun as it used to be, especially at those huge department stores. They seem to specialize in teenager show-everything styles.

That's why you need to go by The Pennyrich Shop in Old Town Midland. There, owner Sharon Wilcox has a great selection of swimsuits *you* will like and feel comfortable wearing around the pool, the lake or on the cruise.

Sizes in stock at the Pennyrich Shop range from 4 to 30, with lots of different colors and designs. With the selection of Amoena and T. H. E. swimsuits, there are plenty that accommodate mastectomy patients.

Sharon is very excited to have in a brand new line of exercise apparel, appropriate for everyone including mastectomy patients. Active Wear from Amoena is ready for action in a variety of cool colors. Its wicking material helps you keep your cool even while working hard. Sharon carries sizes small to 2X.

As of May 6, Sharon is now closed on Mondays. This way she'll have greater energy to serve you the other days of the week! Hours for all other days remain the same as before.

In addition to swimsuits, Pennyrich is your source for Spanx seamless undergarments, for bras and for wedding corsets. If you are a June bride, you may have noticed that your date is happening very soon—so stop in at Pennyrich as soon as you can to be fitted and to get your corset ordered, in sizes 34B-50FF.

Vacations, cruises, pool openings—they're all coming right up. If you have a home pool, you may already have it up and running since the weather has warmed up. So go by The Pennyrich Shop this week and let Sharon fit you into a swimsuit that will let you truly enjoy the summer!

The Pennyrich Bra and Lingerie Shop is located in Old Town Midland at 311 Dodson Street. The shop has served the area for over 30 years, carrying a complete line of breast prostheses, bras, mastectomy bras, lingerie and swimsuits. The shop is open Tuesday through Friday 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday from noon to 4:00 p.m. The shop's phone number is 683-1045. The website is www.pennyrichbraandlingerie.com.



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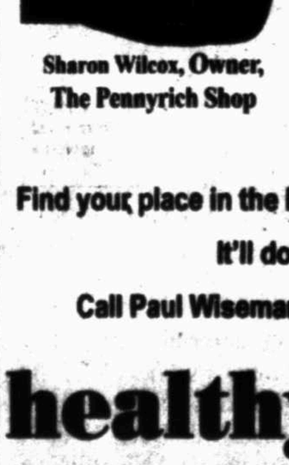
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Errors cost RockHounds in loss to Hooks

■ Midland gave up 5 unanswered runs after Goebbert's 2-run homer put it ahead

From staff reports

The Midland RockHounds hurt themselves with six errors while the Corpus Christi Hooks helped themselves with five stolen bases to erase an early deficit in a 5-3 victory Sunday at Citibank Ballpark.

Hooks	5
RockHounds	3

The RockHounds went up 2-0 in the first inning thanks to a two-out, two-run blast by Jake Goebbert to center field.

But Corpus Christi worked its way back into the game starting with an unearned run on a Rene Garcia groundout in the top of the third.

The Hooks then went ahead in the top of the fourth after Erik



Goebbert



Head

Castro drove in Domingo Santana, who reached on a throwing error to start the inning, on a two-run shot to right that put Corpus Christi ahead for good.

The Hooks added to their lead in the top of the seventh on a Garcia sacrifice fly and a fielding error that allowed Ben Orloff to score, pushing the advantage to 5-2.

Midland got a run back in the bottom of the frame on an RBI single by Miles Head but wasn't able to rally.

The RockHounds wrap up the

Please see **HOUNDS**/4C

Texas League

First half

North Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Arkansas	24	18	.571	—
Springfield	22	19	.537	1 1/2
Tulsa	19	23	.452	5
NW Arkansas	14	27	.341	9 1/2

South Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Corpus Christi	25	18	.581	—
Frisco	23	20	.535	2
San Antonio	22	21	.512	3
Midland	20	23	.465	5

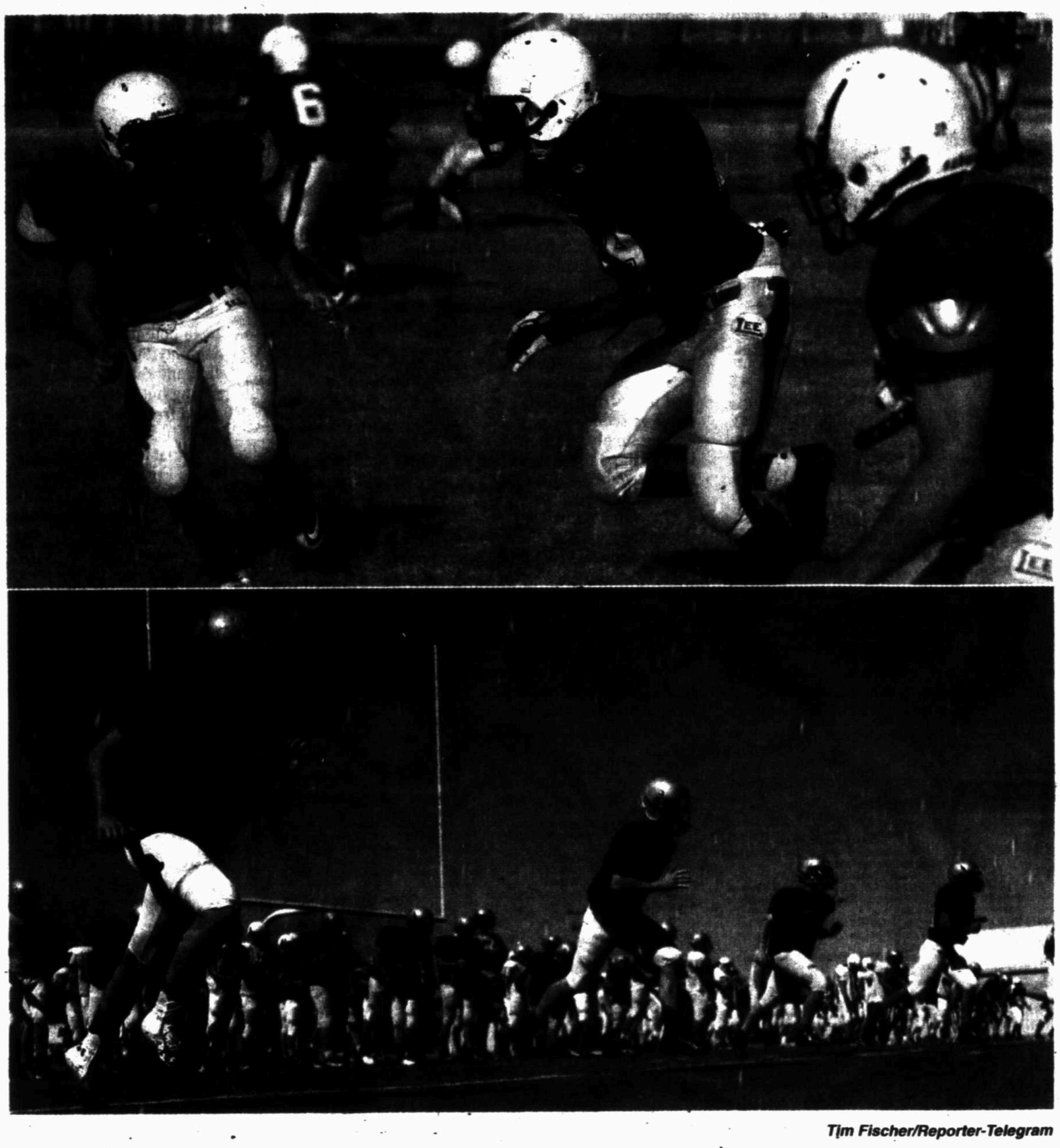
Sunday's Scores

Tulsa 7, Northwest Arkansas 1
Corpus Christi 5, Midland 3
Arkansas 5, Springfield 3
Frisco 6, San Antonio 4

Today's Games

San Antonio at Frisco, 11 a.m.
Tulsa at Northwest Arkansas, 11 a.m.
Corpus Christi at Midland, 6:30 p.m.
Springfield at Arkansas, 7:10 p.m.

Stand out from the crowd



Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Lee (top photo) and Midland High (above) football players run through drills during the first day of spring football practice April 29 with Lee being at Lee High School and MHS being at Memorial Stadium.

REBELS NOTEBOOK

JORDAN MASON
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Lee's Turner improving in pass coverage

With five days left in spring practice, here are five defense-centric observations leading up to the annual Lee spring game at 6:30 p.m. Friday at Grande Communications Stadium.

Brives Turner growing as pass defender

And that is a scary proposition for opposing offenses.

Turner, a rising senior linebacker, was a terror as a pass rusher last season and was also stout against the run in his first varsity season.

But as spring practice has progressed, what has been hard to ignore — in addition to his jarring hits and nose for the ball — has been his steady improvement in pass coverage.

Turner has slowly but surely become nearly as impactful defending the pass as he has rushing the passer, all of which culminated with him intercepting two passes in 11-on-11 drills Thursday.

Spring practice is just that, practice, but as I wrote in the first installment of this series, Turner has looked the part of a player ready to step up as one of the elite defenders in District 2-5A next season.

Move-in Jon Jarman making case for starting spot

A player who has also been generating buzz since the first week of spring practice is Jarman, a move-in from Prescott, Ariz. who might have found himself in just the right spot at just the right time.

Jarman recorded 4.8 tackles per game, according to MaxPreps, as a safety for the Badgers last season before moving to Midland.

With Jarman supposedly up from his 6-foot, 175-pound listing at Prescott, he has often slid seamlessly into the final linebacker spot next to returning lettermen Turner and Cade Kennedy.

At that outside linebacker spot, Jarman has been a perfect fit thanks to his speed and pass-covering abilities.

Jarman has seen most of the first-team reps of late and may give Lee an added impact on defense in the fall, which can go a long way in pass-happy District 2-5A.

Secondary benefiting from increased reps

There is a reason secondary coach Jeff Pair is excited for the arrival of new offensive coordinator Cliff Watkins and his high-flying offense.

Please see **REBELS**/2C

Running backs impress at Midland High practices

BULLDOGS NOTEBOOK

JONATHAN HULL
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As I left Midland High's third intrasquad scrimmage of spring football practice Thursday, there were two spots on the field that caught my attention a bit more than the rest.

First, the running back position has the potential to be very prolific next season. Sophomore Darius Reed is getting a lot of reps right now and has great size for a high school back. I really like the vision he's shown and he runs with impressive power. He's not a burner by any means, but he's going to have some strong runs just because he's tough to bring down.

Also turning heads is freshman Chris Douglas. During Thursday's scrimmage, Douglas was getting a lot of first-team reps. He's a similar runner to Reed with similar size. I would say Douglas might have a little more speed to offer.

In the three seasons I've covered the Bulldogs, I've had the pleasure of covering two of the most prolific backs in the program's history with Tyler Middleton and Jacoby Webster. And while there wasn't an individual who posted huge numbers last year, the junior tandem of Lance White and Xzavier Martinez was productive.

And White has yet to step on the field this spring due to the success of the baseball team. He's making a big difference for the Bulldogs on the diamond this postseason, too. Martinez has moved to safety and is making plays in practice. He had a nice interception in front of two-year letterman receiver Mazelle Justice on Thursday.

I will say-a true speed threat could be lacking in the backfield as White is more of a-between the tackles runner as well. Don't be shocked if Martinez, who coach Craig Yenzer told me ran a sub-4.4 40 this spring, still gets some reps in some packages on offense once the fall rolls around. Speed like that needs to be utilized.

I don't expect Middleton or Webster-like numbers from any of these backs, but expect a contingent of maybe three to provide a very good ground game. In the past, Yenzer has utilized a two-back system very successfully. With Middleton and Webster, it was about a 70-30 timeshare. I'm betting touches between backs will be even more spread out this fall.

— The other aspect catching my eye is on defense, and not just one position, but the entire unit.

This group is aggressive and opportunis-

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Spurs rout Grizzlies in West finals opener

By Jeff Latzke
Associated Press

Spurs	105
Grizzlies	83

San Antonio leads series, 1-0

SAN ANTONIO — The San Antonio Spurs opened the Western Conference finals resembling the past champions who've been there so many times before.

The Memphis Grizzlies looked like the first-timers still trying to adapt to their first conference finals appearance.

Tony Parker had 20 points and nine assists, Kawhi Leonard scored 18 points and the Spurs struck first by beating Memphis 105-83 on Sunday.

San Antonio raced out to a 17-point lead in the first quarter, then came up with a response when Memphis rallied to get within six in the second half. Both teams pulled their starters with over 5 minutes left and the Spurs leading by 21.

"I can promise you this: Nobody's happy in our locker room, because we were up 2-0 (in the West finals) last year and we lost," Parker said. "It's just one game. It means nothing. We still have a long way to go."

The Spurs avoided a repeat of their Game 1 loss when the teams met two years ago in the first round. The Grizzlies went on to knock San Antonio out of the playoffs as the top seed that time.

Memphis has lost its opener in each round in this year's playoffs, recovering from an 0-2 hole in the first round against the Los Angeles Clippers and an 0-1 deficit against Oklahoma City in the West semifinals.

Game 2 is Tuesday night in San Antonio.

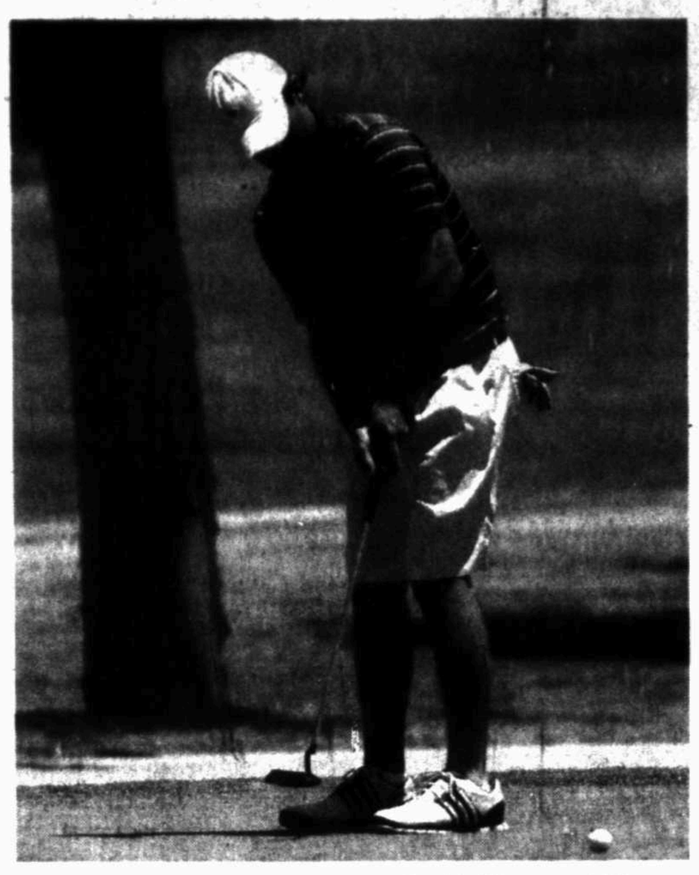
"We just didn't play well. It's not anything specific," coach Lionel Hollins said. "It's just that we were

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Eric Gay/AP

San Antonio's Manu Ginobili (20) drives to the basket as Memphis' Darrell Arthur, left, defends during the second half in Game 1 of the Western Conference Finals on Sunday in San Antonio.



James Durbin/Reporter-Telegram

K.T. Livingston putts on the 9th hole green during the Stampede on Saturday at Ranchland Hills Golf Club.

Livingston, Shivers hold on to win Stampede

From staff reports

The team of K.T. Livingston and Brady Shivers followed up a second-round 64 with a final-round 63 to win the Stampede by six strokes on Sunday at Ranchland Hills Golf Club.

Livingston and Shivers moved into the lead Saturday with their 6-under 64, and then clinched the title with the low round of the day on Sunday with the 7-under 63.

Livingston and Shivers finished at 188 for the three-round tournament.

Odessans Johnny Kidd and Blake Parks finished second after a final round 65 and ended up at 194. First-round leaders Beau Davis and Will Christensen finished third, Michael Pruitt and Tracy Weatherspoon were fourth and former Ranchland pros Mark Terry and John Ironside finished fifth.

2013 Stampede
Ranchland Hills Golf Club
Sunday's Scores
Championship Flight

1. K.T. Livingston-Brady Shivers 61-64-63—188. 2. (tie) Johnny Kidd-Blake Parks 67-62-65—194. Beau Davis-Will Christensen 59-70-65—194. 4. Michael Pruitt-Tracy Witherspoon 67-66-65—198. 5. Mark Terry-John Ironside 68-67-64—199. 6. Kelly Grunewald-Bobby Hess 68-64-68—200. 7. Tim Kohn-Daniel Campbell 69-67-65—201. 8. (tie) Kelly Cox-Steve Whiteside 68-70-69—207. Ken Livingston-Kale Hughes 70-68-69—207. 10. Koy Stribling-Ken Patterson 70-69-69—208.

President's Flight

1. Scott Dufford-Neil Dufford 71-67-66—204. 2. Garry Dunkerson-Jason Hewett 68-71-69—208. 3. Roger Motley-Christopher Flores 69-75-68—212. 4. Royce Woolard-Wick Comegys 76-67-70—213. 5. (tie) Jeremy Stallings-Conner Ewing 68-75-73—216. Paul Neumerten-Randy Velarde 69-74-73—216. 7. Chris Baltzell-Rusty Maddox 73-71-73—217. 8. Keith Bitner-Jerad Farr 72-73-74—219. 9. Ryan Kaner-Greg Avery 74-78-75—227. 10. Troy North-Greg McClendon 76-74-79—229.

First Flight

1. Jim Hill-Dennis Sledge 68-66-70—204. 2. Steven Goudeau-James Grigg 67-71—73-211. 3. Jayson Lester-Andy Price 68-72-73—213. 4. Jim Bob McNeil-Mark Jonas 67-74-74—215. 5. Steve Hibbeler-Troy Martin Jr. 66-77-73—216. 6. (tie) Troy Basham-Lee Cook 74-78-70—222. Bob Reimers-Greg Weeks 72-77-73—222. Greg Russell-John Chandler 73-73-76—222. 9. Fred Holmes-John Hopkins 72-74-78—224. 10. Heath Babcock-Braxton Birin 74-74-77—225. 11. Jay Young-Tyler Bell 71-75-80—227. 12. Ransom Gibbs-Kyle Shoup 81-81-81—243

Second Flight

1. James Frith-Coy Ellison 69-69-73—211. 2. Zach Smithey-Lee Prucka 70-71-75—216. 3. Chad Jordan-Danny Brock 73-72-72—217. 4. Chase Sammons-Brett Douglas 71-71-76—218. 5. Billy Pate-Chip Roemisch 70-72-77—219. 6. (tie) Paul Sparks-Kevin Pearce 77-75-73—225. Gary Mulloy-Steve Corson 73-76-75-225. 8. Marselo Barriga-Skeet Mitchell 75-75-76—226. 9. (tie) Michael Kent Williams-Mike Lewter 73-79-75—227. Danny Brenner-Elton Smith 76-73-78—227. 11. (tie) Craig Foster-Steve Briscoe 74-79—76-229. Matt Manulik-Bill Kirby 74-79—76—229

Third Flight

1. Chase Yadon-Justin Smith 71-74-75—220. 2. Jason Tankersley-Devin Allsup 71-73-78—222. 3. James McGougal-Michael Cowley 71-81-74—226. 4. Sid Wilson-Ty Edwards 76-76-78—230. 5. Tim Morgan-Leo Gallegos 79-76-77—232. 6. (tie) John Blevins-Shaun Standard 76-76-84—236. Ray Persson-Jim Davis 76-79-81—236. 8. Oscar Molinar-Raul Ochoa 82-76-79—237. 9. Daniel Espinoza-Michael Chandler 81-84-79—244. 10. Joey Robinson-Don Bohannon 82-81-85—248

Fourth Flight

1. Steve W. Scott-Ray Keller 72-75-74—221. 2. Craig Winborn-Lonnie Crow 72-75-78—225. 3. Jeff Leary-Pat Leary 74-76-76—226. 4. (tie) Nick Maschas-Paul Treadwell 77-78-74—229. Jack Sharrock-John Naugle 78-73-78—229. 6. Dana Slusher-Abel Lujan 74-74-82—230. 7. Bill Rumbaugh-Bill Rowald 75-78-79—232. 8. Kevin Leary-Tyson Cornwell 78-75-85—238. 9. Dick Jordan-Ronnie Burnett 79-77-83—239. 10. Mark Mays-Eric Van 80-81-80—241. 11. (tie) John Bumpers-Dale Smith 80-77-85—242. Bill Willis-Tom Hill 76-80-86—242

Fifth Flight

1. Larry January-Andrew Kelly 70-73-78—221. 2. Greg Tomlin-Shayne Moody 74-77-76—227. 3. (tie) Corky Allen-Randy Silva 79-79-76—234. Kyle Pearce-Trey Butler 79-78-77—234. 5. Sammy Fields-Andy Poland 80-75-80—235. 6. Mike Lowrance-Leroy Peterson 77-81-78—236. 7. Mark McDonald-Rob Roy McDonald 73-80-84—237. 8. Chad Campbell-Phil Haney 82-83-73—238. 9. Dennis Snyder-Tony Reeves 80-80-81—241. 10. Mike McMillain-Jerrod Stallings 81-81-79—242. 11. Jeremy Hunt-Ruben Clemence 80-80-83—243. 12. John Conner-Carey Billingsley 81-78-85—244

Sixth Flight

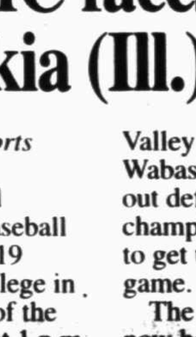
1. Ruben Patel-Logan Huffman 76-74-81—231. 2. Heath Frizell-Paul Edwards 81-74-81—236. 3. Stephen Aikman-Chad Bardon 77-80-83—240. 4. Irvin Wanney-Wayne Gray 87-77-80—244. 5. Rodney Cox-Nate Lamb 85-81-79—245. 6. Tyler Patrick-Tanner Sowa 83-79-84—246. 7. Terry Garrett-Jimbo McKissick 90-86-85—251. 8. (tie) Thomas Castillo-Sal Quiroz 86-83-87—256. Justin Bradley-James Wilson 81-84-91—256. 10. Les Reik-Steve Yarbrough 85-89-83—257. 11. Larriez Green-Jackie Johnson 86-100-75—275. 12. Chris Gorden-Gary Fulton 96-102-115—313

Lee grad Stanford finishes tied for 5th at Asheville

From staff reports

ASHEVILLE, N.C. — Tracy Stanford shot a final round 1-under 71 and finished tied for fifth at the Symetra Tour's Friends of Mission Charity Classic at Country Club of Asheville on Sunday.

Stanford, a Lee grad who also played at Texas Tech, started the day with two bogeys in her first six holes, but rallied with four birdies over the final 12 holes Sunday for the 71.



Stanford

Stanford finished seven strokes out of the lead as Italy's Giulia Molinaro won the tournament shooting 13-under par, including a final round 65 on Sunday.

The fifth-place finish was Stanford's best on the Symetra Tour this season and her third overall top-10 finish in the LPGA's equivalent of the Web.com Tour. Stanford earned $3,897 for the finish, doubling her earnings total so far this season.

No. 8 MC faces No. 19 Kaskaskia (Ill.) College

From staff reports

The No. 8-ranked Midland College baseball team will play No. 19 Kaskaskia (Ill.) College in a first-round game of the Juco World Series at 1 p.m. (CDT) Saturday in Grand Junction, Colo.

The Chaparrals (47-13), which won the Region V Tournament championship last Tuesday with an 8-2 victory over Grayson County College, is representing the Southwestern District.

Kaskaskia (39-10) won the Northern District championship Sunday with a 16-6 victory over Wabash Valley (Ill.) College. Wabash Valley knocked out defending national champion Iowa Western to get to the championship game.

The 10-team field has now been set for the World Series. Also qualifying are Neosho County (Kan.) Community College (35-24), No. 13 Walters State (Tenn.) Community College (37-16), Palm Beach State College (38-19), No. 5 Connors State (Okla.) College (52-9), Central Alabama Community College (38-13), No. 4 Navarro College (43-15) and No. 6 Cochise (Ariz.) College (49-16).

Before you can win, you have to believe you are worthy.
Mac Diaz
mywesttexas sports

Bulldogs

From 1C

tic. In the 45 minutes I was at practice Thursday, I saw the first group force three turnovers. They're not just looking to make tackles, they're looking to strip the ball and cause fumbles.

The Bulldogs' defense made incredible strides over the last few years under Shane Fletcher. Now that Tim Anuszkiewicz is leading the defense again, the group hasn't missed a beat. And I'm sure Anuszkiewicz will be quick to point out what veteran assistants like Jeff Streun and Bryan Sledge mean for this group's continued development.

— It's actually difficult to pick out a couple defenders who have stood out to me, particularly because I don't have everyone's name and number matched up yet and there are a lot of bodies rotating in and out. But if I had to pick a couple I would probably go with Martinez and junior defensive end Brady Watson.

Martinez really does look at home in this secondary, and he can simply fly around to the football. When he plays as a deep cover guy, it's going to be difficult for opposing receivers to get behind him on deep routes.

Watson's presence is more about size than anything. He definitely passes the eye test as he's added a bit of muscle to his 6-foot, 5-inch frame. He got solid playing time in a reserve role last season, but he's going to be asked to step up and start making more plays as a senior in the fall.

If the skills can start matching up with some of his natural athleticism, Watson has a chance to be a huge difference maker for the Bulldogs.

— Speaking of Fletcher, as I was sitting with him at McAllister's Deli on Big Spring St., conducting the interview for the story I wrote about his retirement, the song "Home" by Phillip Phillips came on and it couldn't have been more appropriate.

Being a Midland High grad, you can tell the job he's held for the past 11 years has meant more than words can relate. He's been at the center of the most successful era in the program's history, and make no mistake, Fletcher has had plenty to do with its success.

In fact, he deserves as much credit as any assistant at Midland High. Fletcher is one of the biggest reasons the Bulldogs have the participation numbers they currently do thanks to his work at MHS Freshman.

Over the past couple years, I've really gotten a chance to know Fletcher, and I always looked forward to stopping at a track meet or during a practice for a conversation with him. Although I did have to earn his trust.

He might not remember this, but during my first year covering the Bulldogs I was walking onto the field at Memorial Stadium once practice had ended and stopped as the players went to their various position coaches for some last comments about the day.

Fletcher looked up from his group, saw me and moved his huddle about 10 to 15 yards further away from me to make sure I didn't hear what was being said. The thought makes me laugh considering how warmly the man greets me every time we cross paths now.

One of the aspects of this job I do enjoy most is the relationship I'm able to form with coaches and athletes. The same can be said of Fletcher.

I never had a doubt when talking to him that the main reason he was a high school coach was because of the relationships with young athletes. A lot of coaches say that, but it was very genuine coming out of Fletcher's mouth.

He will certainly be missed and I hope to see him in the stands, or maybe on the sidelines, from time to time.

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Rebels

From 1C

"We've got to work it every day," Pair said. "We're not getting those safety in the box and playing two back all day."

The new pass-friendlier offense has allowed Lee to send in waves of new corners in practice and get them live reps against the pass at that.

For a team looking to replace both of its starting corners from last year, that has been quite the luxury as senior Anthony Navarrete and junior Juwan Lee, the top two corners of late, along with Darrien Wallace, Aaron Jackson, Dominic Whitfield and Devin Nguyen have all made cases for playing time in the fall, Pair said.

Pair loves the depth of his corners, and while they lack experience, safeties Logan Vitello and Abel Sanchez, who both started late last year, make up for that a bit.

Both have looked the part of elder statesman, and Juwan Lee, a former receiver, has displayed a nice ability to bait passers into throws that he is able to jump in front of with his recovery speed. He actually picked off one in practice Monday, when the unit had perhaps the best day I've seen it have this spring, finally getting the best of the offense, which came together well at the end of the second week.

Only time will tell if the added reps help on Friday nights, but Pair and even coach James Morton believe it is already paying dividends.

New offensive line improving steadily

Lee is, quietly, having to replace every member of its starting offensive line from last season, a unit that imposed its will at times on opposing defenses.

And while the newest members of the unit have had ups and downs over the course of spring practice, Morton said he likes the rate at which they're progressing.

"You don't want to be surprised," Morton said, "but I've been very pleased with how they're coming along."

Lee had to replace every member of its offensive line two years ago, and it worked out just fine for the Rebels, who put the wheels in motion for the top rushing offense in 2-5A last season when everyone on the line was a senior.

Morton said he believes this unit has the same potential but must continue to build off of what it has already put together this spring.

Injuries mounting as Rebels err on side of caution

Thursday saw a number of Rebels not practicing as minor injuries are beginning to take a toll.

But Morton said none of the injuries were serious, as in potentially affecting playing time in the fall, and that most players sitting out were awaiting word from doctors.

"We'll know this week how that affects the spring game Friday, but Morton said Lee will continue to be very cautious this time of year.

Because as seriously as the Rebels are taking this spring, they certainly don't want to jeopardize players playing in the fall in spring practice.

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HS PAIRINGS

Baseball

REGION I
Class 5A
Regional Quarterfinals

Southlake Carroll (W4, 30-4) vs. Midland High (W2, 29-7), Hunter Field, Abilene
Game 1: Carroll 5, Midland High 4
Game 2: Carroll 8, Midland High 8, 8 innings
Flower Mound Marcus (R5, 31-6) vs. Grapevine (W6, 27-8)
Game 1: Marcus 6, Grapevine 4
Game 2: Marcus 7, Grapevine 0, Marcus win series 2-0
Arlington Martin (W3, 30-6) vs. Keller Fossil Ridge (R4, 27-7)
Game 1: Martin 9, Fossil Ridge 8
Game 2: Fossil Ridge 11, Martin 1
Game 3: Martin 4, Fossil Ridge 3, Martin wins series 2-1
Colleyville Heritage (R6, 24-14) vs. Hurst L.D. Bell (R6, 16-18)
Game 1: L.D. Bell 8, Colleyville Heritage 3
Game 2: Colleyville Heritage 7, L.D. Bell 6, 10 innings
Game 3: L.D Bell 5, Colleyville Heritage 2, L.D. Bell wins series 2-1

Class 4A
Regional Quarterfinals

Wolfforth Frenship (W4, 30-4) vs. Canyon Randall (R3, 26-11), Wayland Baptist University, Plainview
Game 1: Frenship 13, Randall 4
Game 2: Randall 4, Frenship 3
Game 3: Frenship 11, Randall 0, Frenship wins series 2-1
Cleburne (W8) vs. Trophy Club Nelson (F5, 18-8), FW Arlington Heights HS
Game 1: Cleburne 6, Trophy Club Nelson 3
Game 2: Cleburne 5, Trophy Club Nelson 1, Cleburne wins series 2-0
Amarillo High (W3, 26-9-1) vs. Canyon (T3, 30-5), Wilder Park, Canyon
Game 1: Canyon 4, Amarillo High 2
Game 2: Canyon 8, Amarillo High 7, Canyon wins series 2-0
Birdville (R6) vs. Wichita Falls Rider (W5, 26-6)
Game 1: WF Rider 4, Birdville 1
Game 2: WF Rider 7, Birdville 4, WF Rider wins series 2-0

Class 3A
Regional Quarterfinals

Abilene Wylie (W4, 16-14) vs. Lubbock Cooper (W2), Christensen Stadium
Game 1: Cooper 7, Wylie 4
Game 2: Cooper 13, Wylie 0, Cooper wins series 2-1
Liberty Hill (W8) vs. Kennedale (W6), Waco ISD Complex
Game 1: Kennedale 6, Liberty Hill 2
Game 2: Kennedale 13, Liberty Hill 0, Kennedale wins series 2-0
Andrews (R2) vs. Sweetwater (R4, 19-15), Hays Field, Lubbock
Game 1: Andrews 4, Sweetwater 3
Game 2: Andrews 7, Sweetwater 6, Andrews wins series 2-0.
Alvarado (W7) vs. Stephenville (T7)
Game 1: Alvarado 6, Stephenville 5
Game 2: Stephenville 3, Alvarado 2
Game 3: Stephenville 8, Alvarado 4, Stephenville wins series 2-0

Class 2A
Regional Quarterfinals

Tulia (T2) vs. Idalou (R3), Wayland Baptist University, Plainview
Game 1: Idalou 1, Tulia 0
Game 2: Idalou 19, Tulia 1, Idalou wins series 2-0
Holliday (W8) vs. Bangs (W6), Moffett Field, Snyder
Game 1: Bangs 3, Holliday 2
Game 2: Holliday 2, Bangs 1
Game 3: Bangs 4, Holliday 3, Bangs win series 2-1
Childress (W3) vs. Bushland (W1), Pirate Field, Woodrow
Game 1: Childress 5, Bushland 3
Game 2: Childress 16, Bushland 3, Childress wins series 2-0.
Wall (R6) vs. Henrietta (R6), Driggers Field, Abilene
Game 1: Wall 4, Henrietta 3
Game 2: Wall 11, Henrietta 1, Wall wins series 2-0.

Class A
Regional Quarterfinals

Sundown (W4, 22-1) vs. Ira (R3, 14-1)
Game 1: Ira 12, Sundown 0
Game 2: Ira 11, Sundown 0, Ira wins series 2-0.
Stamford (W8) vs. Seymour (T8, 21-10), Graham HS
Game 1: Stamford 8, Saymour 4
Game 2: Stamford 12, Seymour 5, Stamford wins series 2-0.
Forsan (W3) vs. Fort Hancock (W1), Crane HS
Game 1: Fort Hancock 8, Forsan 0
Game 2: Forsan 11, Fort Hancock 0
Game 3: Fort Hancock 9, Forsan 8, Fort Hancock wins series 2-1
New Deal (T5, 13-14) vs. Anson (R8, 19-4), Rails HS
Game 1: Anson 12, New Deal 2
Game 2: Anson 11, New Deal 4, Anson wins series 2-0.

Softball

REGION I
Class 5A
Regional Semifinals

Lubbock Coronado (W2, 36-4) vs. Lewisville (F5, 25-12)
Game 1: Lewisville 11, Lubbock Coronado 1
Game 2: Lewisville 4, Lubbock Coronado 3, Lewisville wins series, 2-0.
Keller (R4, 29-4-1) vs. Flower Mound Marcus (W5, 26-9-1)
Game 1: Keller 3, Marcus 0
Game 2: Marcus 3, Keller 2
Game 3: Marcus 1, Keller 0, Marcus wins series 1-0.

Class 4A
Regional Semifinals

Wolfforth Frenship (W4, 30-4) vs. Birdville (25-10)
Game 1: Frenship 11, Birdville 10
Game 2: Frenship 19, Birdville 5, Frenship wins series 2-0
El Paso Chapin (W7, 33-6) vs. Aledo (W7, 26-3)
Game 1: Aledo 4, Chapin 1
Game 2: Aledo 12, Chapin 0, Aledo wins series 2-0.

CLASS 3A
Regional Semifinals

Andrews (W2, 31-8) vs. Kennedale (W6, 22-10)
Game 1: Kennedale 2, Andrews 1
Game 2: Kennedale 4, Andrews 1, Kennedale wins series 2-0.
Lubbock Cooper (R2, 26-7) vs. Burkburnett (W5)
Game 1: Burkburnett 4, Cooper 0
Game 2: Burkburnett 3, Cooper 2, Burkburnett wins series 2-0.

CLASS 2A
Regional Semifinals

Coahoma (T4) vs. Comanche (R7)
Game 1: Comanche 14, Coahoma 3
Game 2: Comanche 9, Coahoma 1, Comanche wins series 2-0.
Lamesa (R4) vs. Hawley (W7)
Game 1: Lamesa 4, Hawley 3
Game 2: Hawley 8, Lamesa 3
Game 3: Hawley 10, Lamesa 0, Hawley wins series 2-1.

Class A
Regional Semifinals

Albany (W4) 8, Windthorst 7, 9 innings
Haskell (R4) vs. Petrolia (W7, 19-4)
Game 1: Haskell 9, Petrolia 6
Game 2: Petrolia def. Haskell
*Game 3: Petrolia 5, Haskell 4, Petrolia wins series 2-1

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NBA Playoffs
CONFERENCE FINALS
(Best-of-7)

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Miami vs. Indiana
Wednesday, May 22: Indiana at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, May 24: Indiana at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 26: Miami at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 28: Miami at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
x-Thursday, May 30: Indiana at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
x-Saturday, June 1: Miami at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
x-Monday, June 3: Indiana at Miami, 7:30 p.m.

WESTERN CONFERENCE
San Antonio vs. Memphis
Sunday: San Antonio 105, Memphis 83
Tuesday: Memphis at San Antonio, 8 p.m.
Thursday, May 25: San Antonio at Memphis, 8 p.m.
Monday, May 27: San Antonio at Memphis, 8 p.m.
x-Wednesday, May 29: Memphis at San Antonio, 8 p.m.
x-Friday, May 31: San Antonio at Memphis, 8 p.m.
x-Sunday, June 2: Memphis at San Antonio, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY'S BOX
x-SPURS 105, GRIZZLIES 83

MEMPHIS (83): Prince 2-5 2-4 6, Randolph 1-6 0-0 2, Gasol 7-16 1-2 15, Conley 5-12 4-6 14, Allen 3-3 2-2 8, Bayless 2-2 2-2 6, Arthur 1-2 0-0 2, Pondexter 6-11 0-0 17, Dooling 0-0 0-0 0, Davis 1-3 3-4 5, Wroten 0-1 0-0 0, Daye 2-5 0-0 4, Leuer 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 32-74 14-20 83.

SAN ANTONIO (105): Leonard 7-10 0-0 18, Duncan 3-9 0-0 6, Splitter 5-11 1-2 1, Parker 9-14 2-2 20, Green 6-9 1-1 16, Diaw 0-2 0-2 2, Ginobili 2-6 3-5 8, Neal 5-8 0-0 11, Joseph 1-5 0-0 2, Bonner 4-7 0-0 12, Blair 2-2 2-2 6, McGrady 0-2 0-0 0, Mills 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 40-78 11-14 105.

Memphis	14	23	30	16 — 83
San Antonio	31	20	22	32 — 105

3-Point Goals—Memphis 5-12 (Pondexter 5-8, Daye 0-1, Bayless 0-2), San Antonio 14-29 (Leonard 4-6, Bonner 4-6, Green 3-6, Mills 1-1, Ginobili 1-3, Neal 1-4, Joseph 0-1, Diaw 0-1, McGrady 0-2). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Memphis 44 (Randolph, Gasol 7), San Antonio 43 (Duncan 10). Assists—Memphis 20 (Conley 8), San Antonio 28 (Parker 9). Total Fouls—Memphis 17, San Antonio 18. A—18,581 (18,797).

NHL Playoffs
CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7)

EASTERN CONFERENCE
Pittsburgh 2, Ottawa 1
Tuesday, May 14: Pittsburgh 4, Ottawa 1
Friday, May 17: Pittsburgh 4, Ottawa 3
Sunday: Ottawa 2, Pittsburgh 1, 2OT
Wednesday, May 22: Pittsburgh at Ottawa, 6:30 p.m.
Friday, May 24: Ottawa at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.
x-Sunday, May 26: Pittsburgh at Ottawa, TBD
x-Tuesday, May 28: Ottawa at Pittsburgh, TBD
Boston 2, N.Y. Rangers 1
Thursday, May 16: Boston 3, N.Y. Rangers 2, OT
Sunday: Boston 5, N.Y. Rangers 2
Tuesday, May 21: Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 6:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 23: Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 6 p.m.
x-Saturday, May 25: N.Y. Rangers at Boston TBD
x-Monday, May 27: Boston at N.Y. Rangers, TBD
x-Wednesday, May 29: N.Y. Rangers at Boston, TBD

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Chicago 1, Detroit 1
Wednesday, May 15: Chicago 4, Detroit 1
Saturday, May 18: Detroit 4, Chicago 1
Today: Chicago at Detroit, 8:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 23: Chicago at Detroit, 7 p.m.
Saturday, May 25: Detroit at Chicago, 7 p.m.
x-Monday, May 27: Chicago at Detroit, TBD
x-Wednesday, May 29: Detroit at Chicago, TBD

Los Angeles 2, San Jose 1
Tuesday, May 14: Los Angeles 2, San Jose 0
Thursday, May 16: Los Angeles 4, San Jose 3
Saturday, May 18: San Jose 2, Los Angeles 1, OT
Tuesday, May 21: Los Angeles at San Jose, 9 p.m.
Thursday, May 23: San Jose at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 26: Los Angeles at San Jose, TBD
x-Tuesday, May 28: San Jose at Los Angeles, TBD

SUNDAY'S SUMMARIES
BRUINS 5, RANGERS 2

N.Y. Rangers	1	1	0 — 2
Boston	1	2	2 — 5

First Period—1, Boston, Krug 2 (Horton, Krejci), 5:28. 2, N.Y. Rangers, Callahan 2, 8:01.
Second Period—3, Boston, Campbell 1 (Krug, McQuaid), 2:24. 4, N.Y. Rangers, Nash 1 (Zuccarello, Girardi), 3:20. 5, Boston, Boychuk 3 (Marchand, Bergeron), 12:08.
Third Period—6, Boston, Marchand 2 (Bergeron, Bartkowski), 26. 7, Boston, Lucic 3 (Krejci, Hamilton), 12:39.
Shots on Goal—N.Y. Rangers 11-16-10—37. Boston 12-9-11—32.
Goalies—N.Y. Rangers, Lundqvist. Boston, Rask. A—17,565 (17,565). T—2:26.

SENATORS 2, PENGUINS 1, 2 OT

Pittsburgh	0	1	0	0 0 — 1
Ottawa	0	0	1	0 1 — 2

First Period—None
Second Period—1, Pittsburgh, Kennedy 2 (Cooke), 18:53.
Third Period—2, Ottawa, Alfredsson 3 (Michalek, Gonchar), 19:31 (sh).
First Overtime—None
Second Overtime—3, Ottawa, Greening 3 (Benoit, Condra), 7:39.
Shots on Goal—Pittsburgh 12-11-9-13-5—50. Ottawa 8-10-10-14-6—48.
Goalies—Pittsburgh, Vokoun. Ottawa, Anderson. A—20,500 (19,153). T—3:53.

MLS
EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New York	7	4	3	24	20	15
SportKng KC	6	4	3	21	16	10
Houston	6	4	2	20	17	12
Montreal	5	2	3	18	15	10
Philadelphia	5	4	3	18	15	18
Columbus	4	4	3	15	13	10
New England	3	4	4	13	8	9
Toronto FC	3	6	4	7	11	16
Chicago	2	7	1	7	6	16
D.C.	1	8	2	5	6	20

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
FC Dallas	7	2	3	24	20	15
Portland	4	1	7	19	20	14
Los Angeles	5	4	2	17	17	10
Real Salt Lake	5	5	2	17	13	13
Colorado	4	4	4	16	11	10
Seattle	4	3	3	15	14	9
San Jose	3	4	6	15	13	19
Vancouver	3	4	4	13	14	16
Chivas USA	3	5	2	11	12	18

NOTE: Three points for victory, one point for tie.

*Sunday's Scores
New York 1, Los Angeles 0
D.C. United 1, Sporting Kansas City 1, tie
Real Salt Lake at Chivas USA, late

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	27	16	.628	—
Boston	27	17	.614	1/2
Baltimore	23	20	.535	4
Tampa Bay	23	20	.535	4
Toronto	17	26	.395	10

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	25	17	.595	—
Detroit	23	19	.548	2
Kansas City	20	20	.500	4
Chicago	19	23	.452	6
Minnesota	18	22	.450	6

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	29	15	.659	—
Oakland	23	22	.511	6 1/2
Seattle	20	24	.455	9
Los Angeles	17	27	.386	12
Houston	12	32	.273	17

Sunday's Scores
Cleveland 6, Seattle 0
Toronto at New York, ppd., rain
Pittsburgh 1, Houston 0
Tampa Bay 3, Baltimore 1
Boston 5, Minnesota 1
L.A. Angels 6, Chicago White Sox 2
Oakland 4, Kansas City 3
Texas 11, Detroit 8

Today's Games
Seattle (Iwakuma 5-1) at Cleveland (Kazmir 2-2), 11:05 a.m.
Tampa Bay (Odorizzi 0-0) at Toronto (Dickey 3-5), 12:07 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Sabathia 4-3) at Baltimore (F.Garcia 2-2), 6:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Correia 4-3) at Atlanta (Teheran 2-1), 6:10 p.m.
Oakland (Colon 3-2) at Texas (Lindblom 0-0), 7:05 p.m.
Boston (Lester 6-0) at Chicago White Sox (Axelrod 1-3), 7:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Guthrie 5-1) at Houston (Keuchel 0-1), 7:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	25	19	.568	—
Washington	23	21	.523	2 1/2
Philadelphia	21	23	.477	4 1/2
New York	17	24	.415	7
Miami	12	32	.273	13 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	28	15	.651	—
Cincinnati	26	18	.591	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	26	18	.591	2 1/2
Chicago	18	25	.419	10
Milwaukee	17	25	.405	10 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	25	18	.581	—
Colorado	24	20	.545	1
San Francisco	24	20	.545	1
San Diego	20	23	.465	4 1/2
Los Angeles	17	25	.405	7

Sunday's Scores
Miami 2, Arizona 1
Philadelphia 3, Cincinnati 2
Pittsburgh 1, Houston 0
Atlanta 5, L.A. Dodgers 2
St. Louis 4, Milwaukee 2
N.Y. Mets 4, Chicago Cubs 3
Colorado 5, San Francisco 0
San Diego 13, Washington 4

Today's Games
Cincinnati (Cueto 1-0) at N.Y. Mets (Marcum 0-4), 6:10 p.m.
Minnesota (Correia 4-3) at Atlanta (Teheran 2-1), 6:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Hamels 1-6) at Miami (Sanabia 2-6), 6:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 4-2) at Milwaukee (Gallardo 3-3), 7:10 p.m.
Arizona (Corbin 6-0) at Colorado (Garland 3-4), 7:40 p.m.
St. Louis (S.Miller 5-2) at San Diego (Marquis 5-2), 9:10 p.m.
Washington (Dubo 0-0) at San Francisco (Vogelsong 1-4), 9:15 p.m.

SUNDAY'S AL WEST BOXES
RANGERS 11, TIGERS 8

Detroit				Texas			
	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Infante 2b	5	2	2	0	Andrus ss	4	1	1	1
TrHntr rf	5	1	1	0	DvMrp lf	3	2	2	4
MiCarr 3b	4	4	4	5	Brkmn dh	5	2	3	2
Fielder 1b	4	0	2	3	Beltre 3b	5	1	4	2
VMrtnz dh	5	0	0	0	N.Cruz rf	4	0	1	0
Tuiasop lf	1	0	0	0	Morlnd 1b	4	0	2	2
JhPerlt ss	5	0	2	0	G.Soto c	5	1	3	0
B.Pena c	5	1	2	0	Gentry cf	2	1	1	0
AGarci cf	2	0	0	0	LMartn ph-cf	3	2	1	0
Dirks ph-cf	3	0	0	0	LGarci 2b	3	1	0	0
Totals	39	8	13	8	Totals		38	11	18	11
Detroit					.003	013	010		—	8
Texas					.010	044	20x		—	11

E—Mi.Cabrera (4). DP—Detroit 2, Texas 1. LOB—Detroit 10, Texas 9. 2B—Infante (6), Fielder 2 (11), Jh.Perlta 2 (10), Beltre 2 (11), G.Soto (3), LMartin (1). HR—MiCarrera 2 (11), DavMurphy (6). SB—Gentry (8), L.Martin (5). CS—DavMurphy (3). S—L.Garcia. SF—DavMurphy, Moreland.

Detroit	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Porcello	4	6	5	5	1	3
Fister	4 2-3	9	5	5	1	3
D.Downs	1-3	0	0	0	0	0
Ortega L,0-1	1	5	4	4	0	0
Coke	2-3	2	2	2	0	0
E.Reed	1 1-3	2	0	0	0	0
Texas						
D.Holland	4 2-3	8	4	4	3	6
D.Lowe	2-3	2	2	2	0	0
Frasor	1-3	0	1	1	1	1
N.Feliciano	1-3	1	1	0	0	0
R.Rose W,2-0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Scheppers	1	1	1	1	1	0
Nathan S,13-13	1	0	0	0	1	1

WP—E.Reed, D.Holland. T—3:46. A—39,838 (48,114).

PIRATES 1, ASTROS 0

Houston	ab	r	h	bi	Pittsburgh	ab	r	h	bi
BBarns cf	1	0	0	0	Sklarsk cf	4	0	0	0
Crowe ph	1	0	0	0	Snider lf-rf	4	0	0	0
Altuve 2b	4	0	0	0	GJones rf	3	0	0	0
JMrtnz lf	4	0	0	0	Melncn p	0	0	0	0
Carter 1b	2	0	1	0	Grill p	0	0	0	0
Corprn c	3	0	1	0	GSnchz 1b	3	0	1	0
Pareds rf	3	0	0	0	Walker 2b	3	0	0	0
Dmngz 3b	3	0	0	0	PAlvrz 3b	2	1	1	1
Wallac ss	3	0	0	0	McKnr c	3	0	1	0
Harrell p	2	0	1	0	Barmes ss	3	0	0	0
C.Pena ph	1	0	0	0	Locke p	2	0	0	0
Ambriz p	0	0	0	0	Tabata lf	1	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	3	0	Totals	27	1	4	1
Houston					.000	000	000	—		0
Pittsburgh					.000	010	00x	—		1

DP—Pittsburgh 1. LOB—Houston 3, Pittsburgh 3. 2B—Snider (9). HR—PAlvarez (8). CS—B.Barnes (2). S—B.Barnes.

Houston	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Harrell L,3-5	7	4	1	1	1	3
Ambriz	1	0	0	0	0	2
Pittsburgh						
Locke W,4-1	7	3	0	0	2	4
Melancon	1	0	0	0	0	1
Grilli S,17-17	1	0	0	0	0	1

T—2:24. A—28,471 (38,362).

INDIANS 6, MARINERS 0

Seattle	ab	r	h	bi	Cleveland	ab	r	h	bi
MSndrs cf	4	0	1	0	Bourn cf	4	2	2	0
Ackley 2b	3	0	0	0	Kipnis 2b	4	1	2	0
Seager 3b	4	0	1	0	Brantly lf	4	2	2	4
KMorls dh	3	0	0	0	Swisher 1b	4	0	1	0
Morse rf	3	0	0	0	Giambi dh	2	0	0	0
Ibanez lf	4	0	0	0	CSantn c	4	0	0	0
Smoak 1b	4	0	1	0	MrRynl 3b	4	0	0	0
JMontr c	3	0	1	0	Aviles ss	4	1	2	0
Ryan ss	3	0	0	0	Stubbs rf	4	0	1	0
Totals	31	0	4	0	Totals	34	6	9	5
Seattle					.000	000	000	—		0
Cleveland					.230	100	00x	—		6

E—Smoak (1). LOB—Seattle 9, Cleveland 6. 2B—Bourn (5), Kipnis (9), Swisher (11), Aviles (4). HR—Brantley (2).

Seattle	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
F.Hernandez L,5-3	5	8	6	5	2	8
Furbush	2	0	0	0	0	3
Luetge	1	1	0	0	0	1
Cleveland						
Masterson W,7-2	7	3	0	0	2	11
R.Hill	2-3	0	0	0	1	1
J.Smith	1 1-3	1	0	0	1	1

HBP—by Masterson (Ryan). WP—F.Hernandez.

T—2:39. A—19,744 (42,241).

ANGELS 6, WHITE SOX 2

Chicago	ab	r	h	bi	Los Angeles	ab	r	h	bi
De Aza cf	3	0	0	1	Aybar ss	3	0	1	3
AlRmrz ss	4	1	1	0	Trout cf	4	0	0	0
Rios rf	4	0	1	1	Pujols 1b	4	0	0	0
A.Dunn dh	3	0	0	0	Trumo dh	3	2	1	0
Konerk 1b	4	0	0	0	Hamltn rf	3	1	1	0
Gillaspi 3b	3	1	1	0	HKndrc 2b	4	1	2	2
Vicedo lf	4	0	0	0	Callasp 3b	3	0	0	0
Kppngr 2b	3	0	2	0	Iannett c	2	1	1	1
Flowrs c	2	0	0	0	Shuck lf	4	1	1	0
Totals	30	2	5	2	Totals	30	6	7	6
Chicago					.000	000	011	—		2
Los Angeles					.002	200	02x	—		6

DP—Los Angeles 1. LOB—Chicago 5, Los Angeles 6. 2B—Rios (10), Gillaspie (6). Aybar (6). H.Kendrick (6). SF—De Aza.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Peavy L,5-2	6	4	4	4	5	7
Omogrosso	2	3	2	2	1	2
Los Angeles						
Vargas W,3-3	7	4	0	0	3	6
D.De La Rosa	1-3	1	1	1	1	0
S.Downs	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Fien S,9-10	1 1-3	0	0	1	1	3

T—3:04. A—38,190 (45,483).

ATHLETICS 4, ROYALS 3

Kansas City	ab	r	h	bi	Oakland	ab	r	h	bi
Lough cf	4	0	0	0	Crisp dh	3	0	1	1
L.Cain ph-cf	1	0	0	0	Lowrie ss	4	0	1	1
AEscor ss	5	0	1	0	Cespds lf	4	2	2	1
ASorin lf	5	1	4	1	Moss 1b	4	0	1	0
Butler dh	4	0	2	0	Dnldsn 3b	3	0	0	1
EJhnsn pr	0	0	0	0	S.Smith rf	4	0	2	0
Hosmer 1b	4	1	2	1	C.Young cf	4	0	0	0
Moslks 3b	5	0	0	0	DNorrs c	3	1	1	0
Francr rf	4	0	0	0	Sogard 2b	2	1	1	0
Kottars c	2	0	0	0	Rosales ph-2b	1	0	0	0
S.Perez ph-c	1	0	0	0					
Getz 2b	3	1	2	1					
Totals	38	3	11	3	Totals	31	4	9	4
Kansas City					.001	110	000	—		3
Oakland					.000	110	11x	—		4

E—Lough (1). LOB—Kansas City 12, Oakland 5. 2B—A.Gordon (11), Hosmer (5), S.Smith (12), Sogard (5). HR—Cespedes (8). SF—Crisp, Donaldson.

Kansas City	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Mendoza	6	8	3	2	0	4
B.Chen	1	0	0	0	0	0
K.Herrera L,2-4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Oakland						
Griffin	6	7	3	3	3	5
Okajima	1	1	0	0	1	0
Blevins W,3-0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Cook S,1-2	1	2	0	0	0	1

Mendoza pitched to 1 batter in the 7th.
T—2:38. A—20,387 (35,067).

SUNDAY'S LINESCORES
AMERICAN LEAGUE
RAYS 3, ORIOLES 1

Tampa Bay	001	011	000 — 3 7 0
Baltimore	000	100	000 — 1 5 1

M.Moore, Jo.Peralta (8), Rodney (9) and Lobaton; Chen, McFarland (7), Strop (9) and Snyder. W—M.Moore 8-0. L—Tillman 3-2. Sv—Rodney (8). HRs—Tampa Bay, Scott (3), Joyce (8).

RED SOX 5, TWINS 1

Boston	011	010	002 — 5 11 1
Minnesota	000	010	000 — 1 5 1

Lackey, A.Miller (7), Uehara (8), Bz.aws (9) and Saltalamacchia; P.Hernandez, Roenicke (5), Duensing (8), Burton (9) and Mauer. W—Lackey 2-4. L—P.Hernandez 2-1. HRs—Boston, Middlebrooks (8), Pedroia (2).

NATIONAL LEAGUE
MARLINS 2, DIAMONDBACKS 1

Arizona	000	000	001 — 1 6 0
Miami	000	002	00x — 2 5 0

Miley, Ziegler (7), Collmenter (8) and M.Montero; Nolasco, Cishek (9), M.Dunn (9) and Mathis. W—Nolasco 3-5. L—Miley 3-3. Sv—M.Dunn (1).

BRAVES 5, DODGERS 2

Los Angeles	101	000	000 — 2 3 3
Atlanta	000	010	04x — 5 7 0

Magill, Howell (6), Belisario (6), P.Rodriguez (7), Jansen (7), League (8) and A.Ellis; Minor, Varvaro (7), Avilan (8), Kimbrel (9) and McCann. G.Laird. W—Avilan 2-0. L—Jansen 1-3. Sv—Kimbrel (14).

PHILLIES 3, REDS 2

Cincinnati	010	001	000 — 2 9 1
Philadelphia	000	000	012 — 3 9 1

H.Bailey, Braxton (8), S.Marshall (8), Chapman (9) and Hanigan; Pettibone, De Fratus (8), Bastardo (9) and Ruiz. Kratz. W—Bastardo 2-1. L—Chapman 3-2. HRs—Cincinnati, Bruce (5). Philadelphia, Kratz (3), Galvis (3).

CARDINALS 4, BREWERS 2

Milwaukee	000	002	000 — 2 10 0
St. Louis	000	004	00x — 4 9 0

Lohse, Fr.Rodriguez (7), Fiers (8) and Maldonado; Gast, Maness (6), Rosenthal (8), Mujica (9) and Y.Molina. W—Gast 2-0. L—Lohse 1-5. Sv—Mujica (13).

METS 4, CUBS 3

New York	000	021	000 — 3 7 0
Chicago	000	021	000 — 3 8 0

Gee, Burke (6), Rice (7), Parnell (9) and Recker; T.Wood, Fujikawa (8), Marmol (9) and Castillo. W—Rice 2-3. L—Fujikawa 1-1. Sv—Parnell (6). HRs—New York, Lagares (1), Dan Murphy (4). Chicago, Tr.Wood (1), Sweeney (1).

PADRES 13, NATIONALS 4

Washington	000	200	200 — 4 10 2
San Diego	240	014	01x — 13 15 0

Haren, H.Rodriguez (6), Matthews (7), Storen (8) and K.Suzuki, J.Solano, Cashner. Stauffer (7), Thatcher (7), T.Rose (8) and Hundley. W—Cashner 3-2. L—Haren 4-5. HRs—Washington, Zimmerman (3). San Diego, Venable (6), Blanks (3), Alonso (6).

ROCKIES 5, GIANTS 0

San Francisco	000	000	000 — 0 5 1
Colorado	000	122	00x — 5 14 2

Zito, Mijares (6), Gaudin (8) and Q.Jones. Nicasio, Belisle (7), Brothers (8), R.Betancourt (9) and Torrealba. W—Nicasio 4-1. L—Zito 3-3.

AUTO RACING

NHRA Kansas Nationals
Sunday
At Heartland Park Topeka
Topeka, Kan.
FINAL FINISH ORDER

TOP FUEL: 1, Shawn Langdon, 2, Tony Schumacher. 3, Spencer Massey. 4, Leah Pruett. 5, Khalid alBalooshi. 6, Steve Torrence. 7, Clay Millican. 8, Doug Kalitta. 9, Morgan Lucas. 10, Bob Vandergriff. 11, Brittany Force. 12, Antron Brown. 13, Pat Dakin. 14, Brandon Bernstein. 15, Terry McMillen. 16, David Grubnic.

FUNNY CAR: 1, Johnny Gray 2, Robert Hight. 3, Jack Beckman. 4, Ron Capps. 5, Bob Tasca III. 6, John Force. 7, Del Worsham. 8, Courtney Force. 9, Matt Hagan. 10, Cruz Pedregon. 11, Dale Creasy Jr. 12, Tim Wilkerson. 13, Tony Pedregon. 14, Jeff Arend. 15, Alexis DeJoria. 16, Chad Head.

PRO STOCK: 1, Jeg Coughlin. 2, Allen Johnson. 3, Vincent Nobile. 4, Rodger Brogdon. 5, Mike Edwards. 6, Rickie Jones. 7, Greg Anderson. 8, Matt Hartford. 9, V Gaines. 10, Jason Line. 11, Greg Stanfield. 12, Larry Morgan. 13, Deric Kramer. 14, Steve Kent. 15, Shane Gray. 16, Erica Enders-Stevens.

FINALS RESULTS
Top Fuel — Shawn Langdon, 3,750 seconds, 324.20 mph def. Tony Schumacher, 3.781 seconds, 327.27 mph.
Funny Car — Johnny Gray, Dodge Charger, 4.087, 314.90 def. Robert Hight, Ford Mustang, 5.085, 149.40.
Pro Stock — Jeg Coughlin, Dodge Avenger, 6.680, 206.20 def. Allen Johnson, Avenger, 6.698, 206.57.
Top Alcohol Dragster — Alan Bradshaw, 5.494, 249.93 def. Chris Demke, 5.867, 177.21.
Top Alcohol Funny Car — Jake Kaplan, Ford Mustang, 5.644, 252.95 def. Tony Bartone, Mustang, 5.840, 255.29.
Super Stock — Tim Nicholson, Chevy II, 10.314, 120.84 def. Harvey Emmons III, Chevy Cavalier, 9.880, 124.51.
Stock Eliminator — Justin Williams, Plymouth Duster, 11.443, 109.22 def. Russ Speer, Chevy Camaro, 12.025, 103.67.
Super Comp — Tommy Phillips, Dragster, 8.908, 155.47 def. Jeremy Demers, Dragster, 8.985, 177.84.
Super Gas — Steve Williams, Chevy Corvette, 9.940, 152.61 def. Shawn Carter, Chevy Cavalier, 9.691, 166.05.

Super Street — John Dasher, Chevy Camaro, 10.870, 130.90 def. Ray Todd, Chevy II, 10.856, 128.38.
Top Dragster — Larry Piper, Dragster, 7.145, 173.27 def. Jacqueline Gerhardt, Dragster, 6.872, 197.08.

ROUND-BY-ROUND RESULTS
TOP FUEL
ROUND ONE — Steve Torrence, 3.891, 308.07 def. David Grubnic, 10.094, 68.28; Leah Pruett, 3.855, 281.71 def. Antron Brown, 3.887, 316.52; Khalid alBalooshi, 3.818, 323.81 def. Brittany Force, 3.857, 318.02; Doug Kalitta, 3.788, 328.08 def. Morgan Lucas, 3.803, 323.04; Shawn Langdon, 3.796, 322.27 def. Pat Dakin, 3.900, 305.84; Tony Schumacher, 3.814, 323.89 def. Bob Vandergriff, 3.849, 320.74; Spencer Massey, 3.818, 321.42 def. Terry McMillen, 4.729, 141.88; Clay Millican, 3.847, 320.43 def. Brandon Bernstein, 4.264, 200.41.
QUARTERFINALS — Massey, 3.802, 323.81 def.alBalooshi, 3.801, 322.88; Schumacher, 3.802, 321.04 def. Millican, 3.819, 320.28; Langdon, 3.791, 312.66 def. Torrence, 3.803, 321.12; Pruett, 3.822, 303.91 def. Kalitta, 3.852, 323.19.
SEMIFINALS — Schumacher, 8.774, 324.59 def. Pruett, 4.505, 75.02; Langdon, 3.773, 324.36 def. Massey, 3.792, 323.66.
FINAL — Langdon, 3.750, 324.20 def. Schumacher, 3.781, 327.27.

FUNNY CAR
ROUND ONE — John Force, Ford Mustang, 4.082, 312.42 def. Tony Pedregon, Toyota Camry, 4.681, 190.97; Johnny Gray, Dodge Charger, 4.117, 310.34 def. Alexis DeJoria, Camry, 5.104, 146.27; Courtney Force, Mustang, 4.136, 311.63 def. Dale Creasy Jr., Chevy Monte Carlo, 4.304, 273.50; Robert Hight, Mustang, 4.099, 303.37 def. Jeff Arend, Charger, 5.088, 151.48; Del Worsham, Camry, 4.116, 309.42 def. Chad Head, Camry, 5.493, 132.35; Bob Tasca III, Mustang, 4.085, 314.31 def. Matt Hagan, Charger, 4.095, 308.21; Ron Capps, Charger, 4.065, 310.34 def. Tim Wilkerson, Mustang, 4.338, 236.55; Jack Beckman, Charger, 4.052, 315.49 def. Cruz Pedregon, Camry, 4.183, 291.32.
QUARTERFINALS — Capps, 4.183, 300.46 def. C.Force, 4.233, 300.73; Hight, 4.053, 309.63 def. Tasca III, 4.104, 312.93; Beckman, 4.067, 313.07 def. J. Force, 4.112, 308.76; Gray, 4.047, 313.68 def. Worsham, 4.115, 307.79.
SEMIFINALS — Hight, 4.044, 311.92 def. Capps, 5.933, 122.28; Gray, 4.055, 314.61 def. Beckman, 4.104, 313.00.
FINAL — Gray, 4.067, 314.90 def. Hight, 5.085, 149.40.

PRO STOCK
ROUND ONE — Vincent Nobile, Dodge Avenger, 6.695, 205.85 def. V.Gaines, Avenger, 6.695, 206.07; Matt Hartford, Avenger, 6.726, 205.57 def. Jason Line, Chevy Camaro, 6.704, 206.89; Greg Anderson, Camaro, 6.707, 206.26 def. Larry Morgan, Ford Mustang, 6.723, 205.16; Rickie Jones, Camaro, 6.714, 206.23 def. Shane Gray, Camaro, 6.818, 205.82; Rodger Brogdon, Camaro, 6.728, 205.54 def. Erica.Enders-Stevens, Camaro, 13.342, 63.44; Mike Edwards, Camaro, 6.

HOUNDS

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Santana rf	5	1	0	0	Goebbert dh	3	1	1	2
Meyer dh	4	0	0	0	Coleman ss	4	1	0	0
Castro 1b	3	1	3	2	Oberacker rf	2	0	1	0
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MLB ROUNDUP

FROM WIRE REPORTS

Texas

RANGERS 11
TIGERS 8

ARLINGTON — David Murphy put Texas ahead with a three-run home run, and the Rangers spoiled a three-homer game from Miguel Cabrera with an 11-8 victory against the Detroit Tigers on Sunday night.

PIRATES 1
ASTROS 0

PITTSBURGH — Jeff Locke allowed three hits over seven innings, Pedro Alvarez homered and the Pirates won for the eighth time in 10 games.

American League

INDIANS 6
MARINERS 0

CLEVELAND — Justin Masterson struck out a season-high 11 in seven shutout innings and Michael Brantley homered and drove in four runs off Felix Hernandez as the Cleveland Indians toppled yet another former Cy Young Award winner on Sunday with a 6-0 win over the Seattle Mariners.

RAYS 3
ORIOLES 1

BALTIMORE — Matt Moore pitched seven innings of five-hit ball to stay unbeaten, Luke Scott and Matt Joyce homered and the Rays beat the Orioles for a three-game sweep.

RED SOX 5
TWINS 1

MINNEAPOLIS — John Lackey allowed one hit over six innings before a three-hour rain delay, Dustin Pedroia and Will Middlebrooks homered and Boston beat Minnesota for its fifth straight win.

ANGELS 6
WHITE SOX 2

ANAHEIM, Calif. — Jason Vargas scattered four hits through seven scoreless innings, Erick Aybar and Howie Kendrick each hit two-run doubles, and the Los Angeles Angels coaxed a pair of bases-loaded walks out of Jake Peavy in the fourth inning of a victory over the White Sox.

ATHLETICS 4, ROYALS 3

OAKLAND, Calif. — Yoenis Cespedes hit a leadoff home run in the eighth inning and the Athletics beat the Royals to complete a three-game sweep.

National League

PHILLIES 3
REDS 2

PHILADELPHIA — Freddy Galvis and Erik Kratz each homered off closer Aroldis Chapman in the bottom of the ninth innings Sunday, rallying the Philadelphia Phillies past the Cincinnati Reds for a stunning 3-2 victory.

MARLINS 2
DIAMONDBACKS 1

MIAMI — Ricky Nolasco struck out 11 and the Marlins stopped a season-high seven-game losing streak by holding off Arizona.

CARDINALS 4
BREWERS 2

ST. LOUIS — David Freese had an RBI in a four-run fourth inning to go with big plays at third base, and the Cardinals beat former teammate Kyle Lohse for the third time this season.

METS 4
CUBS 3

CHICAGO — Daniel Murphy hit a tiebreaking home run in the eighth inning and the Mets beat the Cubs for their first series win at Wrigley Field since 2007.

PADRES 13
NATIONALS 4

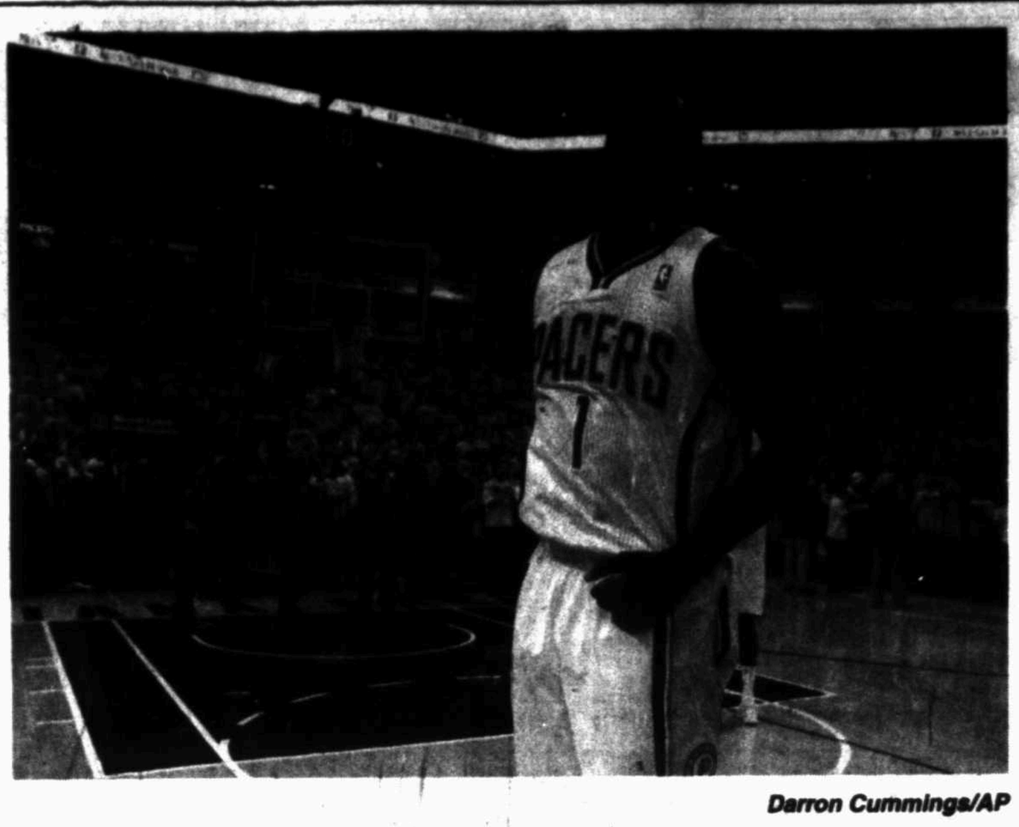
SAN DIEGO — Andrew Cashner pitched 6 2-3 strong innings and Kyle Blanks and Will Venable homered off Dan Haren to lead the Padres to a victory against the Nationals and a split of their four-game series.

ROCKIES 5
GIANTS 0

DENVER — Juan Nicasio scattered three hits over six innings, Carlos Gonzalez and Troy Tulowitzki each drove in two runs and the Rockies won their first series over San Francisco in two years.

BRAVES 4
DODGERS 2

ATLANTA — Ramiro Pena had a tiebreaking sacrifice fly in a four-run eighth inning, Jordan Schafer drove in two runs and the Braves rallied against Los Angeles' beleaguered bullpen for a rain-soaked victory.



Darron Cummings/AP

Indiana's Lance Stephenson celebrates after Indiana defeated the New York Knicks in Game 6 of an Eastern Conference semifinal series Saturday in Indianapolis.

Pacers, Heat start bracing to square off again

By Tim Reynolds
Associated Press

MIAMI — A year ago when Miami and Indiana faced off in the postseason, there were blood-drawing hits, flagrant fouls, technical fouls, choke signs being directed toward LeBron James and more than a few sharp-tongued comments.

Here they possibly go again, at least on the comment front.

The Eastern Conference finals between the Heat and Pacers won't begin until Wednesday night, but there's already signs that the animosity present throughout last season's Miami-Indiana second-round series will likely return this time around. The first flare-up appeared to arrive Saturday night, when Pacers coach Frank Vogel called the reigning champion Heat "just the next team that's in our way."

Predictably, the Heat didn't seem to take that as flattery.

"We're a great team," said James, the Heat forward who won the NBA's MVP award for the fourth time this season. "We're very confident. We'll be ready for them. If we're just another team, you don't prepare, you really don't prepare for just another team. We're not just another team. You have to prepare for us."

And away they go.

Pushing, shoving, a few extra words, that's all typical extra-curricular activity in playoff basketball. With Heat-Pacers last season, there seemed to be more. Dwyane Wade and Udonis Haslem were bloodied at times. Haslem targeted Indiana's Tyler Hansbrough in what was perceived as retaliation for a foul against Wade. And Lance Stephenson — who made the "choke" sign after James missed a free throw in a Game 3 loss — getting leveled by now-former Miami reserve Dexter Pittman in a particularly memorable end to a blowout Heat win in Game 5.

"We don't need bulletin-board material," James said.

The Heat took the rare step of practicing on their game court Sunday instead of inside their gym located upstairs, and coach Erik Spoelstra called it a "training-camp" workout. And this statistic — Pacers 2, Heat 1 — surely will keep Miami from believing a third straight finals trip is an inevitability, since not only was that the lead Indiana held in last season's playoff series, it also represents the win totals from this year's three matchups between the clubs.

"If we're the same team that we were last year, that won't be good enough," Spoelstra said. "Period. Fact. That's why we've spent so much time this year trying to develop habits to improve. We don't feel we're the same team that played the Indiana Pacers last year."

Of course, the Pacers feel the same way.

Indiana took Sunday off, after the grind of a six-game second-round series against the New York Knicks ended, and is expected to start its Heat-centric workouts on Monday in Indianapolis before flying to Miami on Tuesday.

"We were up 2-1 last year," Pacers forward David West said. "We dropped the ball."

SPURS

From 1C

running too fast, we missed some layups, we were taking bad shots and our defense was really awful. And the Spurs played well."

The NBA's stingiest defense wasn't up to its usual standards, allowing the Spurs to hit 53 percent of their shots and a franchise postseason-record 14 3-pointers while All-Star power forward Zach Randolph struggled. Randolph had just two points, getting his only basket with 9:26 left in the game.

He had a playoff-best 28 points and 14 rebounds in his last game, as Memphis eliminated defending West champ Oklahoma City in Game 5 on Wednesday night.

"Obviously, he's their best scorer. He's a beast inside," Parker said. "We know he's not going to play like that every game. It's just sometimes it happens."

The Grizzlies started to rally as soon as Randolph came out of the game for the first time in the second half.

Quincy Pondexter made a baseline cut for a layup off Darrell Arthur's pass, then hit back-to-back 3-pointers during a 10-0 burst. Jerryd Bayless' two-handed, fast-break dunk off a steal got the Grizzlies within 62-56 with 3:43 left in the third quarter.

The comeback was short-lived, though.

Bayless missed a 3-pointer on the next trip, and Manu Ginobili was able to make one at the opposite end to spark an 11-1 response that immediately restored the Spurs' lead to 16 by end of the quarter. Leonard hit a pair of 3-pointers and Gary Neal had one as San Antonio kept pouring it on in the fourth.

The four regular-season meetings were all won by the team with more points in the paint, but perimeter shooting proved to be a bigger factor in the playoff opener. Memphis, which was second in the NBA by holding opponents to 33.8 shooting on 3-pointers, let San Antonio make 13 of its first 24 from behind the arc and finish 14 of 29.

Danny Green connected three times and scored 16, and Matt Bonner hit four of his five attempts for 12 points.

"We did a good job of moving the basketball, finding each other, trusting each other," Green said. "Luckily we made some today."

Pondexter led Memphis with 17 points, Marc Gasol scored 15 and Mike Conley had 14 points and eight assists.

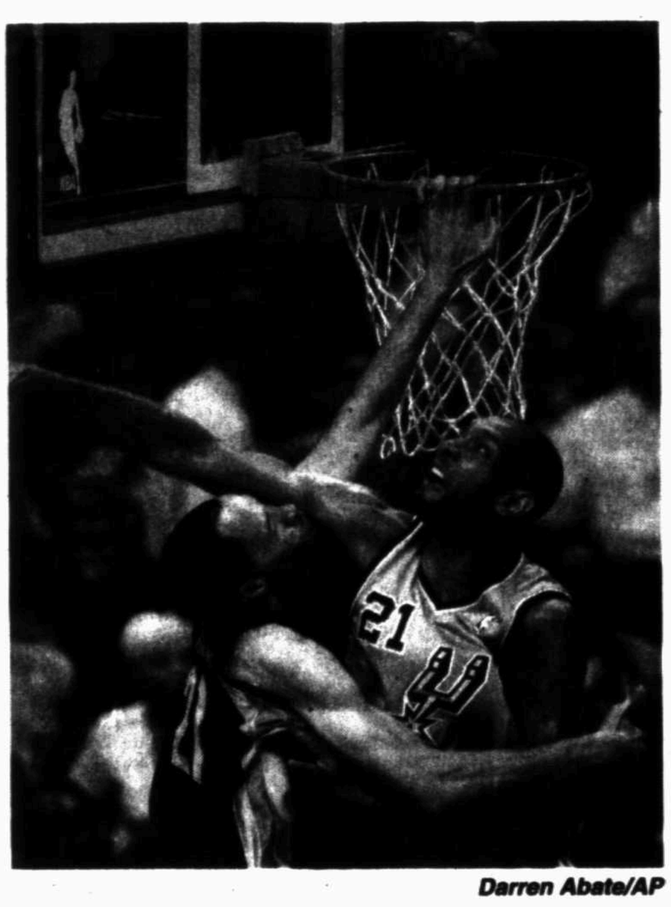
"We were just so hyper, just running all over the place on defense," Hollins said. "We'd have four guys in the paint and nobody would be out on the perimeter guarding anybody. And that's not how we play defense."

The Spurs asserted themselves early, scoring on their first seven possessions and also getting a couple head-to-head defensive stops from their veterans while claiming a quick 23-8 lead. Parker swiped the ball from Conley on Memphis' second possession, running out for a layup, and Hollins burned a timeout in the first 2 minutes.

Tim Duncan snuffed out the ensuing play by blocking Randolph's shot, and the Spurs' strong start continued. Bonner hit back-to-back 3-pointers for a 17-point edge late in the first quarter, and San Antonio pushed out to a 43-23 advantage following consecutive baskets by Parker with 6:06 left before halftime.

It was the largest first-half deficit for the Grizzlies during the playoffs.

"Every time we made a mistake defensively, they made us pay every time," Gasol said, who had three baskets in a push that helped Memphis get within 51-37 at halftime. "It was over-help or no help or whatever it was, they made you pay."



Darren Abate/AP

Memphis' Tayshaun Prince, left, is fouled by San Antonio's Tim Duncan during the second half of Game 1 of the Western Conference finals Sunday in San Antonio.

Johnson wins again and shrugs off the haters

By Jenna Fryer
Associated Press

CONCORD, N.C. — It's only fitting that Jimmie Johnson's latest romp through the record books was shrouded in post-race controversy.

What's a Johnson win, after all, without a good conspiracy theory?

The latest instance of black helicopters hovering over the Hendrick Motorsports team came in the closing laps of Saturday night's Sprint All-Star Race after Johnson headed down pit road in the fourth position for the final stop. A speedy quick four-tire change sent him back onto the track in second and put him in position for his record fourth All-Star race victory.

But an error by the television production crew led to an incorrect graphic during the live telecast that claimed Johnson should have lined up much lower in the field going on to pit road.

So as the beer and champagne swirled in Victory Lane, angry fans pounced on the inconsistency and argued Johnson should never have been in position for the win.

Johnson simply offered a bemused shrug.

"I don't have the slightest clue. People just want to hate," he said. "That's fine. I'm just lucky. NASCAR rigs the races and whatever they want to believe. I'm going home with a cool trophy and a big check and we all really know what happened. So whatever."

Whatever is what the rest of the field was saying after yet another Johnson win at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

The five-time NASCAR champion became the first four-time winner of NASCAR's annual All-Star race, breaking a tie with the late Dale Earnhardt and teammate Jeff Gordon.

It was fitting that he did it at Charlotte Motor Speedway, the track Johnson, the five-time NASCAR champion, has dominated since his 2002 rookie season. Johnson has won six points races at Charlotte, led more than 1,600 laps and the win in the $1 million Sprint All-Star Race was his second straight, fourth in 12 years. He also won in 2003 and 2006.

Now he'll head back to the track next week for the Coca-Cola 600, a race he won three straight years from 2003-05 when the No. 48 was unbeatable at Charlotte. The rest of the field caught up to him following a repave of the track, and Johnson's last win in a points race was 2009.

"We've had decent finishes and been competitive and led laps, but the track is just so different now than it was then, and we had it scienced out," Knaus said. "We knew literally what time in the afternoon, what the adjustment needed to be made to the car, and it was like clockwork, didn't matter the year, just every single time. It's not that way anymore."

Young Americans waste no time qualifying for Indy

By Michael Marot
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Bump Day at Indianapolis followed the script.

No surprises, no drama and no drivers getting bumped.

On a day devoid of tension and rumors, all nine drivers who made attempts on the second and final day of Indianapolis 500 qualifications made it into the 33-car field, led by two young Americans — Josef Newgarden and Graham Rahal — who easily had the two fastest cars on the track.

"I don't want to sound too confident, but I knew we would be fine," Newgarden said after delivering the day's best qualifying run at 225.731 mph. "I think we would have been OK yesterday if we would have had another shot at it."

The lone twist might have come if Mexico's Michel Jourdain Jr. actually made a qualifying attempt to get in the race. But after failing to top 220 mph in practice, the discouraged Jourdain had his car towed back to Gasoline Alley.

That left it up to Newgarden, the Tennessee native, and Rahal, the son of a former 500 winner, to captivate the fans.

Newgarden's chance came after he failed to get a second shot to make it in Saturday when he sitting in qualifying line as the gun sounded at 6 p.m. He had to wait another 18 hours and this time, he left no doubt that he belonged. His qualifying speed from Sunday would have been good enough for 21st, the outside of Row 7, if it happened a day earlier. Instead, he'll start 25th, the inside of Row 9.

Rahal struggled all week — and not just because he was using a Honda engine. The nine drivers in the first three rows of the three-car, 11-row grid are all powered by Chevrolets. The top Honda qualifier was Canadian Alex Tagliani, the 2011 Indy pole-sitter. He'll start 11th, the middle of Row 4, after going 227.386.

Rahal, who drives for his father, Bobby, couldn't quite get his car right. But when it mattered Sunday, Rahal easily made it in with an average speed of 225.007 to claim the No. 26 starting spot — the middle of Row 9.

"I've certainly had better (weeks), I've certainly had some that were more challenging," Rahal said after locking up his sixth straight Indy start. "But there have been some mysteries behind a lot of our speed problems. I think the first few days people thought we were being extremely slow, but really we were just being really conservative."

Johnny Gray races to 3rd victory of the season

Associated Press

TOPEKA, Kan. — Johnny Gray raced to his third victory of the season Sunday at the NHRA Kansas Nationals to regain the Funny Car points lead.

Gray beat Robert Hight in the final round at Heartland Park Topeka for his sixth career victory, finishing in 4.067 seconds at 314.90 mph in a Dodge Avenger. Hight lost traction in his Ford Mustang.

"Rob (Wendland, crew chief) gave me a great race car that ran real hard all day," said Gray, who also beat Alexis DeJoria, Del Worsham and defending event winner Jack Beckman. "Sometimes you can win races on an intimidation factor and Rob had her tuned up to where she was a little intimidating today.

"Robert had a great race car, too, but they just missed it a little bit. They have a great team over there. Our car went right on down through there. My guys are giving me a car I can't screw up in right now."

Shawn Langdon won the Top Fuel division, and Jeg Coughlin topped the Pro Stock field.

Langdon used the quickest time of the weekend to beat rival Tony Schumacher in the final for his second victory of the season. Langdon had a run of 3.750 at 324.20, and Schumacher followed at 3.781 at 327.27. All three of Langdon's career victories have come in finals against seven-time world champ Schumacher.

Coughlin broke a winless drought of more than two years, beating teammate Allen Johnson. In a battle of Dodge Avengers, Coughlin won in 6.680 at 206.20. Johnson finished in 6.698 at 206.57.



Tony Gutierrez/AP

Sang-Moon Bae runs as an unidentified person sprays a bottle of water on him as he celebrates winning the Byron Nelson golf tournament Sunday in Irving.

Bae wins Byron Nelson for first PGA Tour title

By Stephen Hawkins
Associated Press

IRVING — Sang-Moon Bae watched anxiously after hitting his tee shot at the par-3 17th hole Sunday in the Byron Nelson Championship.

When the ball landed on the front edge of the green fronted by water, he bent his knees and leaned backward obviously relieved. He was only a few shots away from his first PGA Tour victory and a congratulatory hug from the widow of the tournament's namesake.

After squandering a four-stroke lead in the final round, the 26-year-old South Korean beat Keegan Bradley by two stokes for a win in the United States to go with his 11 international victories on the Korea, Japan and Asian tours.

"It's something I've always dreamed of, winning on the PGA Tour," Bae said. "It was surreal to have Mrs. (Peggy) Nelson there and with all the history'... I was in awe, actually, so almost I didn't know how to react. "

Bae finished at 13-under 267 with a closing 1-under 69 on a day with wind gusting to near 40 mph at times, similar to conditions two years ago when Bradley got his first PGA Tour win at TPC Four Seasons. Bradley shot 72 this time.

Four birdies in a five-hole stretch on the front nine gave Bae a four-stroke advantage in the final group. But he made double bogey at No. 9 and a bogey at the next hole.

After some nice par saves, Bradley finally got even with a birdie at the 15th hole, a 17-footer that had just enough to get into the cup. But he missed a short birdie putt at the next hole to fall behind for good.

"When my iron play came back in the latter part of the round, I had confidence," Bae said. "On that shot on 17, I knew it was short, and the wind pushed it over to the right, and I was happy and relieved that it turned out OK."

Bradley was trying to become the Nelson's first wire-to-wire winner since Tom Watson in 1980. Bradley set the course record with an opening 60 even with two bogeys.

"I'm pretty disappointed but Moon played very

GOLF ROUNDUP

PGA European

VOLVO WORLD MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP: Kavarna, Bulgaria Northern Ireland's Graeme McDowell won the Volvo World Match Play Championship, beating Thailand's Thongchai Jaidee 2 and 1 in the final at Thracian Cliffs.

McDowell won a year after losing the final to Belgium's Nicolas Colsaerts at Finca Cortesin in Spain. The 2010 U.S. Open champion fought back from 2 down after four holes, pulled ahead of his 43-year-old opponent on the 14th hole and secured the victory at the 17th.

MADEIRA ISLANDS OPEN: At Santo Antonio Da Serra, Portual, American Peter Uihlein won the Madeira Islands Open in his 16th European Tour start for his professional title, closing with a 4-under 68 for a two-stroke victory.

Uihlein, the former Oklahoma State star who won the 2010 U.S. Amateur, birdied four of his last eight holes to finish at 15-under 273 at Santo da Serra.

LPGA

MOBILE BAY LPGA CLASSIC: At Mobile, Ala., Jennifer Johnson rallied to win the Mobile Bay LPGA Classic for her first tour title, birdieing four of the final six holes for a one-stroke victory over Jessica Korda and Pornanong Phatlum.

The 21-year-old American closed with her second straight 7-under 65 for a tournament-record 21-under 267 total on The Crossings course at the Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail's Magnolia Grove complex. She two-putted for par on the final hole, tipped her cap and headed toward the practice range in case of a playoff.

Web.com

BMW CHARITY PRO-AM: AT Greer, S.C., former South Carolina player Mark Anderson ran away with the BMW Charity Pro-Am for his first Web.com Tour title, closing with a 6-under 65 at the Thornblade Club for a five-stroke victory.

NHLPLAYOFFS

FROM WIRE REPORTS

SENATORS 2
PENGUINS 1

OTTAWA — Colin Greening scored 7:39 into double overtime, and the Ottawa Senators rallied for a 2-1 victory over the Pittsburgh Penguins that cut their series deficit to 2-1 on Sunday night.

Daniel Alfredsson got Ottawa even 1-1 by scoring a short-handed goal with 29 seconds left in regulation, just after the Senators pulled goalie Craig Anderson for an extra skater.

Anderson made 49 saves, including 18 after regulation. Tomas Vokoun stopped 46 shots for Pittsburgh and took his first loss (4-1) since taking over for No. 1 Penguins goalie Marc-Andre Fleury.

Game 4 of the Eastern Conference semifinal series will be in Ottawa on Wednesday.

Tyler Kennedy scored with just over a minute to play in the second period to give the Penguins a 1-0 lead. That goal stood up until Alfredsson tied it.

BRUINS 5
RANGERS 2

BOSTON — Johnny Boychuk broke a tie midway through the second period, and Boston scored two goals in the third to beat the New York Rangers and take a 2-0 lead in the Eastern Conference semifinal series.

Boychuk's third playoff goal made it 3-2 at 12:08 of the second. Brad Marchand, whose overtime goal won the opener, and Milan Lucic stretched the Bruins' lead in the final period.

Boston rookie Torey Krug scored the first goal before Ryan Callahan tied it for the Rangers in the first period. Gregory Campbell made it 2-1, and New York pulled even again on Rick Nash's goal in the second.

Games 3 and 4 of the best-of-seven series will be played in New York.

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Nadal beats Federer, Serena wins at Italian Open

By Andrew Dampf
Associated Press

ROME — After all these years, Rafael Nadal still knows how to dominate Roger Federer.

In the 30th meeting between the tennis greats, Nadal controlled the final from the start and won 6-1, 6-3 Sunday for his seventh Italian Open title.

"Rafa was just too good today," Federer said.

It tied for the second most lop-sided win in the series since Nadal also lost just four games, but over three sets, in the 2008 French Open final against Federer. At the tour finals in London in 2011, Nadal allowed Federer just three games.

"For that to happen between two players with not that much difference, it has to be because one player plays very well and the other is having more mistakes than usual," Nadal said. "That's all."

Nadal improved to 20-10 in his career against Federer, and showed once again that he'll be the player to beat when the French Open starts next Sunday. It was the fifth-ranked Spaniard's sixth title since returning earlier this year from a seven-month layoff due to a left knee injury.

"I'm playing much better than I dreamed of a few months ago," Nadal said. "I'm doing the right things to play well."

Federer complimented Nadal for the way he took his time before returning to the circuit.

"It goes to show that's what every player should do," Federer said. "Now he's as strong as ever and is going to be the favorite for Roland Garros."

In the women's final, Serena Williams won her fourth consecutive title of the year in impressive fashion, defeating third-seeded Victoria Azarenka 6-1, 6-3. The top-ranked American will go to Paris on a career-best 24-match winning run.

Williams was coming off consecutive titles in Miami; Charleston, South Carolina; and Madrid last week.

She didn't drop a set while winning this title.

"I moved better than I did all week," Williams said. "Hopefully I can stay like this. I feel really good."

Federer hadn't previously dropped a set all week as well, but he had no reply for Nadal's top-spin-heavy groundstrokes. The 17-time Grand Slam winner attempted serving and volleying, but he either missed the volley or Nadal passed him with the return.

Federer lost 10 points to nine won at the net. He also committed 32 unforced errors to Nadal's eight.

"I was missing too many easy forehands," Federer said. "And if you don't stick your volleys or serve very accurate it's very difficult."

It was 20th meeting between Nadal and Federer in a final, tying the Ivan Lendl-John McEnroe rivalry for most championship matchups in the Open era.

Center court at the Foro Italico was packed to the limit with 10,500 fans, but the crowd didn't get to see too much tennis. The men's final took only 1 hour, 9 minutes — a far cry from the 2006 final in which Nadal beat Federer in a fifth-set tiebreaker after more than 5 hours.

Rome remains one of the few important tournaments that Federer has never won. He also lost the 2003 final to Felix Mantila.

The women's final Sunday was also a short affair.

On a pleasant spring day, Williams immediately took control by breaking Azarenka's serve twice to take a 3-0 lead in the opening set.

The 15-time Grand Slam winner slugged winners at will off Azarenka's first and second serves, stepping into the court to dictate play at every opportunity.

Azarenka grew distraught at the end of the first set, twice slamming her racket on the court in desperation.

After trading breaks midway through the second set, Williams took control again when Azarenka double-faulted to give her a 5-3 lead. Williams served out the match at love, letting out a big scream when she unleashed a backhand winner down the line to close it out.

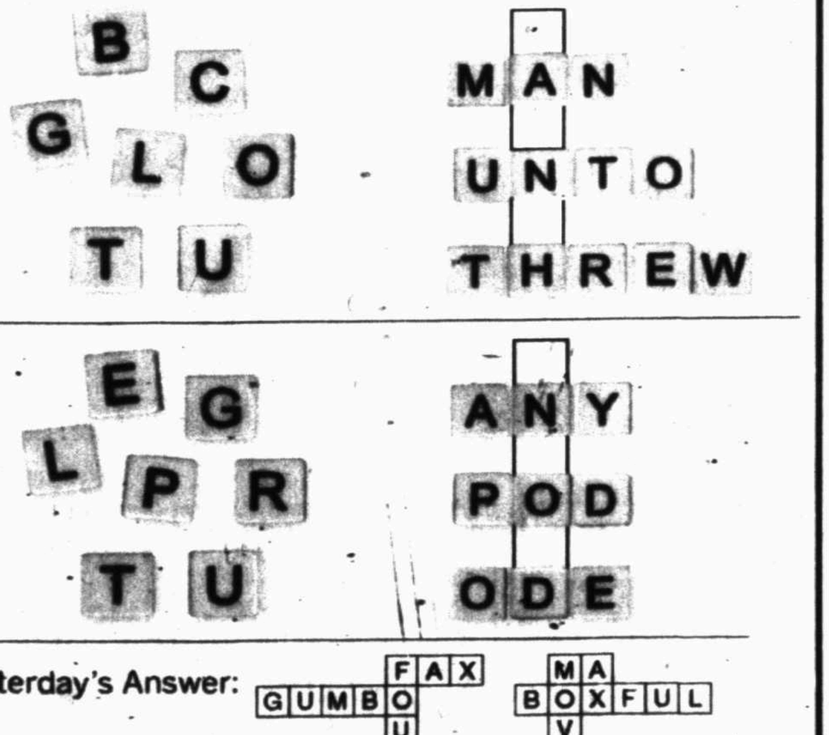
"She definitely showed incredible tennis today," Azarenka said. "But I don't think the score says how close the match was. She was better at the key moments."

Williams held a 41-12 edge in winners and served nine aces to Azarenka's none.

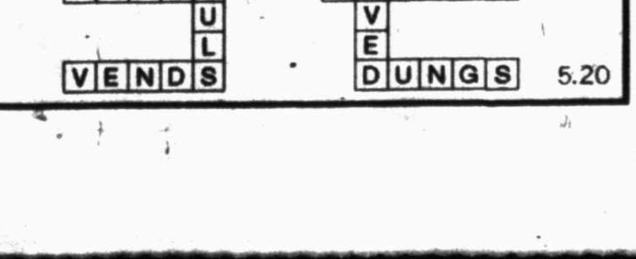
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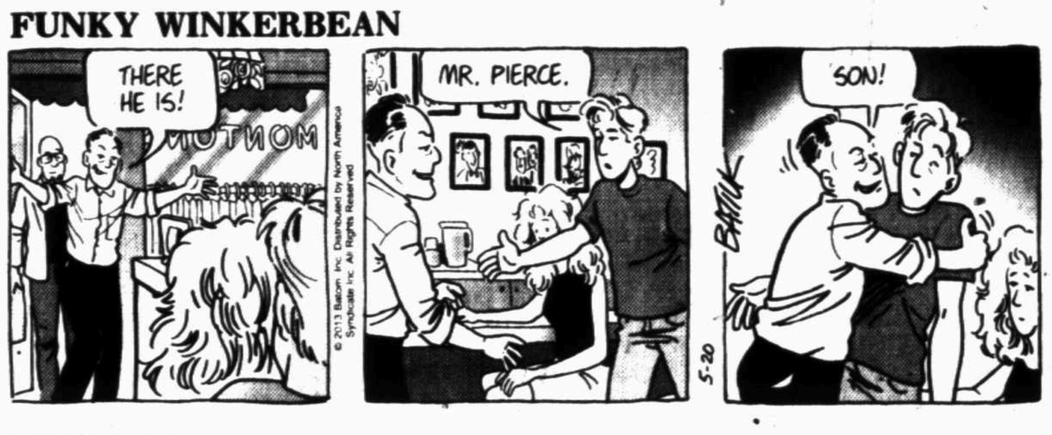
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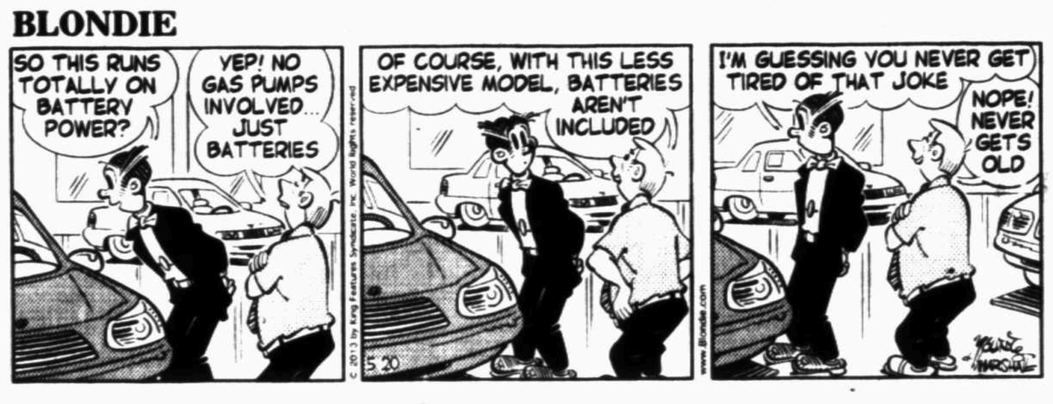
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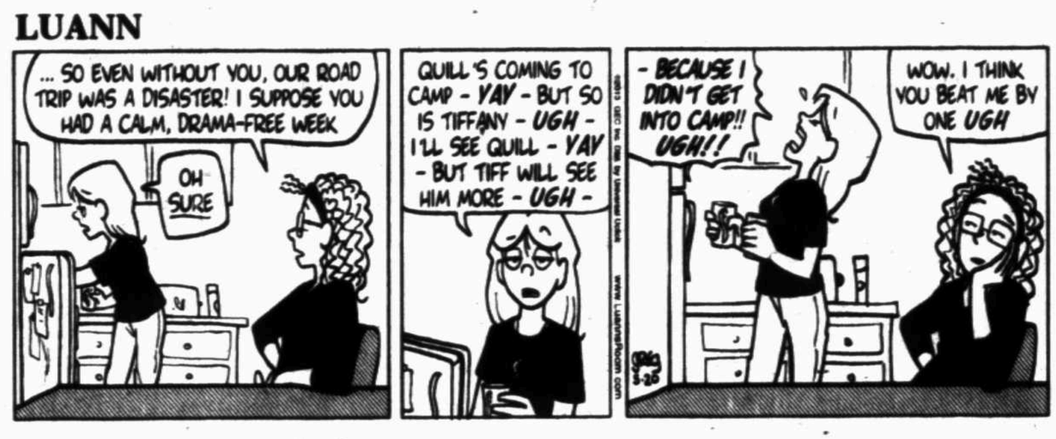
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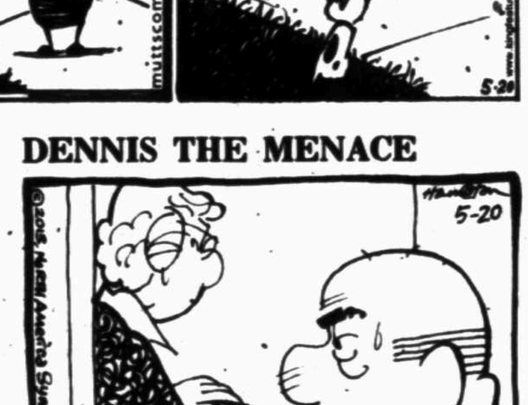
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TUESDAY: Sunny High: 91 Low: 65

WEDNESDAY: Sunny High: 97 Low: 71

Local forecast

Expect sunny skies today with a high around 97 and west winds between 10 and 15 mph. Tonight's forecast calls for mostly clear conditions with a low around 64 and west winds between 10 and 15 mph decreasing to between 5 and 10 mph after midnight.

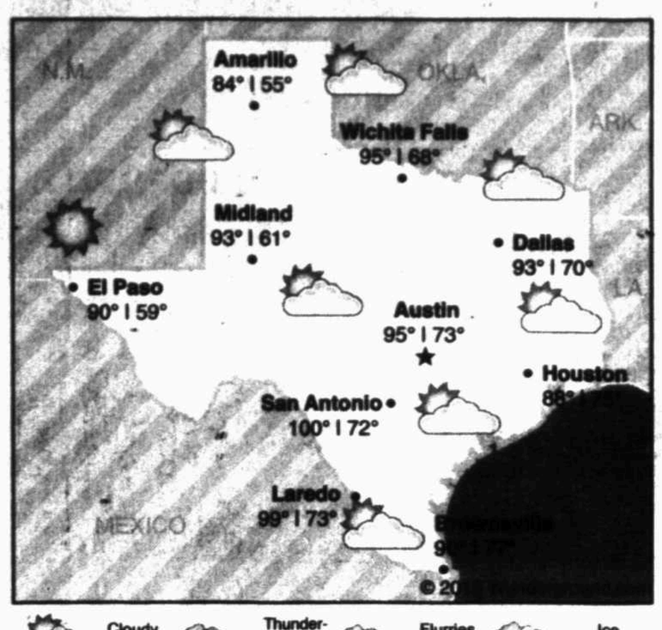
Tuesday, look for sunny skies with a high around 91 and north winds between 5 and 10 mph. Expect mostly clear conditions at night, with a low around 65 and north winds between 5 and 10 mph becoming southeast after midnight.

Wednesday, the forecast calls for sunny skies during the day, partly cloudy skies at night, with a high around 97 and a low around 71.

The high on Sunday reached 95, while the low dropped to 70. The record high for May 19 is 103 set in 1996. The record low is 46 set in 1971.

National forecast

While there will be some storms in the morning, most of the severe weather will spark during the afternoon and evening. The main threats with these storms will be damaging wind gusts, large hail and a few tornadoes. The greatest risk area will be from central Missouri to the Oklahoma-Texas border.



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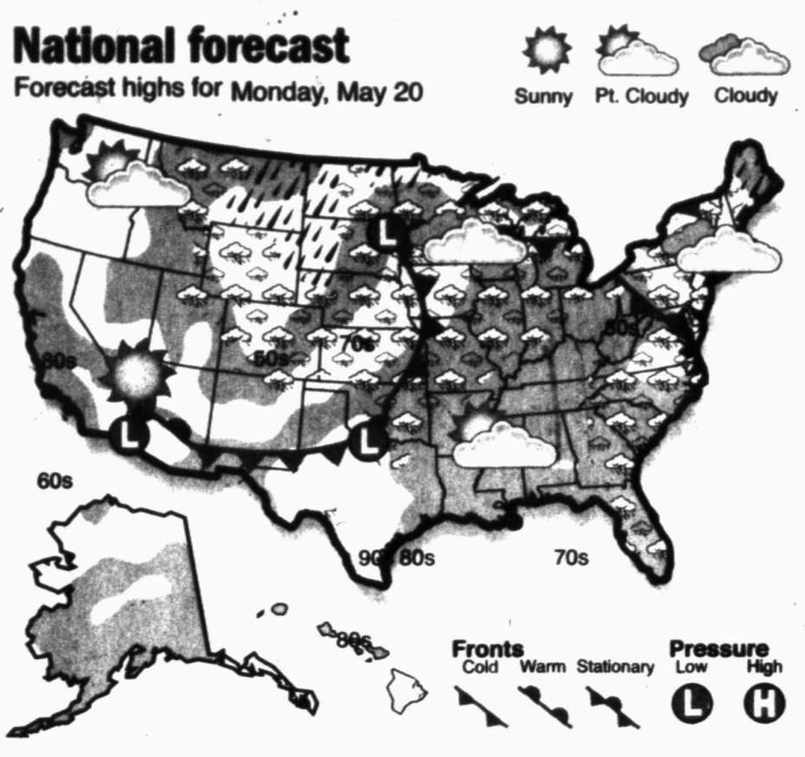
Saturday	0.00 in.
Sunday	0.00 in.
Month total	0.01 in.
Year total	1.54 in.
Normal total (year to date)	3.40 in.

Sunday's temperatures

High	95
Low	70
Normal high	88
Normal low	61
Sunrise	6:48 a.m.
Sunset	8:43 p.m.

National forecast

Forecast highs for Monday, May 20



GED hopefuls should get diplomas before costs go up

DEAR ABBY



Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Her column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.

DEAR ABBY: I have worked in the field of education for more than 40 years, with the last 25 years serving in adult education, helping students complete their high school equivalency diploma.

BIG changes are impending worldwide in this very important educational service. Starting in 2014, the cost may go up. Up until two years ago, the classes in our community were free. The testing cost $7.50, which paid for a printed diploma. Since then, the cost has gone up — first to $25 and then to $35.

Now the GED program has been bought by a for-profit organization and the costs will go higher than ever. Furthermore, it will no longer be possible to take the test using pencil and paper. It will all be done on computer.

Please encourage the thousands of adults who do not have their high school degrees to make a life-changing decision for themselves and their families NOW! — JOY IN A CLASSROOM DOWN SOUTH

DEAR JOY: I am sure many readers will thank you for this important heads-up. Readers, the changes Joy has described will go into effect on Jan. 2, 2014. According to the media representative for the GED Testing Service in Washington, D.C., the costs of the tests will be determined by the state in which it is administered. It is currently between $0 and $250, and in 2014 will "marginally increase or decrease" according to which state you live in. (Decrease? Forgive me for being doubtful ...) Criteria for passing or failing the test will remain the same.

Readers, any of you who are not computer literate should start now. Do not delay. If you are uncomfortable with technology and have a friend or relative who is knowledgeable, more information can be obtained by visiting www.gedtestingservice.com.

DEAR ABBY: I have been in the workplace for 20 years. During that time I have witnessed lying, cheating, lechery, betrayal, vicious gossip, arrogance, entitlement, stealing and bullying, etc.

Last week, a co-worker whom I liked and respected confided to me that she hopes a 102-year-old relative will die soon because she needs to inherit some money. I was floored and had a hard time keeping the shock off my face.

Does work bring out the worst in people? Is it because we all must be here every day? Is it too many people competing for too few resources? Is my hide too thin? Am I in the wrong job? — THE DAILY GRIND

DEAR DAILY GRIND: When you spend eight hours a day with people, they usually reveal their core values at some point. In your case, you appear to work with someone who "over-shares." I don't think your hide is too thin, and I'm not in a position to tell you if you're in the wrong job. You may, however, be overdue for a vacation.

P.S. Let's cross our fingers and hope that relative makes it to 110.

DEAR ABBY: Please settle a family disagreement. A scratch ticket is given to a friend or relative as a gift. If that ticket is a winner, is there an expectation that the winnings should be shared with the person who gave the ticket? — JEFF IN MASSACHUSETTS

DEAR JEFF: A gift is a gift. There is no obligation to share. Alexander Pope wrote, "Hope springs eternal in the human breast," but if you are hoping you'll get a cut of the money, don't hold your breath.

GOREN BRIDGE

With Omar Sharif and Tannah Hirsch

Bidding Quiz

Q 1 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A J 8 ♡ A K 10 5 4 ◇ 9 8 3 ♣ 7 2
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♡	Pass	1♠	Pass

What do you bid now?
A — No bid is perfect. You would rather have four to raise spades, and bidding one no-trump with two suits unstopped is not pleasant. However, you do have good spades and the raise is the lesser evil. Bid two spades.

Q 2 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A 9 5 ♡ A 10 7 6 3 ◇ K Q 7 ♣ 10 9
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♡	Pass	1♠	Pass

What action do you take?
A — Here, your spade support is weaker and your minor suit holdings better than in the previous question. Now we prefer a one no-trump rebid rather than raising partner's major with three-card support.

Q 3 — As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠ Q J 3 ♡ A K Q 10 7 6 3 ◇ A 8 7 ♣ Void
The bidding has proceeded:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1♡	Pass	1♠	Pass

What action do you take?
A — Your hand has just become huge. If partner has five spades to the ace-king and nothing else, you have 13 tricks. Tell partner you have a powerhouse by making a jump shift to three diamonds.

Q 4 — Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ A 9 6 5 ♡ J 8 6 ◇ 9 5 4 ♣ 7 6 3
Partner opens the bidding with one club. What do you respond?
A — With a hand worth only one trick, don't consider making a response on such a weak holding. At the table South responded one spade and North, with a hand worth 20 points and good four-card support, leaped to game — down one, and a useful partscore was lost.

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The stars show the kind of day you'll have: 5-dynamic; 4-positive; 3-average; 2-so-so; 1-difficult

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Monday, May 20, 2013:

This year you often fuss about details and even could become quite critical; however, you also express a carefree, intellectual attitude and a sense of fun. Can you understand why some people might be wary of you? If you are single, you attract many suitors, regardless of which side of your personality you choose to express. Relate to someone who accepts you for you. If you are attached, certain situations could arise that force your hand. Make an effort to be more understanding with each other. LIBRA draws out the talker in you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★★ Open yourself up and allow greater give-and-take. By the end of the day, what once seemed like a problem because of a change in perspective will dissolve. Your insights clarify issues, and others seek you out as a result. Tonight: Dance right out the door.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ Clarification might be hard to get right now, as everyone has a different perspective. Listen to the different opinions in order to get to the root of a problem. The issue simply might be a lack of flexibility. A person from a distance could be challenging. Tonight: Easy works.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ You are anchored in reality. You might not be sure which way to turn. A partner seems quite certain that he or she knows the only right way. Let your creativity flow, and you could be surprised by what emerges. Avoid a power play. Tonight: Pretend that it's still the weekend.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ Communication could be stifled, if not difficult. Be sure to listen to all of the information that comes in. Someone might be the source of a power play; know that the only way to win here is not to play. Just carry on as if this control issue does not exist. Tonight: Time at home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★ It takes courage to speak up and tell it as you see it. Be direct when sharing your beliefs, and remain open to a discussion. You could feel drained by an unexpected demand placed on you by a friend. Remember to honor your boundaries. Tonight: Chat over a glass of wine.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ By midafternoon, you could be ready to ask for help. Tension will ease, and you'll still be captain of your ship. A discussion leads to brainstorming about responsibilities and what can be achieved. Delegate that which you don't do so well. Tonight: Stay within your budget.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★ If you choose to ignore hassles in the morning, know that you will be able to revisit them in the afternoon. An unexpected insight could come in from out of left field — someone never ceases to surprise you. This person keeps life exciting! Tonight: Join a friend for dinner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) ★★★★ You seem to encounter complications left and right. Your sense of humor will emerge, and it will carry you through these issues with ease. Though you might not accomplish everything you want, you'll maintain a good attitude. Make it a point to get some alone time. Tonight: Relax.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★ Listen to forthcoming news. The problem lies in the complications. By late afternoon, you'll be able to get past any hassle that heads your way. Make time to meet a special friend whom you often don't get to see. Tonight: Why not meet now? Pick a favorite place.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★ Take in others' various ideas and suggestions, as it will force you to look at a situation differently. You could be overwhelmed by what comes up. Learn new ways of solving a problem from an intellectual friend. This person has great insight. Tonight: Take in new vistas.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) ★★★★ You might want to figure out why a partner is creating uproar. Your instincts range from running in and helping to taking a step back. Creating some space will allow this person to see the knot that he or she has tied. Your help might be viewed as bossy. Tonight: Do your thing.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Deferring to others has its pros and cons. You know what you want. A friend might come up with requirements or demands that you do not feel are reasonable. Tonight: Visit with a dear friend or loved one.

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BORN TODAY

Singer Cher (1946), singer Joe Cocker (1944), former governor of New York David Patterson (1954)

DAILY CROSSWORD

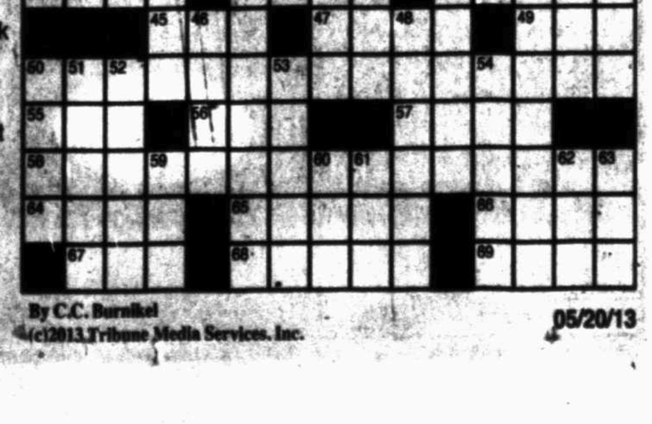
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5 Maternity ward event
10 Formal title
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17 1978 hit for the Commodores
20 Microbe
21 Minnesota Wild's org.
22 Status __
23 Safety feature at a dangerous intersection
28 Boxer played by Will Smith
29 __ the finish
30 Give one's word
31 Business bigwig
33 Olympics sled
35 Mideast sultanate
39 English : John :: Welsh : __
40 High male voice
41 Pro __: in proportion
42 Like the night
43 Seek prey
44 Agriculture goddess on the New Jersey state seal
45 Bigger than med.
47 Multinational coin
49 Scintilla
50 False start punishment, in football
55 Hush-hush maritime org.
56 AAA suggestion
57 Just hanging out
58 As expected, or, golfwise, a hint to numbers found in 17-, 23- and 50-Across
64 Work on the deck
65 Steamed
66 The stuff of legends
67 25-Down student
68 Shows up
69 Gets the picture

DOWN
1 Museum display
2 "How's that again?"
3 Instrument "played" for a hairbrush microphone user
4 Scornful look
5 Role for Keaton and Kilmer
6 "Here," on Metro maps
7 Mojito liquor
8 Former Senator Lott
9 Discuss in detail
10 Note after fa
11 Kirkuk native
12 Excavated anew
16 France's third most populous city
18 "Desert Fox" Rommel
19 Dog food brand
23 Meant to happen
24 Tony whose #6 was retired by the Twins
25 New Haven sch.
26 Dumbfounded
27 Gave one's word
32 Oft-sprained joint
34 Hopped out of bed
36 Bread with swirls stolen by Jerry in a classic "Seinfeld" episode
37 What the dog did with the homework?
38 Foul, as weather
40 Showy
44 Time-share unit
46 Greek street food
48 Treats again, as a sprain
50 Dandy fellows
51 Blown away
52 Like YouTube videos gone wild
53 Nostalgia-inducing
54 Homecoming group
59 "Fidelity, Bravery, Integrity" org.
60 Nonkosher meat
61 Printemps follower
62 Holy mile.
63 Puzzled comments

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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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 mlb.scorers@yahoo.com or phone 210-471-1676 for information and website. All inquiries will be answered.

Basketball

Elite Hoops Training
When: May
Cost: 1 hr. session $55 per person (private lesson); 1 hr. session $40 per person (2 persons); 1 hr. session $30 per person (3-5 persons)
For more info: Contact Eddie Venzant, venzanteddie@yahoo.com or 432-254-6894

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

West Texas Varsity Team Camp
When: June 21-23
Where: San Angelo
For: Boys and girls varsity and junior varsity players
Deadline: June 14
Cost: $275
For more info: Contact Chris Cardenas. cardenas_chris@yahoo.com

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

Runnin' Rebel Basketball Camp
When: June 10-13
For: Incoming grades 1st through 9th
When: 1st-3rd grades: 8:30-10:30 a.m., Rusk Elementary. 4th-6th grades, Noon-2:30 p.m., Lee HS gym. 7th-9th grades, 3-5:30 p.m., Lee HS Gym
Cost: $75 pre-registration; $80 on-site registration
For more info: Call Coach Packer at 689-1643

Tall City Classic Basketball Tournament
When: June 14-16
For: Boys and girls 3rd grade through varsity; Men's division
Deadline: June 3
Cost: Men's division, $150 per team; Youth division, $150, $125 per team for groups bringing two teams; $100 per team bringing 3 or more teams
For more info: Contact Earl Davis at 349-8052

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

Tan Star All Star Camp
For when: 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
When: 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
Football
When: 9 a.m.-noon, June 3-7
For: Boys entering grades 4th-8th
Cost: $75
For more info: Contact crylburn@midlandchristianschool.org
Girls Basketball
When: 9 a.m.-noon, June 3-7
For: Girls entering grades 1st-6th
Cost: $75
For more info: Contact crylburn@midlandchristianschool.org
Boys Basketball
When: 8:30-10:30 a.m., June 10-14
For: Boys entering grades 1st-6th
Cost: $75
For more info: Contact mlanham@midlandchristianschool.org
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
Volleyball
When: June 17-20
For: Girls entering grades 4th-8th; Grades 4th-6th, 8:30-10:30 a.m., grades 7th-8th, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Cost: $75
For more info: Contact ccrouch@midlandchristianschool.org
Softball Hitting Clinic
When: 9:30-11 a.m., June 11-13
For: Girls entering grades 4th-7th
Cost: $50
For more info: Contact jhardy@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

Cycling

Permian Basin Bicycle Association Meetings
When: 7 p.m., third Monday of every month
Where: Atmos Energy's Fescher 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.pbbabb.com

Dodgeball

Sticks and Kicks Leagues
When: Kids, adults, co-ed players
Cost: $35 per player (8 game season)
Where: Register at Sticks and Kicks, 3916 W. Wall
For more info: Call 520-6833

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 Orman at 631-2385

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

Golf

Texas Tech Golf Camps
When: June 6-9
Where: The Rawls Course, Lubbock
Cost: $650 for overnight campers, $500 for day campers
For more info: Go to texastechportscamps.com/golf/index.php

Big Spring Country Club Parent-Child
When: June 1-2
Where: Big Spring Country Club
Format: 2-person scramble
For more info: Call 267-5354

James Bird Memorial Golf Tournament
When: June 1-2
Where: Big Lake Golf Course
Cost: $300 per team
For more info: Call 325-884-2633 or 325-650-5000, email biglake-golf@hotmail.com

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

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 years+kids, 8:30-10 a.m., 14 year olds, 10:15-11:45 a.m.
Cost: $15 per class, helmet required
For more info: Contact jo.youthhockey@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

Shogun'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 697-6554

Private Tae Kwon-Do lessons
Where: Jimenez Tae Kwon-Do Studio, 4400 N. Midland Dr.
For more info: Call 697-6554

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 634-9821 or (469) 248-8472

Matthews Martial Arts
When: Monday through Thursday, 5-8 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 889-8444

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 Woolens & 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: 8-10 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; TBD 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.m.ddogrugby.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
What: $20 per year for individual membership; $30 for per year for family membership
For more info: Go to www.pbrunningclub.com or email Shawn Holley, president at holleyshawn@pbrunningclub.com

Gazelles Training Group
When: 6 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
For more info: Call Popcorn Leonard at 512-762-1020 or 682-0986

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. Wednesday safety meeting at 12:30 p.m.) Also shoot on the Sunday on months that have a fifth Sunday, 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 Claws
For more info: Go to comanchetrailshootists.org or call Hoddoo Brown 682-1422.

Midland Shooters Association
What: All types of shooting practice and competition, featuring archery, benchrest rifle, bullseye rifle, high power rifle, pistol silhouette, rimfire silhouette, 3 gun, practical pistol, skeet, trap 5 state and sporting clays.
For: 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: Dunegan Park, located at corner of Glat 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.midland-soccer.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 wyotafpitch@gmail.com

21st Annual Nasty Boys Juneteenth Softball Tournament
When: June 14-16
Where: Washington Park
For more info: Contact Tank at 296-1982; Gerald at 296-9807 or Jarvis at 296-2206

Swimming

COM Pre-competitive swimming
Where: Midrec 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: Emphasis 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 participating Olympic level skills, national and international meets.
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 top 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
When: 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 432-683-1333 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.
Where: Lee High School tennis courts
For more info: Visit www.bushtenniscenter.com and click on "Programs & Events" or call, 620-8180.

USTA Team Tennis Adult Leagues
When: Special Event Feb. 16-17; Leagues run May through November
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Sherry 620-8810 or Email www.midlandtennis@aol.com

WTU/USPTA Junior Circuit
For: Boys and girls singles players, ages 10-18
When: June 22, 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: May 25-26; June 15-16; July 13-14; Aug. 17-18; Sept. 14-15; Sept. 21-22; Nov. 16-17
Where: Midland College Tennis Center
For more info: Contact Lance or Kathy at 694-6321
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

Volleyball

Midland High Volleyball Camp
When: June 3-5
Where: Midland High School large gym
For: Incoming 4th-9th graders
Cost: 4th-6th grades, $50; 7th-9th grades, $60
For more info: Contact Amanda Lopez at 689-1133 or amlopez@midlandisd.net

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General Manager, Breakfast Cooks & Servers

Lori's Cafe needs qualified ***Breakfast Cooks*** & ***Servers.** Top pay for experience. Cooks starting at $13.00/hr.*We are also seeking an **Experienced Restaurant General Manager** who is able to move through all restaurant positions, close registers, generate sales reports, basic accounting and back of house required, Customer service skills and small business minded is essential as we are still locally owned and family oriented. Please email resume to loriscafe@att.net or bring resume or application in between 9-11 or 1-2. Hours of operation are 6AM-2PM.

Insurance Verification Coordinator

Small medical office Is seeking a part-time Insurance Verification Coordinator. The employee will be responsible for verification of medical insurance benefits for private Insurance companies, as well as State and Federal payers, and determining Insurance compatibility with prescribed services. Additional job responsibilities will include data entry for electronic medical records, setting/rescheduling appointments, providing customer service, taking payments and other duties as assigned. The employer will do a background and reference checks. For more Information regarding this position, please contact: Allen Orthotics & Prosthetics by phone 432-683-3788 or Fax 432-683-6470.

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Prefer bi-lingual, but not required.
Short hours, busy schedule.
3 day work week.
432-684-4343

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Golden Coach & Marine
306 E. 2nd St.
Odessa, TX
Must be honest, courteous, self-motivated, Experience preferred.
Good Hours & Good Benefits.
Please apply in person or send resume to clintgolden@yahoo.com

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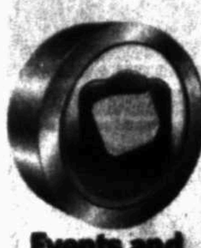
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Found Dog Sunday. Cowden Park area. Long haired Chihuahua, Tan, Definably inside lap dog. 432-697-8567.

FOUND HUSKY - on Cottonflat & W. CR 140, on 5/16, Thursday. Grey & White - Sweet disposition. Call 432-230-9664.

FOUND LARGE Dog, on 5/15, Wednesday near Andrews Hwy. Call 432-694-3104.

FOUND: MALE Chihuahua, light tan. Found on Friday near Lamesa Road and Cuthbert. He was wearing a collar with a tag but the phone number is disconnected. If you are missing a dog please call 432-664-9191 to identify him

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Midland Independent School District will receive sealed proposals for Technology Items, Bid No. 2013-0002T. Bids are to be addressed to Tom Holly, Executive Director of Technology, 300 N. Carrizo St., Midland, TX 79707. **Bids will be received at the above address until 10:00 a.m. CST, Monday, June 3, 2013,** at which time they will be publicly opened. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained by emailing your request to tholly@midlandisd.net.

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Passenger Cars

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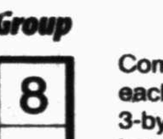
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NISSAN 2004 Titan, crew cab, 4x4, lift kit. We finance. B&B Auto Sales 432-683-6222

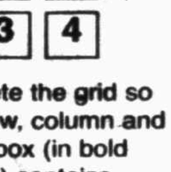
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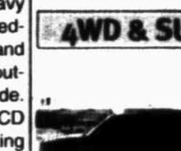
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2012 X6 50i Silver/Beige Sport pkg, Sport pkg, Prem sound, 20" wheels, 18k miles

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RVs

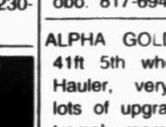
'08 MONTANA 5th Wheel 38', 3 slides, 3 year transferable warranty, tires, batteries, brakes and bearings replaced March 2012. 1 Owner, no smoker, no pets. Very clean! flat screen TV, Sony surrond sound, Lots of storage in/out. Washer and dryer closet. Lots of extras $26,000 817-793-3662

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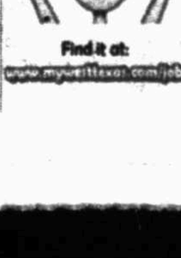
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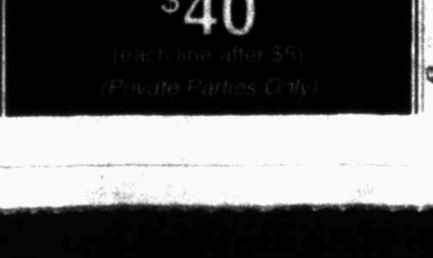
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ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Accounting Clerk
Carter's Furniture FT
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Accounting Clerk/Account's Receivable needed full-time. Quickbooks & Microsoft experience preferred. Must be able to work Saturday. Email Resume to: jbulla@cartersfurniture.net or fax: 432-682-3419.

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Experienced Mechanic

Brakes - Front End
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Closed Sunday

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• Paid Vacation

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midland@midastexas.com
call 432-694-9631
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Must have Experience

Monday - Friday 8 - 6
Saturday 8-12
Closed Sunday

BENEFITS
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Front Desk Receptionist
Phillips Eye Clinic FT
Seeking Front Desk Receptionist. Bring resume in person to: 4311 W. Wadley Ave, Midland, TX 79707.

CONSTRUCTION & FACILITIES

CONSTRUCTION SUPERINTENDENT
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First Presbyterian Child Development Center seeks part time teachers & teachers assistant for the 2013-2014 school year starting in September Call 432-683-0851.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Speech Therapist/Pathologist
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Electricians
West Texas Gas, Inc. FT
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Environmental Field Technician (LDAR) needed to service petro-chemical facilities in Midland and Snyder, TX. No experience required, but a plus. EOE. High school or equivalent education. Must pass background check/drug test. Full benefits package with great 401(k) match! Apply online at **http://dexter.catsone.com/careers**.

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Inside Sales/Outside Sales/Warehouse/CDL Driver/Clerical
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Chiropractic Assistant
Chiropractic Assistant FT
Hiring full time Chiropractic Assistant, please bring resume to 1220 N. Midkiff, Ste B. or call 432-520-0773 to schedule an interview.

Experienced Certified Dental Assistant
We are looking for an exceptional, experienced, **certified dental assistant** to join our team at Midland's premier dental practice. Due to tremendous growth, two positions are available. Please e-mail **info@smilemidland.com**, fax **(432) 520-0720**, or bring resume to Drs. Kauffman & Campagna at **3722 N Loop 250, Midland, TX**.

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Full Time & PRN Admission Clerk
Martin County Hospital is looking for a Full Time & PRN Admission Clerk. Apply by sending your Resume to pdorty@martinch.org or Come by and pick up an application at 600 E. I-20, Stanton, TX. 79728 from HR or call 432-607-3227

Insurance Verification Coordinator
Small medical office is seeking a part-time Insurance Verification Coordinator. The employee will be responsible for verification of medical insurance benefits for private insurance companies, as well as State and Federal payors, and determining insurance compatibility with prescribed services. Additional job responsibilities will include data entry for electronic medical records, setting/rescheduling appointments, providing customer service, taking payments and other duties as assigned. The employer will do a background and reference checks. For more information regarding this position, please contact: Allen Orthotics & Prosthetics by phone 432-683-3788 or Fax 432-683-6470.

Phlebotomy Certification Class (blood drawing)
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Martin County Home Health is now taking applications for a PRN RN/LVN for weekend call. Competitive pay, call pay and mileage reimbursement. Call Allison Roy RN/DON at 432-607-3249, or fax resume to 432-607-3299.

HOSPITALITY & TRAVEL

Housekeeper & Hostess
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Midland, TX 79707
Now hiring Full Time housekeeper's and weekend breakfast hostess. Apply in person at 5011 West Loop 250 North, Midland TX. 79707.

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All Positions
Firehouse Subs FT
Midland, TX 79701
Now hiring Slice, Prep, Cashiers, Catering & Kitchen help for AM/PM positions. Pay up to $14. Apply in person: 2900 W. Loop 250 North, Ste 162.

Available Openings
Wyndham Garden: Office Manager, Front Desk Clerk, part time Night Auditor, Housekeeping, Housemen, Laundry, Handyman, Maintenance, Cooks, Servers, Bussers. Pay based upon experience. Email resume to midtownhotelgm@gmail.com or bring resume to 3100 W. Wall Street

Janitorial Help
Part-time Janitorial work in the evening. Apply at: 2311 Elizabeth Ave or call 432-570-9903.

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.

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All Positions
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Midland, TX 79703
Hiring for all positions. Experience preferred. Apply in person, no phone calls.

All Positions
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Midland, TX **To fill out application.**
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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

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All Positions
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Experienced Grill Cook and Experienced Baker, 611 S. Main St. Midland TX. call apply 10-11am & 1-2pm. Wages depend on experience.

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Waitstaff and Cooks
Murray's Deli FT
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Waitstaff
Kuo's Chinese Restaurant FT
Must be able to work weekends. Schedule subject to change. Split shift. Apply in person at: 3303 N Midkiff, suite 152. Midland, TX 79705.

RETAIL JOBS

Retail Sales
Wood's Boots FT
Midland, TX 79701
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SKILLED LABOR

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Backhoe and Kill Truck Operators
Wanted Backhoe operators and Kill Truck Operators with CDL. Call 432-682-7201 or apply at: 2908 N. County Rd 1150, Midland, TX.

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Evergreen Tank Solutions is Now Hiring experienced CDL Drivers. Winch Truck Exp Needed. Must be able to pass background check. Company offers full Benefits Package! Pay is DOE up to $21/hr. Home every night. Apply in person at: 12198 Hwy 191, Midland, TX 79707. Call 903-987-1039. Evergreen is an EEO.

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Midland, TX 79701 0-1 Years Exp.
BKEP is looking for Field Technicians in Pecos, TX. Responsible for efficient operation of field gathering & pipeline systems. Maintenance & repair. Excellent Pay & Benefits, 401K, PTO time. Apply at www.bkep.com

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Midland, TX 79701 0-1 Years Exp.
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Flare Technician/Specialist
Natural Gas Services Group FT
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Teraco, Inc. FT
Teraco, Inc. is an industry leading plastic card manufacturer located in Midland. We currently have a job opening in our Maintenance Department. We are looking for someone who has an electrical background 480 volts and lower including low voltage and ladder logic. We are also looking for someone who has hydraulic and pneumatic experience. Experience in welding and Omron servo drive is a plus. Must be willing to work a rotating shift. At least a high school diploma or equivalent is required. Benefits include: paid vacation and holiday, tuition reimbursement, 401K, and medical insurance. Email your inquiries to: resume@teraco.com

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Welders
M & D Welding FT
Single hand contract needed. Oil field experience a plus & Drivers License a must. Salary DOE. Please call for application at 432-520-3853 or 432-638-8266.

TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS

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